

## TECZKA nr 5

Dokumenty działalności organizacji  
WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE  
za okres lat 1979 - 1994

Rok 1992

- (a) sprawozdania zebrań Komitetu Lotów, (1-7),
- (b) korespondencja - większość w języku angielskim, (8-63),
- (c) działalność administracyjna, (64-108),
- (d) artykuły o odbytych Obchodach Lotów nad Warszawą,  
przeznaczonych do prasy, (109).

MEETING OF THE WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE  
ON SUNDAY 10TH MAY 1992 -  
A G E N D A

Apologies

1. Approval of minutes
2. Matters arising
3. Distribution of functions
4. Finances
5. Invitations
6. Confirmation of venue for reception
7. Admission prices
8. Guest speaker
9. Chaplain
10. List of addresses - updating
11. General
12. Date & place of the next meeting.

Quadrathlon - Commemorative - April '93.

Adamski - to reply letter.

J. Wellins - DFC, DSO.

A. Wellins

Video SAAF:

Return slips - in charge via Jack.

Notes de Union:

Check on letter from TDS re landing of helicopter

Check on ~~RAF~~'s lists of Monuments

R2024-53

Cross of valour - hoped for  
at 9 (C. in the)

} Ceremonies  
8/8/92.



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE  
ON SUNDAY 10TH MAY 1992 AT ZYG FUDAKOWSKI'S RESIDENCE  
AT 46 FOUR GABLES, SANDOWN.

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PRESENT: Edward de Virion  
Zyg Fudakowski (Chairman)  
Piotr Jelonek  
Andrzej Romanowicz  
Jaga ven de Put  
Jack van Eyssen

by invitation: Stefan Adamski (part time)

- 1. Apologies: Muriel Bates  
Staszek Czuba  
Hanka Eglick  
Ron Haywood  
Michal Michalski  
Brig.Moolman  
Stefan Smoleniec  
Wojtek Kukulski

- 1.1 Hanka Eglick is incapacitated through illness and will no longer be able to act as the delegate to the Committee. We thank her and wish her well. She will be replaced by Peter McLean.
- 1.2. Wojtek Kukulski leaves Johannesburg permanently for Durban and regrettably resigns from the Committee. We wish him good luck.

2. Approval of Minutes

- 2.1. Jack van Eyssen pointed out an error in para.2.1 of the minutes of the meeting on 3.11.91: Letters after the name of the late Jim Williams should be: DSO, DFC, K St J. With this correction, the minutes were approved. Proposer: E de Virion. Secoder: Piotr Jelonek.

3. Matters arising

- 2.1 Ad 5.1.3: Video covering 1991 Commemoration had been edited and dubbed in Polish, but was not ready in time for the visit of President de Klerk to Poland. The job was done most competently by Jack van Eyssen and Andrzej Romanowicz, in cooperation with the TV unit of SAAF. Certain adjustments are still to be made before the tape can be used by the Polish TV. The next step would be to translate the final version back into English, dub it and have it broadcast of SATV. Extra copies will have to be made. Jack and Andrzej will follow up.
- 2.2. SAAF Assoc. representation: Jack advised that he intended to approach Doug Morris to join our Committee. This was accepted. Subsequent to the meeting, Jack advised that Doug had accepted.

4. Distribution of functions:

- 3.1. Last year's list was discussed and minor changes were introduced in the light of the latest developments. Current list enclosed.



5. Finances:
  - 5.1. Balance as at 8 May - R2024,53.
6. Invitations:
  - 6.1 Piotr had negotiated a much better price (R540 for 400 incl. envelopes, against last year's R966,15).
  - 6.2. Jack offered to produce insert slips free of charge, provided he can get the copy before 30.6.92.
7. Confirmation of venue for reception:

The Fairmount Bowling Club was confirmed as the desired venue. Jaga will now negotiate the details.
8. Prices of admission:
  - 8.1. The meeting expressed the view that an effort should be made to maintain prices at last year's level, even if it entailed cutting down on snacks (e.g.: no hot snacks). Final prices will be determined after Jaga completes negotiations with the Club.
9. Guest Speaker:
  - 9.1. Jack proposed the Chief of the Air Force, Gen.J.Kriel. No other candidates were put forward.
  - 9.2. The Chairman was requested to write to Gen.Kriel a.s.a.p.
10. Chaplain to conduct service:
  - 10.1 It was decided to invite both Mons.Jaworski and Father Bogdan Wilkaniec to con-celebrate.
  - 10.2 The Chairman will follow up.
11. List of addresses - updating:
  - 11.1 Jack and Piotr will go through the list in the next few days.
  - 11.2 Once he obtains the final list, Zyg Fudakowski will contact Mr.Bresler of Walker-Pool, regarding printing of address labels by computer.
12. General:
  - 12.1 Warsaw Rising Awards: Jack van Eyssen briefed the meeting on progress made with preparations for the official award of decorations of 2 Wing airmen who took part in Warsaw operations, handed over by Polish President Lech Walesa to State President F W de Klerk.
  - 12.2 List of recipients still being supplemented and reviewed with the cooperation of the Polish Embassy.
  - 12.3 A Committee composed of Jack van Eyssen, Stefan Smoleniec and Staszek Czuba cooperates with Mr.Zenon Kuchciak of the Polish Embassy in handling this matter.
  - 12.4 Gen.Kriel, Chief of the Air Force, whom the committee had visited, offered the venue of the Officers' Club at Zwartkop for the award ceremony. He also offered an aircraft which could pick up families of those being decorated, located in major centres outside PWV and thus enable them to participate.

12.5 Suggested date for the award ceremony (to be confirmed) -  
8th AUGUST 1992.

12.6 Invitations will be sent by the Polish Embassy in  
Pretoria

13. Date and place of the next meeting:

Sunday 12th July 1992 at Jaga van de Put's residence at  
No.11, THE COURTYARD, Stella Street, Sandown an 1500 Hrs.

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WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE

1992

DISTRIBUTION OF FUNCTIONS

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1. Reception	Jaga van de Put
2. Ushers	Piotr Jelonek
3. Invitations - printing	Piotr Jelonek
4. List of addresses	Jack van Eyssen Piotr Jelonek
5. Liaison with SA Air Force	Ron Haywood
6. Liaison with Defence Force HQ	Stefan Smoleniec
7. <del>Liaison with 31 Squadron</del>	<del>Jack van Eyssen</del>
8. Liaison with WIT Command	Zyg Fudakowski
9. JHB Municipality : Mayor's Office Parks Board	Zyg Fudakowski Jaga van de Put Andrzej Romanowicz
10. Military VIP's	Stefan Smoleniec
11. Public Gathering Permit (Chief Magistrate)	Stefan Smoleniec
12. Publicity	Muriel Bates Polish Assoc. Representative <del>Edward de Virion</del>
13. Access to the Katyn Memorial grounds	Jack van Eyssen
14. Public address system	Staszek Czuba
15. Seating arrangements	Piotr Jelonek Zyg Fudakowski
16. Chairs (WIT Command)	Zyg Fudakowski
17. Traffic / Security / Guard of Honour deployment	Zyg Fudakowski Jack van Eyssen
18. Storage & transport of flags and flagpoles	Staszek Czuba
19. Flags & drummers	
20. Wreath-laying	Andrzej Romanowicz
21. <del>Transport of plants from Municipal Nurseries</del>	<del>Jaga van de Put</del>
22. General coordination	Zyg Fudakowski

WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE

MEETING ON SUNDAY 12TH JULY AT 1500 HRS.

A G E N D A

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Welcoming new Members of the Committee
- 3. Approval of minutes of the last meeting
- 4. Matters arising:
  - 4.1. Video covering 1991 Commemoration
  - 4.2. Invitations
  - 4.3. Prices of admission
  - 4.4. Guest Speaker
  - 4.5. List of addresses
- 5. Checklist per "Distribution of Functions" list
- 6. General
  - 6.1. Warsaw Rising Awards
  - 6.2. Any other matters
- 7. Date & place of the next meeting.

Ken Smith: SAAF - Lt. Brant. + address:

Bank - up speaker:

Col. Wepener:

Van Logghebeek's. D. Morris

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Swettenham: 31/8

Assoc. of Officers of RSA: 30/8/92  
N. Mas 15:00 Venue  
J. U. - G. P. -



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE  
ON SUNDAY 12TH JULY 1992 AT JAGA VAN DE PUT'S RESIDENCE  
AT 11 THE COURTYARD, STELLA STREET, SANDOWN, SANDTON.

Present: Muriel Bates  
Staszek Czuba  
Zyg Fudakowski (Chairman)  
Piotr Jelonek  
Peter McLean  
Doug Morris  
Andrzej Romanowicz  
Stefan Smoleniec  
Marek Szopinski  
Jaga van de Put  
Jack van Eyssen

1. Apologies: Edward de Virion  
Ron Haywood  
Wiesia Uchronska

2. Welcoming new Committee Members:

2.1. The Chairman welcomed:

- Doug Morris (SAAF Association)
- Peter McLean (R.A.F. Assoc.)
- Marek Szopinski (Polish Air Force Assoc.)

Wiesia Uchronska, who will represent the Polish Association, was unable to attend due to illness.

3. Approval of minutes

3.1. Minutes of the meeting on 10 May were duly approved.  
Proposer: A.Romanowicz  
Secunder: Jaga van de Put.

4. Matters arising:

4.1. Video covering 1991 Commemoration

- 4.1.1 Andrzej Romanowicz was unable to make progress with the TV Unit, SAAF, who seem to be overloaded with work.
- 4.1.2. A discussion ensued and it was decided that we should try and produce a more professional Video. As a start Zyg Fudakowski would translate the copy used in the Polish version. Muriel Bates would contact her friend, a lady who is an experienced TV producer. She would then prepare a story-board as a guide to taking live video shots at the next Commemoration on September 12. As Andrzej pointed out, the weakness of the last tape was the fact that video shots had been taken at random and the text had to be adapted to this very imperfect material. The result was a certain lack of balance and wrong emphasis. The system now proposed would overcome this problem.

4.2. Invitations:

- 4.2.1. Ready to post. Specimen presented to the meeting. Will be posted on July 27.
- 4.2.2. Prof Smoleniec received a number of invitations for V.I.P's. from Piotr at the meeting.

4.3. Price of admission:

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4.3.1. The Fairmount Bowling Club will charge us R14,50 per head, which is R1 more than last year.

4.3.2. In spite of that, we are able to maintain prices at last year's level, i.e.:

Adults single	-	R25,00
Adults double	-	R40,00
Children under 12	-	R 5,00

4.4. Guest speaker:

4.4.1 Gen Kriel's office acknowledged our request while the General was overseas. Subsequently, they telephoned the General's acceptance.

4.4.2 In discussion on a possible back-up speaker, Peter McLean suggested Gen. Earp. It was decided that Jack would follow this up.

4.4.3 Subsequent to the meeting, Jack contacted Gen. Kriel's office and then reported as follows:

- he requested a written reply confirming that the General had agreed to be guest speaker. This was promised;
- Jack then pointed out the necessity of a back-up speaker and was told that should Gen. Kriel not be able to attend in person, he would himself nominate a replacement.

5. Check-list: "Distribution of Functions":

5.1 Each point on the list was checked in turn.

5.2 Jaga will have the cooperation of young ladies dressed in national costumes and organised by Miss Kukulska. Wiesia Uchronska is in control of costumes and has access to them.

5.3 Some of these young ladies will be assigned to Piotr to act as ushers at the Memorial Service.

5.4 In order to streamline the reception of V.I.P.'s, it was decided that trays with beer and wine will be pre-assembled and placed at a handy spot in the hall, so that Committee members immediately on arrival can offer drinks to special guests in their charge.

5.5 Jaga suggested a suitable board on which all regimental/Squadron insignia would be placed together. Marek Szopinski will follow up.

5.6 No public gathering permit is required from the Chief Magistrate. Last year's procedure will be strictly followed.

5.7 Public address system:

5.7.1 Signals Unit now in *LENZ* Lenesia, with Cmdt. Hefer in charge.

5.7.1 Staszek Czuba made all the arrangements, both for the Memorial Service and for the FBC.

5.8 Flags and flagmasts - with Staszek Czuba, who undertook



to have them delivered to the Memorial and to have them collected after the service.

6. General

6.1. Warsaw Rising Awards:

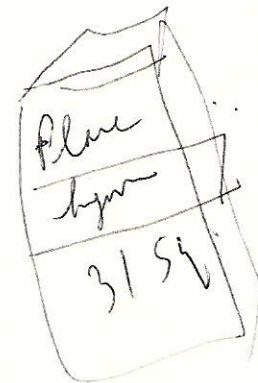
- 6.1.1 Jack reported that the venue at Swartkop Air Base had been confirmed and that the date of Monday, August 31 was 99% certain.
- 6.1.2 Contact was made with 62 recipients and the list had been supplemented with more names after due research.
- 6.1.3 Next meeting of the sub-Committee at Air Force Headquarters on Tuesday 14 July should confirm the date, after which an official announcement can be made.
- 6.1.3 At Gen.Kriel's suggestion a list will be compiled of members of R.A.F who flew over Warsaw with the S.A.Squadrons, so that they too can receive the decoration.

6.2 Peter McLean asked that the name and address of the Association of Officers of the Republic of South Africa be added to the list of wreath-layers.

7. DATE & PLACE OF THE NEXT MEETING:

Sunday 30th August 1992 at Jack van Eyssen's residence at 44 Halford Avenue, Waverley, Johannesburg (Tel.440-1545).

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A handwritten note enclosed in a hand-drawn rectangular box. The text inside the box is written in cursive and reads: "Alan", "by", and "31 54".

J. Brown (in E) RAE Assoc

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY 30TH AUGUST 1992 AT JACK VAN EYSEN'S RESIDENCE AT 44 HALFORD AVENUE, WAVERLEY, JOHANNESBURG, AT 1500 HRS.

PRESENT: Muriel Bates
Staszek Czuba
Zyg Fudakowski (Chairman)
Piotr Jelonek
Peter McLean
Doug Morris
Stefan Smoleniec
Marek Szopinski
Jaga van de Put
Jack van Eyssen

- 1. Apologies: E.de Virion
Ron Haywood
Andrzej Romanowicz
Wiesia Uchronska

2. Approval of Minutes:

2.1. Minutes of the meeting on 12 July were duly approved. Proposer: Muriel Bates; Seconder: Jack van Eyssen.

3. Matters arising:

3.1. Video covering Commemoration.

3.1.1. Muriel Bates has worked closely with Mrs.Beryl Salt, an experienced TV producer, and has been in touch with Andrzej Romanowicz. The video film to be produced is to include:

- introduction and background (present visual material to be utilized)
- Medal Parade at Vootrekkergooglete on 31.8.92
- The ceremony on September 12 1992.

3.1.2. Muriel Bates to direct TV camera crew provided by SAAF.

3.2. Guest speaker: We were advised that the Chief of the Air Force, Lt.Gen.Kriel, would not be able to attend and that he had designated Major-General T.P.Stegemann SD, to represent him, to lay the wreath and to deliver the address.

4. Check-list "allocation of functions":

4.1. The Meeting went through the list and concluded that all is well in hand.

4.2. In particular:

4.2.1. Flags & flagmasts: Staszek Czuba undertook to have flagpoles delivered to the Memorial and collected and stored after the Ceremony. Piotr advised that two new flags, one Polish One S.A., had been acquired. He would personally bring them to the Memorial on the morning of 12 September.

4.2.2 Plants from Municipal Nurseries - Staszek again undertook to provide transport, and to deliver and collect plants.



- 4.2.3. VIP's expected - Polish Chargé d'Affaires  
Mr.S.Cieniuch
- Mayor of JHB
  - Gen.Steyn - Defence Force
  - Gen. Stegemann - Air Force
  - Gen Hannan - Army
  - Col Cummings - Wit.Command

- 4.2.4. Committee members available for greeting VIP's:
- Zyg Fudakowski
  - Stefan Smoleniec
  - Staszek Czuba
  - Jack van Eyssen
  - Doug Morris
  - Waynand Cotzee
  - Ken Smith

- 4.2.5. Publicity: Muriel Bates reported:

- press release and invitations will be delivered to editors on Tuesday 1 September
  - SABC Radio Today - Ronald Charles in C.Town will arrange Polish music on Sep.12
  - a letter went to Shirley Veal re mention on her "Gentle Alternative" programme on Sep.12
- Peter Broomfield was similarly approached.

5. General

- 5.1. Wraeth-laying: S.A.S.Rand - Peter Mclean will approach the C.O. and advise Piotr.

6. Date and place of the next meeting (Post Mortem):

SUNDAY 29th November 1992 at Zyg Fudakowski's residence  
at 46, Four Gables, 129 Rivonia Road, Sandown, Sandton  
at 3 p.m.

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MINUTES OF THE "POST MORTEM" MEETING OF THE WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY 29TH NOVEMBER 1992 AT ZYG FUDAKOWSKI'S RESIDENCE AT FOUR GABLES, 139 RIVONIA ROAD, SANDOWN, AT 1500 Hrs.

Present: Staszek Czuba  
Zyg Fudakowski (Chairman)  
Piotr Jelonek  
Peter McLean  
Doug Morris  
Stefan Smoleniec  
Marek Szopinski  
Jaga van de Put  
Jack van Eyssen

1. Apologies:

Muriel Bates  
Edward de Virion

2. Approval of minutes

Minutes of the meeting on 30 August 1992 were duly approved.

3. Commemoration on 9th September - critical look

3.1. Invitations: Possibilities of saving on the quality of the invitations were discussed. The meeting concluded that the present invitations were suitable and that no quality down-grading was advisable.

The Chairman proposed a change in the wording: in place of the list of all component organisations - put "THE WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMEMORATION ORGANISING COMMITTEE" and the Afrikaans equivalent. The proposal was adopted unanimously.

3.2. Publicity: The meeting expressed the view that the media coverage was poor and should be improved. The necessity of making high-level contacts with the SABC and with major newspapers, was stressed. Until now, we have relied on SABC contacts at performers' level; what is required is to gain the goodwill of decision makers. All Committee members will give this matter their attention.

Muriel Bates' report was read out by the Chairman and noted by the meeting.

3.3. Memorial Service: Religious service started 2 min. early and improvisation was required to synchronise the playing of the "Last Post" with the fly-past. The end result, however, was spot-on.

A discussion took place as to whether a "free zone" should be maintained for dignitaries to pass on their way to their allotted seats. At present, they have to mingle with the crowd. Peter McLean made a strong case against leaving a free passage: the present arrangement gave the open-air function an aura of friendly informality, which should be maintained at all cost. The meeting agreed.

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3.4. Reception:

Jaga reported that the Fairmount Bowling Club underwent changes. The ladies' Committee was liquidated and the person in charge of catering was un-cooperative. Jaga found it impossible to work with her.

Regarding the standard of catering on September 9, the meeting found that they could have done better. Snacks were very much pastry-orientated.

Service was excellent, but not thanks to the club, but due to the efforts of Polish young ladies, to whom thanks of the Committee must be conveyed. The Chairman undertook to do this in writing.

4. Finance

4.1. Piotr presented a statement of revenue and expenditure (enclosed). We have shown a deficit and the balance on hand shrank from R1975 to R1037, a difference of R938. The expenditure on flags should be regarded as an extraenous and non-recurring expense. The real deficit therefore was R762. This should be regarded as a warning in our future planning.

4.2. No contribution from the Polish Association will be forthcoming.

5. Venue for next year.

5.1. The meeting felt that a change of venue was desirable.

5.2. Peter McLean urged us to exploit possibilities offered by military establishments. The following were mentioned:

- The War Museum, Zoo (Doug Morris);  
They charge R400 for the hall and R15 per head for catering;

- Imperial Light Infantry Regiment; *no*

- Sandton Commando; *no*

5.3. Other possible venues mentioned:

- Sandton Town Hall *no*

- Old Edwardians *no*

- Inanda Club

*War Museum, Zoo*

5.4. It was agreed that between now and the next meeting, all Committee members would gather information on the above and other possible venues, and report to the Chairman, so that concrete proposals may be tabulated at the next meeting.

6. Date of next year's Commemoration

6.1. The meeting set the date of Saturday, 11th September 1993.

7. General

7.1. Marek Szopinski advised that due to his moving house in the near future and to his other commitments, he would no longer be able to work on decorations, as in the past.



3. Date and place of the next meeting:

Sunday 9th May 1993 at Jaga van de Put's residence at  
11, The Courtyard, Stella Street, Sandown, Sandton.

This will be confirmed nearer the date.

"POST MORTEM" MEETING OF THE WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE  
ON SUNDAY 29 NOVEMBER 1992 at 1500 HRS. -

A G E N D A

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Last Commemoration - critical look
  - invitations
  - publicity
  - memorial service
  - Reception
- 3. Finances
- 4. Venue for next year
- 5. Date of 1993 Commemoration → 11.9.93.
- 6. General
- 7. Date and place of next meeting. → Sat. 9/5/93

WARSAW FLIGHTS 1992

INCOME & EXPENDITURE

INCOME :

Opening balance on 31.12.91 : R 1 975.66

Cheques received : 3 700.00

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R 5 675.66

EXPENDITURE :

Reply slips : R 58.00

Postage for invitations : 96.60

Flags : 220.00

Printing : 540.00

Mr Szopinski - REIMBURSEMENT - Materials FOR ARTWORK : 65.80

Materials FOR ARTWORK : 150.00

Advance payment to Fairmount Club : 1 000.00

Polony : 178.00

Huddle Park Gratuity : 100.00

Balance paid to Fairmount Club : 2 273.60

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R 4 682.00

Balance on hand as at 02.10.92 : R 993.66

+ Accrued interest : 43.89

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Balance as at 27.11.92 R1 037.55

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# City of Johannesburg

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## Office of the Mayor

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Our Ref.

Your Ref. 9/2/2 Miss Z Burchell/mfs

23 March 1992

Mr Z J Fudakowski  
Chairman  
Warsaw Flights Committee  
Polish Association in South Africa  
P O Box 65599  
BENMORE  
2010

Dear Mr Fudakowski

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 10 March 1992, which contains an invitation for the Mayor and Mayoress, Alderman Jan Burger and Mrs Willa Viljoen, to attend the Commemoration of the "Flights Over Warsaw" at the James and Ethel Gray Park, Melrose Estate on Saturday, 12 September 1992 at 11:00.

In reply I wish to thank you for the kind invitation and advise that at this early stage I am unable to indicate whether the Mayor and Mayoress will be able to attend. Details of the function have, however, been noted in the Mayoral diary and I shall be in contact with you again mid July 1992 to advise you of the position.

Yours sincerely

  
MARIUS BRITZ  
MAYOR'S SECRETARY

Z J FUDAKOWSKI

P.O. BOX 65076  
BENMORE  
2010  
TEL. 884-3101

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4 kwietnia 1992

W Pan Piotr Jelonek

przez grzeczność.

Kochany Piotrze

Bardzo Cie prosze abys zechcial odbic zalaczone przypomnienie o naszym zebraniu i rozeslac w zaadresowanych kopertach ktore zalaczam.

Prosze odbij 14 egzemplarzy, zachowujac jeden do mojej teczki i biorac jeden dla siebie u jeden dla Twojej Matki. Zalaczam 11 kopert.

Lacze serdeczne pozdrowienia

Twój

Wojciech

ZJ FUDAKOWSKI

P.O. BOX 65076  
BENMORE  
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TEL. 884-3101

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4th April 1992


WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE MEETING 10 MAY 1992

This is to confirm that the next meeting of the Warsaw Flights Committee will be held on Sunday 10 May 1992 at 3 p.m., at my home: 46 Four Gables, 139 Rivonia Road, Sandown (entrance opposite Sandton Holiday Inn).

Should you be unable to attend - please advise.

Looking forward to seeing you on that date.

Sincerely

  
Zyg Fudakowski



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107 Princess Place  
5 Park Lane  
Parktown  
2193

11:5:92

2nd  
14/5/92  
will contact  
J. v. Lypso

Dear Sir (Madam),

I wonder if you could help me, as I would dearly love to have been present at yesterday's memorial service remembering the South Africans killed in the airforce.

I am the last surviving member of my late brother, Michael Conrad Frederick du Plooy Kruger, born 16 February 1915, 329217 V. Lt O.B.S. (Observed) Squadron 31. S.F.A.F.

Killed 13 October 1944 Age 29.  
Coll. grave 1814, Milan

Milan War Cemetery No. 17 43.

I have been in constant contact with the Polish Warsaw Flights Committee. Needless to say I am 75 years old, & my brother Michael would



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have reached his 46<sup>th</sup> birthday  
this year. Killed in Flights over Warsaw

Who do I apply to for information  
concerning the annual memorial  
service? I would dearly love  
to attend. I cannot understand  
why I have never been notified  
about such services.

I do receive & attend the annual  
service from the Polish Association  
(Air Force & Combatants) at the  
Katyn Memorial.

Michiel's parents are both dead  
Johannes Lukas Kruger <sup>14-2-84 13-8-65</sup> 1884-1965  
Aletta Kruger <sup>12-12-83 7-7-68</sup> 1883-1968.

Michiel's brother Henry Bernades  
Kruger born 3-9-12 died 1948.

Both sons passed away (my Swanson)  
Anna Catharina Kruger (Kaiser)  
born 14-11-1913 passed away 1975.

Michiel's wife Margarita Kruger  
born Prinselo passed away 1949.

There were no children from the  
marriage

I Elsie Catharine Maria Barnes  
born Kruger am the last survivor  
of Michiel's family Born 23-8-16.

I thank you, E. Barnes.



# ZJEDNOCZENIE POLSKIE W POLUDNIOWEJ AFRYCE

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IN SOUTH AFRICA



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11 May 1992

Lt General J Kriel SD SM  
Chief of the Air Force  
Air Force Headquarters  
Private Bag X 199  
Pretoria  
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Sir

Re: COMMEMORATION OF WARSAW FLIGHTS 12 SEPTEMBER 1992

At our Committee meeting yesterday it was unanimously decided to invite you, Sir, to be our Guest Speaker at the annual Warsaw Flights Commemoration on September 12.

I sincerely hope that your busy schedule will permit you to accept. It would be a great honour for us all.

Details of the ceremonies on September 12 will follow in due course.

With deep respect and best regards

Yours sincerely

Z.J. Fudakowski  
Chairman  
Warsaw Flights Committee

ZJ FUDAKOWSKI

P.O. BOX 65076  
BENMORE  
2010  
TEL. 884-3101

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13 maja 1992 r

W Pan Inz. Waldemar Wojtowicz  
Prezes Zjednoczenia Polskiego  
P.O.Box 2474  
Parklands  
2121

Szanowny i Drogi Prezesie

W spr.: DELEGATA ZJEDNOCZENIA DO KOMITETU LOTOW NAD WARSZAWA

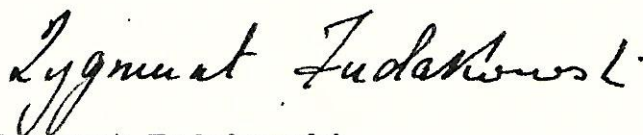
Jak Ci wiadomo z lat ubieglych, Prezes Zjednoczenia jest z urzedu czlonkiem Komitetu Lotow nad Warszawa.

Przgne ta droga oficjalnie poprosic Cie o wziecie udzialu w tegorocznej dzialalnosci Komitetu badz osobiscie, badz przez wydelegowanie kogos z czlonkow Zarzadu. Badz tak uprzejmy i powiadomij mnie o Twojej decyzji w tym wzgledzie.

W zalaczeniu przesyłam kopie protokolu z naszego pierwszego w tym roku zebrania, ktore odbylo sie w dniu 10 maja b.r.

Lacze pozdrowienia,

Z powazaniem



Zygmunt Fudakowski  
Prezes Komitetu  
Lotow nad Warszawa.



# POLISH ASSOCIATION IN SOUTH AFRICA ZJEDNOCZENIE POLSKIE W POŁUDNIOWEJ AFRYCE



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PARKLANDS 2121

TEL:  
FAX:

OUR REF.

YOUR REF.

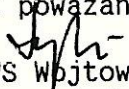
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Prezes Komitetu Lotów nad Warszawa  
Zygmunt Fudakowski  
P.O.Box 65076  
Benmore

Johannesburg, 4.VI.1992

Drogi Zygmunce

W związku z Twoim listem z dnia 13 maja br. uprzejmie informuje,  
ze pani Wiesława Uchronska została wytypowana do brania udziału  
w zebraniach przygotowawczych do obchodów lotów nad Warszawa,  
z ramienia Zjednoczenia Polskiego.

Z poważaniem  
  
WS Wpjtowicz  
Prezes Zjednoczenia

Ref: 92/064/DE/RFH/cg

16 June 1992

Lieutenant-General J Kriel SD, SM  
Chief of the South African Air Force  
Air Force Head Quarters  
Private Bag X119  
PRETORIA  
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Dear General

As you are aware, the Polish community together with the SAAF Association, organise on an annual basis a Warsaw Commemorative Service which will take place this year on Saturday the 12th of September 1992.

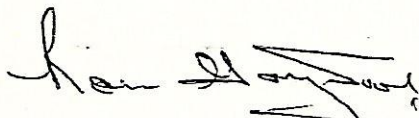
Over many years the Air Force have kindly provided a Guard of Honour, a bugler, a sentry to lower and raise the flag and also a flypast of aircraft.

In view of the difficulty of the approaching the site, the aircraft which appear to have been most successful for the flypast have been Dakotas and it would also be appreciated if three Dakotas could be made available for a low level fly pass. The ceremony begins at 11h00.

Whilst you yourself, have received an official invitation to attend the ceremony and to be the guest speaker at the function afterwards, this letter is merely to request the South African Air Force's support for the various items listed above.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely



RON F HAYWOOD





Office of the Mayor

Telephone (011) 403-4115  
Fax (011) 403-1012

P.O. Box 1049  
Johannesburg  
2000

Civic Centre  
Rissik Street  
Braamfontein

Our Ref. 9/2/2 Miss Z Burchell/avt

Your Ref.

30 June 1992

Mr Z J Fudakowski  
Chairman  
Warsaw Flights Committee  
Polish Association in South Africa  
P O Box 65599  
BENMORE  
2010

Dear Mr Fudakowski

I refer to my letter dated 23 March 1992, regarding your invitation to the Mayor and Mayoress, Alderman Jan Burger and Mrs Willa Viljoen, to attend the Commemoration of the "Flights Over Warsaw" at the James and Ethel Gray Park, Melrose Estate on Saturday, 12 September 1992 at 11:00.

In reply, I wish to advise that the Mayor and Mayoress have much pleasure in accepting your kind invitation.

It would be appreciated if the attached attendance form could be completed in triplicate, two to be returned to Mrs P Potgieter as soon as possible and one retained by yourselves for record purposes. Kindly note that it is essential for this office to be in receipt of the attendance forms, duly completed, by not later than the date specified thereon. Failure to do so will necessitate the cancellation of Mayoral representation at your function.

Kindly note that the Mayor and Mayoress will be accompanied by a Security Officer and attention is drawn to the enclosed annexures in this regard.

Yours sincerely

NAAS DU PLOOY  
ACTING MAYOR'S SECRETARY

Encl.

*Maj. Gen  
15 5 Kerkeringer  
59*

*Maj. Gen D.S.  
Mammans  
(rep. Chief of Army)*

*Maj. Gen  
(Mil. Comm)*

*Lt. Gen P.D. Steyn  
(Chief of SA Def. Force)*

KANTOOR VAN DIE HOOF VAN DIE SA LUGMAG  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF THE SA AIR FORCE

Privaatsak X199 Pretoria 0001  
Private Bag



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RECEIVED 10 JUL 1992

6 July 1992

Mr R.F. Haywood  
Deputy Director General  
SA Chamber of Business  
P.O. Box 91267  
Auckland Park  
2006

*Dear Ron,*

Thank you for your letter dated 16 June 1992.

I have accepted the invitation to attend the Warsaw Commemorative Service on 12 September 1992. In view of the rather unique bond which exists between the Polish community and the South African Air Force we would be honoured to give the support as requested in your letter.

I have instructed my staff to start planning for the occasion. Kindly supply us with the name of a contact person with whom further liaison in this regard can take place.

*Kind regards.*

*James.*

(J. KRIEL)  
CHIEF OF THE AIR FORCE : LT GEN

AS PER THE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH MY SECRETARY, MRS CHARL GOULD, THE CONTACT PERSONS IN GENERAL KRIEL'S OFFICE FOR THE FOLLOWING ARE: COMDT PEROLD AT 012 312-2139 FOR THE AIRCRAFT  
COMDT CORVER AT 012 312-2234 FOR THE SENTRIES

KIND REGARDS      RON HAYWOOD



Zaproszenia wybrane:

Ambasada RP - 4

W. Tomaszewski - 1

Mayor of JHB - 1 X

Col M. Alexander

BC Group 18  
Private Beg X-2

Bertsham 2013 1

Stanley Mathews 1 X

Mons. Jaworski 1

Prof B. Wilkaniec 1



STOWARZYSZENIE POLSKICH WYBOJACÓW  
AFRYKA POLUDNIE

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POOLSE VEGEENHEIDS-VERENIGING  
IN SUIDELIKE-AFRIKA

POLISH COMBATANTS' ASSOCIATION  
IN SOUTHERN AFRICA

Prof. S Smoleniec  
Mechanical Engineering dept  
University of the Witwatersrand  
Private Bag 3  
Wits  
2050

Lt General AJ Liebenberg SSAS, SD, SOE  
Chief of the SA Defence Force  
Private Bag X414  
Pretoria  
0001

21 July 1992

Sir,

WARSAW RELIEF FLIGHTS <sup>49</sup> 49TH ANNIVERSARY

On behalf of the Organising Committee, I have the honour of inviting you Sir, and Mrs Liebenberg, to attend the commemorating ceremonies on the above occasion to be held on Saturday 12 // September 1992, details of which are given in the enclosed <sup>3</sup> printed invitation.

The Polish community, ex-servicemen of the Polish Allied Forces, ex-airmen of SAAF Wing 2 and the RAF shall be most grateful if you would honour them with your presence.

Trusting that you will graciously accept this invitation, or delegate your deputy, would you kindly inform me regarding the following arrangements.

1. How many seats are to be reserved for your party at the Katyn Memorial?
2. Will you lay a wreath?
3. Will you attend the official function?

Yours ~~respectively,~~ *respectfully*

Z-J. FUDAKOWSKI

S Smoleniec  
National Chairman

SS/ks/warsawin.

*Air Force  
Defence Force  
Army:*





# STOWARZYSZENIE POLSKICH KOMBATANTOW AFRYKA POLUDNIE

ROOLSE VEGEENHEIDS-VERENIGING  
IN SUIDELIKE-AFRIKA

POLISH COMBATANTS' ASSOCIATION  
IN SOUTHERN AFRICA

Prof. S Smoleniec  
Mechanical Engineering dept  
University of the Witwatersrand  
Private Bag 3  
Wits  
2050

21 July 1992

Mr E Louw  
Minister of Defence  
Private Bag X427  
Pretoria  
0001

Sir,

## WARSAW RELIEF FLIGHTS 48TH ANNIVERSARY

On behalf of the Organising Committee, I have the honour of inviting you Sir, and Mrs Louw, to attend the commemorating ceremonies on the above occasion to be held on Saturday 12, September 1992, details of which are given in the enclosed printed invitation.

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S Smoleniec  
National Chairman

SS/ks/warsawin.



STOWARZYSZENIE POLSKICH KOMBATANTOW  
AFRYKA POLUDNIE

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IN SOUTHERN AFRICA

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University of the Witwatersrand  
Private Bag 3  
Wits  
2050

Mr E Louw  
Minister of Defence  
Private Bag X427  
Pretoria  
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Prof. S Smoleniec  
Mechanical Engineering dept  
University of the Witwatersrand  
Private Bag 3  
Wits  
2050

Lt General GL Meiring, SSAS,  
Chief of the SA Army  
Private Bag X172  
Pretoria  
0001

21 July 1992

Sir,

## WARSAW RELIEF FLIGHTS 48TH ANNIVERSARY

On behalf of the Organising Committee, I have the honour of inviting you Sir, and Mrs Meiring, to attend the commemorating ceremonies on the above occasion to be held on Saturday 12, September 1992, details of which are given in the enclosed printed invitation.

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National Chairman

SS/ks/warsawin.



STOWARZYSZENIE POLSKICH KOMBATANTOW  
AFRYKA POLUDNIE

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IN SOUTHERN AFRICA

Prof. S Smoleniec  
Mechanical Engineering dept  
University of the Witwatersrand  
Private Bag 3  
Wits  
2050

Lt General J Kriel, SD, SM  
Chief of the SA Air Force  
Private Bag X199  
Pretoria  
0001

21 July 1992

Sir,

WARSAW RELIEF FLIGHTS 48TH ANNIVERSARY

On behalf of the Organising Committee, I have the honour of inviting you Sir, and Mrs Kriel, to attend the commemorating ceremonies on the above occasion to be held on Saturday 12, September 1992, details of which are given in the enclosed printed invitation.

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S Smoleniec  
National Chairman

SS/ks/warsawin.

29.1.2015  
Mr Dykeman

# POLISH ASSOCIATION IN SOUTH AFRICA ZJEDNOCZENIE POLSKIE W POŁUDNIOWEJ AFRYCE

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PARKLAKANDS 2121

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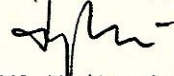
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Prezes Komitetu Lotów  
nad Warszawą  
p. Zygmunt Fudakowski

Drogi Zyguncie

Ks. Bogdan Wilkaniec zawiadomił mnie, że został zaproszony na uroczystość obchodów lotów nad Warszawą jako koncelebrant Mszy Św. Ks. Wilkaniec został mianowany stałym kapelanem społeczności polskiej i zarząd Zjednoczenia uważa, że fakt ten powinien być uznany również przez Komitet Lotów poprzez powierzenie mu organizacji całej strony religijnej uroczystości.

Z poważaniem



WS Wojtowicz  
Prezes Zjednoczenia

Johannesburg, 27.VII.1992

Kopie:

Ks Bogdan Wilkaniec  
P. Wiesława Uchrońska

Z J FUDAKOWSKI

P.O. BOX 65076  
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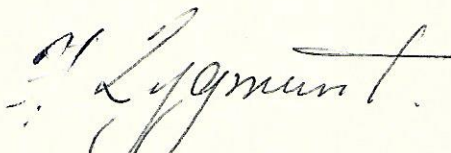
Drogi Waldku

Dziekuje Ci za list z 27 lipca.

Sprawa kon-celebracji nabozenstwa (nie Mszy Sw.) pod Pomnikiem Katynskim zostala juz uzgodniona pomiedzy Ks.Pralatem Jaworskim a Ks.Kapelanem Wilkancem, przy jak najlepszej woli z obu stron. O ile wiem, szczegoly nabozenstwa maja obaj kaplani uzgodnic na potkaniu w dniu 2 wrzesnia.

Bylbym Ci bardzo wdzieczny gdybys zechcial to przyjac w tym samym duchu, w ktorym oni do tej sprawy podeszli. Tak bedzie najlepiej, zarowno dla powagi uroczystosci obchodow Lotow nad Warszawa, jak tez dla najszerzej pojetej sprawy jednosci spoleczenstwa polskiego w tym kraju.

Lacze serdeczne pozdrowienia i wyrazy szacunku,



Zygmunt Fudakowski  
Prezes  
Komitetu Obchodow  
Lotow nad Warszawa.



No. 3 Rolling Hills Country Club  
Autumn Drive  
4320 Umhlanga Rocks  
Telephone (031) 561-5208

3 AUGUST 1992

Maj Gen and Mrs W Black thank the  
Warsaw Highes Committee for their kind  
invitation to attend the Service on  
Saturday 12 September 1992, but regret  
that they will be unable to attend.  
Please note new address.

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Telephone: 428-3866  
 Enquiries: Lieutenant general P.D. Steyn  
 Chief of the SA Defence Force  
 (Chief of Staff Personnel)  
 Private Bag X159  
**PRETORIA**  
 0001  
 4 August 1992

Prof S. Smoleniec  
 National Chairman  
 Mechanical Engineering Department  
 University of the Witwatersrand  
 Private Bag 3  
**WITWATERSRAND**  
 2050

*Dear Professor*

**WARSAW RELIEF FLIGHTS 48TH ANNIVERSARY**

Thank you for the invitation to General and Mrs Liebenberg dated 21 July 1992.

As the official delegate of General Liebenberg, I would like to take the opportunity to accept the invitation.

With regard to the arrangements, the following are applicable:

- \* Seats to be reserved - Two (2).
- \* A wreath will be payed.
- \* Attendance of the official function - Two (2).

*[Signature]*  
 (LIEUTENANT GENERAL P.D. STEYN)  
 CHIEF OF THE DEFENCE FORCE : GENERAL  
 /RV

*Ends*

GOODRICKES  
ATTORNEYS

C.E. Thunström  
R.E. Dixon  
J.A. Allan  
I.A. Grieve  
D.A. Forbes  
Assisted by:  
S.A. Arnold

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International 27 31 304-7182 Fax: 3047193

Our ref. MR FORBES/BF/S.

Your ref.:

4 August 1992

The Polish Association of South Africa  
Warsaw Flights Committee  
P O Box 65599  
BENMORE  
2010

Dear Sir,

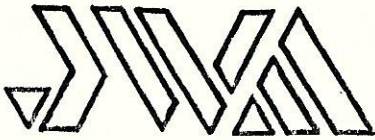
RE: MISS T. STEEL

We write on behalf of Miss T Steel in respect of the invitation which you kindly sent to her to attend the ceremony on 12 September 1992. Regrettably, Miss Steel is now elderly and is not able to attend, but offers her apologies and her best wishes for a successful function.

Yours sincerely

D A FORBES  
GOODRICKES





**JAMES WATSON ASSOCIATES**  
ARCHITECTS, URBAN DESIGNERS, PLANNING CONSULTANTS, MMIA

132 JAN SMUTS AVE. PARKWOOD 2193 (011) 788-1514 / 788-1515

P O Box 2492, Parklands 2121

Fax: 880-3882

4 August 1992

Warsaw Flights Committee  
P O Box 65599  
BENMORE  
2010

Dear Sirs

We have pleasure in accepting the invitation from the Polish Association in South Africa, the Polish Air Force Association, the Polish Combatants' Association - in co-operation with the S.A.A.F. Association to be present at the ceremonies to be held on Saturday, 12th September 1992 to commemorate the 48th anniversary of the Warsaw Rising and of the Relief Flights in 1944.

We are not yet able to advise as to whether we will be able to attend the Official function and reception at the Fairmount Bowling Club.

Yours sincerely

LT. & MRS J G O WATSON

*eh*

REPLY SLIP

Entrance fee for the reception at the Fairmount Bowling Club will be R25.00 for adults single. R40.00 double. R5.00 for children under 12.

Spirits and refreshments will be available at Club prices.

Please return this slip with your payment in the accompanying self-addressed envelope.

Your reply should reach the Committee **not later than 4th September 1992** so as to finalise catering arrangements.

Capt + MRS I.S.C. McGlashan ~~will~~/will not be attending  
with regrets.

No. of adults: .....

No. of Children under 12: .....

*Cheques/Postal Orders payable to:*  
Warsaw Flights Committee Fund  
P.O. Box 65599  
Benmore. 2010

P.O. Box 161  
Ramsgate 4285  
5 - Aug 91

The Secretary  
Polish Ass of SA.

Dear Sir

Thank you for your kind  
invitation to attend the  
ceremonies of the Warsaw Rising  
on 12 Sept '92.

I regret I am unable to  
attend.

Yours faithfully  
Subdewillers

(Mrs. G. S. de Villiers)

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# ZJEDNOCZENIE POLSKIE W POLUDNIOWEJ AFRYCE

POLISH ASSOCIATION  
IN SOUTH AFRICA



POOLSE VERENIGING  
IN SUID-AFRIKA

P.O. Box 65599  
Benmore 2010  
Transvaal  
Republic of South Africa

Tel. (011) 783 1130

Warsaw Flights Committee

ZF/nj

7th August 1992

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
Route OA-33  
Union Buildings  
PRETORIA

Attention : Mrs M.A. Venter

Dear Sirs,

re : **POLISH AWARDS FOR SOUTH AFRICAN VETERAN AIRMEN - YOUR TODAY'S TELEPHONE  
CONVERSATION WITH COL. J.L. VAN EYSSSEN REFERS**

The date of the above function has now been set for Monday 31st August 1992 at 12 noon at the Officers Club, Swartkop Air Base.

It has recently come to light that the logistics of bringing the recipients and their families from various centres in South Africa, as well as the reception itself, calls for a substantial sum of money, which neither the South African Air Force nor the Polish organisations are able to raise.

We have received a suggestion to approach you with a request that the South African Government covers the cost of this ceremony up to a sum of R5 000.- .

We are therefore directing this request to your Ministry for kind consideration, and look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully

Z.J. FUDAKOWSKI  
Chairman, Organising Committee  
Warsaw Flights Commemoration



FLIGHTS COMMITTEE  
2125 TULLOCH  
SOUTH AFRICA

9th August 1992

Flt Lt + Mrs A. G. C. Pilavachi  
Thank the Warsaw Flights Committee  
for their kind invitation to the  
Warsaw Flights Commemorative  
ceremonies to be held on  
Saturday, 12th September 1992  
but regret that they will be  
unable to be present as they  
will be absent from South Africa.  
Their thoughts will be with  
you all, however, on that date.

MRS NOEL SLEED thanks the WARSAW  
FLIGHTS COMMITTEE for their kind (35)  
invitation to the commemoration  
ceremonies to be held on 12 Sept. 1992  
She regrets that she will be  
unable to attend this year.

3 Ferncliffe Place  
Oak Park  
Pietermaritzburg  
3201

END,



Mrs H. B. VARTY has pleasure in  
 accepting the kind invitation of the  
 Polish Air Force Association, the  
 Polish Combatants Association &  
 S.A.A.F. Association to be present  
 at the ceremonies on 12/11 Septem-  
 ber, associated with the ~~War~~  
 Flights 1944.

38 Brookfield Rd.,  
 Scarsdale  
 2 196

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126 Prospect Rd  
Walden, PE.

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Warsaw Flight Committee  
Bennmore

Thank you for your kind invitation to attend the ceremonies of the memorial service on the 12<sup>th</sup> of Sept.

Unfortunately I will not be able to attend this great occasion but send you my best wishes for your cause which was very close to the heart of my late husband.

Kind Regards  
yours sincerely  
(Mrs) K. Whitehead

et.

6 Red Cross Village  
Bedford 5.7.80.  
9.8.92. (38)

The Chairman  
Warsaw Rights Committee  
P.O. Box 65599  
Baltimore

Dear Sir,

Thank you for the invitation to  
the ceremonies to commemorate the  
48 anniversary of the Warsaw Rising  
and of Relief Rights.

I have forwarded the R.S.V.P.  
card to my sister, Mrs. Prudence Spitzer,  
as I cannot be able to attend,  
and she will reply.

Yrs. sincerely,

M. S. Mc Cartan.

ent.



Box 1877  
2118 Cresta

921006

Warsaw Flight Committee

P.O. Box 655-99

Benmore

2010

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Dear Sirs,

Ex 31 Squadron Member

I wish to thank you for  
inviting me to the commemoration  
service on 12 Sept

Please keep me on  
your distribution list as I would  
really like to attend in future

Sincerely

Robert H. M. Gregor

Capt. R. H. M. GREGOR.

KANTOOR VAN DIE HOOF VAN DIE SA LUGMAG  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF THE SA AIR FORCE

Privaatsak X199 Pretoria 0001  
Private Bag



10 August 1992

**PROF S. SMOLENIEC  
MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPT  
UNIVERSITY OF THE WITWATERSRAND  
PRIVATE BAG 3  
WITS  
2050**

Dear Professor

**WARSAW RELIEF FLIGHTS 48 TH ANNIVERSARY**

Thank you very much for the kind invitation to attend the above anniversary.

Although I indicated previously that I would attend, certain matters have subsequently arisen which prevent me from doing so. I have therefore taken the liberty of asking Major General T.P. Stegemann to officiate on my behalf. He will lay a wreath at the service and also attend the function where he will address those present.

Kindly accept my sincere apologies. I trust that I have not inconvenienced your association in any manner.

Yours sincerely

**(J. KRIEL)  
CHIEF OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN AIR FORCE : LIEUTENANT GENERAL**

PJnj

11th August 1992

Mr D. Featherstone  
P.O. Box 18968  
HILLBROW  
2038

Dear Mr Featherstone,

On behalf of the Warsaw Flights Committee, we wish to convey our grateful thanks for your donation towards the Relief Flights Commemoration on 12th September 1992.

Your kind gesture is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely



WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE



PJ\mj

11th August 1992

Mr M.E. Pickford  
25 Mandalay  
28 Minore Street  
YEOVILLE  
2198

Dear Mr Pickford,

On behalf of the Warsaw Flights Committee, we wish to convey our grateful thanks for your donation towards the Relief Flights Commemoration on 12th September 1992.

Your kind gesture is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely

  
WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE

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11th August 1992

Mr & Mrs A.M. Hamilton  
Helderberg  
Private Bag X19  
SOMERSET WEST  
7130

Dear Mr & Mrs Hamilton,

On behalf of the Warsaw Flights Committee, we wish to convey our grateful thanks for your donation towards the Relief Flights Commemoration on 12th September 1992.

Your kind gesture is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely

WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE

J R Male  
56 Elizabeth Gardens  
Wear Avenue  
Howick 3290

12th August 1992

The Secretary  
Warsaw Flights Committee  
P O Box 65599  
Benmore 2010

Dear Sir

Commemoration 28th Anniversary Warsaw Rising  
Medal Lt. H A Male

Thank you for your invitation to the above ceremonies.  
We regret we shall be unable to attend as we shall be  
overseas at the time of the ceremonies.

We would appreciate it if you would kindly forward  
the medal by registered post to my sister,

Miss J Male

P O Box 235

Greytown Natal

3500

Yours faithfully



J R Male



P.O. Box 82  
Village of Happiness  
4280  
18/8/92. (45)

Warsaw Flights Ctee,  
Box 65599  
Benmore, 2010

Dear Sirs

Thank you for the invitation to the ceremony on the 12<sup>th</sup> September. As I am now permanently resident in Natal I may not be able to come. However, I am trying to arrange to do so and would therefore request you to allocate a seat to me and, if possible, permit me to bring a guest, Mrs S. Downing, as I shall be dependant on her for transport. Whatever the time I shall confirm to you whether I am coming or not. Please note my change of address.

I heard on the radio that medals are to be given to air-crew who dropped supplies to the Poles and trust as Royce's widow, his medal will come to me?

Yours sincerely EN

Peggy Deppe

(DEPPE)

PJnj

19th August 1992


Mrs M. Hoffe  
P.O. Box 65381  
BENMORE  
2010

Dear Mrs Hoffe,

On behalf of the Warsaw Flights Committee, we wish to convey our grateful thanks for your donation towards the Relief Flights Commemoration on 12th September 1992.

Your kind gesture is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely

  
- WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE

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I.S. HAGGIE

Telephone (011) 646-5523/4  
Telefax (011) 646-5845

P.O. Box 72429,  
Parkview,  
2122.

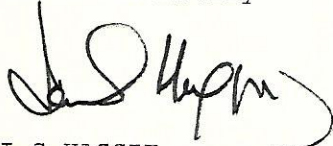
19 August 1992

Warsaw Flights Committee  
P.O.Box 65599  
BENMORE  
2010

Dear Sirs

My wife and I regret very much that we will not be able to attend the Warsaw commemoration ceremonies on 12 September as we will be away from town. May we wish you a successful function and our thoughts will be with you on that day.

Yours faithfully



I.S. HAGGIE

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(021) 782-2817  
TEL. ~~██████~~

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"CLEAR HILLS,"

52 HIGHWAY,

FISH HOEK 7975,

CAPE, SOUTH AFRICA.

19<sup>th</sup> August 1992

The Warsaw Flights Committee  
Benmore

Lt + Mrs B.H. Mitchell wish to thank the Committee and the Polish Associations for their kind invitation to attend the commemoration ceremonies on Saturday 12 September 1992

Unfortunately we shall not be able to travel to Johannesburg this year to attend the ceremonies but wish to extend our very best wishes to the organisation. Your faithful remembrance of the Relief Flights is greatly appreciated.

Please give my kind regards to all my ex 34 Squadron comrades, some of whom I look forward to seeing at the medals parade at Swartkops Aerodrome on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> inst.

Yours sincerely  
B.H. (Dick) Mitchell (34 Squadron)







P.O. Box 651614,  
Bumore 2010,  
20<sup>th</sup> August, 1992.

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Mr. Zygmunt Gudaowski,  
Chairman,  
Warsaw Flight's Committee,  
P.O. Box 65599,  
Bumore 2010,

Dear Zygmunt,

I wish to thank you and the Warsaw Flight's Committee for the kind invitation to be present at the ceremonies on 12<sup>th</sup> September, 1992 to commemorate the 48<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Warsaw Rising and of the Relief Flight's in 1944, and have much pleasure in accepting.

With kind regards  
Joyce de Villiers.

END

MR. P.A. MOUTON,  
P.O. BOX 28519,  
SUNNYSIDE,  
0132.  
28/08/92

The Secretary,  
Warsaw Flights Committee.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to inform you that my mother Mrs. C.P. Mouton - late of P.O.Box 12217, Clubview, 0014. passed away on the 5th June 1992.

We thank you for the annual invitation to the ceremony to commemorate the Relief Flights in 1944. My father Col. C.P. Mouton was proud of his contribution to those Airlifts.

In view of the fact that both our parents are now deceased, kindly remove my mother's name from your mailing-list. Sadly it is the passing of an era for us.

Yours faithfully,

P.A. Mouton

*On the occasion of the decoration of the Warsaw Insurrectionary  
Cross awarded to former South African pilots by the President of the  
Republic of Poland*

*The Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Republic of Poland  
Mr Stanislaw Cieniuch  
request the pleasure of the company of*

*Mr. P. Jelonek*

*at the South African Air Force College (Pretoria)  
on Monday, August 31st, 1992 at 12.00*

R.S.V.P. (012) 43-2631

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S.P.K. Kato Cape Town.  
P.O. Box 109 (53)  
Pondobos  
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Lrodny Peitwo,

W ukrytoscini Lotin nad  
Wormosy beds reprezentowat S.P.K.  
Kato Cape Town over Stowenscine  
Poldie w Cape Town.

W rotpreciu przynajmniej  
two sumy R2500.

Legis serdecnie pozdrawiam  
B/Hawg-

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# WARSAW '44 CLUB



The Secretary,  
Warsaw Flights Committee,  
P.O. Box 65599,  
Benmore 2010,  
South Africa.

*Hon. Secretary*  
Alan H. Bates, D.F.M.,  
45 Northey Avenue,  
Cheam,  
Surrey SM2 7HS  
Tel: 081-642 3130

2nd September 1992

Dear Secretary,

Many thanks for your kind invitation to the ceremonies to commemorate the 47th anniversary of the Warsaw Rising and the Relief flights in 1944.

You will appreciate that I find it impossible to be present but my thoughts and good wishes and those of our Club members will be with you on the 14th September.

The Club will, I hope, be represented by one or more of our South African members - Jack Van Eyssen, Bob Burgess, Fred Austin, Eric Winchester or Sandy Marsh. I sent a copy of a video of the ceremony at Michalin at the end of July to Jack Van Eyssen today. Jack attended the ceremony with Beryl his wife.

Unfortunately I was not able to take the usual party of Club members to Poland this year as I was fussing around at the birth of a daughter to my wife, Agnieszka at the end of June. I am now shackled with the delights and responsibilities of parenthood but I may manage to get to Poland next year under the pretext of showing off the wee lass to her grandparents.

I don't know if you are aware that two Memorial plaques were due to be erected in Poland to 31 Squadron SAAF crews this year. The plaque to Major Odendaal's crew was unveiled on the 17th August on the wall of the school at Ostrowie (Photo-copy of mould for the plaque enclosed).

The unveiling of the Plaque to Capt. Van Rensburg's crew has been postponed to the 7th September. I had an invitation to this ceremony (copy enclosed) which I could not accept.

I am sorry that I have been so long in replying to your invitation but I send greetings to all your members from all the '44 Club boys.

Yours sincerely,



PJ/nj

3rd September 1992

Mr P.A. Mouton  
P.O. Box 28519  
SUNNYSIDE  
0132

Dear Mr Mouton,

We were very sorry to have learned of your recent sad bereavement and on behalf of the Warsaw Flights Committee, extend our deepest sympathy to you and your family.

Should you be interested to attend either this year's commemoration or in the future, do let us know so as to retain your address on our mailing list.

Yours sincerely

P. JELONEK  
Warsaw Flights Organising Committee





71, First Ave East,

(56)

Parktown North

Johannesburg

4.9.92

Dear Sir,

I am really sorry I am  
unable to attend the luncheon  
(Warsaw flights) on the 12<sup>th</sup> Sept.  
as it is my Grandson's birthday,  
but I will certainly be at the  
Service.

Yours Sincerely,

Margaret Durant.

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P. S. Enclosed is a  
small donation.

5.00 ONLY  
R25 - - -  
donat

P.O. Box 82  
Village of Happiness  
#280

(57)

4/9/92

Warsaw Flight Committee.

Dear Sirs

I refer to my previous acceptance of your kind invitation but regret I shall not now be able to attend the service.

Yours sincerely,

Peggy Deppo

PJ\mj

8th September 1992

Mr & Mrs A.F. Cloete  
P.O. Box 694  
HOWICK  
3290

Dear Mr & Mrs Cloete,

On behalf of the Warsaw Flights Committee, we wish to convey our grateful thanks for your donation towards the Relief Flights Commemoration on 12th September 1992.

Your kind gesture is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely



WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE



PJ\mj

10th September 1992

Mrs M. Durrant  
71, First Avenue East  
PARKTOWN NORTH  
JOHANNESBURG  
2193

Dear Mrs Durrant,

On behalf of the Warsaw Flights Committee, we wish to convey our grateful thanks for your donation towards the Relief Flights Commemoration on 12th September 1992.

Your kind gesture is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely

WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE

P.O. Box 651614,

Burnrose 2010,

17<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1992.

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Dear Zygmunt,

Another year has passed and I was once again privileged to attend the very moving ceremony at the Katyn Memorial to commemorate the Relief Flights over Warsaw in 1944. The timing of the program as always was perfect and impressive.

The reception was most enjoyable and I have much pleasure in enclosing a small donation to the catering committee.

With warmest thoughts and best wishes.

Yours sincerely,  
Joyce de Villiers.

Ref. 20/9/92  
27/9/92

P O Box 5021  
BOKSBURG NORTH  
1461

17 September 1992

The Chairman  
Warsaw Flights Committee  
P O Box 65599  
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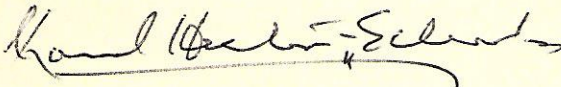
Dear Sir

I wish to tender my personal apologies to you and all the other dignitaries present at the Wreath Laying Ceremony, held on the 12th September 1992, for my absence.

I took ill in the previous week, and on the day of the Ceremony was not able to travel. However, the Ceremony and it's significance was ever present in my consciousness. I regret that I could not take part with you.

However, I hope to participate again in the future, and look forward to sharing a few hours with the company which made such a noble contribution to World Freedom.

Yours faithfully



KARL HECHTER-SCHULZ Ph.Dr. : OMS (6) : JCD'GCSJ :  
CnD : S ReC (8). (Major retired SAMS).



Lawrence Isemonger,  
P O Box 130,  
Village of Happiness.  
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September 25, 1992.

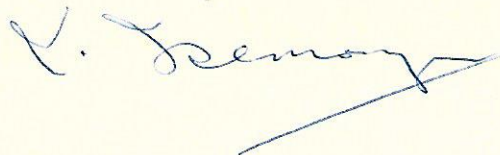
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Dear Sirs, Warsaw Relief Flights

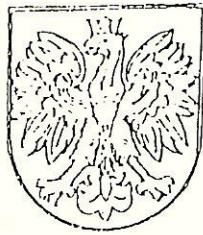
As a former member of the ground staff of 31 Squadron of the SAAF I write to ask you to please remove my name from your mailing list. This request is necessitated by the fact that I live at Margate in Natal and through health and financial circumstances no longer find it possible to retain close contact with your magnificent efforts in remembering my colleagues who took part in the Warsaw Relief Flights of 1944.

I salute all Polish people in their grand efforts to maintain the integrity of their much loved country and pay homage to those who lost and suffered so much in doing so.

I remain,  
Yours sincerely



## ZJEDNOCZENIE POLSKIE W POLUDNIOWEJ AFRYCE

POLISH ASSOCIATION  
IN SOUTH AFRICAPOOLSE VERENIGING  
IN SUID-AFRIKAP.O. Box 65599  
Benmore 2010  
Transvaal  
Republic of South Africa

10 December 1992

The Director  
S.A. National Museum of  
Military History  
P.O. Box 52090  
Saxonwold  
2132Attention: Mr. J Pretorius

Dear Sir:

RE: WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMEMORATION - A MILITARY FUNCTION  
ON SATURDAY, 11TH SEPTEMBER 1993

Further to your discussions with Col. Jack van Eyssen, a member of our Organising Committee, I have pleasure in making a tentative booking for a reception to be held on the premises of the S.A. National Museum of Military History of Saturday, ~~10~~<sup>11</sup> September 1993 from 1215 to 1430 Hrs.

The occasion is the annual commemoration of the relief flights by squadrons of the SAAF over the capital of Poland in 1944, an operation in which very many South African Airmen laid their lives. It is a military function and follows an open-air service and wreath-laying at the Katyn Memorial, Melrose Estate. Air Force, Army and Naval organisations as well as Polish Ex-Servicemen organisations are represented on our Committee, and the Minister of Defense, the Chief of the SAAF and other Defense Force generals as well as diplomatic and civic dignitaries including the Mayor of Johannesburg, usually attend this function.

We understand that all catering and bar arrangements must be made by us separately. This booking is subject to confirmation during the first quarter of 1993. Meantime, we confirm the appointment to meet you, Sir, on Monday 21st December 1992 at 1030 Hrs at the Museum. The following members of the Organising Committee will attend:

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# WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMEMORATION

SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER 1992

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## PROGRAMME

### 1. AT THE KATYN MEMORIAL

#### 1.1 Arrival times of V.I.P.'s

10:45 The Polish Minister Plenipotentiary and Charge d'Affaires  
Counsellor S. Cieniuch and Mrs Cieniuch

10:50 The Mayor and Mayoress of Johannesburg  
Alderman J. Burger and Mrs W. Viljoen

10:52 Representing the Chief of the Army  
Maj. Gen. D.S. Hamman, SD and Mrs Hamman

10:54 Representing the Chief of the South African Air Force  
Maj. Gen. T.P. Stegemann, SD and Mrs Stegemann

10:56 Representing the Chief of the South African Defence Force  
Lt. Gen. P.D. Steyn, SD and Mrs Steyn

#### 11:00 Religious Service Commences

Concelebrants : Mons. Dr. J. Jaworski

Rev. Fr. B. Wilkaniec, S. Chr.

11:20 The Last Post - 1 minute's silence - Reveille

During this time, a flypast of 44 Squadron, SAAF Skymasters will take place.

11:25 Wreath-Laying ceremony commences - see order list attached

11:40 End of ceremony at the Katyn Memorial



2. **AT THE FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB**

2.1 12:30 Official function commences

2.2 The Chairman of the Organising Committee,  
Mr Z.J. Fudakowski, opens the proceedings.

2.3 Addresses by :

The Mayor of Johannesburg, Alderman J. Burger  
The Guest Speaker, Maj. Gen. T.P. Stegemann, SD

2.4 Tributes to the late Col. J. Williams, CB, DSO, K.St.J.  
and the late W/Cdr. G.K. Ranoszek, DFC, Virtuti Militari, Polonia Restituta.

2.5 South African and Polish National Anthems

Official Ceremony Ends

2.6 Social gathering until 14:45

WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMEMORATION  
12TH SEPTEMBER 1992  
ORDER OF WREATH-LAYING

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|---|---|---|
| 1. THE REPUBLIC OF POLAND                           | - | COUNSELLOR S. CIENIUCH<br>MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY &<br>CHARGE D'AFFAIRES |
| 2. THE MAYOR OF JOHANNESBURG                        | - | ALDERMAN J. BURGER  |
| 3. SOUTH AFRICAN DEFENCE FORCE                      | - | LT. GEN. P.D. STEYN, SD   |
| 4. SOUTH AFRICAN AIR FORCE                          | - | MAJ. GEN. T.P. STEGEMANN, SD  |
| 5. SOUTH AFRICAN ARMY                               | - | MAJ. GEN. D.S. HAMMAN, SD   |
| 6. WITWATERSRAND COMMAND                            | - | COL. R. CUMMING   |
| 7. S.A.S. RAND                                      | - | LT. L. BLACK  |
| 8. POLISH ASSOC. IN SOUTH AFRICA                    | - | MR W. WOJTOWICZ   |
| 9. NO. 2 WING, S.A. AIR FORCE                       | - | HON. COL. J.L. VAN EYSSSEN, DFC   |
| 10. 31 SQUADRON, S.A. AIR FORCE                     | - | CMDT. E. BROWN  |
| 11. 34 SQUADRON, S.A. AIR FORCE                     | - | WO II R.J.T. COLEMAN  |
| 12. POLISH COMBATANTS ASSOC.                        | - | PROF. S. SMOLENIEC  |
| 13. POLISH AIR FORCE ASSOC.                         | - | MR S. CZUBA   |
| 14. POLISH ENGINEERS ASSOC.                         | - | MR K. GOLDA   |
| 15. S.A. AIR FORCE ASSOC.                           | - | MAJ. W. COETZEE   |
| 16. ASSOC. OF OFFICERS OF S.A.                      | - | MAJ. A.P. MCLEAN  |
| 17. ROYAL AIR FORCES ASSOC.                         | - | MR E.J. BOOME   |
| 18. WEMMER PAN COMMANDO                             | - | CMDT D.V. STEYN   |
| 19. M.O.T.H.  | - | MR D.W. BROADHURST  |
| 20. S.A. GUNNERS ASSOC.                             | - | LT. F.J.R. LOUW   |
| 21. BELGIAN EX-SERVICEMEN                           | - | COL. C.C. HUYGHE  |
| 22. GEN SMUTS WAR VETERANS<br>FOUNDATION            | - | DR K. HECHTER-SCHULTZ   |
| 23. EX SERVICEWOMENS'S LEAGUE                       | - | MISS E. PRICE   |
| 24. POLISH SA CHAMBER OF<br>COMMERCE                | - | MR S. MATHEWS   |
| 25. POLISH COMBATANTS &<br>POLISH ASSOC., CAPE TOWN | - | MR G. LISOWSKI  |
| 26. POLISH ASSOC., VAAL TRIANGLE                    | - | MR J. CHMELA  |
| 27. FAMILIES AND FRIENDS                            |   |   |

WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE

1992

DISTRIBUTION OF FUNCTIONS

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- 1. Reception Jaga van de Put
- 2. Ushers Piotr Jelonek
- 3. Invitations - printing Piotr Jelonek
- 4. List of addresses Jack van Eyssen  
Piotr Jelonek
- 5. Liaison with SA Air Force Ron Haywood
- 6. Liaison with Defence Force HQ Stefan Smoleniec
- 7. Liaison with 31 Squadron Jack van Eyssen
- 8. Liaison with WIT Command Zyg Fudakowski
- 9. JHB Municipality : Mayor's Office Zyg Fudakowski  
Parks Board Jaga van de Put  
Andrzej Romanowicz
- 10. Military VIP's Stefan Smoleniec
- 11. Public Gathering Permit (Chief Magistrate) Stefan Smoleniec
- 12. Publicity Muriel Bates  
Polish Assoc. Representative  
Edward de Virion
- 13. Access to the Katyn Memorial grounds Jack van Eyssen
- 14. Public address system Staszek Czuba
- 15. Seating arrangements Piotr Jelonek  
Zyg Fudakowski
- 16. Chairs (WIT Command) Zyg Fudakowski
- 17. Traffic / Security / Guard of Honour deployment Zyg Fudakowski  
Jack van Eyssen
- 18. Storage & transport of flags and flagpoles Staszek Czuba
- 19. Flags & drummers
- 20. Wreath-laying Andrzej Romanowicz
- 21. Transport of plants from Municipal Nurseries Jaga van de Put
- 22. General coordination Zyg Fudakowski



PRESENT ADDRESS:

94 Victoria Avenue  
PARKMORE  
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WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE  
PO BOX 65599  
BENMORE  
2010

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

AND

TELEPHONE NUMBER

KINDLY NOTE that from 25 October 1992, our new residential and postal addresses will be :

POSTAL: P O Box 56  
RIVERCLUB  
2149

RESIDENTIAL: 5a Riverclub Park  
Borrowdale  
RIVERCLUB  
SANDTON

TELEPHONE: (011) 706-3253

B D JONES

(MRS) O JONES

REFERENCE:

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*kindest regards,  
B D Jones*

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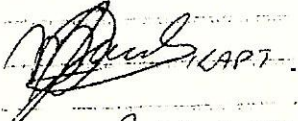
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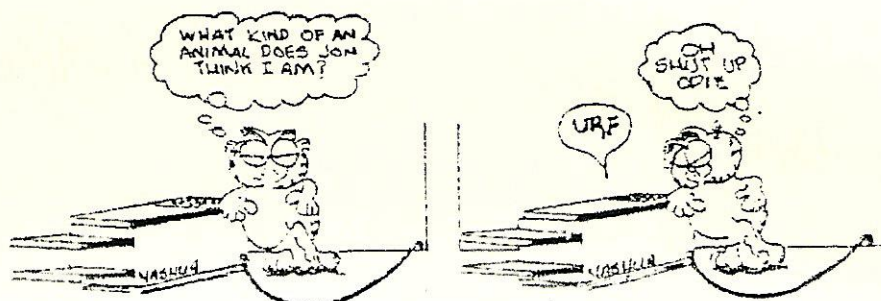
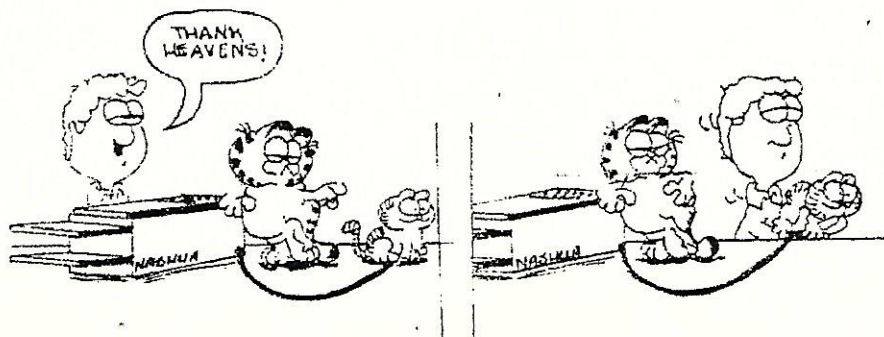
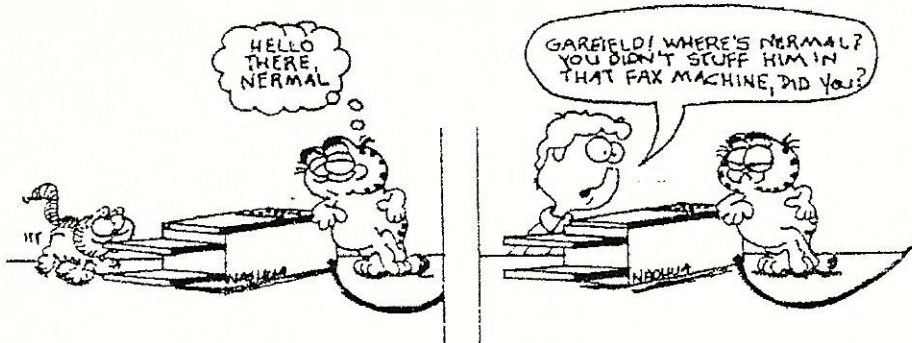
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**To:** MR A. OPALINSKI  
**Company:** EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF  
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**From:** PIOTR JELONEK  
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*Piotr.*

PIOTR JELONEK

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27th August 1992

Office of the Mayor  
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JOHANNESBURG  
2000

**Attention : Mrs P. Potgieter**

Dear Madam,

re : WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMEMORATION - 12 SEPTEMBER 1992 -  
YOUR LETTER DATED 30.06.92 REF. 9/2/2


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We have pleasure in enclosing herewith the attendance forms duly completed in triplicate.

In order to ensure smooth coordination of the function, kindly arrange for the Mayor's driver to adhere to the timing provided in the form, i.e. 10:50 arrival at the Katyn memorial, and 12:25 arrival at the Fairmount Bowling Club.

Please contact us should any further information be required.

Yours faithfully

  
**P. JELONEK**  
Vice-Chairman  
Warsaw Flights, Organising Committee

Encl.





**CITY OF JOHANNESBURG  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR**

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FILE NO. ....

**MAYOR AND MAYORESS**  
FUNCTION TO BE ATTENDED BY .....

DAY SATURDAY DATE 12 September 1992

a) KATYN MEMORIAL, JAMES & ETHEL GRAY PARK, MELROSE ESTATE  
VENUE b) FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB, GEORGE AVE., FAIRMOUNT EXT.

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE BEFORE:

( 30 August 1992 )

failing which attendance will not be possible. Any subsequent changes to be in writing

NAME OF ORGANISATION	<u>WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE</u>		
PERSON TO CONTACT	<u>MR P. JELONEK</u>		
TELEPHONE NO.	BUS <u>783 1130</u>	HOME <u>884 1088</u>	
NATURE OF FUNCTION Please advise whether any other function is linked with main event	a) RELIGIOUS SERVICE & WREATH-LAYING AT KATYN MEMORIAL b) RECEPTION AT FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB		
NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS OF PERSONS ON HAND TO MEET MAYORAL DIGNITARIES ON ARRIVAL	<u>MR Z. FUDAKOWSKI - CHAIRMAN, ORGANISING COMMITTEE</u> <u>PROF. S. SMOLENIEC - CHAIRMAN, POLISH COMBATANTS ASSOCIATION</u>		
EXACTLY where should the Mayoral car arrive	a) ENTRANCE TO KATYN MEMORIAL IN MELROSE STREET b) MAIN ENTRANCE TO FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB		
TIME	(a) Specific time of arrival a) <u>10:50</u> b) <u>12:25</u> (b) Start of function a) <u>11:00</u> b) <u>12:30</u>	(c) Duration <u>+/- 3 hours</u> (d) Convenient time for departure <u>14:00</u>	
IS AN OFFICIAL MESSAGE OR GREETING FROM THE CITY REQUIRED? (TICK APPROPRIATE SQUARE) REFER TO POINT 4 OF ANNEXURE	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Other Active Participation <u>WREATH-LAYING AT</u> <u>KATYN MEMORIAL</u>	Time Allocated <u>3 MINUTES</u>
NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS OF OTHER DISTINGUISHED GUESTS PRESENT	<u>MR S. CIENIUCH - CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, POLISH EMBASSY, PRETORIA</u> <u>MAJ GEN T.P. STEGEMANN, SD (REP. CHIEF OF THE SA AIR FORCE)</u> <u>LT GEN P.D. STEYN (REP. CHIEF OF THE SA DEFENCE FORCE)</u> <u>MAJ GEN D.S. HAMMAN (REP. CHIEF OF THE SA ARMY)</u> <u>MAJ GEN W.G. KRITZINGER (WITWATERSRAND COMMAND)</u>		
WHO WILL BE THE GUEST OF HONOUR AT THIS FUNCTION	<u>MAJ GEN T.P. STEGEMANN, SD</u>		
DRESS (TICK APPROPRIATE SQUARE)	Black Tie <input type="checkbox"/>	Short Frock <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Lounge Suit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Long Frock <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Hat <input type="checkbox"/>	Hat <input type="checkbox"/>	

Detailed attention must please be given to protocol and security arrangements referred to in annexure

SIGNATURE AND DESIGNATION N. Z. M. VICE-CHAIRMAN

DATE 26 AUGUST 1992





CITY OF JOHANNESBURG  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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FILE NO. ....

DEPUTY MAYOR AND DEPUTY MAYORESS

FUNCTION TO BE ATTENDED BY .....

DAY SATURDAY DATE 91-09-14

a) KATYN MEMORIAL, JAMES & ETHEL GRAY PARK, MELROSE ESTATE  
VENUE b) FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB, GEORGE AVE., FAIRMOUNT EXT.

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE BEFORE:

( 91/08/30 )

failing which attendance will not be possible. Any subsequent changes to be in writing

NAME OF ORGANISATION	...WARSAW FLIGHTS ORGANISING COMMITTEE	
PERSON TO CONTACT	...HON. SECRETARY, MR. P. JELONEK	
TELEPHONE NO.	BUS ... 783 1130	HOME ... 884 1088
NATURE OF FUNCTION Please advise whether any other function is linked with main event	a) RELIGIOUS SERVICE & WREATH-LAYING AT KATYN MEMORIAL b) RECEPTION AT FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB	
NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS OF PERSONS ON HAND TO MEET MAYORAL DIGNITARIES ON ARRIVAL	...MR. Z. FUDAKOWSKI - CHAIRMAN, ORGANISING COMMITTEE ...MR. B. LETOWI - CHAIRMAN, POLISH ASSOCIATION <i>Spolnosc</i>	
EXACTLY where should the Mayoral car arrive	a) ENTRANCE TO KATYN MEMORIAL IN MELROSE STREET b) MAIN ENTRANCE TO FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB <i>30</i>	
TIME	(a) Specific time of arrival a) 10:50 b) 12:15 25 (b) Start of function a) 11:00 b) 12:20	(c) Duration APPROX. 1 HOUR 15 MINS (d) Convenient time for departure ... 13:20 14:00
IS AN OFFICIAL MESSAGE OR GREETING FROM THE CITY REQUIRED? (TICK APPROPRIATE SQUARE) REFER TO POINT 4 OF ANNEXURE	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> (at the reception) Time Allocated ... 3 MINUTES	Other Active Participation ...LAYING OF WREATH AT ...KATYN MEMORIAL
NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS OF OTHER DISTINGUISHED GUESTS PRESENT	...MINISTER OF DEFENCE OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE ...VICE ADMIRAL M.A. BEKKER - CHIEF OF DEFENCE STAFF ...LT. GEN. J.P.B. VAN LOGGERENBERG - CHIEF OF S.A.A.F. ...MR S. CIENIUCH - MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE REPUBLIC OF POLAND	
WHO WILL BE THE GUEST OF HONOUR AT THIS FUNCTION	...MINISTER OF DEFENCE OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE	
DRESS (TICK APPROPRIATE SQUARE)	Black Tie <input type="checkbox"/> Lounge Suit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hat <input type="checkbox"/>	Short Frock <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Long Frock <input type="checkbox"/> Hat <input type="checkbox"/>

Detailed attention must please be given to protocol and security arrangements referred to in annexure

SIGNATURE AND DESIGNATION *P. Jelonek* HON. SECRETARY

DATE 20 AUGUST 1991



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR — JOHANNESBURGPROTOCOL AND ARRANGEMENTS : ATTENDANCE OF MAYORAL PERSONAGES

1. TIME: The Mayoral car will arrive at the venue exactly on time.
2. ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE: The reception party or person should always meet the Mayor at the car and should be on the pavement or at the entrance to the building as the Mayoral car arrives, and should step forward when the chauffeur opens the door of the car and introduce himself, to be followed by the others, if any.  
  
In the event of the State President, a Cabinet Minister or senior personage also being present, the Mayor and Mayoress should be scheduled to arrive five minutes beforehand.  
  
After the customary greetings, as indicated above, the Mayor would wait with the reception party and be the first to greet the State President, Cabinet Minister or senior personage.  
  
Once the Mayor has introduced the host, the latter would take over the introductions of the remainder of those present, if any.  
  
At the conclusion of the function the chauffeur should be informed of the imminent departure of the Mayor and Mayoress, they should then be accompanied by an appropriate person to their car, who will then wait until the car has driven away.
3. FORM OF ADDRESS: The correct form of address is, Mr Mayor and Madam Mayoress.  
When referring to them in the course of a speech, it is His Worship the Mayor and Madam Mayoress.  
The correct form of address for their deputies is, Mr Deputy Mayor and Madam Deputy Mayoress.
4. SPEECHES: If required at all, the Mayor's role is frequently to give a short word of welcome or congratulations or officially open a function. Maximum time three minutes.
5. DRESS: It is important to be quite specific on dress requirements for the Mayor and Mayoress.  
  
Changes of clothes often become necessary for the Mayoral couple after previous functions and these necessitate a suitable time interval.  
  
It may also happen that at evening functions the Mayor would be present with black tie despite a request for informality.
6. SEATING ARRANGEMENTS: The Mayor is always on the immediate right of the host if he is the senior guest present. Where feasible, the Mayoress is on the left of the hostess. They can be seated together if required. The Mayor/Deputy will at all times be accompanied by a security officer. See also point 10 on next page.  
  
Guests are presented to the Mayor and Mayoress, not vice versa.  
  
In the event of the State President, a Cabinet Minister or Administrator also being present, the main table seating arrangements may be discussed with the Mayor's Secretary.
7. MAYORAL PROGRAMME Any extensive tours or lengthy periods of standing which may be required of the Mayoral couple should be discussed with the Mayor's Secretary beforehand.
8. ATTENDANCE FORM: Please complete the attached form legibly or type-written in triplicate and forward two copies to the Mayor's Secretary as soon as possible, retaining the third copy for your records.
9. PRESENTATIONS: The attention of the Organisation is drawn to the suggestion that, particularly where this applies to a charity, no kind of gift or memento should be presented to mark the occasion, which the charity involved can well put to its own funds.



KANTOOR VAN DIE BURGEMEESTER — JOHANNESBURGPROTOKOL EN REËLINGS : BYWONING VAN BYEENKOMSTE DEUR BURGEMEESTERS-  
EN ONDERBURGEMEESTERSPARE

1. TYD: Die Burgemeestersmotor sal presies op die aangegewe tyd by die bestemming aankom.
2. AANKOMS EN VERTREK: Die verwelkomingsgroep of -persoon moet die Burgemeester altyd by die motor ontmoet en hom op die sygaardjie of voor die ingang van die gebou inwag en moet vorentoe tree wanneer die chauffeur die motordeur oopmaak en homself bekend stel, gevolg deur die ander lede, indien enige.  
  
As die Staatspresident, 'n Kabinetsminister of ander vername persoon ook teenwoordig gaan wees, moet daar gereël word dat die Burgemeester en Burgemeestersvrou vyf minute voor dié persoon opdaag.  
  
Na die gebruikelike verwelkoming, soos hierbo beskryf, wag die Burgemeester saam met die verwelkomingsgroep en groet hy die Staatspresident, Kabinetsminister of vername persoon eerste.  
  
Sodra die Burgemeester die gasheer bekendgestel het, stel laasgenoemde die res van die groep, indien enige, voor.  
  
Na afloop van die byeenkoms moet die chauffeur, wanneer die Burgemeester en die Burgemeestersvrou op die punt staan om te vertrek, daarvan verwittig word. 'n Geskikte persoon vergesel hulle dan na die motor en wag daar totdat die motor wegtrek.
3. AANSPREEK-VORM: Die korrekte aanspreekvorm is "Meneer die Burgemeester" en "Mevrou die Burgemeestersvrou". Wanneer daar in 'n toespraak na hulle verwys word, is die korrekte vorm "Die agbare Burgemeester" en "die Burgemeestersvrou". Die korrekte aanspreekvorm vir hulle adjunkte is "Meneer die Onderburgemeester" en "die Onderburgemeestersvrou".
4. TOESPRAKE: Die Burgemeester word gewoonlik gevra om 'n kort woord van verwelkoming of gelukwensing te spreek of om 'n byeenkoms amptelik te open. Die maksimum tyd is drie minute.
5. KLEREDRAG: Dit is belangrik om die gepaste kleredrag vir die Burgemeester en Burgemeestersvrou duidelik aan te dui.  
  
Die Burgemeesterspaar moet dikwels tussen byeenkomste gaan verkleed en daar moet genoeg tyd hiervoor toegelaat word.  
  
Dit kan ook gebeur dat die Burgemeester by 'n aandbyeenkoms swartdasdrag aan het, hoewel daar versoek is dat hy informeel geklee moet wees.
6. SITPLEK-REËLINGS: Die Burgemeester sit altyd aan die regterkant van die gasheer as hy die vernaamste gas is en die Burgemeestersvrou, waar moontlik, aan die linkerkant van die gasvrou. Hulle kan ook langs mekaar sit as dit verlang word. Die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester word altyd deur 'n sekuriteitsbeampte vergesel. Kyk ook punt 10 op die volgende bladsy. Alle gaste word aan die Burgemeester en Burgemeestersvrou voorgestel en nie andersom nie.  
  
As die Staatspresident, 'n Kabinetsminister of Administrateur ook teenwoordig gaan wees, kan die sitplekreël vir die hooftafel met die Sekretaris van die Burgemeester bespreek word.
7. BURGEMEESTERS-PROGRAM: As daar van die Burgemeesterspaar verwag gaan word om lank op die been te wees, moet die saak vooraf met die Sekretaris van die Burgemeester bespreek word.
8. BYWONINGS-VORM: U moet asseblief die aangehegte vorm duidelik in drievoud invul of tik en twee afskrifte so gou doenlik aan die Sekretaris van die Burgemeester terugstuur, terwyl u die derde afskrif vir u lêers hou.
9. GESKENKE: Daar word aan die hand gedoen dat 'n organisasie, veral 'n liefdadigheidsorganisasie, geen geskenk of iets ter aandenking aan die geleentheid moet aanbied nie. Die organisasie kan dit liever ter stywing van sy eie fondse aanwend.

10. ARRANGEMENTS REGARDING THE SECURITY OFFICER/S ACCOMPANYING THE MAYOR/ DEPUTY MAYOR TO FUNCTIONS

The Mayor/Deputy Mayor will at all times be accompanied by one Security Officer. The Security Officer will drive with the Mayor/Deputy Mayor in the official car.

The Security Officer will at all times walk immediately behind the Mayor/Deputy Mayor.

When a function is of such a nature that the Mayor/Deputy Mayor is expected to stand around, the Security Officer will remain in close proximity.

When the Mayor/Deputy Mayor is seated at a main table, provision must be made for the Security Officer at a table close to the main table, where his view of the Mayor/Deputy Mayor will not be obstructed.

When the Mayor/Deputy Mayor attends a show or is seated in a hall facing the stage, the seat immediately behind the Mayor/Deputy Mayor must be reserved for the Security Officer.

When the Mayor/Deputy Mayor attends a function at the Civic Theatre and is seated in the Mayoral Box, seat L 131 (next to the Mayoral Box) must be reserved for the Security Officer.

If any cost is involved in making additional provision for the Security Officer, the Mayor's Secretary must be advised accordingly.

The Security Officer should always be treated as an ordinary guest and will be dressed to suit the occasion. For obvious reasons it is requested that the presence of the Security Officer should be as inconspicuous as possible.

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10. REËLINGS IN VERBAND MET SEKURITEITSBEAMPTES/WAT DIE BURGEMEESTER/  
ONDERBURGEMEESTER NA FUNKSIES VERGESEL

Die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester word te alle tye deur een sekuriteitsbeampte vergesel. Die sekuriteitsbeampte ry saam met die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester in die ampsmotor.

Die sekuriteitsbeampte loop te alle tye net agter die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester.

Wanneer 'n funksie van so 'n aard is dat die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester moet rondstaan, bly die sekuriteitsbeampte naby die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester.

Wanneer die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester by 'n hoofafel moet sit, moet daar voorsiening gemaak word dat die sekuriteitsbeampte by 'n afel naby aan die hoofafel sit waar hy 'n onbelemmerde uitsig op die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester kan hê.

Wanneer die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester 'n vertoning bywoon of in 'n saal moet sit waar hy na 'n verhoog kyk, moet die sitplek onmiddellik agter die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester vir die sekuriteitsbeampte uitgehou word.

Wanneer die Burgemeester/Onderburgemeester 'n byeenkoms in die Stadskouburg bywoon en in die Burgemeesterslosie sit, moet sitplek L 131 (langsaaan die Burgemeesterslosie) vir die sekuriteitsbeampte uitgehou word.

As enige koste aangeaan word om bykomende voorsiening vir die sekuriteitsbeampte te maak, moet die Sekretaris van die Burgemeester dienooreenkomstig verwittig word.

Die sekuriteitsbeampte moet altyd as 'n gewone gas behandel word en sy kleredrag sal by die geleentheid pas. Om begryplike redes word daar versoek dat die teenwoordigheid van die sekuriteitsbeampte so onopsigtelik moontlik gehou word.

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Note Verbal No 28/92

The Embassy of the Republic of Poland presents its compliments to the Department of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of South Africa and - with reference to the Department's Note No 133/92 dated March 12, 1992 - has the honour to inform as follows:

1. Official English name of the Cross is "Warsaw Insurrectionary Cross".
2. South African citizens on whom the President of the Republic of Poland bestowed the Warsaw Insurrectionary Cross are:
  1. COATS Neville Vernon
  2. COLEY George Lawrence
  3. CRAMPTON Roy
  4. GOLDSCHMIDT David
  5. HOLLIDAY Derrick Robert Fitz
  6. JACKSON Lionel Gordon
  7. JONES Bryan Desmond
  8. KLETTE Robert Randolph
  9. LANGFORD Frank
  10. MARSH Selby David
  11. McINNES Allan John —
  12. OOSTHUIZEN Edwin Frank
  13. ROSENTHAL Gerald
  14. ROSS Jack Anderson
  15. LeROUX Christiaan Rudolph Killian
  16. SEARLE Russel Thomas
  17. STEEL Hereford Cecil Douglas
  18. van EYSSSEN Jacobus Lodewicus

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19. WINCHESTER Leonard
20. AUSTIN Basil Harvey
21. CULLINGWORTH David
22. FRANKLIN Charles Stuart
23. HAMILTON Robert George
24. HOOEY Grattan
25. IMPEY Eric Benjamin Horton
26. LAWRIE Gordon
27. LEWIS Herbert Henry
28. Mac WILLIAM Keith Brennand
29. McCABE Allan Graham
30. McLEOD Kenneth James
31. NEL Charles Paul
32. ODENDAALL Johannes Meyer
33. POTGIETER Theodorus Daniel
34. RAY-HOWETT George
35. SENN William Edward
36. SERFONTEIN Franciscus Christianus
37. SLEED Noel
38. SMITH John Henry
39. TANGUY-DESMARAIS Marie Jean
40. VARTY Harold Boyd
41. BEUKES Leonhard von Solms
42. WITTENBERG Ronald Albert

The Embassy of the Republic of Poland avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Department of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of South Africa the assurance of its highest consideration.

Pretoria, March 30, 1992

DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA  
P R E T O R I A





(KIA - killed in action on Warsaw Airlift)

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AIRCREW OF 34 SQUADRON SAAF WHO FLEW TO THE AID OF WARSAW IN  
AUGUST-SEPTEMBER 1944 : NOT INCLUDED ON INITIAL LIST OF 42

<u>Military number</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Initials Name</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
47474	Capt	WKC Carter	Died subsequently. Wife also dead
102379	"	EA Endler	KIA
103389	"	FN Murray	
102536	"	RG Sanford	
206738	Lt.	A Barnard	
102372	"	TV Cadle	
205382	"	JWP Chapman	
102502	"	E Colbert	
313340	"	GC Dicks	
94432	"	PJ du Preez	
211649	"	SI Fourie	
102567	"	EC de V Hoffe	
79528	"	JA Lithgow	KIA
103662	"	PN Maas	Died subsequently
206225	"	JC Maritz	
47948	"	RS Parsons	
102414	"	LJ Rabie	
205966	"	RS Robinson	
329153	"	JDK Slabber	
33468	"	JN Smith	
103853	"	TA Stewart	KIA
205501	"	N Swart	
205895	"	EA van Zyl	KIA
10710	WO I	A Israel	
99918	"	MA Lawrence	
543872	"	SJ Lee	
542772	WO II	GJ Davies	

AIRCREW OF 31 SQUADRON SAAF WHO FLEW TO THE AID OF WARSAW IN  
AUGUST-SEPTEMBER 1944 : NOT INCLUDED ON INITIAL LIST OF 42

102736	Maj	SS Urry	KIA
203161	Capt	LC Allen	KIA
103213	"	K St. G Hayward	Awarded Cross of Valour. Died.
102853	"	N van Kensburg	
542624	Lt	PH Andrews	KIA
103840	"	NW Armstrong	KIA
543022	"	JC Branch-Clark	KIA
207349	"	RD Cairns	
103935	"	AF Cloete	Awarded Cross of Valour
328600	"	O Coleman	KIA
329145	"	GA Collard	KIA
542532	"	JR Colman	
206267	"	GA COOK	KIA
209257	"	RA Evans	
203578	"	AE Faul	

/542405 Lt. AG Penham

31 SQUADRON CONTINUED

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<u>Military number</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Initials Name</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
542405	Lt.	AG Fensham	
205440	"	R Franklin	
542678	"	JJC Groenewald	Died subsequently. No next of kin
99671	"	AJ Hastings	KIA
211348	"	EV Hopping-Mills	KIA
109210	"	W Klokow	KIA
329217	"	MCF Kruger	KIA
329117	"	RA Lavery	KIA
205407	"	CF le Sueur	
329109	"	BT Loxton	KIA
21586	"	HAR Male	KIA
542602	"	AHR Meterlekamp	KIA
328628	"	LB Moller	
P.7011	"	AJ Munro	KIA
206788	"	Norval	
542585	"	A Oosthuizen	
100685	"	GB Pitt	KIA
47951	"	PA Rautenbach	Died subsequently
328614	"	RA Rudman	
102521	"	G de A Shipman	KIA
105740	"	TCL Symmes	
329043	"	CB Vorster	KIA
205946	"	TT Watson	KIA
573009	2/Lt	T Kipling	
579339	WO.I	G Aldred	
208109	"	LB Bloch	KIA
206784	"	DB Brandsma	KIA
328250	"	JB Erasmus	KIA
579429	"	NA Jones	KIA
36065	"	PJ Lordan	KIA
578236	"	JWM MacLachlan	
328854	"	TD O'Keefe	KIA
329040	"	DJ Palmer	KIA
206770	"	RW Stafford	KIA
542813	"	RP Whitelaw	KIA
328832	WO.II	HJ Brown	
543206	"	JA Meyer	KIA
543216	"	JAC Steel	KIA
337598	"	NR Upton	KIA
543513	"	RN Woods	KIA
BO4023	Major	GAP Greindl	Belgian seconded to 31 SAAF. Killed later in air crash

P. Z. Kuchel  
10/10/51/04

7 Newark Close  
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Dear Sir,

I understand that a number of medals have been awarded to South African airmen killed over Poland in the war.

I believe that my Mother's first husband Bert Lewis was among these.

I would like to know whether it would be possible for me to have the medal as my mother died several years ago.

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I know she would have liked  
me to have the medal although  
Bert Lewis is not my father.

If you would like documents  
to prove the date of the marriage  
between Bert & my mother & a copy  
of my birth certificate then I can  
obtain these for you.

Awaiting your reply.

Yours faithfully



MRS. P. A. FINCH.

ACCEPTANCE LIST

WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMEMORATION

SATURDAY 12 SEPTEMBER 1992

ENTRANCE FEE TO FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB  
R25.00 PER SINGLE ADULT, R40.00 DOUBLE  
R5.00 PER CHILD UNDER 12

NAME	NO. OF GUEST	ROW/SEAT NO.	PAID/UNPD
<b><u>A</u></b>			
1 MR/MRS D.E. ACKERMAN	2	3/55-56	PAID
2 DR/MRS R.J. ALLEN	2	6/137-138	SERVICE
3 COL/MRS M. ALEXANDER (GROUP 18)	2	2/25-26	PAID
LT. W.F. AUSTIN	$\frac{1}{7}$	5/115	PAID
<b><u>B</u></b>			
MR/MRS O. BARRETT	2	7/151-152	PAID
MRS M. BATES	1	6/124	PAID
DR D. BASIEWICZ	3	10/223-225	UNPAID
MR R. BEAMISH	1	6/128	UNPAID
CAPT. B. BENJAMIN	1	7/150	PAID
LT./MRS L. BLACK	2	3/51-52	PAID
MR BOBROWICZ	1	9/220	UNPAID
MR/MRS E.J. BOOME	2	3/70-71	SERVICE
MR/MRS J.T. BORAIN	2	6/135-136	PAID
GROUP CAPT/MRS F. BRADLEY	2 <del>4</del>	3/64-65	PAID
MR B. BRAZGALSKI	1	6/141	UNPAID
MR D. BROADHURST (MOTH)	1	6/142	SERVICE
MR/MRS H.W. BROCKETT	$\frac{2}{21}$	7/153-154	SERVICE

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C

MR C. CAMPBELL	1	6/131	PAID
MRS P. CAWOOD	1	7/155	SERVICE
MR/MRS S.J. CHMELA	2	8/174-175	UNPAID
MR/MRS CIBOR	2	2/38-39	VIP
MR S. CIENIUCH	1	1/11	VIP
MAJ./MRS W. COETZEE	2	3/60-61	PAID
MR E.D. CONTE	1	8/197	PAID
WO II R.J.T/MRS COLEMAN	2	3/62-63	PAID
MR/MRS N. COSYN	2	6/125-126	PAID
MR/MRS H.A.C. COULL	2	7/158-159	SERVICE
MR W.A. COWIE	1	8/196	SERVICE
COL. R. CUMMING	1	1/4	PAID
MR/MRS S. CZUBA	2	2/27-28	UNPAID
	<u>20</u>		

D

MR D. DEAN	1	10/226	UNPAID
MRS N.S. DE VILLIERS	1	1/20	VIP
MR J.L.J. DINSDALE	2	10/227	UNPAID
COL/MRS G. DOWNER	2	4/95-96	PAID
MRS M. DURRANT	1	1/12	SERVICE
CAPT/MRS D. DWYER	2	5/102-103	PAID
	<u>9</u>		

E

MAJ. J.A. EARLE	2	5/109-110	PAID
LT. GEN./MRS D.J. EARP	2	2/43-44	VIP
MR/MRS P.B.E. EGAN	2	7/160-161	PAID
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F

MR A.H. FORD	1	10/228	SERVICE
BRIG./MRS D.F.S. FOURIE	2	3/53-54	UNPAID
MR/MRS Z. FUDAKOWSKI	2	1/21	PAID
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G

MR K. GOLDA	1	6/147	UNPAID
MR GREENSMITH	<u>1</u>	10/229	UNPAID
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H

CAPT/MRS R.E. HAGUE	2	7/162-163	PAID
MAJ. GEN./MRS D.S. HAMMAN,DS (REP. CHIEF OF ARMY)	2	1/15-16	VIP
MRS W. HAYWARD	2	4/97	SERVICE
CMDT./MRS R.F. HAYWOOD	2	2/45-46	PAID
DR/MRS K. HECHTER-SCHULTZ	2	5/100-101	PAID
MRS K. HRABAR	1	3/72	UNPAID
COL. C. HUYGHE	1	3/59	PAID
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J

MR/MRS P. JELONEK	2	7/172	PAID
MR/MRS B.D. JONES	<u>2</u>	7/164-165	PAID
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K

MR KAUFMAN	1	10/238	PAID
MRS P. KEMP	3	5/116-118	PAID
MR K.H. KINGSMILL	2	7/156-157	UNPAID
LT. N.O. KITCHENER	1	10/237	PAID
MR Z. KUCHCIAK	1	2/34-35	PAID
MR/MRS KUNCEWICZ	2	7/148-149	PAID
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L

MR/MRS T.W. LANDEY	2	8/194-195	PAID
MR N.G. LESLIE & TERESA	2	10/235-236	PAID
MR/MRS J. LEVIEUX	2	3/68-68A	PAID
MR R. LIPNICKI	2	10/233-234	UNPAID
MR G.J. LISOWSKI	1	5/108	PAID
LT/MRS F.J.R. LOUW (GUNNERS ASSOC)	2	6/143-144	UNPAID
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M

MR/MRS I.R. MACWILLIAM	2	6/132-133	PAID
MR/MRS S. MARSH	3	8/190-191	PAID+1UNPD
LT./MRS C.D. MARSHALL	2	8/192-193	PAID
MR/MRS P.M. MATHEWS	2	6/145-146	PAID
MAJ. R.B. MCEWAN	1	6/134	PAID
COL. P.M.J. MCGREGOR	1	3/69	PAID
MAJ./MRS A.P. MCLEAN	4	3/66-67	PAID
COL. J.L. MCLACHLAN	1	5/107	PAID
MR/MRS M. MICHALSKI	2	5/105-106	PAID
MR/MRS S. MILLER	2	8/188-189	PAID
BRIG/MRS J. MOOLMAN	2	1/2-3	PAID
MRS H. MORAWSKA & MR B. EDMONDS	2	9/218-219	PAID
MR/MRS W.D. MORRIS	2	5/100A&B	PAID
MR/MRS M. MYCIELSKI	5		UNPAID
	<u>31</u>		

O

MR A. OPALINSKI	1	2/37	VIP
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P

MR N. PAYNE	1	9/222	PAID
WO/MRS D. PENROSE	2	9/216-217	PAID
CAPT. T.A. PHILLIPS	1	7/171	PAID
MRS M. PIETRUSZKA	1	9/221	UNPAID
MR/MRS J. PISKOREK	2	6/129-130	PAID
MISS E. PRICE	3	6/139-140	UNPAID
	<u>11</u>		

Q

MAJ./MRS G. QUIN	2	7/166-167	PAID
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R

MR/MRS F. RANOSZEK	2	5/111-112	PAID
MR F. RAY-HOWETT	1	9/198	SERVICE
MR/MRS W.J. ROBSON	3	9/199-201	PAID
MR/MRS A. ROMANOWICZ	2	2/33	UNPAID
CAPT./MRS G. ROSENTHAL	2	7/168-169	SERVICE
MR B. RUITER	1	8/173	PAID
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S

MRS B. SALT	1	6/127	PAID
WO I R. SCHUBLE	1	1/19	UNPAID
PROF./MRS S. SMOLENIEC	2	8/178	UNPAID
MR/MRS H.E. SERFONTEIN	2	9/208-209	PAID
MR K. SMITH	1	1/5-6	UNPAID
COL./MRS G.W. SNELLING	2	3/57-58	PAID
MR/MRS SOBCZYK	2	9/202-203	UNPAID
MR I.R. SPRING	2	2/49-49A	UNPAID
31 SQUADRON	(21)	4/75-94	PAID
MRS A. STACHELSKA	1	2/36	UNPAID
MR/MRS H.C.D. STEEL	2	9/210-211	PAID
MAJ. GEN. T.P. STEGEMANN,SD & MRS STEGEMANN	2	1/7-8	VIP
CMDT D.V. STEYN	1	4/99	UNPAID
LT. GEN./MRS P.D. STEYN (REP. CHIEF OF THE SA DEFENCE FORCE)	2	1/13-14	VIP
MR/MRS G. STRACHAN	2	9/204-205	SERVICE
MR/MRS W. STRZALKOWSKI	2	3/73-74	UNPAID
THE HON. MR JUSTICE Z. SUTEJ	1	8/173	SERVICE
MR/MRS M. SZOPINSKI	2	9/212-213	UNPAID
MR E. SZUDRAWSKI	1	5/104	PAID

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T

MR/MRS W. TOMASZEWSKI	2	2/47-48	PAID
MR/MRS TUMIEL	2	9/214-215	UNPAID
	<u>4</u>		

V

COL./MRS J.L. VAN EYSSSEN	2	2/31-32	PAID
MR/MRS I.S. VAN EYSSSEN	2	5/119-119A	UNPAID
MRS L.M. VAN EYSSSEN	4	5/120-123	UNPAID
MRS J. VAN DE PUT	1		PAID
MR A. VAN DER BIJL	1 ✓	2/42	PAID
CMDT/MRS A.A. VAN HEERDEN	2	5/113-114	PAID
MR/MRS M. VAN HEERDEN	2	8/176-177	PAID
MR W.D. VAN RENSBURG	2	9/206-207	SERVICE
MRS H.B. VARTY	1	4/98	PAID
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W

LT. GEN./MRS P. WALLS	2	2/40-41	SERVICE
LT./MRS J.G.O. WATSON	2	8/179-180	UNPAID
MRS T.L. WAYMAN	1	7/170	PAID
MR/MRS W. WHITAKER	2	8/181-182	PAID
MR D. WHITFORD & MRS P. OATES	2	8/183-184	PAID
MRS M. WHYTE	2	8/185-186	PAID
MRS E. WILKINSON	1	8/187	UNPAID
MR A.D. WILLIAMS	1	3/50	PAID
MR/MRS W. WOJTOWICZ	2	1/17-18	UNPAID
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Die Suid-Afrikaanse Lugmagvereniging  
The South African Air Force Association



Nege-en-Twintigste Jaarlikse Banket  
Twenty-Ninth Annual Banquet

FEBRUARIE 28 - 28 FEBRUARY  
1992

WANDERERS CLUB, JOHANNESBURG

## **TOASTS**

**THE STATE PRESIDENT**

by Brigadier J.P. Moolman

**THE GUESTS**

proposed by Mr. Russell Nelson  
*(who will also act as M.C.)*

**THE GUEST SPEAKER**

introduced by Major K.G. Smith

Lt/Gen. A.J. Kriel, S.D; S.M.

who will propose the toast to

**THE S.A.A.F. ASSOCIATION**

Response By

Air Vice Marshall

Johnnie Johnson, C.B; C.B.E; D.S.O; D.F.C.



## MENU - SPYSKAART

Cocktail De Fruites

★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Gigot

D'Agneau a'La

Sauce Menthe

Legumes

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Poire Belle Helene

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Cafe

## WINE - WYN

Wanderers Classic Dry White

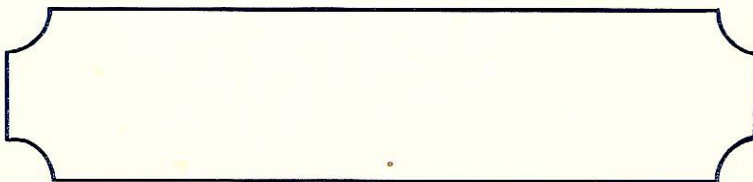
Chateaux Libertas

Monis Port in decanters

**Royal Air Force  
Officers' Club  
Johannesburg**



**29th Annual Dinner  
Inanda Club  
Friday 10th April, 1992**



*The Loyal Toasts*

THE QUEEN  
SOUTH AFRICA

*The Toast to the Guests*

proposed by

SQN. LDR. P. TUNSTALL, RAF (Ret'd)

responded to by:

THE HON. DR. C.J. VAN DER MERWE

*The Toast to The Royal Air Force*

proposed by

MAJ. GEN. W.H. THACKWRAY, SAAF

responded to by

I.R.D. SPRING  
VICE-CHAIRMAN, ROYAL AIR FORCE OFFICERS' CLUB

Smoking will be permitted after the Loyal Toasts which will follow the main course.



# *Menu*

SMOKED SALMON PLATTER

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VEAL CORDON BLEU  
VEGETABLES IN SEASON  
SALAD

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ASSORTED SORBETS CRÊME DE CASSIS

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COFFEE

## *Wines*

WHITE: RAF SELECTED DRY WHITE

RED: RAF SELECTED DRY RED

PORT: VERGENOEGD ESTATE

# *Official Guests*

THE HON. DR. J.C. VAN DER MERWE  
MA. D. Phil

MAJ. GEN. W.H. THACKWRAY, SAAF  
Chief of Air Staff Operations


BRIG. P.J. MOOLMAN  
Chairman, SAAF Association

MR. G. HUGHES  
Chairman, Burma Star Association

CMDR. D. BOWER  
Chairman, Royal Naval Officers Association

MR. J. BOOME  
Chairman, RAF Association

## OFFICERS OF THE CLUB

President:	SQN. LDR. A.W. BENNELL
Vice Presidents:	K.D. ROMAIN DR. S.W. TARLTON J.P. TOBIN
Chairman:	D.T.H. LAKE 
Vice Chairman:	I.R.D. SPRING
Hon. Secretary:	S.G. SMITH
Hon. Treasurer:	J.J. ADAMS
Officers:	S.L.M. COX D. CURRIE J. EARLE N. INGLEDEW

MINUTES OF WARSAW INSURRECTION CROSS MEDAL HELD AT AFB SWARTKOP ON 030830B AUGUST 1992

PRESENT	<u>Appointment</u>	<u>Representing</u>
Maj N. Hanekom (Chairman)	SO CER	CAF
Mr Z. Kuchciak	Third Secretary	Embassy
Mr S. Czuba	Chairman	Polish AFA
Mr K. Smith	Chairman	SAAF Pta
WO1 J. van Zyl	SO1 CER	CAF
WO1 H. Coetzee	RSM	AFB SWKP
Cmdt A. Oosthuizen (Secretary)	Pers Co-ord	AFB SWKP

INTRODUCTION

1. The chairman opens the meeting and explains that the previous minutes will serve as an agenda.

ITEM 1 : MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

2. The previous minutes are accepted.

DISCUSSION

ITEM 2 : MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING


	<u>Action By</u>
3. <u>Invitations.</u> The Third Secretary advises that the invitations are in the process of being printed and will be sent out in due course. Confirmation of the venue, namely SAAF College for both the parade and function must be confirmed by SO CER by today. The Air Force's guest list will also be submitted today.	Third Secretary SO CER
4. <u>State President.</u> ? Confirmation of attendance is still outstanding.	Third Secretary
5. <u>Approval of Medal Recipients.</u> The matter has been finalized.	
6. <u>Pre-warning Letters.</u> These have been despatched.	
7. <u>Briefing of Ambassador.</u> The Ambassador must be briefed on the parade procedure.	SO CER
8. <u>Parade.</u> It is decided that both national flags will appear on the parade, as well as the playing of both national anthems.	RSM/ SO CER
9. <u>Tasking of Aircraft.</u> <i>CAPE TOWN, RE, 1045</i> This matter must still be finalized. The time tables must be issued to the Third Secretary.	SO CER
10. <u>Medals.</u> All the medals must be handed over to SO CER.	Third Secretary
11. <u>Catering.</u> <u>The matter of financing the catering remains unresolved.</u>	Third Secretary
12. <u>Road Transport.</u> The base is to arrange bus transport for recipients.	Pers Co-ord

1. FILM → VISUALS

PHOTOGRAPHS



13. The next meeting is scheduled for 24 August 1992 at 08h30.

  
(A.J. OOSTHUIZEN)  
SECRETARY : CMDT

These minutes are mandatory wef 3 Aug 92

  
(N. HANEKOM)  
CHAIRMAN : MAJ

DISTR

For Action

Committe Members



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'N VERANDERING, 'N UITDAGING, 'N TOEKOMS.  
A CHANGE, A CHALLENGE, A FUTURE.

POLISH MEDAL PARADE  
ON 31 AUGUST 1992 AT 12:00

PROGRAMME

1. Hoisting of National and Polish Flags. (All spectators are requested to stand to attention whilst the National Anthems are played, members in uniform are to salute. Spectators are to remain standing.)
2. Arrival of the Polish Ambassador, Mr S. Cieniuch. (Spectators are requested to remain standing until after the General Salute has been played.)
3. General Salute.
4. Scripture reading and prayer. (Male spectators are to stand and remove their caps/hats during Scripture reading and prayer.)
5. Inspection of parade.
6. Parade marches past in column of flights.
7. Presentation of medals.
8. Address by Mr Cieniuch.
9. General Salute.
10. Parade marches off.

POOLSE MEDALJEPARADE  
OP 31 AUGUSTUS 1992 om 12:00

PROGRAM

1. Hysing van Nasionale en Poolse Vlae. (Alle toeskouers word versoek om op aandag te staan met die speel van die Volksliedere, lede in uniform salueer. Toeskouers bly staan.)
2. Aankoms van die Ambassadeur van Pole, mnr S. Cieniuch. (Toeskouers word versoek om te staan tot na die speel van die Generale Saluut.)
3. Generale Saluut.
4. Skriflesing en gebed. (Manlike toeskouer moet tydens Skriflesing en gebed staan en hul pette/hoeede verwyder.)
5. Inspeksie van parade.
6. Parade defileer in kolonne van vlugte.
7. Aanbieding van medaljes.
8. Toespraak deur mnr Cieniuch.
9. Generale Saluut.
10. Parade marsjeer af.



# The Inanda Club

TELEPHONES:  
CLUB 884-1414/5/6/7  
STABLES 884-2491  
FAX 884-2918

P.O. BOX 55047  
NORTHLANDS  
2116



TO : MRS VAN DER PUT 27.11.92

FAX : 883-7186

FROM : CAROL TRUTER FOR C GIRARD

RE : POLISH FUNCTION / COCKTAIL PARTY  
INANDA CLUB TERRACE - 4TH SEPTEMBER 1993

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Dear Mrs van der Put

This serves to confirm the above-mentioned booking, and also the following points regarding said function:

- DATE: 4th September 1993 - still to be finalised
- TIME: to be confirmed
- VENUE: Terrace
- NUMBERS: 250 approx. - to be confirmed at least 48 hours in advance
- FLOWERS/DECOR: Please liaise direct with Lisa Danskin at the Club
- MUSIC : Own arrangement, if any
- BAR: Full Cash Bar
- WINES: List attached for your perusal
- MENU: Please see attached. Please could you confirm as soon as possible
- TABLE PLAN: to be discussed

I trust that the above will be of assistance to you. Should you require any further details or information, please do not hesitate to contact me at your earliest convenience.

CAROL TRUTER

**MENU**

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***Selection of Open Sandwiches :***

Chees & Tomato, Chicken Mayonnaise, Egg Mayonnaise,  
Tuna Mayonnaise, Roast Beef

Stuffed Eggs

Pate and Melba Toast

***Hot Snacks :***

Chicken Drumsticks

Quiches

Sausage Rolls

Fish Fingers

Crumbed Mushrooms

Samosas

***Sweets:***

Chocolate Eclairs

Fruit Tartlets

**PRICE**

:

***R17-50 PER HEAD***

*VAT 2*

***PLEASE NOTE***

***THE ABOVE QUOTATION IS SUBJECT  
TO CHANGE BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1993***

## FUNCTIONS WINE LIST

### SPARKLING WINES

PIERRE JORDAAN	R	45.00
BOSCHENDAL BRUT	R	57.50
GRAND MOSSEUX VIN DOUX	R	22.00
HERE XVII	R	24.50
NEDERBURG CUVEE BRUT	R	24.50
J C LE ROUX SAUVIGNON BLANC	R	24.50

### WHITE WINES

LA MOTTE SAUVIGNON BLANC	R	25.00
BOSCHENDAL GRAND VIN BLANC	R	32.00
DEWETSHOF CHARDONNAY	R	35.00
BUITENVERWACHTING BUITEN BLANC	R	21.00
BELLINGHAM PREMIER GRAND CRU	R	19.00
BELLINGHAM JOHANNESBURGER	R	19.00
BOSCHENDAL BLANC DE NOIR	R	26.00
KLEIN CONSTANTIA CHARDONNAY	R	40.00
KLEIN CONSTANTIA SAUVIGNON BLANC	R	31.00
BOSCHENDAL BLANC DE BLANC	R	25.00
GRUNBERGER STEIN	R	16.50
HAMILTON RUSSEL GRAND VIN BLANC	R	30.00
AVONTUUR CHARDONNAY	R	35.00
STELLENZICHT GRAND VIN BLANC	R	25.00
MORGENHOF SAUVIGNON BLANC	R	25.00
NEDERBURG PAARL REISLING	R	21.00
BOUCHARD FINDLAYSON SAUVIGNON BLANC	R	30.00
SIMONSIG VIN FUME	R	22.00
T J 39 GRAND PRIX	R	21.00
THELEMA SAUVIGNON BLANC	R	25.00
UITKYK REISLING	R	22.00
GRACA	R	13.50
VAN LOUVEREN BLANC DE BLANC	R	16.00
ZONNEBLOEM CHARDONNAY	R	35.00
LOUISVALE CHARDONNAY	R	45.00
NEDERBURG ROSE	R	25.00
BOSCHENDAL PAVILLION BLANC	R	16.00

ALL PRICES INCLUDE V.A.T.



RED WINES

BOSCHENDAL LANOY 88	R	32.00
CHATEAU LIBERTAS 87	R	20.00
HAMILTON RUSSELL PINOT NOIR 88	R	50.00
HARTENBERG CABERNET 86	R	47.50
ALTO ROUGE 88	R	31.00
WARWICK CABERNET 87	R	50.00
NEDERBURG EDELROOD 87	R	32.00
NEDERBURG PAARL CABERNET 87	R	30.00
RUSTENBURG DRY RED 89	R	29.00
HARTENBURG SHIRAZ 85	R	47.50
ST. AUGUSTINE 88	R	27.00
SIMONSIG PINOTAGE 89	R	27.00
FLEUR DU CAP CABERNET 87	R	33.00
ZONNEBLOEM CABERNET SAUVIGNON 87	R	30.00
ZANDVLIET SHIRAZ 87	R	32.00
MORGENHOF CABERNET 88	R	28.00
INANDA RED	R	18.00

WARSAW FLIGHTS LETTER HEAD ✓

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TRAFFIC DEPT. LIAISON

MILITARY VIP'S - RETURN ADDRESS

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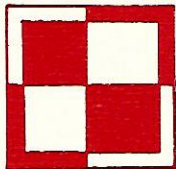
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VIP SEATING ONLY (2-3 ROWS)

CIENIUCH - SEATING

TITLE



# POLAND

1944 — 1992



The Polish Association in South Africa,  
the Polish Air Force Association,  
the Polish Combatants' Association -  
in co-operation with the S.A.A.F. Association,  
have the honour to invite

Die Poolse Vereniging in Suid-Afrika,  
die Poolse Lugmag Vereniging,  
die Poolse Vegeenheids Vereniging -  
in samewerking met die S.A. Lugmag Vereniging  
het die eer om

to be present on  
Saturday, 12th September 1992,  
at the ceremonies to commemorate the  
48th anniversary of the Warsaw Rising  
and of the Relief Flights in 1944

uit te nooi om teenwoordig te wees op  
Saterdag, 12de September 1992,  
by die seremonies ter herdenking van die  
48ste verjaarsdag van die Warskouse Opstand  
en Voorraadvlugte in 1944

- 11:00 - Religious service at the  
Katyn Memorial, James and Ethel Gray  
Park, Melrose Estate, Johannesburg  
(see map enclosed), followed by  
wreath-laying.
- 12:15 - Official function and reception at the  
Fairmount Bowling Club,  
George Avenue,  
Fairmount Extension.

- 11:00 - Erediens by die  
Katyn Gedenkteken, James en Ethel  
Gray Park, Melrose Estate,  
Johannesburg (kaart ingesluit),  
gevolg deur 'n kranslegging.
- 12:15 - Amptelike funksie en onthaal by die  
Fairmount Bowling Club,  
Georgelaan,  
Fairmount Extension.

R.S.V.P. by 04.09.92  
Warsaw Flights Committee,  
P.O. Box 65599,  
Benmore 2010.

or telephone:  
(011) 783-1130  
(Office hours)

R.S.V.P. voor 04.09.92  
Warskouse Vlughtekomitee,  
Posbus 65599,  
Benmore 2010.

of telefoon:  
(011) 783-1130  
(Kantoor ure)





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## FAX COVER SHEET

DATE: \* FEBRUARY 25 1992

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TO: \* COMHAN TRADING - MR JELONEK

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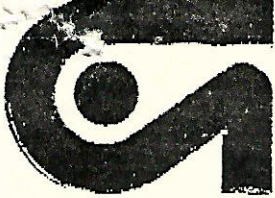
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PO Box 2520  
Johannesburg 2000

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Quotation A92/183

Att:- MR. JELDNEK

28th January 1992

Warsaw Flights Committee  
P O Box 65599  
BENMORE  
2010

Dear sir,

We thank you for your enquiry and take pleasure in submitting the following quotation:

- A. 400 Invitations size 150 X 210mm. Lithoed outside black and red, inside black. Folded to 150 X 105mm. and
- B. 400 Plain DL envelopes.

R600.00

Stock:  
230gsm Icena Coral  
White DL envelopes

This quote is based on;  
Alter existing positives.  
PRICE EXCLUDES VAT

R540.-  
incl VAT.  
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Assuring you of our best attention at all times.

Yours faithfully,

A.R. YOUNG

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# Telefax Message

To: NEW GRAPHIS

Date: 18.05.92

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For: MR NAUDE

No.: TFX 449/92

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PRINTING OF INVITATIONS - WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE -  
YOUR QUOTATION OF 28/1/92 AND OUR 27/3 CONVERSATION REFERS

We enclose herewith the amendments to be made on the English / Afrikaans versions.

Please send us a proof before printing commences.

We confirm the price we agreed upon of R540 including VAT which also includes 400 plain DL envelopes.

Regards



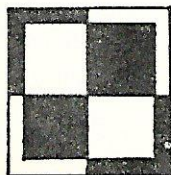
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Tel. No. : 783 1130

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1944 - 1990z



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have the honour to invite

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Fairmount Bowling Club,  
George Avenue,  
Fairmount Extension.

64.09.92  
R.S.V.P. by 06:00:00  
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P.O. Box 65599,  
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or telephone:  
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Die Poolse Vereniging in Suid-Afrika,  
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in samewerking met die S.A. Lugmag Vereniging  
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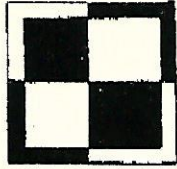
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Georgelaan,  
Fairmount Extension.

04.09.92  
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WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE  
P O BOX 65599  
BENMORE  
2010

DATE / DATUM

ACCOUNT NO. / REKENING NR.

30/07/92

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DATE  
DATUM

INVOICE NO.  
FAKTUUR NR.

DESCRIPTION  
BESKRYWING

DEBIT  
DEBIET

CREDIT  
KREDIET

30/07/92

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BALANCE AT START

INVOICE

594.00

BALANCE AT END

594.00

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THIS STUB WITH YOUR PAYMENT.  
 (J) MERK ITEM WAT BETAAL WORD EN  
STUUR HIERDIE STROKIE TERUG SAAM  
MET U BETALING.

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 We hold the following amount at your disposal/Ons hou die volgende bedrag tot u beskikking:

23/09/92  
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(99)

Two Thousand Two Hundred & Seventy Three Rand  
 & Sixty Cents only

R 2273.60

Mail to/Pos aan:

Fairmount Bowling Club.

By order of/In opdrag van:

A/C 297 0498 H21  
 Warsaw Flight Committee.

In respect of/Ten opsigte van:

E. J. van der Put

Ref. No./Verw. Nr.

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Signature/Handtekening



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JvdP/nj

23rd September 1992

Fairmount Bowling Club  
 P.O. Box 28813  
 SANDRINGHAM  
 2131

Dear Sirs,

Enclosed please find our cheque for an amount of R2 273.60 in settlement of your invoice No. 77 dated 21st September 1992 for a catering during a reception at the club on 2nd September 1992.

We take this opportunity to thank all persons who took active part in this event, which won compliments for your performance.

With renewed thanks, we remain

Yours faithfully

MRS J. VAN DE PUT

Warsaw Flights Organising Committee



# FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB

100

PO BOX 28813, SANDRINGHAM 2131

Telephone (Club) 640-2319  
(Secretary)

(Club Address) GEORGE AVENUE  
FAIRMOUNT EXTENSION  
JOHANNESBURG 2192

## STATEMENT/REKENING

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21 September 19 92

M POLISH ASSOCIATION IN SOUTH AFRICA  
WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE

Dr. to FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB  
Verskuldig aan

P.O. BOX 28813 SANDRINGHAM 2131 TELEPHONE 640 2319			
Catering for Warsaw Flights Commemoration on 12 September 1992 225 guests at R14-50 per head	3262	50	
Drinks Supplied to VIP guests	165	60	
Drinks supplied to Madzia	23	50	
	3451	60	
Less cost of polony supplied	178	00	
	3273	60	
Less deposit	1000	00	
Balance due	R 2273	60	
FAIRMOUNT BOWLING CLUB P O Box 28813 Sandringham 2131			

30/9/92

To: FAX No. 883-7186.  
ATTENTION - MRS J VAN DE PUT.



# COPY INSTRUCTION SHEET

CASH

CUSTOMER: *Mr Jelonek* DATE: .....

A/E

CONTACT: .....

TEL: *783-1130* TIME: .....

ORDER NO. ....

DESCRIPTION: .....

*150 sets + Staples*

*COPIES*

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*67-50*

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*150x6c*

*9-00*

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	• 69,55 TA
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	• 76,50 CHK

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**THANK YOU FOR CALLING**



WARSAW FLIGHTS 1992

INCOME & EXPENDITURE

INCOME :

Opening balance on 31.12.91 : R 1 975.66

Cheques received : 3 700.00

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R 5 675.66

EXPENDITURE :

Reply slips : R 58.00

Postage for invitations : 96.60

Flags : 220.00

Printing : 540.00

Mr Szopinski : 65.80

Materials : 150.00

Advance payment to Fairmount Club : 1 000.00

Polony : 178.00

Huddle Park Gratuity : 100.00

Balance paid to Fairmount Club : 2 273.60

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R 4 682.00

Balance on hand as at 02.10.92 : R 993.66

+ Accrued interest : 43.89

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Balance as at 27.11.92 R1 037.55

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INCOME & EXPENSES

WARSAW FLIGHTS 1991

INCOME :

Opening balance 16.07.91 :	R1 887.05
Cheques received :	4 920.00
Interest accrued	42.08
	<u>R6 849.13</u>

EXPENSES :

Printing of return slips & photocopies of maps	: R 120.04
Stamps on return envelopes	: 150.00
Printing of invitations	: 966.15
Fairmount Bowling Club - advance payment	: 1 000.00
Polony	: 150.00
Nashua Print Programmes - Photocopy	: 79.55
Reimbursement of expenses J. van de Put	: 300.00
Fairmount Bowling Club - balance	: 2 218.53
Returned cheque J.C. Puren	: 40.00
Returned cheque Zakrzewski	: 25.00
	<u>R5 049.27</u>

Balance on hand as at 29.10.91 : R1 799.86

A/C 2970498421 STATEMENT	0044	CIF# 65907205
WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE FUND		
STATEMENT MONTHLY (36)	BY POST	
BROUGHT FORWARD	2,744.92	01SEP
DEP 8427700101	585.00	07SEP
DEP BENMORE	335.00	10SEP
Debit (02)	1,278.00-	
ATT BENMORE 15:19 11/09	76.50-	11SEP
DEP BENMORE	1,010.00	14SEP
ATT BENMORE 13:20 15/09	65.80-	15SEP
Interest	10.87	16SEP
BOC ISS:1524 FAIRMOUNT BOWLING	2,273.60-	23SEP
DEP 1918200101	35.00	02OCT
Interest	5.32	16OCT
Interest	4.07	17NOV
CARRIED FORWARD	1,036.28	27NOV
ACCRUED INTEREST	1.27	



A/C 2970498421 STATEMENT	0044	CIF# 65907205
WARSAW FLIGHTS COMMITTEE FUND		
STATEMENT MONTHLY (35)	BY POST	
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DEP 8427700101	585.00	07SEP
DEP BENMORE	335.00	10SEP
Debit (02)	1,278.00-	
ATT BENMORE 15:19 11/09	76.50-	11SEP
DEP BENMORE	1,010.00	14SEP
ATT BENMORE 13:20 15/09	65.80-	15SEP
Interest	10.87	16SEP
BOC ISS:1524 FAIRMOUNT BOWLING	2,273.60-	23SEP
MOVEMENTS DUE	35.00	02OCT
CARRIED FORWARD	1,026.89	
ACCRUED INTEREST	3.55	
PREVIOUS STATEMENT		

A/C 2970498421 STATEMENT	0043	
BROUGHT FORWARD	1,975.66	31DEC91
Interest	12.17	16JAN
Interest	13.41	17FEB
Interest	11.93	17MAR
Interest	11.36	16APR
Interest	10.82	16MAY
Interest	11.07	16JUN
ATT BENMORE 09:05 08/07	58.00-	08JUL
Interest	9.30	16JUL
ATT BENMORE 09:30 27/07	96.60-	27JUL
DEP BENMORE	210.00	03AUG
ATT BENMORE 12:39 06/08	220.00-	06AUG
DEP BENMORE	225.00	10AUG
CHEQ NOT LISTED R 225.00	10.00	
ATT BENMORE 13:49 13/08	150.00-	13AUG
Deposit	255.00	14AUG
Interest	8.80	17AUG
DEP 7581100101	265.00	20AUG
DEP 7980700101	260.00	26AUG
DEP 9301500101	520.00	01SEP
BOC NEW GRAPHIS 1497	540.00-	



BRANCH TAK BENMORE DATE DATUM 27-7-92  
(Where account is kept/Waar rekening gehou word)

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NAME NAAM WARSAU FLIGHTS COMMITTEE FUND  
RECEIVED ONTVANG NINETY SIX RAND AND SIXTY CENTS  
(Amount in words/Bedrag in woorde)

being a withdrawal from my/our SAVINGS/TRANSMISSION ACCOUNT  
synde 'n ontrekking uit my/ons SPAAR-/TRANSMISSIEREKENING

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FAX NO \_\_\_\_\_ DATE PASSED FOR PAYMENT BY \_\_\_\_\_  
NEW BALANCE R \_\_\_\_\_  
R. Zulwa  
Counter signature/Toonbankhandtekening

R. Zulwa  
Client's signature/Kliënt se handtekening  
**PLEASE ADVISE US OF ANY CHANGE OF ADDRESS  
VERWITTIG ONS ASB VAN ENIGE ADRESVERANDERING**

TRANCODE TRAN-KODE: 1 4 0 2  
ACCOUNT NO/REKENINGNO: \_\_\_\_\_

A C of NedPerm Bank Limited Reg No 51/0009/06

STAMPS - INVITATIONS

2/91 (13150042) 15-4BT

**SA POST OFFICE LIMITED/SA POSKANTOOR BEPERK  
BULK POSTING RECEIPT — GROOTMAATPOSKWITANSIE**

**TAX INVOICE / BELASTINGFAKTUUR**



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Poskantoor

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Received from Ontvang van Warsaw flights  
Bx 6554 Benmore

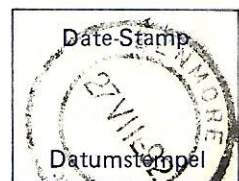
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*Rebate ind. Kort.-aanw.	Number of items Getal stukke	Postage rate Postarief R c	Amount—Bedrag R	Rebate—Korting R
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<input type="checkbox"/>				
<input type="checkbox"/>				
Totals Totale			10500	787

Less rebate  
Min korting 787  
Net total  
Netto totaal 9713

- \*1 = Normal — Gewone
- 2 = Special — Spesiale
- 3 = No rebate — Geen korting
- 4 = Adjustment — Aansuiwering
- 5 = Reserved — Gereserveer



The above-mentioned amount(s) include(s) 10% VAT.  
Die bovermelde bedrag/bedrag sluit 10% BTW in.

Accepting officer Aanneembeamppte \_\_\_\_\_  
Checking officer Kontrolebeamppte \_\_\_\_\_

Client's receipt/Kliënt se kwitansie  
(Q411347-91-4 600-200) R.P.W.



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DATE DATUM 3-8-92

BRANCH TAK BENMORE

(Where account is kept/Waar rekening gehou word)

CREDIT KREDITEER WARSAW FLIGHTS COMM FUND

(State name in block letters/Meld naam in blokkletters)

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19-99-05

TOTAL OF CASH, POSTAL, AND MONEY ORDERS  
TOTAAL VAN KONTANT, POSORDERS EN -WISSELS

CHEQUES - STATE NAME OF DRAWER  
TJEKS - MELD NAAM VAN TREKKER

		Rand	Cents Sent
1	M E PICKFORD	15	00
2	G H U DOWNER	40	00
3	N M J MORRIS	40	00
4	DGA CONSULTING	40	00
5	E D. CONTE	25	00
6	D W FEATHERSTONE	10	00
7	M BARRETT	40	00

BANK USE TOTAL/TOTAAL 210 00

ACCOUNT NO/REKENINGNO  
2970498421

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GEDEPONEER DEUR

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BRANCH TAK BENMORE

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CREDIT KREDITEER WARSAW FLIGHTS COMM FUND

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TOTAL OF CASH, POSTAL, AND MONEY ORDERS  
TOTAAL VAN KONTANT, POSORDERS EN -WISSELS

CHEQUES - STATE NAME OF DRAWER  
TJEKS - MELD NAAM VAN TREKKER

		Rand	Cents Sent
1	J A EARLE	40	00
2	A D WILLIAMS	25	00
3	T B PHILLIPS	40	00
4	MECHLER SCHULZ	40	00
5	H MURANSKI	40	00
6	I R MACWILLIAM	40	00
7	A M HAMILTON		

BANK USE TOTAL/TOTAAL 225 00

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BRANCH  
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CREDIT  
KREDITEER WARSAW FLIGHTS (COMM FUNDS)

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	Rand	Cents Sent
TOTAL OF CASH, POSTAL, AND MONEY ORDERS TOTAAL VAN KONTANT, POSORDERS EN -WISSELS	25	00

CHEQUES - STATE NAME OF DRAWER  
TJEKS - MELD NAAM VAN TREKKER

1	M A BENJAMIN	25	00
2	J B EGAN	40	00
3	J L MCLACHLAN	25	00
4	B J JONES	40	00
5	A VAN DER BIJL	25	00
6	M L KEMP	35	00
7	D J WHITFORD	40	00

BANK USE	TOTAL/TOTAAL	255	00
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DATUM 20-8-92

BRANCH  
TAK BENMORE

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CREDIT  
KREDITEER WARSAW FLIGHTS (COMM FUNDS)

(State name in block letters/Meld naam in blokkletters)

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	Rand	Cents Sent
TOTAL OF CASH, POSTAL, AND MONEY ORDERS TOTAAL VAN KONTANT, POSORDERS EN -WISSELS		

CHEQUES - STATE NAME OF DRAWER  
TJEKS - MELD NAAM VAN TREKKER

1	E A. NIJHTE	40	00
2	NEDPERM (S. MARSH)	40	00
3	N G LESLIE	40	00
4	M F HOFFE	25	00
5	NEDPERM (M VAN HEERDEN)	40	00
6	R L M HAGUE	40	00
7	J L VAN EYSSEN	40	00

BANK USE	TOTAL/TOTAAL	265	00
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DATE DATUM 7-9-92

BRANCH TAK BENMORE

(Where account is kept/Waar rekening gehou word)

CREDIT KREDITEER NARSAN FLIGHTS COMM. FUND

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	Rand	Cents Sent
TOTAL OF CASH, POSTAL, AND MONEY ORDERS TOTAAL VAN KONTANT, POSORDERS EN -WISSELS	4090	00
CHEQUES - STATE NAME OF DRAWER TJEKS - MELD NAAM VAN TREKKER		
1 V B RUITER 07-09-1982 25	25	00
2 C. J. LISOWSKI 25	25	00
3 P. J. T. ... 40	40	00
4 N. C. PAYNE 25	25	00
5 P. F. HAYWOOD 40	40	00
6 AIRS. OF REP. OF POLAND 300	300	00
7 J. T. BORAIN 40	40	00
BANK USE		
TOTAL/TOTAAL	585	00

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	Rand	Cents Sent
TOTAL OF CASH, POSTAL, AND MONEY ORDERS TOTAAL VAN KONTANT, POSORDERS EN -WISSELS	50	00
CHEQUES - STATE NAME OF DRAWER TJEKS - MELD NAAM VAN TREKKER		
1 J. F. LEWIS 40	40	00
2 W. P. COETZEE 40	40	00
3 PROGRESS MANAGEMENT 40	40	00
4 P. CALVEY-MCGUIN 25	25	00
5 M. J. C. ... 25	25	00
6 M. P. ... 25	25	00
7 C. F. BRADLEY 40	40	00
BANK USE		
TOTAL/TOTAAL	335	00

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CREDIT  
KREDITEER WARSAW FLIGHTS (COMM. FUND)

(State name in block letters/Meld naam in blokkletters)

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	Rand	Cents Sent
TOTAL OF CASH, POSTAL, AND MONEY ORDERS TOTAAL VAN KONTANT, POSORDERS EN WISSELS	840	00

CHEQUES - STATE NAME OF DRAWER  
TJES - MELD NAAM VAN TREKKER

		Rand	Cents Sent
1	A. STACHNIEWSKI	25	00
2	S. SMOLEWICZ	40	00
3	L. M. VAN EYSSSEN	20	00
4	A. F. GIDERTZ	25	00
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BANK USE	TOTAL/TOTAAL	1010	00
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BRANCH  
TAK BENMORE

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CREDIT  
KREDITEER WARSAW FLIGHTS (COMM. FUND)

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	Rand	Cents Sent
TOTAL OF CASH, POSTAL, AND MONEY ORDERS TOTAAL VAN KONTANT, POSORDERS EN WISSELS	35	00

CHEQUES - STATE NAME OF DRAWER  
TJES - MELD NAAM VAN TREKKER

		Rand	Cents Sent
1	J. K. DE VILLIERS	35	00
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BANK USE	TOTAL/TOTAAL	35	00
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WARSAW CONCERTO intro and lead

SAAF'S "FINEST HOUR"  
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On Saturday (10 September) SAAF Dakotas from 44 Squadron will fly at rooftop height over the Katyn Memorial in Melrose, in tribute to the airmen who flew supply flights to the Polish Home Army in Warsaw in August and September 1944. The Liberator crews called the operation the "Warsaw Concerto". Historians have described it as the South African Air Force's "finest hour". Fifty years later, the Polish community and the Air Force will remember their gallantry.

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Seven p.m. on a late summer evening in 1944.

Liberators of SAAF 2 Wing are on the runway at Foggia airfield in Southern Italy.

The aircrew - most in their early twenties - get their final briefing. Their aircraft are loaded with essential supplies - arms, ammunition, medical kits and food - needed by the Polish Home Army who, on August 1, had risen against the Nazi occupation forces in Warsaw. Despite previous promises, the Russian army <sup>have</sup> ~~had~~ halted their advance and refused permission for other Allied air forces to land on those airfields which they occupied east of the Vistula <sup>river</sup> /for re-fuelling.

The airmen know that their zigzag route across the Adriatic, over Albania, Yugoslavia and Hungary, will take at least five hours to the target - if they get there over heavily defended territory - and another five hours to get back - if they get back. To add to the pre-flight tension, they know that on reaching Warsaw they will be trying to locate a small area held by the Poles, and indicated by signals designated by coded radio broadcasts - and that their approach to the burning city will be at rooftop height, and the slowest possible speed.

But the orders have come from Winston Churchill, through RAF Air Marshal Sir John Slessor, to the officer commanding RAF 205 Group, South African Major-General J T 'Jimmy' Durrant.

"Suicide" said Slessor and Durrant. "Politically expedient"

BATES

WARSAW CONCERTO lead -2-

The Liberators of SAAF 2 Wing have the fuel and load capacity for the 1 600 km flight, and they have been assigned to the attempt. 31 and 34 Squadrons are assisted by by RAF 148 and 178 Squadrons, and special unit 1586 (Polish Flight).

Lt. Eric Impey of 31 Squadron, a poet and intending to be a minister of the Anglican church, has a premonition that his aircraft will not return. The night before, he has written "An Airman's Prayer" which encapsulates the thoughts, fears and prayers of his colleagues.

(SUBS ; if there is no space for the entire poem (attached) please discuss with me which verses to print)

Eric Impey's plane did not return. His memorial is in the Cracow cemetery, ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~

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B A T E S

## WARSAW CONCERTO

GALLANTRY AND DESPAIR

Fifty years ago, the Western Allied forces had already invaded "Festung Europe" (Fortress Europe) and were advancing through France and Italy. On the Eastern front Soviet ground and air forces were making steady progress through Nazi-occupied territory.

The Polish underground - the 'Home Army' - had confidence that they could make a contribution. General Bor Komorowski had made contact with the Russian leader, Josef Stalin, and been assured of support. He ordered his forces into action on August 1, 1944, certain that the Allies would supply arms, ammunition, medical equipment and food.

Stalin had his own programme for Eastern Europe. He had planned communist domination, and was not prepared to carry out his promises. Already, the cream of the Polish officers and intellectuals had been massacred in the Katyn Forest. If the Warsaw insurrection was unsuccessful, the path would be clear for his communist puppets to take over the future government of Poland.

When the gallant Poles - men, women and children - realised that the Russian Army had been ordered to stop its advance, only 40 km to the east of Warsaw, anguished messages were sent on their secret radio to the Allied leaders - including Stalin. Roosevelt and Churchill appealed to him in vain.

SAAF 2 Wing (part of RAF 205 Group) were assigned to the near-suicidal supply flights. There were 186 sorties, of which 92 were successful, inasmuch as the supplies were recovered by the Home Army. Thirtyone aircraft did not return to base.

Most of the planes went down near Cracow (south of Warsaw) and the crew members are buried there.

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B A T T E S

WARSAW CONCERTO

MEMORIES AND MEMORIALS

South Africa became home for many Poles after the Second World War. Some had arrived in 1943, when Prime Minister Field Marshal Jan Smuts 'adopted' Polish orphans, who settled in Cudtshoorn. Others appreciated the South African sacrifices during the Warsaw Uprising, and chose this country in preference to communism.

There will be many memories surfacing \* during the <sup>50th</sup> commemoration service on September 10, to be held at the Katyn Memorial in Melrose.

X Jaga van der Put, now a Sandton businesswoman, was just into her teens when she enrolled as a messenger for the Warsaw underground. She remembers the Nazis burning the city after the Polish Home Army had surrendered (on Hitler's specific instructions); the evacuation of the population to concentration camps (which she was lucky to escape); and the eventual entry of the Russian troops.

Jack van Eyssen (later to become Hon.Colonel of 31 Squadron) has visited the memorial to his crewmen who did not survive when his Liberator crashed near Michelin. It was built by an officer of the Home Army, Bronislaw Kowalski, whose small group had covered the airmen's bodies with flowers. Kowalski was honoured by the South African government with the Order of Good Hope in 1992, when diplomatic relations had been resumed between the two countries. (In 1984, Kowalski had literally been 'smuggled' out of Poland to attend the 40th commemoration service in Johannesburg.)

There is now a plaque in St Mary's Cathedral, Warsaw, in memory of the South African airmen who did not survive the Relief Flights. Polish children lay flowers on ~~the~~<sup>their</sup> graves in the Cracow cemetery on All Saints' Day.

Early in August, survivors attended the 50th anniversary functions in Warsaw. They included Bob Klette, who crash-landed on the Warsaw airport; John Colman, who survived two flights as a navigator; Bob Burgess, a 20-year-old second pilot who flew in ever increasing circles until dawn and <sup>he could land on</sup> an open piece of ground after his pilot had 'chickened out' and donned his parachute.

The Minister leading the service on 10 September - Rev. Bryan Jones of the Rosebank Union Church - was Bob Klette's navigator.

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