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Viveka Naicker

Makes the scene – briefly

OOH, THEY DIG HIM, AND HE DOES TOO

The Graphic – 11th September 1970

For a short while at the Louis Botha Airport in Durban last Sunday Afternoon, apartheid was forgotten, and White, Indian, African and Coloured fans stood cheek-by-jowl to welcome their soul – singing hero Percy Sledge.

Hundreds of fans of all shades had waited for hours for the American singer’s plane to arrive. When it did and the King of Soul appeared behind the Boeings belly, they screamed and sighed and waved.

Shrill screams of “Percy baby I love you” echoed through the normally sedate buildings.

Sledge lapped it up. He waved back and grinned a large, toothy grin. Earlier, while I had stood in the White section of the airport waiting for Sledge’s flight, a young White woman called out to the man standing near her, “Let’s go out and watch, Percy’s arriving.

Her companion did not move. Obviously he was not a soul fan. The girl ran out alone.

from a show in Jo’burg, man. I’ve had the ‘Flu badly. It was bad, man, realbad.’

Looking out of the car, Sledge said that he liked Durban. “I think I dig this place.”

Sledges as well as Andy were disappointed with the weather. When they left Johannesburg, it had been bright and sunny. Durban was overcast and a little Chilly.

Sledge asked Andy why he suddenly found it a difficult to breathe. Andy told him that the altitude could affect breathing. I asked Sledge whether it would affect fis singing.

INTERVIEW

But unlike the man in the airport lounge, there were many others who dig soul. They shouted themselves hoarse.

Sledge was taken straight to the V.I.P. Lounge after his arrival, where he was quizzed by newsmen.

Did he like South Africa?
“Not bad, man, Not bad at all”.

Did he like Durban (even though he had been there hardly five minutes). What did he think of his fans?
“Great man, simply great. They dig me and I dig them”.

A large crowed waited next to Sledge’s car outside the airport buildings. When he appeared, they tried to touch him and pull off his jacket.

More, “Percy baby, I Love you”. The fans got rough at times but Sledge’s huge bodyguard, Andy Gardner, brushed them off, and everybody managed to get into the car.

ALTITUDE

Percy sat with Candy and Stella Starr at the back, and I rode in front with Andy and the White girl who had brought Sledge’s hired car to the airport.

Percy sounded hoarse and I asked him whether he was well. “I just come

THE FANS

“From where I come, man, nothing affects a man’s singing. You Dig?”

Not being much of a soul fan, I thought I should not tell him whether I dug or not until I heard him sing later in the week. “That cat digs me” grinned Sledge.



BIG PROPERTY DEAL WORRIES INDIANS

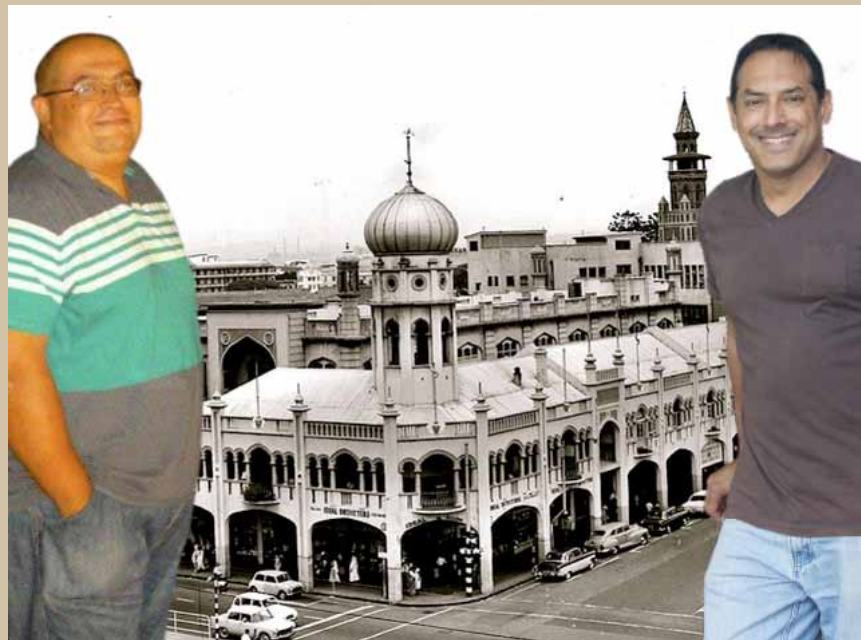
The Graphic – August 1970

Rumours that the Indian owned Empire Court in Grey Street, Durban, has been sold to a white company were denied this week.

Mr. I. Swanepoel, of the Properties Department of the South African Breweries in Johannesburg, said that rumours that his company has purchased the building were “completely unfounded”. He said that only property owned by his company in the Grey Street area was Himalaya Hotel.

Indian property owners in the Grey Street complex have been concerned since the rumours began to circulate. They fear that if the complex is declared under Section 19 of the Group Areas Act, White investors would eventually buy off enough properties for the area to be eventually declared for White ownership and occupation.

Repeated attempts to interview Mr. H. H. Dhupelia one of the owners of Empire Court, were unsuccessful.



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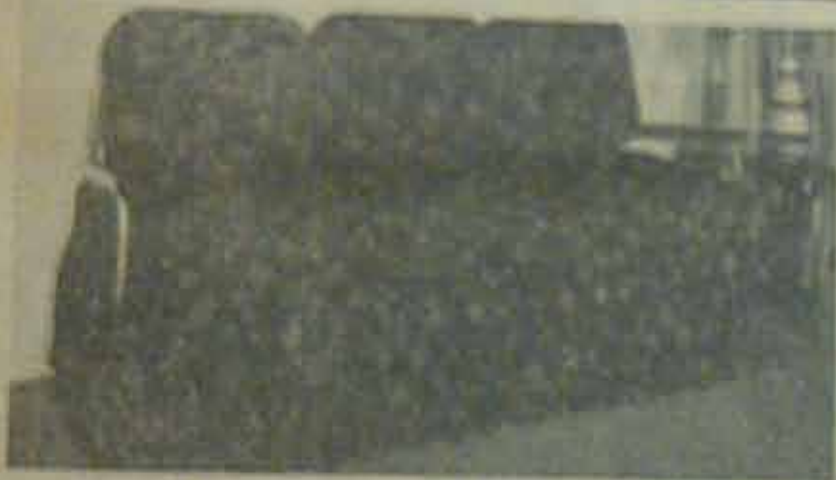
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NIGHT LIFE

Focus on Beauty's from the past

The Telstars



The Telstars, from Asherville. This pic was taken +- 50yrs ago. They were the first Indian band to play in a white nightclub called upstairs and downstairs in Milne street.

The guitarist's are Neville George, Claude George and Ralph Powys. In the centre is Raymond Hammond on drums.

Courtesy of Barney Naidoo.



The contestants who took part in the FPL Queens contest at the Himalaya Hotel on Friday last week. From left: Candice Forbes (Bona), Laura De Klerk (Bluebell), Veronica Calosse (Binky), Nadine Ann Meyer (Chelsea), Sylvia Naidoo (Ade), Estina Janki (Dynamite), Danielle Smith (Glendene), Brenda Nani (Maritzburg United), Shamirtha Hanna (Bona), Rosemary Masi (Real Taj), Fina Captain (Cenobara).

Girl of the Week

Leader June 1984



Ms Jacki Biggar of Wentworth, was the lucky entrant who was chosen "Girl of the Week" in the contest currently being staged at the Gaysands Restaurant. The weekly winners will appear before the judges in the June Girl contest which carried a R250 cash prize, whilst the prize for the "Girl of the Year" is a trip to India and the Far East plus R500 spending money.

Girl of the Week

Leader 1984



Vasee Moodley is the May Girl in the Girl of the Year contest currently being staged at the Gaysands Restaurant. Will Vasee win the holiday to India and the Far East which is the prize for the girl of the year? PHOTO: NITHIA NAIDOO

Girl of the Week

Leader September 1984



Pranhilla Premrajh was chosen 'September Girl' in the Girl of the Year contest which is currently being staged at the Gaysands Restaurant. The top prize is a trip to India and the Far East plus R500 spending money. Photo by Nitha Naidoo

NIGHT LIFE ***** NIGHT LIFE ***** NIGHT LIFE ***** NIGHT LIFE ***** NIGHT LIFE

Miss Pelican

Leader September 1967



Miss Aziza Behardeen, runner-up in the Miss Pelican contest congratulates the winner, Miss Jennifer Wiedermann, while the other attendant, Miss Louise Joseph looks on.

Miss Domino

Leader February 1967



The rain failed to put a damper on proceedings at the Himalaya Hotel where the Dominoes Club organised a dance featuring the El Ricas band of Johannesburg. Hundreds of ticket holders had to be turned away at the door. In addition a "Miss Domino" contest was held and Mrs. Dan Knott is seen sashing the winner, Miss Rhona James.

Miss August

Leader September 1967



Inbetweenager Queen

Leader December 1967



A capacity crowd at the Bon Chance saw Miss Norma Coleman crowned "Queen of the Month" in the series organised by the Coco Cola Bottling Company. She is seen above with her attendants Miss Joan Gregory (left) and Miss Shireen May.

Queen of the Month Bon Chance

Leader February 1967

MOVIE REVIEW

Saturday Night Fever

Anthony "Tony" Manero (John Travolta) is a 19-year old Italian American man from the Bay Ridge neighborhood of Brooklyn in New York City. Tony lives at home with his parents (Val Bisoglio and Julie Bovasso), and works at a dead-end job in a small hardware store. The stagnant monotony of his life is temporarily dispelled every Saturday night when Tony is "king of the dance floor" at 2001 Odyssey, a local disco club. Tony has four close friends: Joey (Joseph Cali); Double J (Paul Pape); Gus (Bruce Ornstein); and the diminutive Bobby C. (Barry Miller). A fringe member of this group of friends is Annette (Donna Pescow), a neighborhood girl who longs for a more permanent and physical relationship with Tony.

One plot device in the film's narrative is the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge on which the friends ritually stop to clown around. The bridge has special significance for Tony as a symbol of escape to a better life on the other side--in more suburban Staten Island.

Tony agrees to be Annette's partner in an upcoming dance contest at 2001 Odyssey, but her happiness is short-lived when Tony is mesmerized by another woman at the club, Stephanie Mangano (Karen Lynn Gorney), who executes intricate dance moves with exceptional grace and finesse. Although Stephanie coldly rejects Tony's advances, she eventually agrees to be his partner in the dance competition, provided that their partnership will remain strictly professional. Tony's older brother, Frank Jr. (Martin Shakar), who was the pride of the Manero family since he was ordained a Roman Catholic priest, brings despair to their parents when he tells them that he has left the priesthood. Tony shares a warm relationship with Frank Jr., but feels vindicated that he is no longer the black sheep of the family.

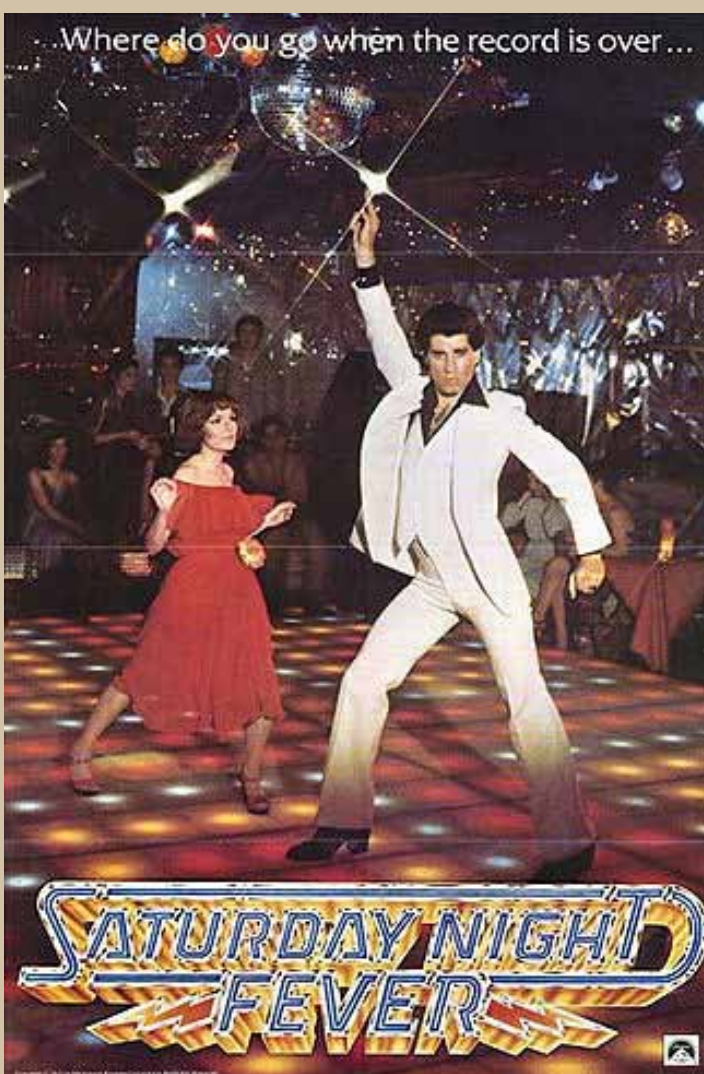
While on his way home from the grocery store, Gus is attacked by a Hispanic gang and is hospitalized. He tells Tony and his friends that his attackers were the Barracudas. Meanwhile, Bobby C. has been trying to get out of his relationship with his devoutly Catholic girlfriend, Pauline, who is pregnant with his child. Facing pressure from his family and others to marry her, Bobby asks former priest Frank Jr., if the Pope would grant him dispensation for an abortion. When Frank tells him this would be highly unlikely, Bobby's feelings of despair intensify. Bobby lets Tony borrow his 1964 Chevrolet Impala to help move Stephanie from Bay Ridge to Manhattan, and futilely tries to extract a promise from Tony to call him later that night.

Eventually, the group gets their revenge on the Barracudas, and crash Bobby C's car into their hangout. Tony, Double J and Joey get out of the car to fight, but Bobby C. takes off when a gang member tries to attack him in the car. When the guys visit Gus in the hospital, they are angry when he tells them that he may have targeted the wrong gang. Later, Tony and Stephanie dance at the competition and end up winning first prize. However, Tony believes that a

Puerto Rican couple performed better, and that the judges' decision was racially biased. He gives them the first prize trophy, and leaves with Stephanie in tow. Once outside in a car, he tries to rape her. She viciously resists and runs from him.

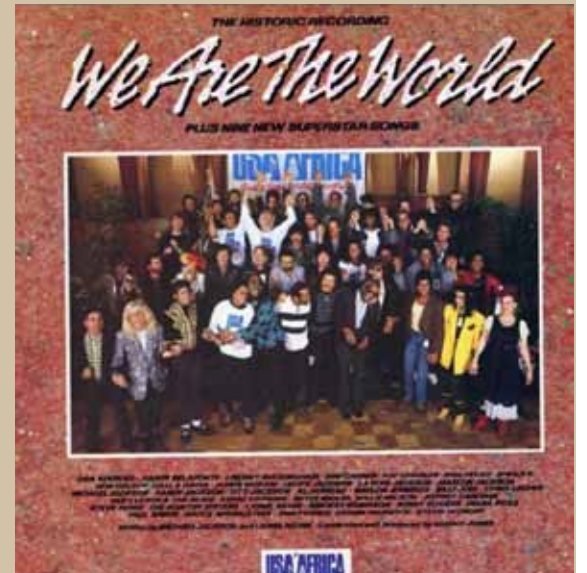
Tony's friends come to the car along with a drunk and stoned Annette. Joey says she has agreed to have sex with everyone. Tony tries to lead her away, but is subdued by Double J and Joey, and sullenly leaves with the group in the car. Double J and Joey take turns with Annette, who begins to sober up during an experience that evolves into rape. Bobby C. pulls the car over on the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge for their usual cable-climbing antics. Typically abstaining, Bobby gets out and performs more dangerous stunts than the rest. Realizing that he is acting recklessly, Tony tries to get him to come down. Bobby's strong sense of alienation, his deadlocked situation with Pauline, and Tony's broken promise to call him earlier that day--all culminate in a suicidal tirade about Tony's lack of caring before Bobby slips and falls more than two hundred feet to his death into the river below them.

Disgusted and disillusioned by his friends, his life and his family, Tony spends the rest of the night riding the subway into Manhattan. Morning has dawned by the time he appears at Stephanie's apartment. He apologizes for his bad behavior, telling her that he plans to relocate from Brooklyn to Manhattan to try and start a new life. Tony and Stephanie salvage their relationship and agree to be friends, sharing a tender moment as the credits roll.



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When the world must come together as one.

There are people dying and it's time to lend a hand

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That someone somewhere will soon make a change.

We are all a part of God's great big family

And the truth
You know
Love is all we need.

We are the world
We are the children

We are the ones who make a brighter day

So let's start giving.
There's a choice we're making
We're saving our own lives.
It's true
We'll make a better day
Just you and me.

Well
Send them your heart
So they'll know that someone cares

And their lives will be stronger and free.
As God has shown us by turning stone to bread

And so we all must lend a helping hand.
We are the world

We are the children
We are the ones who make a brighter day
So let's start giving
There's a choice we're making
We're saving our own lives
It's true we make a brighter day
Just you and me...

Recipe

Classic lemon melting moments



Ingredients

- 250g butter, softened
- 2/3 cup pure icing sugar, sifted
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2 cups plain flour
- 1/3 cup custard powder

Lemon filling

- 60g butter, softened
- 1 cup pure icing sugar, sifted
- 1 tablespoon finely grated lemon rind
- Method

- Step 1
Preheat oven to 160°C/140°C fan-forced. Line 2 baking trays with baking paper. Using an electric mixer, beat butter, sugar and vanilla until fluffy. Sift flour and custard powder over butter mixture. Stir with a wooden spoon until soft dough forms.
- Step 2
Roll level tablespoons dough into 32 balls. Place on prepared trays, leaving room for spreading. Using a fork dipped in flour, lightly flatten each biscuit until 1cm thick. Bake for 15 to 20 minutes or until light golden. Cool on tray for 10 minutes. Transfer to a wire rack to cool completely.
- Step 3
Meanwhile, make filling Using an electric mixer, beat butter, sugar and lemon rind in a bowl until light and creamy.
- Step 4
Spread the flat side of 1 biscuit with 2 teaspoons filling. Sandwich with 1 biscuit. Repeat with the remaining biscuits and filling.

Holiday Party Punch



Ingredients

- 2 cans of concentrated fruit juice (your choice)
- 8 cans of water
- 1 (2 liter) bottle of clear soda
- 1 sliced lemon
- 1 sliced orange
- 1 cup strawberry halves (optional)
- ice

Directions

- In a punch bowl combine all of these ingredients.
- For a special variety, freeze fruit juice instead of water to make colorful ice cubes

SAM WINS SNOOKER TITLE

The Leader 1969

In one of the closest finals seen in local snooker for a long time, Sam Naidoo of N.R.C. became the Natal “B” singles champion for 1969, when he narrowly beat Joey Farouk of Five Aces at the Club Lotus on Thursday evening. There were originally a total of 87 entrants for the championships.

the narrowest of margins.

This win makes Naidoo an automatic contender for the “A” division singles championships, which begins on Thursday.

There is a general feeling among snooker pundits that the “A” division singles champion this year will be an outsider and their reasons for this is that the two previous winners of the title, I. Buchen and Marshall Daniels, both have extremely tough matches in their first rounds.

Farouk entered the finals after his three straight win over Jumbo Bhoola in the semi-finals while Naidoo earned his place by eliminating Stephano Loonat a week earlier.

Thursday’s final was tense affair with both cueists very much in form. At the end of the sixth frame, both players stood even at 3 each. Farouk was impressive and was at one stage 21 in front, needing only a brown ball to win.

Last year’s champ, Daniels plays a vastly improved Anand Naidoo of Chicks, in his first round while the 1967 champ, Buchen meets last year’s “B” title holder, Alan Joseph.

Both Anand Naidoo and Joseph are now at peak form and will prove hard to beat in this series.

But after a frustrating five minute tussle with the brown, he faltered as Naidoo potted all four to clinch the title by



SAM NAIDOO
A tense contest.

COMMENTS FROM OUR FACEBOOK GROUP

Name this best movies that you have seen in the bio's.

Selvan Pillaye: Mother India.

Bilal Matias Luis Mariano: One flew over the cuckoo's nest.Going way back; Two mules for sister Sarah and Last of the Mohicans also The Party(Peter Sellers). Shafeeq Meer: Shane .

Shereen Bagwandin: Towering Inferno

Leroy Francis: China Town,The Outlaw Josey Wales,The Shining,One Eyed Jacks, In the heat of the night,They call me Mr Tibbs

Shafeeq Meer: High Noon, the music still Lingers in our minds.

Vinod Bhana: Earthquack at Shah Jehan with extra speakers

Warren Abraham: Superman

Leroy Francis: Tell them Valdez is coming. Kill them all and come back alone...lol

Warren Manning: King Kong. I cried...

Kirthun Ramsingh: Lords of Discipline

Pooventhran Moodley: THE BIRD WITH A CRYSTAL PLUMAGE !!!

Jai Narsai-Rubens: The ten commandments and Mother India.

Bilal Matias Luis Mariano Aye: Leroy u sure have a good memory. Had an old car once I called it Valdez. Lol.

Cheryl Bissessor Bhana: Hey Ishaan..what movie you talking about? Went to the movies but never saw the movie! Get my drift? Heeheehe! Jokes! Poseidon Adventure...If I recall correctly was a top movie!

Farzana Bheda: Jaws! 007,Dirty Dancing ,GREASE (summer loving), Sholay,Kabhi Kushi Kabhi ghum.....da list goes on

Ishaan Blunden: Jaws, the Party

Gillian Frances: White The Party must be one of the best comedies I have seen.

Satish Mohan: The last boy scout and all the Bruce Lee movies and finally not forgetting the epic JAWS

Muna Lakhani: I remember a friend worked at Ster Kinekor as an artist, and the manager at one of the then "wit ou's" movie houses invited me in to see the Party (6 months before it hit us "darkies" movie houses... the wit ou's giggled, the charrou's laughed super loud at the scene where Peter Sellers was asked "who the hell do you think you are" his response? In India, we don't think who we are, we KNOW who we are!" packed up.... and Sellers was born in Inida too, just like two other Goons from the Goon show....

Pillay Aubrey: Ben Hur ! which many of u never saw !!!!!

Nanda Soobben: CHAMP, everybody cried !!

Nish Govinden: Definitely Tarzan in the Shah Jehan

Ishaan Blunden: Jungle book

Rosaline Pillay: Star Trek One..went to the matinee with my late brother in law Tony Motilal, my sisters Esther, Carol and cousin Sandra. We were in school uniform. :)

Leroy Francis: The Fu Man Chu movies

Ishaan Blunden: e lollipop

Sunil Cara: Bruce Lee's Enter the Dragon

Mark Stephens: Get Carter with Michael Caine

Mani Seetal: The Champ @ the Sha Jehan on a Saturday morning with my best friend Molly and her brother Lenny,her brother and I bawled our eyes and she kept on telling us to stop crying cos we were embarrassing her!:-)

Mani Seetal: The Deer Hunter and An Officer and a Gentleman. Richard Gere was smoking hot!!!! Still is,lol.

Mark Stephens: As a kid it was the musicals 32x Sound of Music, 28 X Mary Poppins 10 X Chitty. Chitty Bang. Bang

Mani Seetal: The "Bio's, never heard that word in a long time Ishaan!

Mani Seetal :The Promise, cried for that one too.

Keith Llewellyn: Lachanna Romancing the Stone , Superman The Movie, Karate Kid

Shabbir Khan: Lawrence of Arabia, Dr.Zhivago, The Great Escape, Papillon, Guns of Navarone,A Passage to India, Secret of Santa Vittoria

Farouk Khan: Ben Hur at Shah Jehan

Buddy Govender: Out of Africa at the Shiraz.....

Karan Naidoo: Magnificent 7 was my alltime fav

Leroy Francis: They died with their boots on. The Wild Bunch, The Dracula movies(Christopher Lee, Jack Palance)

Nish Govinden: The Godfather and Dog Day Afternoon

Ravi Govender: The Party for comedy and The Wild Geese (Moore, Burton and Harris)

Derrick Rodgers: thunderball-shah jehan....right in the front row....lol.

Carl Pretorius: Many of those above. The Good, the Bad and the Ugly at Raj Mahal in Clairwood. Fear is the Key, one of the best car/boat chases in a movie, besides Bullit with Steve McQueen.

Leroy Francis: Deliverance

Leroy Francis Charlie: Varrick,The Professionals,Point Blank.

Ranjithlal Baloo: Sholay, Shaan

Leroy Francis: How many of you will remember this movie...If He Hollers, Let Him Go.

Bilal Matias Luis Mariano: The Christmas tree. Now that was one crying time movie.

Pooventhran Moodley: The Absent Minded Professor !!! + did > Mother India run for 14 months @ Sha Jehan, bringing it back to liquidity ?

Farzana Bheda: hey guys da most important SA production we forgot e-Lollipop ...boy did we bawl

Shereen Vanker: Jaws

Nazeera Shaik: Titanic

Ravi Govender: To go slightly off the topic. The BEST cinema EVER: Shah Jehan. Never will there be another like it!

Leslie Lortan: THE GOOD THE BAD & THE UGLY

Leroy Francis: the original Ocean's Eleven with the Rat Pack

Rajan Padayachee: The Godfather. The cross and the switchblade.

Rajan Padayachee: What about the midnight shows. Started at around 11pm.

Envernathan Govender: I lived next to Shah Jehan. Went there at least twice a week. The other 4 days was reserved for the Raj and Avalon.

Deena Padayachee: The Fall of Troy - followed Homer's Iliad very closely. Ben Hur; Man of La Mancha.

Buddy Govender: Rocky Horror Picture Show at the Avalon Albert....then they banned it!

Rashid Ally: GUNS OF NAVORONE & WHERE EAGLES DARE

Marisa Goldstone-Leavold: one flew over the cuckoo's nest

Ayesha Adam: Rollerball @ shah , omen. the thing and alien @ albert, and bobby @ dreamland, saturday night fever and grease @ shiraz and the car @ raj or shiraz.....

Oriele Yon Hulley: Warm December, Born Free, Cross and the Switch Blade, Champ, The Way We Were, etc;

Buddy Govender: Enter the Dragon at the Raj.....about 22 times!

Perry Govender: High Noon; The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly

Pooventhran Moodley: HELGA , MY LOVER MY SON & THE GRADUATE !!!

Ayesha Adam: Mary poppins,oliver twist, melody, my fair lady, romeo and juliet, dirty dozen,patton, boesman and lena, funny girl, when I was a kid, then later with my children, ninja turtles @ raj, he man @ isfahan, superman 1and2,(can't remember where but it was 'town'),a whole lot of kiddie movies @ the wheel.....

Christopher Daniel Nair: James Bond double,s @ Avalon Albert and the Superman series @ Shiraz

Colette Steeneveldt: eLollipop

Pooventhran Moodley IRMA LA DOUCE !!!

Sam Subramony: Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid ! now that was a real "Western " and Dirty Dozen !

Pooventhran Moodley: The Count of Monte Cristo by Alexander Dumas on Edmond Dante - great movie in it's time .

Pooventhran Moodley: Mere Naam Joker ; Sangam : Athey Kangal ;Geraftaar

Shiraz Omar: Ben Hur

Ben Veeran: Amar , Akbhar , Anthony

Gondwana Masondo Aka Gondwanaland: Boot Hill Bound.... Clint Eastwood.

Gondwana Masondo Aka Gondwanaland: Dr. Zhivago on a big screen....

Marisa Goldstone-Leavold: Terrence Hill and Bud Spencer.

Leroy Francis: Play Misty For Me

Photo's from our other 2 Facebook groups: Non - Racial Sport in South Africa and History of Non Racial Soccer in South Africa



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Sydenham Lawn Tennis Club (Season 1928/29)....does anybody know where the Lawn Tennis Courts were in Sydenham??



Photo supplied by Mark Dasan Chetty

Athens Athletic Club - 1976 -77 Medley Relay team Mark Dasan Chetty, Ismail Kolia, Shaheed Vawda and Nelson Reddy (Curries Fountain)



Photo supplied by Karan Naidoo

Anand Pillay, winner of the Gold Top Marathon, between Stanger and Durban. This was staged because Blacks were not allowed to compete in the Comrades officially.



Photo supplied by Karan Naidoo

Winning the 800m juniors race at UDW track, 1976 to gain selection for the SA Champs in Boland, 1976. Kanabaran Reddy, Reservoir Hills, 2nd. I finished 2nd in the SA Champs.

BECHET, 1958

WINNERS: DR. A. N. NAIDOO TROPHY



T. Davis, A. Fataar, G. Felton, R. Nassiep, E. BUGHWAN & SON DUEBAN.
J. Lawler, I. Jacobs, D. Rampono, K. Lochenberg, A. Stephens.
I. Jaffar, Vice Captain, Mr. D. Bruce, M. Powys, Captain, J. Peck.

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Bechet Cricket Team 1958



Photo supplied by Gillian Biggar- Bremner

Sunshine HMP Men's Hockey Team and
Sunshine HMP Ladies Hockey team -Tills Crescent
Sports Grounds



Photo supplied by Karan Naidoo

Natal squad for the SA Athletic Champs, PE, 1977



● Kaizer Motaung is tackled with a splash by Suburbs' Vincent Pillay.

Photo supplied by Luewellyn Pillay

Verulam Suburbs vs Kaizers XI.
Curries Fountain 1972.
Vincent Pillay tackles Kaizer Motaung.



Photo supplied by Ishaan Blunden

Verulam Suburbs (1971): From L to R: Deva Naidoo, Preston Julius, Valiant Ally, Burri Martin, Hans Moses, Gona Armugam; Seated from L to R: Vincent Pillay, Gaff Osman, Petros, Brian Abraham and George Heslop.



Photo supplied by Ishaan Blunden

Young Aces Fc which formed in 1950



Photo supplied by Kirk Dutlow

Leeds FC



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Aces United Curries Fountain



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Avalon Athletics



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Manning Rangers Russel De Vries about to score and Bereas Ebrahim Jacobs can do little about it - 1987



Photo Supplied by Nanda Soobben

My brother Charlie Soobben (Suburbs) dribbling through a very strong Cape Town Spurs defence. Mansoor Abdullah (Spurs) far left seem to be enjoying a good dribble! After all Bernard (Dancing Shoes)Hartz was doing the same thing to the Suburbs defence !! How I wish I could turn back the clock and be sitting on the banks at Curries and watching some amazing football !! The fans at Curries didn't just support their own teams.. They applauded and appreciated the skills of the visiting teams. We loved Bernard Hartz, Smiley Moosa,Tanties,Gum Shoes,Prega,Rashid Khan,James George,Calvin Petersen,etc and the list can go on and on !!

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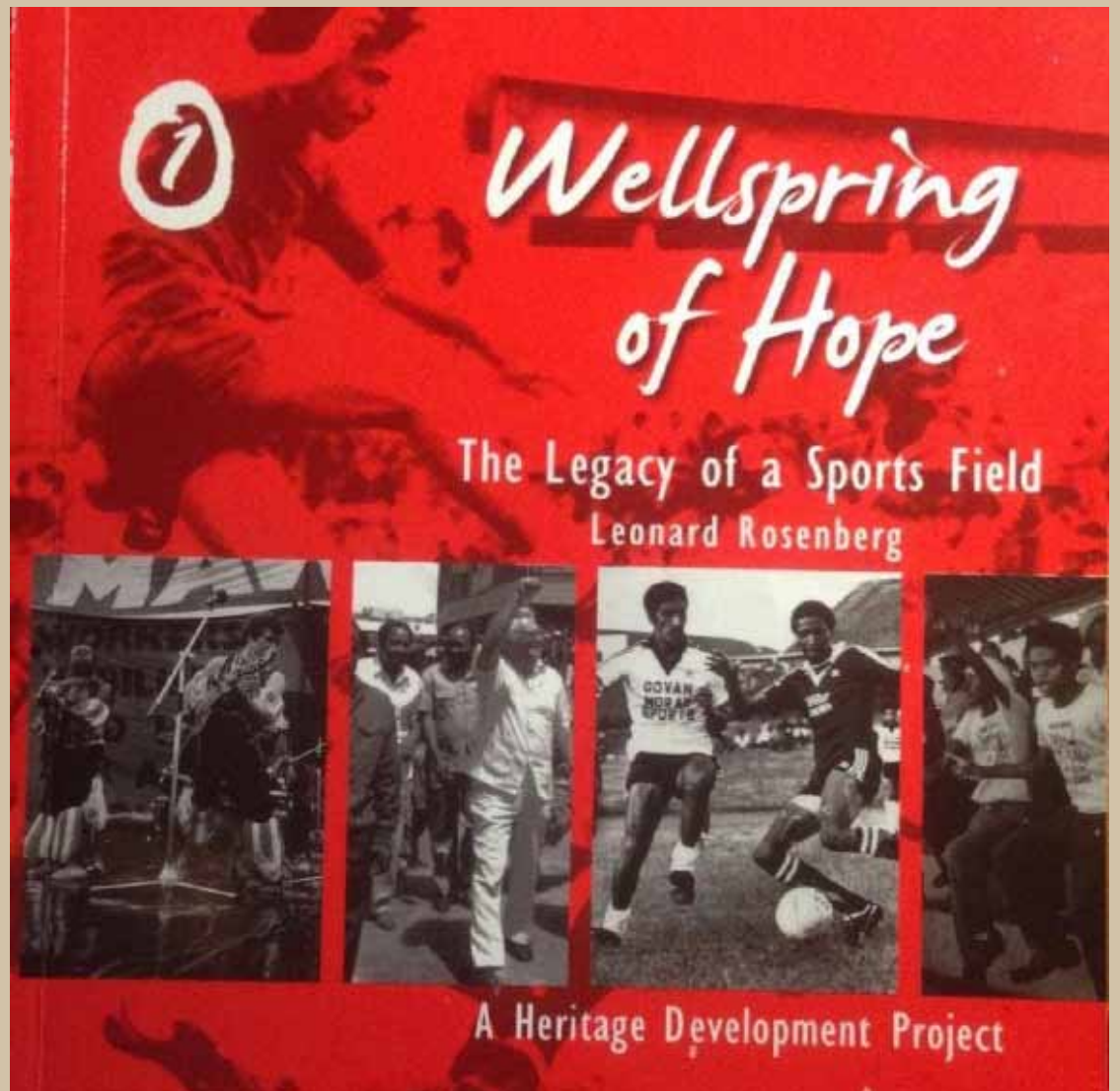
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