

THE CAPE CENTRE OF THE ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY OF S.A.  
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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE, HELD IN THE  
LECTURE HALL, S.A.A.O. ON TUESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> ~~APRIL~~ <sup>MAY</sup> 2001.  
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PRESENT: Messrs, A Gray, A McConnell, A Jones, J Willmore, P De Villiers, M.Christianson and C Turk.

1) OPENING: The Chairman declared the meeting open and welcomed all present.

2) APOLOGIES: None.

3) MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS: These were approved.

4) MATTERS ARISING: Matters arising were discussed under the separate headings below.

5) CORRESPONDENCE:

The usual circulars and newsletters. E-mails sent to all ASSA Section Directors. Replies from only two. Three to be contacted again. Letter from J Neethling wishes to join. Letter from R B Malherbe re death of his brother.

6) TREASURER'S REPORT:

Financial report for the period ending 15<sup>th</sup> May 2001.

Bank balance and cash R2639.51

Income R6138.45

Expenses R5218.81

Profit 1/7/2000 to 30/1/01 R 919.74

Honorary and paid up members 129

Sales

T-shirts sold R2000.00

Mugs R 10.00

Stickers R 3.00

Equipment R 200.00

Estimated expenses to end June 2001:

News Letters R220 x 4 R 220,00

Photographic competition R 300,00

Tea and biscuits R 20.00

Total R 540.00

Subscriptions: It was agreed that raised subscriptions would be proposed at the AGM as follows:  
Members: R30; Family: R40 and Students: R15. This to take effect from 2001/2002.

7) NEW MEMBERS: The following new member was approved:

M/s R Stephens and Dr and Mrs P Tarboton.

8) THINK TANK MATTERS:

The think tank held on the 10<sup>th</sup> April had been analysed and categorised and Committee members were asked to prioritise these before finalisation could be made.

Solar Eclipse on 21 June: members to be asked to have telescopes available for public in shopping centres.

Internet list of overseas Astronomical Societies in English speaking countries to be obtained.

9) Photographic Competition:

Sub committee to meet on 29 ~~June~~ <sup>May</sup> to arrange submitted Photos.

10) LIBRARY: 2 more keys were required for the library cupboard.

11) GENERAL: Imax changed to 6<sup>th</sup> June members to be phoned. Banner nearly complete. Mugs now received. Dark Sky: Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> ~~June~~ <sup>July</sup> at zoo parking area. AGM to go ahead on 11<sup>th</sup> July. Cape Centre to host ASSA AGM on 25<sup>th</sup> July. It was proposed that Brian Skinner be given the De Kock Award, this was duly approved.

12) DATE OF NEXT MEETING: At the usual venue on TUESDAY 19<sup>th</sup> June 2001.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 21h06.

Dated.....2001.

Signed.....

Chairman.

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**MEETING DATE IN/FORMAL SPEAKER**  
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2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Informal	D Field
9 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>FORMAL</b>	<b>IMAX</b>
16 <sup>th</sup> May	Informal	A Gray
23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Informal	A Jones
30 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION</b>	
6 <sup>th</sup> June	Informal	A Mahomed
13 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>FORMAL</b>	<b>ECLIPSES Cliff Turk</b>
20 <sup>th</sup> June	Informal	A McConnel
27 <sup>th</sup> June	Informal	B Wagener
4 <sup>th</sup> July	Informal	J Willmore
11 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING</b>	

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<b>MEETING DATE</b> *****	<b>IN/FORMAL</b> *****	<b>SPEAKER</b> *****
18 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>FORMAL</b>	<b>Prof. Tourag</b>
25 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>FORMAL</b>	<b>ASSA AGM</b>
1 <sup>ST</sup> August	Informal	M Christianson
8 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>FORMAL</b>	Prof. M Feast
15 <sup>th</sup> August	Informal	P de Villiers
22 <sup>nd</sup> August	Informal	P Dogan
29 <sup>th</sup> August	Informal	D Field
5 <sup>th</sup> September	Informal	A Jones
12 <sup>th</sup> Sept	<b>FORMAL</b>	Prof. De Witt
19 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Informal	K Koch/ Jwillmore
26 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Informal	A McConnell
3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Informal	B Wagener
10 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>FORMAL</b>	<b>Prof Harley</b>
17 <sup>th</sup> October	Informal	L Wolf