

THE BLACK SASH - CAPE WESTERN REGION

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MOWBRAY...CAPE
7700

15th November, 1978

*Amendment to old
Bantu Education Act
(M. Loringstone)*
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Dear Member,

Our last meeting for the year is to be on Monday, December 4th, at Mary Burton's home, 75 Sandown Road, Rondebosch. Several members have expressed the wish for meetings which are not dominated by invited speakers (interesting though they may be) but which give members the opportunity to exchange ideas, express their feelings about issues, explore avenues opened by speakers, and generally contribute more towards and receive more from the workings of the Black Sash.

So it has been decided that December's General Meeting will have no speaker, instead we will have a meeting at which we will all contribute. The starting off point will be discussion of Professor van Rooyen's address at our last meeting. He recommended several things for us to read - for those who were there and for those who were not, these will be valuable reading :-

1. Prof. A.S. Mathews : Law, Order and Liberty in South Africa. (available from public library)
2. Prof. van der Vyfer : 7 Lectures on Human Rights
(soft) 9 - 50
(hard) 14 - 50
3. S.A. Journal on Criminal Law and Criminology Vol. 1977: article by Prof. van der Vyfer on Section 6 of the Terrorism Act. -
4. Article in the latest issue of Deurbraak. - (Progressive party Magazine)

*Jan
Book office*

We hope to have these available at the office for members; please phone if you would like to borrow them.

At this time in the history of our country there is plenty to discuss, and it should be an interesting meeting.

ROSEBANK BRANCH

The next meeting of the ROSEBANK BRANCH will be on Tuesday 28th November, at 8.00 p.m. at Jan Baragwanath's flat, B504 Forest Hill, Main Road, Mowbray. Telephone : 699361. (Block B is directly opposite the entrance through the garage on the Main Road). There will be a report-back from Regional Conference and the arrangements for the Morning Market bookstall will be finalised. We are trying to keep this branch from dying - do please make an effort to attend!

RONDEBOSCH BRANCH MEETING

DATE : Monday, 27th November, at 8.00 p.m.

VENUE : M. Bewick's home
"Cannon River"
60 Newlands Avenue
NEWLANDS...CAPE

Telephone : 693812

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A film on Tanzania will be shown : "Self-help through self-reliance" dealing with Nyerere and African Socialism. There will be time for discussion, and it will be an informal meeting, so bring your Morning Market sewing or knitting. All are welcome.

MORNING MARKET 9TH DECEMBER, 1978

Wynberg branch is organising the cake stall (our apologies for not including it in the last newsletter) and each member is asked to bring a cake, or contribute towards it.

Faith Plaut has offered to organize a sew-in for the Morning Market; judging from her exhibition this will be an exciting and creative venture. If you are interested, please phone Ruth Suter 652600.

Monica Ritchken needs plants for her plant stall; if you can contribute in this way please phone her :- 85657

BOOK STALL

Rosebank branch needs books, especially paperbacks. Also please send for pulping any old magazines, telephone directories etc, (but not newspapers). Do not bring books direct to the Morning Market as they have to be sorted beforehand. Telephone Bidy Greene 668601, or bring to the office.

Plumstead Branch needs clothes (especially menswear, good shoes and childrens clothes) for its boutique (before 24th November) and Gifts Galore Pottery and Crafts and the White Elephant stalls need contributions, so please send anything you do not use to the office.

Rondebosch branch has made a special request for items for their delicatessen stall, so please, in addition to books plants and rummage, beforehand, please bring a cake and any items of food (home-grown vegetables, home-made bread, pate - anything you like to make, especially bread because there is never enough) on the morning of the 9th December. Plumstead Branch would like toys in good condition for their Children's Corner.

Income from Morning Market is what keeps Cape Western Region going, so please make an effort to contribute towards every stall, if possible.

We would like to thank Mrs. Kemp for her generous donation of a carpet for the Advice Office.

In general donations from members this year have been tremendous - thank you all for your generosity. It has helped to offset the legal bills incurred for defending the many victims of our unjust system.

Sincerely,

Hildur Amato

HILDUR AMATO (MRS.)
(HON. SECRETARY)

Nat. Conf. March

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14-17.

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Catering
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Conf!

P.S. There are many cassettes in the office, tapes of addresses that have been given to the Black Sash at various times. Branches are asked to send volunteers to listen to them, to decide if they are still interesting and relevant, and to make use of them for branch meetings, or to let us know if they are outdated.

Does anyone have a hand sewing machine to donate to the Women's Movement for their sewing classes? If so please phone 618994

Extra - Mural Studies.

Tues. 9am

Seminar on Welfare Bills

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Genl. Meeting

Nan - go to diff. area & do concd. citizen work this every time.

Appt. - B. Vesfeld
N. Knags

Being there? Accom. BV?; D.K?; BG?; AF?
Catering: A.B. AF?

Trav AF? DK

Thanks for books

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SECRETARY (M.S.)