

## CHAIRMAN'S REPORT – CLUB 100 AGM – 7<sup>th</sup> August 2018

2017 was a successful year and I would like to thank all our members for their participation in the Club's activities during the past year.

2018 is proving to be more difficult with fewer members attending the weekend road rides.

We were very fortunate that Doug Ryder agreed to allocate some of his Pro team Sponsorship to the Club for 2017. This effectively meant that Club100 is closer than ever to **Team Dimension Data** in support of **Qhubeka**. The other major sponsors of the Pro Team are **DELOITTES** and **NEDERBERG**.

This situation cannot continue as Doug needs all his sponsorship money's to fund his Pro Tour and Feeder teams. That is in addition to his financial support of **Qhubeka**. We thank Doug for his generosity to the club.

Isuzu Motors have agreed to sponsor the club R200 000 this year. They have also agreed to sponsor a vehicle which will be used in place of club kombi. As you know Isuzu also sponsor the club with a truck for the transportation of our bikes to various triathlon events around the country including the Cape Town Cycle Tour.

### BRANCHES

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The Club has branches in Cape Town and The Garden Route (Plettenberg Bay and Knysna ). Our thanks to the committees in those branches for their hard work .

### ADMINISTRATION

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We all owe a huge thanks to Angie for keeping our communication and administration operating so efficiently.

### FINANCIAL

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Ron Van Haarlem will report separately on the state of the Club's finances. As at 31 December 2017 Member's Funds stood at R768 855 (2016 - R 722 642).

It is proposed that annual fees be increased to R1000 for 2019. Students and U23 fees will be increased to R500. I am sure you will all agree that that these fees are very reasonable, bearing in mind the real costs of running the Club. These fees apply if payment is received in full by 1 January 2019. Alternatively, the fees can be paid over January, February & March at a rate of R400pm. 2019 invoice will be sent out during the course of October and November.

### COMMISSIONS

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I am sure that you would all join me in thanking the marshals for their tireless work at both MTB and Road Club rides.

Due to the limited budget in 2018 we were unable to continue with our racing teams.

Thanks to Sean Gallick for his contribution in running our MTB club. We would also like to thank Neil Sleight and other appointed marshals for their efforts in marshalling for the MTB rides at Northern Farm, including

the beginner classes as well Richard Ferrer for arranging free entry into Northern Farm. This is subject to members having a Club100 membership card and wearing Club100 kit.

Our Tri-club, with **ISUZU TRUCKS SA** as a partner, has participated at all major triathlon events around the country. Thanks again to Peter Whale for this sponsorship .

### **TEAM DIMENSION DATA IN SUPPORT OF QHUBEKA**

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The Club is very proud to be associated with TEAM DIMENSION DATA who successfully competed in their forth Tour De France this year. Doug will fill us in about the team later this evening.

The Club is extremely proud to be so closely associated with Africa's Team.

All members are encouraged to follow the team on social media and to "Like" the team at every opportunity.

### **QHUBEKA – Bicycles Change Lives**

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We continue with our strong association with Qhubeka in which people earn bikes which improve access to schools, clinics and jobs. I encourage all members to continue to support QHUBEKA. Introduce your companies to the opportunity of being part of something that is changing Africa one bike at a time. Each bike makes a huge difference to the recipient. Qhubeka has already supplied thousands of bikes in South Africa. I urge you each to go to a hand over of bikes to experience the impact that it makes to each person who has earned a bike.

### **COMMITTEE**

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Finally I would like to thank all the members of the committee for their efforts in the past year. It is a great privilege to work with such competent people.

The committee members have all indicated their willingness to stand for another year.

Brian Rowbotham  
Sean Gallick  
Ron Van Haarlem  
Charmaine Scheepers  
Jeff Solomon  
Leonardo Potter

**Yours in Cycling**  
**Terry Millar**  
**Club 100 Chairman.**