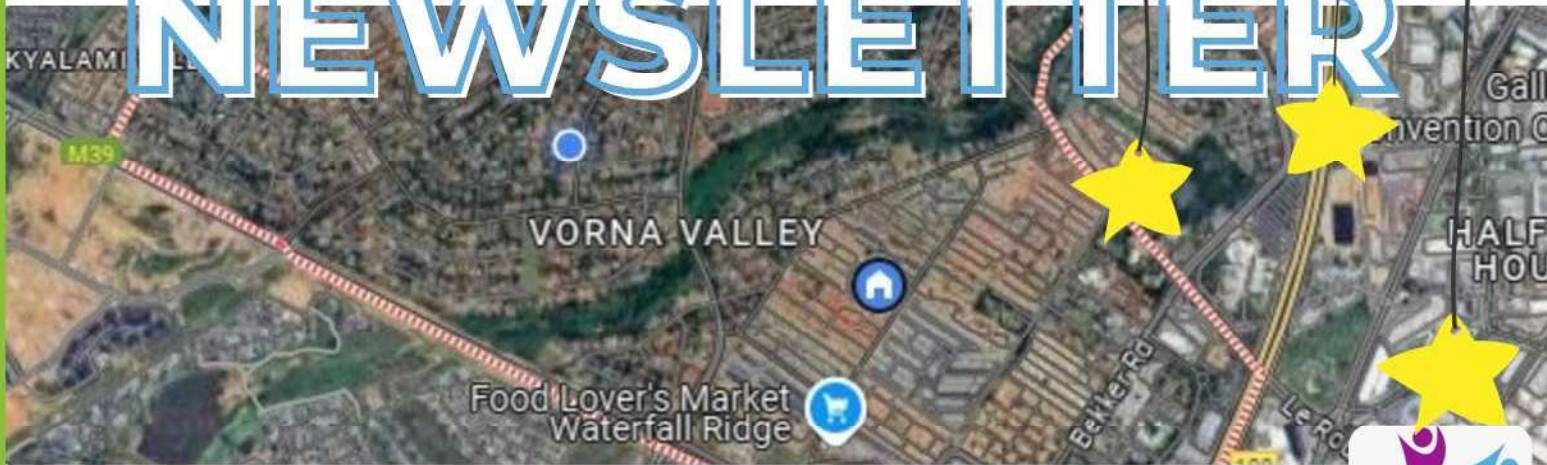


VORNA VALLEY COMMUNITY

# NEWSLETTER



What  
**ACTUALLY**  
is  
**YOUR**  
Problem?  
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**Fun**  
times  
ahead!  
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**More**  
Greig Steel  
**Glow**  
Up  
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**BIN**  
**BABBLE...**  
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Is it a Plane, or a Bird?  
**IT'S PAUL**  
from  
Green PS Garden Services  
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**THANK YOU!**  
Community membership soars  
& Vorna Valley will be  
**BETTER & BRIGHTER**  
because of you!!

# Thank You Paul!

For your unwavering service in always keeping Greig Street clean & removing all rubbish at NO Charge.

**Green PS Garden Services**  
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- Tree-Felling
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## Are You

- A resident in Vorna Valley
- and is frustrated with service (non) delivery?
- R10 p/month is all it costs to be

## A Member



### Community Concerns: Dare to have your say?

OUR COMMUNITY IS CHANGING FAST, AND WE'RE ALL FEELING THE PRESSURE. BUT THE LOUDEST VOICES DON'T ALWAYS REPRESENT THE WHOLE NEIGHBOURHOOD. THE VORNA VALLEY RESIDENT'S ASSOCIATION IS COMPILING A FORMAL REPORT TO HOLD LOCAL OFFICIALS ACCOUNTABLE, AND WE NEED YOUR INPUT TO MAKE IT ACCURATE. TELL US, WHAT IS YOUR SINGLE BIGGEST FRUSTRATION RIGHT NOW?

- IS IT THE LACK OF MUNICIPAL SERVICES—LIKE POTHOLES, POOR TRASH COLLECTION, OR WATER ISSUES?
- IS IT NEW DEVELOPMENTS BEING APPROVED WITHOUT THE ROADS OR SCHOOLS TO SUPPORT THEM?
- OR ARE YOU CONCERNED ABOUT PUBLIC SAFETY AND VAGRANCY IN OUR PUBLIC SPACES?

WE NEED TO HEAR FROM YOU. YOUR EXPERIENCE IS THE EVIDENCE WE NEED TO FIGHT FOR A BETTER VORNA VALLEY. EMAIL US YOUR #1 FRUSTRATION TO COMMUNICATION@VVRA.ORG.ZA. YOUR RESPONSE MAY BE FEATURED ANONYMOUSLY IN A FOLLOW-UP ARTICLE AND ON OUR OFFICIAL REPORT. PLEASE SPEAK UP — YOUR VOICE MATTERS!

# Vorna Valley Community

# Fun Day



**Zumba in the park**  
with Alecia  
Dress comfortably

Bring the whole family, for a day that promises **FUN and Community!**

● **Stalls**    ● **Prizes**    ● **Giveaways**



R30 per person  
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Contact the VVRA to book a stall  
[communication@vvra.org.za](mailto:communication@vvra.org.za)

# From Drab, to Fab! Vorna Valley's latest collab :)



**Greig Street: Cleaner and Greener**

On Saturday, 4 October, members of the Vorna Valley Residents Association (VVRA) once again demonstrated the power of community spirit and teamwork. Thanks to the generous contributions of paid-up VVRA members and the ongoing commitment of residents, a major cleanup and beautification initiative took place along Greig Street in Vorna Valley.

Leading the charge was Ria Human together with Neels Conradie, David Heywood and Felix, our resident helper who dedicated their time and energy to improving one of the area's key public entrances. Together, they tackled overgrown sections, removed stones, levelled the ground to make grass cutting easier, and pruned the trees to encourage healthy growth.

A major milestone of the day was the digging of 30 holes in preparation for new trees.



**The real MVPs: Felix & Jason**

This effort was done in partnership with City Parks, who have committed to planting trees in the area – bringing more shade, greenery, and life to the neighbourhood.

This initiative is a shining example of what can be achieved when residents come together for a shared purpose. Projects like these not only enhance the beauty of our suburb but also strengthen the sense of community pride and belonging that makes Vorna Valley such a special place to live.

The VVRA extends its heartfelt thanks to all members and residents who continue to support these initiatives through their contributions and participation.

# BIN RESPONSIBLY

***In our daily lives,*** it is easy to overlook how much household waste ends up in the bin. Much of what we throw away – from paper to plastic can be recycled and given a new life.



By recycling at home, we are not just keeping our streets and environment cleaner, we are helping to build a more sustainable future for our community and the planet.

Residents are reminded that recycling is collected every Wednesday in our area. Please ensure that recyclables such as paper, cardboard and plastic are placed in the clear recycling bags for easy collection.

Every bottle, can, and piece of paper that is recycled makes a difference.

Let's work together to make Vorna Valley a better community for responsible living and environmental care.



**Unscramble the 9 letter word below and send us your answers to: [communication@vvra.org.za](mailto:communication@vvra.org.za)**

**G Y M L I O N P C**

**Hint:** In order to not upset the apple cart...

Last Month's Solution: GYMNASIUM



# BE THE DIFFERENCE: MAKE RECYCLING A HABIT

## 3 Easy Steps to Recycle @Home:



### Step 1: Separate

Sort your waste into at least 2 bins:

**Recyclables** (paper, cardboard, plastic, glass, tins, cartons)

**Non-recyclables** (food waste)



### Step 2: Rinse & Wash

Clean food and liquid containers to prevent contamination.



### Step 3: Dry

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