

MINUTES:
ADSA KZN Branch Meeting held at 9h00 on 13th November 2015
at Paradise Valley Conference Centre

PRESENT

See Register

IN ATTENDANCE

Nicole du Trevou

1. Welcome

2. Apologies Received

Michelle Tolmay
Siduduzo Myeza
Daniella Beaumont
Manie Hamman
Pranisha Deonarain

3. New points to the agenda

None

4. Acceptance of Previous Minutes (18th of September)

Megan White
Priya Seetal (seconded)

5. Matters Arising

5.1 ADSA Membership

- Please email andrew@vdw.co.za to renew your membership.
- There is a membership renewal form uploaded onto the ADSA website

5.2 PPD meeting

25th of November in the evening – Umhlanga Business Centre: Woman's Health (speaker – Dr Hartman)

5.3 Interest Groups

Sports, private, public and industry interest groups available if you would like to participate

5.4 Mentorship Programme

Notify ADSA KZN if you are in need of a mentor or would like to be a mentee

5.5 Career days/ work experience

A special request was made for dietitians (particularly food service or hospital based dietitians) to volunteer their time to have students carry out some work experience with them.

6. New Matters

6.1 Feedback from National Nutrition Week

- There is a report available on the ADSA website regarding the national nutrition week.
 - There were six questions being posed on twitter
 - Interviews occurred on SABC 2 and Khaya FM
 - Press releases were released on social media reaching a lot of people

6.2 Feedback from National Obesity Week

The weekly mailer will provide all dietitians the information regarding obesity awareness week

6.3 End of Year Function

The original secured plan for the end of year function fell through at the end of October. The end of year function will still be held in 2015 but the details are still to be confirmed.

7. Future Meetings

7.1 26 February 2016 - AGM

SASA

7.2 April/May 2016

7.3 August 2016

7.4 October/November 2016

7.5 Year End Function ? 2nd December 2016

8. Congresses

8.1 Nutrition Congress 2016

Cape Town – Somerset West

8.2 ISBNPA Cape Town 8 - 11 June 2016

8.3 ICD Granada Spain 7- 10 Sept 2016

8.4 Gut Summit 19th November 2015

Gateway Hotel

9. General

9.1 Job opportunities

Locum in Newcastle (jbdietician@gmail.com)

Rooms available in Vryheid (sindile@telkomsa.net)

9.2 Social Media

- Share ADSA information on your social media platforms
- Be mindful of what you post
- The Tim Noakes hearing coming up shortly – dietitians will be represented but will not be present

9.3 ADSA Website

9.4 Update of members information

Please email andrew@vdw.co.za to update your personal information as a lot of the membership cards have been sent back due to incorrect details

10. Closure

Meeting closed at 12h45

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

End of year function date to be confirmed