



### Season's Greetings

The partners and staff wish you and your loved ones a blessed and peaceful Festive Season and look forward to seeing you in 2017.

### Closing dates

Pincus Matz will close at midday on 23 December 2016 and reopen on 9 January 2017.

Magistrate's Court will be closed from 15 December 2016 until 16 January 2017. The High Court will be on recess during the same period.

### Highlights of the year 2016

- Alison Tooley, head of our Property department, celebrated 21 years since being admitted as an attorney.
- Les Masterson is recognised by the Cape Law Society for his lifetime contribution to the legal industry.
- Dalene Coetzee, who served at our reception desk for over 25 years, retired.
- Expanding our minds into a different space - Deborah Herd (journalist) and Adriana Marais (quantum physicist and Mars One Project astronaut candidate) were our guest speakers at our client function hosted at Kelvin Grove.
- In celebration of Womens' Month, we hosted a preview of the movie 'Alison' at the V&A's NuMetro theatre.

### Year end staff luncheon



Last week the Pincus Matz partners and staff took time out from our office routine to enjoy a lunch together at Erawan, the popular Thai restaurant just up the street. It was a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the year and to share holiday plans and hopes for the new year. May 2017 indeed bring us all much prosperity.



### A lifetime contribution

Pincus Matz is proud of the award bestowed on our partner Les Masterson, for his lifetime contribution to the legal profession. Les was presented with a certificate at the Cape Law Society Awards Ceremony and Gala Dinner held at Century City Conference Centre on 4 November 2016.

Les joined Pincus Matz in 1975 and his excellent grasp of constantly changing laws has seen Pincus Matz evolve into a dynamic, modern firm where attention to detail is critical to the process. We congratulate Les on his achievements and for this most worthy recognition. Well done, Les!



The partners of Pincus Matz, Alison Tooley, Les Masterson, Yasmin Jadwat and Matina Angeliniadis.

### Congratulations

Our congratulations go to four members of the Pincus Matz team. Melissa Hans obtained her LLB degree. Caryn Avenant passed two of her Attorneys' Admissions exams. Darren Hanekom completed his Attorneys' Admissions exams. Yvonne Khumalo passed her Conveyancing Paralegal Course obtaining 80% in the final exam.

We are proud of your achievements and wish you much success in your chosen professions.



### The Greatest Little Birthday Club in Town

More photos on our FACEBOOK page



In October Pincus Matz hosted our Birthday Club celebrations at the delightful La Belle at Alphen Hotel, while the popular Jonkershuis Restaurant at Groot Constantia was the venue for our last breakfast for 2016. Thank you for joining us at the Greatest Little Birthday Club in Town! You can find more photos on our Facebook page.

### Staff birthdays

Happy birthday wishes go to Karen Napoleon (11 Nov), Matina Angeliniadis (1 December), and Melissa Hans (28 December). May you be blessed with good health and much happiness in the years ahead.



### Business on the rocks

Alison, Yasmin and Matina recently attended a Nedbank corporate saver event at "On the Rocks" in Blouberg.

### Phone problems

We experienced some difficulty with our telephone lines recently and apologise to the clients who were unable to contact us.

### Snippets

Thank you so much for the lovely Christmas Gifts and for the wonderful delectable breakfast, it was absolutely fantastic company and the food was excellent. Debbie Griffiths

I would like to offer my heartfelt thanks to whomever has been involved with this transaction. The entire experience has been phenomenal. Your tireless efforts have bestowed our best Christmas present yet and have realised a long awaited dream for us. May you and your families enjoy a Blessed Christmas and Prosperous New Year. Ashley November

Let me again thank you and the whole team for the excellent work and service you have given us with this transfer. J Franco