

AGM 2022: NOTE 2

July 2022

Dear Members,

Herewith a quick update to the first Note on our 2022 Annual General Meeting.

The Basics

As a reminder, the AGM will take place at 10AM on Saturday 13 August 2022. It will be held at the new PTA Club venue situated at Plot 35, 348 Cecil Avenue, Sinoville. The venue will be accessible from 9AM onwards.

NOTE: the 2022 AGM replaces the regular monthly Pretoria Group meeting for August.

AGM Shell Exhibits

Please remember that we will be reinstating the traditional Shell Exhibits at the 2022 AGM. There is no theme – suffice to say that you can let your imagination lead you – but exhibits can be prepared within any of the following Categories:

- Beginner
- Shell Family, Genus or Species
- Scientific
- Artistic

Please remember to label your Exhibit so we know within which Category it is being entered.

An award will be bestowed within each Category, and a "Best Exhibit of 2022" will also be selected. Each Exhibitor will also receive an Exhibitor Certificate.

Most importantly, have fun with it!

Voting

It is not a voting year per se, so no appointment of a new Committee this year. However, we will be voting on the proposed new title for the Society. Please refer to Letter SCSA/LET/030 "Society Name", circulated on 6 July 2022, for further explanation regarding the matter. A new title has been suggested, as denoted in the aforementioned letter, but you are kindly requested to come forward with other suggestions, too.

All suggestions to be forwarded to our Secretary, Mr Anton Groenewald, in writing (email will suffice).

AGM Talk

Our AGM Talk will be presented by Alwyn Marais this year. The subject matter is still being finalised.

AGM Auction and Trade

Attached to this email is the first version of the AGM Auction shell list. You are welcome to use the list for planning purposes.

There will also be loads of shells and books for sale at the AGM, so start putting away your spare cash and make use of the opportunity to expand your collection!

In Conclusion

We are hoping for a great turn-out this year. Please indicate attendance with our Secretary as soon as possible to allow for planning for the catering.

Until next time, happy shelling!

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President, SCSA 22 July 2022