



Environment

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1. Keep Parkhurst Clean

We all have a responsibility to protect our environment and maintain the upkeep of Parkhurst. It has been noted that general litter in the streets are increasing, especially after the refuse removal on Mondays. If we all take ownership of picking up litter on our pavements and in the streets in front of our houses we can minimize the pile-up substantially. Small, ongoing clean-up activities can go a long way!

Please get involved - if you have any ideas or want to volunteer / contribute, please send us an email at environment@parkhurstvillage.com. Looking forward to hearing from you!

2. Spruit Day

PRABOA participated again in the annual Spruit Day initiative on the 15th September. This initiative, started by PRABOA itself, gets all residents along the Spruit out on the same day every year, celebrating our green areas and sharing the promotion of community activities. Done in partnership with City Parks and the City of Johannesburg, this initiative allows the sharing of ideas and energy and builds valuable networks.

This year, Parkhurst was proud to host Kingsmead High School, as pupils joined the initiative as part of their Community Hours. Thank you to all of those who supported, volunteered and sponsored the event. Although only a few residents came out and contributed, the impact was tremendous. The area chosen was the newly cleared section between the 10th Street Bridge and Holt Street. This area is a wonderful hidden gem in the neighbourhood and we encourage all residents to take advantage of the space.

3. Ongoing Clean-ups

We have had monthly A Re Sebatseng cleanups in various shared spaces in Parkhurst. Even though only a few attended these cleanups, a significant amount of litter and rubble have been removed. Please keep an eye out for notices on the I Love Parkhurst Facebook page.

Following Spruit Day and taking further advantage of the networks created, PRABOA will be partnering with the Craighall Residents Association (CRA) to do regular clean-ups around the neighbourhood, including the section mentioned above. The CRA have a super team of dedicated workers, with all needed equipment, who shall be employed by PRABOA three days a month to do routine cleaning and maintenance of our Spruit and other key areas.”