



# CPF Lyttelton Sector 4

**New Office:** EP Centre, Room C102 (entrance next to Post Office)

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## State of the CPF Lyttelton Sector 4

2019 Proved to be a year like no other. Challenges were faced and overcome, we moved office (survived the EP Centre revamp – now called “The Park Centre”), crime spiked and dropped and somehow CPF LS4 still managed to grow and improve.

In August we put out a call for **Patrollers** on our WhatsApp groups, we had 14 patrollers, once again the response was awesome. We grew to our now 28 patrollers with 5 that still need to go through training. During October the patrollers spent 1066 hours and travelled 1077km giving of their own time and petrol in their efforts to keep the community safe. Thank you to each and every patroller for all your sacrifices for this community it is appreciated.

**Our Street Group Admins** – at the beginning of this year we had 6 admins, the balance of the street groups had to be managed by the Exco and LS4’s admin, in October we requested volunteers to become admins on our street groups, we once again had a fantastic response and all our groups now have admins who are community members. The admins have really been thrown in the deep end and had to deal with some emotional events. Thank you for giving up your time and being so patient and understanding with your community and keeping them informed.

At the beginning of 2019, our current **JOC operators** gave notice at the AGM that they had done many years of duty and were going to retire from JOC duty at the end of 2019. 80% of these volunteers are over 70 years of age and have been running the JOC duty for on average 10 years. We could never thank them enough for their dedication and commitment to keeping our community safe. We thank those that will be leaving us and hope we will still hear from them regularly as they are definitely part of our family. We once again have been fortunate and currently have 48 JOC operators, at the end of the year we will however be down to 38. This is the one area we still desperately need volunteers. Katie Heystek has run the schedule for JOC operators and has managed to do this with such efficiency we often remain unaware of how many slots could not be filled. Each JOC operator will do the hours they can in a month, you let Katie know which days/ times you are available, and she manages to fill the slots. Some operators will do 2 hours, some much more than that. If you are at all available even if it is for two hours a month, please complete the form at the end of the newsletter so that we can get in touch with you.

We held an AGM, 2 SGM’s and a regular Community meeting.  
We hosted Self Defense and Child Safety events.  
Our Domestic Workers Forum was held 5 times in 2019.

On 7 September we held a meeting to discuss Marketing of the CPF and Welriet NPC. We did marketing at the Elardi Market 8 Saturdays. We did marketing at the Dutch Reformed Church Basaar and also at the Primary School Elarduspark Motor Show. Many thanks to all who helped with marketing in 2019!

The CPF LS4 Exco is proud of the achievements in 2019 and know that with the Community’s blessing and support, 2020 will be even better!

**None of the above is possible without the financial support of Welriet NPC. Please consider joining as a contributory member at R80.00 per month.**

## CPF Community Meetings 2019

*At our Special General Meeting on 12 November we elected James Manners-Wood as Vice Chairperson and Eugene Greeff as Secretary.*

Congratulations for the road ahead and many thanks for the time you volunteer for this task.

## CPF LS4 office in The Park Centre

Our office C102 will be closing for 2019 on 20 December 2019 and re-opening on 6 January 2020.

**HOWEVER,  
CPF LS4 JOC  
(Emergency  
0713832036 AND  
RADIO)  
REMAINS  
ACTIVE  
24/7 @ 365**

Please report any suspicious, attempted or successful crime to our 24/7 monitored emergency number:

**071 383 2036**

## Cable Theft

On 13 Nov during the night LS4 was alerted to a power outage in Bombani street, Elarduspark. On arrival it was found that approximately 40m of cable was stolen. These thieves erected the hazard netting, were all wearing overalls and reflective vests. They started excavation over the weekend. They were so convincing that residents were taking them tea and water. They used the cover of non-functioning streetlights due to a faulty cable as cover.

On 18 Nov LS4 noticed workers digging under the overhead lines. LS4 asked to check their work order, which was not available. Work has been stopped until a work order can be produced. TMPD and Cllr Johnston was also on scene.

If you notice someone working on the cables in our area, please ask for their credentials and report it to 071 383 2036 so that it can be verified. If you don't want to approach them, call 0713832036 so that we can send someone to confirm.



### We Need Your Help

To volunteer for **Emergency Service** duty, click here: <https://form.myjotform.com/82982977139577>

To volunteer as **Patroller**, click here: <https://form.myjotform.com/82631938908569>

To volunteer as **Street Admin**, click here: <https://form.myjotform.com/92722551140550>

## REPORT, REPORT, REPORT

Any suspicious activity, attempted crime and successful crime to:  
071 383 2036 (Monitored 24/7 by community volunteers)