

THE BOEREPOMPIE TIMES



STRANDSKLOOF CARAVAN PARK GANSBAAI



FRIDAY

Six plots were booked, and most members arrived before 5:00 pm. Robbie and Karen proudly unveiled the latest addition to their camping fleet – an off-road Squareback camping trailer affectionately named "Boerebompie." Another exciting arrival was the beautifully restored and newly painted vintage caravan belonging to Donowin and Linny Solomon. Welcome to the ever-growing TORC L15 camping fleet!



At 6:00 pm, As the winter evening turned chilly, hosts Robbie and Karen welcomed everyone with a delicious pot of hearty green soup. Members each added their own contribution, creating a tasty and warming meal that was enjoyed by all.



Saturday

At 10:00 am, members took the opportunity to explore the nearby town and enjoy the local surroundings. Gansbaai is a charming coastal town renowned for whale watching, shark diving, rugged cliffs, fresh seafood, and natural beauty.





At 3:00 pm, Robbie and Karen began preparing their host meal—a delicious lamb curry. Members were invited to bring their own homemade flatbreads and garlic butter-infused rotis (traditional Indian unleavened bread) to accompany the meal.

Our hosts served their memorable Lamb and Bean Curry Pot, which was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present. The curry was such a success that many returned for seconds, leaving the pot completely empty. A sincere thank you to Robbie and Karen for providing such a wonderful meal and a perfect end to the day.



Sunday

The Indaba commenced at 10:00 am and concluded at approximately 11:30 am.

A heartfelt thank you to our hosts, Robbie and Karen, and to all the members who attended and helped make the weekend another memorable TORC L15 gathering.

By 12:30 pm, members packed up and departed for home, taking with them many wonderful memories of a fantastic weekend together.

Safe travels, and we look forward to seeing everyone at our next outing!

By 6:30 pm, members had contributed bags of firewood to build a magnificent campfire, which burned throughout the weekend. As evening fell, the campfire once again became the centre of attention. Members sang along to a playlist of favourite hits spanning from the 1970s through to 2026. Anthony Jacobs earned the unofficial title of "Vocalist of the Night" for his enthusiastic performances. It was truly a memorable evening filled with music, laughter, and great company.

The evening was spent around the fire, sharing stories and laughter from the past week. The last of the conversations faded as the fire settled around 11:30 pm.

