

**S.A. SOCIETY FOR SURGERY
OF THE HAND**

1970
Annual Meeting

**President Hotel
Cape Town**

S.A. Society for Surgery of the Hand

Office Bearers 1970

President	Mr. I. Kaplan
President Elect	Mr. A. C. Boonzaier
Secretary/Treasurer	Mr. A. J. Wienand
Member	Prof. G. T. du Toit
Member	Mr. M. Singer
Member	Mr. J. Youngleson
Historian	Mr. M. Singer
Public Relations Officer	Mr. J. Youngleson

Annual General Meeting
President Hotel
Cape Town
Business Meeting (Members Only)
8-10 a.m.

AGENDA:

1. Welcome by President.
2. Apologies.
3. Declaration of Proxies.
4. Minutes of previous A.G.M.
5. Matters arising from these minutes.
6. Constitutional changes.
7. Chairman's Report.
8. Secretary/Treasurer's Report.
9. Hand Society Emblem.
10. Proposal of new members.
11. Venue of next A.G.M.
12. General.

Clinical Meeting

- 10.30 a.m.-10.45 a.m. Introduction: Prof. G. T. du Toit.
- 10.45 a.m.-11.30 a.m. Tumours of the Hand: Soft Tissue and skeletal: Dr. R. E. Carroll.
- 11.30 a.m.-11.45 a.m. Discussion.
- 11.45 a.m.-11.55 a.m. Review of Finger-tip Injuries: Department of Plastic Surgery — Groote Schuur Hospital.
- 11.55 a.m.-12.05 p.m. Review of Resurfacing hands following traumatic skin loss: Department of Plastic Surgery — Groote Schuur Hospital.
- 12.05 p.m.-12.20 p.m. Some thoughts on Neurovascular Island Pedicle Flaps — Mr. J. Youngleson.
- 12.20 p.m.-12.45 p.m. Discussion.
- 12.45 p.m.- 2.00 p.m. LUNCH.
- 2.00 p.m.- 2.10 p.m. The Rheumatoid Hand: Prof. L. Solomon.
- 2.10 p.m.- 2.20 p.m. Discussion.
- 2.20 p.m.- 2.35 p.m. A South African Surgeon in the Americas: Mr. A. C. Boonzaier.
- 2.35 p.m.- 2.45 p.m. Discussion.
- 2.45 p.m.- 3.00 p.m. Dupuytren's Contracture: Mr. M. Singer.
- 3.00 p.m.- 3.20 p.m. Discussion — Opened by Dr. Carroll.
- 3.20 p.m.- 4.00 p.m. TEA.
- 4.00 p.m.- 4.40 p.m. Rebuilding the Entire Extremity: Dr. R. E. Carroll.
- 4.40 p.m.- 5.00 p.m. Discussion.
- 6.00 p.m.- Cocktail Party at President Hotel for Delegates and Wives. By kind invitation of the President of the South African Society for Surgery of the Hand — Mr. I. Kaplan.

CONSTITUTION

1. NAME.

The name of the Society shall be the South African Society for Surgery of the Hand.

2. OBJECTS OF THE SOCIETY.

- (a) To advance the study of the hand in all its aspects.
- (b) The Society to associate itself with surgical teaching units in the Republic and encourage the teaching of modern principles of Hand Surgery.
- (c) Affiliation with Plastic, General and Orthopaedic Associations of S.A. and for affiliation with Overseas Hand Societies.
- (d) The encouragement and development of Regional Hand Clubs in all the Provinces.

3. MEMBERSHIP.

A. REGISTERED VOTING MEMBERS.

Candidates for voting membership shall be registered Surgical Specialists. These may be elected by any of the following procedures—

(i) That voting members be proposed and seconded in writing by members of the Committee of the Regional Hand Clubs. Full voting members of the Society must be members of the Medical Association of South Africa. These members' names are to be submitted by the National Executive to the Annual General Meeting of the S.A. Society for approval by majority vote by show of hands. A two-thirds majority is required for election of voting members.

(ii) The Executive Committee of the S.A. Society for Surgery of the Hand may submit the names of prospective voting members to the Annual General Meeting of the S.A. Society for approval by show of hands. A two-thirds majority is required for election of voting members.

B. ASSOCIATE MEMBERS (NON-VOTING).

Surgeons in training, registered Medical Practitioners and non-surgical colleagues may be proposed and seconded by any two voting members to the National Executive Committee who will present these candidates to the Annual General Meeting of the S.A. Society. A two-thirds majority vote is required for election of associate members.

C. HONORARY MEMBERS.

An honour which may be bestowed on the distinguished by unanimous vote by the National Executive Committee provided that such election complies with By-Law 28 of the Medical Association's Constitution, i.e. "A Group may elect to Honorary Membership of the Group persons of eminence who are not domiciled in South Africa provided that they are medical practitioners and members of their own national Medical Association."

4. OFFICE BEARERS.

Office Bearers shall be elected at an Annual General Meeting to be held at the bi-annual Congress organised by the S.A. Medical Association by voting members. The usual rules of vote by ballot will apply. The election to be organised by two electoral officers appointed by the Executive Committee. Office bearers shall consist of the following:—

- (a) President.
- (b) President-elect.
- (c) Secretary-cum-Treasurer.
- (d) Three additional Executive members.

Office bearers shall serve for a period of two years. The President and Secretary to be resident in the same Province.

It shall be competent for the Society to allow the formation of Regional Hand Clubs within the frame-work, of divisions or branches of the Society, or in such other manner as may be desirable. Such Regional Hand Clubs may be allowed powers of independent action in local matters provided that such action is not in conflict with the general policy and rules of the Society and of the Association in general.

5. MEETINGS.

- (a) The Annual General Meetings will be held to coincide with the Orthopaedic or General Medical Congress.
- (b) A minimum of one Executive meeting per annum and such additional meetings as the President in Executive Committee may decide.
- (c) Special General Meetings can be called by written Application of ten members, Associate or Voting. Such meetings can be called providing a period of fourteen days notice is given. The Agenda must be submitted to all members and the subject matter limited to the points mentioned in the Agenda.
- (d) Regional Hand Club meetings will be arranged by the local Committee.
- (e) A quorum of the Executive Committee will consist of four members.
- (f) Registered voting members who are absent from three consecutive Annual meetings shall be dismissed from membership, except under exceptional circumstances in which case the Executive Committee may grant leave of absence.
- (g) All members who have attained the age of 65 years will be relieved of the necessity of attending meetings and the payment of annual dues.

6. PROCEEDINGS: ARCHIVES: PUBLICATIONS.

The Executive Committee will appoint an historian. The Agenda and proceedings of Regional Hand Club meetings must be forwarded to the Secretary-cum-Treasurer for a decision on circularization and eventual reference to the historian.

7. ACTION.

The Society may take such action that may be deemed necessary in all matters affecting the interests of its members; providing that the S.A. Medical Association as a whole be not involved or pledged to any action, and that any action contemplated by the Society be in conformity with the policy of the S.A. Medical Association for the time being in force.

8. PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY.

The Rules contained in "Robert's Rules of Order Revised" shall govern the Society.

9. FINANCIAL.

Entrance Fee for Voting Members:	R10.00
Entrance Fee for Associated Members:	R 5.00
Annual Subscription for Voting Members:	R 5.00
Annual Subscription for Associated Members:	R 2.00

Annual dues shall be payable in advance or at the Annual General Meeting. The Secretary shall notify all members in arrears for dues. Members delinquent for the year shall be dropped from membership at the discretion of the Executive Committee. Honorary members shall pay no entrance fee and no annual dues. It shall be competent for the amounts of the annual subscriptions to be altered by a majority vote at the Annual General Meeting of the Society after members have received one month's notice of a proposed change.

10. ANNUAL REPORT.

The Secretary-cum-Treasurer shall submit an annual report and a financial statement to the Annual General Meeting of the Society. A copy shall be sent to the Secretary of the S.A. Medical Association within thirty days of the Meeting to the Federal Council of the Medical Association.

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