



SAPIK NEWSLETTER

July 2020

Message from the President

Greetings to all members, I hope that you are all well. I want to start on a positive note by giving you this saying:



With all the restrictions being implemented with regard to the COVID-19 epidemic, our profession and our members are currently experiencing a tough, uncertain and worrying time. However, what I experienced during this period is the love and support we have for each other. This positive, determined and driven attitude from all our members will be the reason why we will rise again and be a profession to take note of.

“When life gives you a hundred reasons to breakdown and cry, show life that you have a million reasons to smile and laugh - stay strong”.

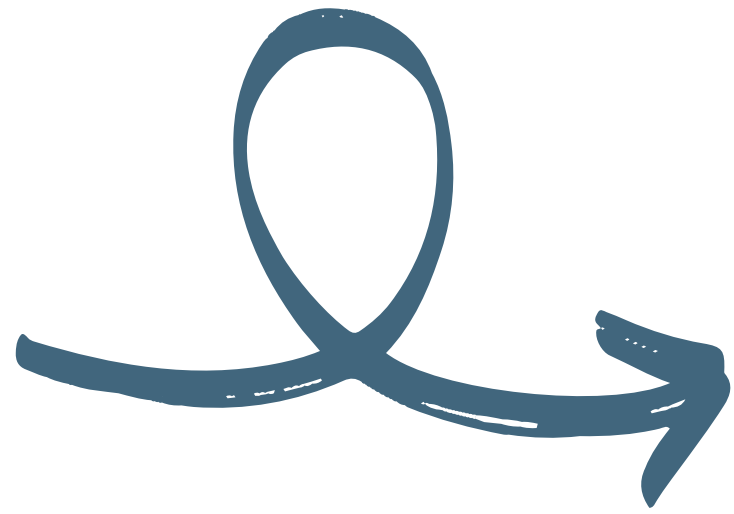
Good luck to each and everyone for the next few months that lies ahead. From my side, I can report that SAPIK is running on all cylinders to support the profession and its members during this period. The board has worked around the clock to gain the necessary legal and permitted documents allowing our members to practice during the lock-down.

Furthermore, various documents were drafted and made available to all members in order to assist you in communications with your schools and clients. Thank you to each and every board-member for your hard work and dedication in this regard.

SAPIK had the first ever virtual zoom board meeting in July. I can report that it was a successful meeting. Important decisions were made and in this regard SAPIK is back on track. Please read carefully through each committee's newsletters as important information is provided. We look forward to seeing each and everyone at the virtual AGM in October.

Kind regards,
Dr. Barry Gerber

CPD



CPD POINTS: COVID 19

- ➔ With the current pandemic affecting us all, adjustments regarding the amount of CPD points for 2020 are set in place.
- ➔ Members will need to have a total of 10 accredited and 6 ethical points for this year.
- ➔ A special arrangement is made for members that already completed the total amount of points (20 accredited and 6 ethical points) before “lockdown” and want to transfer CPD points to 2021. Members need to submit their learning activity form and will be automatically selected for an audit.

THANK
YOU

CPD AUDIT

- The audit for the 2018 CPD year is completed and SAPIK wants to thank all the members that were selected for their successful submission.
- The 2019 audit will start in October 2020. Make sure you complete your learning activity record form and save your CPD certificates. Any member can be selected for an audit.

EXEMPTION APPLICATION FORM

- This online application is for members that want to apply for exemption of CPD points when on maternity leave. This needs to be completed in the year that the baby is born.
- SAPIK members will need to obtain 15 CPD points, of which 6 points must be ethics points.



ARTICLE

opportunities

- The 2nd Accredited and Ethical article opportunities are available and the submission date is 28 August 2020.

- Keep a look out for promotions!

There is an EARLY BIRD special as well as a discount on articles completed on SAPIK-Friday.

Finance

FINANCIAL STATUS

Firstly, SAPIK wants to thank you for paying your membership fees, as SAPIK still needs to cover our monthly over-head expenses and it cannot be done without the membership fees.

SAPIK started with new auditors
(SMITS & DU PLESSIS REKENMEESTERS)
from
1 March 2020.

SAPIK received the audited statements for the year ended on **29 February 2020** and can be viewed upon request.

Income targets are being set for each committee and will be finalized in **October 2020** for **2021**, thus assisting with the sustained financial growth of SAPIK.

SAPIK bought a router and data on a month to month data package deal (**uncapped**) to make sure the administrative clerk can perform her work effectively from home.

SAPIK's members are now insured at **Western National Insurance Company Limited**. Part of this package is Medical malpractice, Professional indemnity and added this year, Public liability.

We are in the process of receiving quotes to insure SAPIK's assets against breakdown and theft. We also took **office space insurance** to make sure SAPIK is completely covered for whatever circumstance might present itself in this area.

Training

TRAINING IN TESTBATTERIES

Please take note:

- Members that indicated that they would like to receive training in testbatteries, training has been postponed until further notice due to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Testbatteries that have been amended with minor changes: training will still take place in the form of a questionnaire that needs to be completed.
- Training is busy compiling these questions and those members will be contacted via e-mail.



Marketing

NATIONAL AWARENESS WEEK

- It was decided that the National Awareness Week for 2020 will continue in October. Although many of our members are not able to continue with lessons at schools for now, any form of communication to schools and parents during this time, will be positive for our profession.
- The specific date will be communicated to all members.
- Educational posters from the previous awareness weeks will be emailed to members.
- Short video's sent in from practices will be posted on our social media platforms throughout this week.

SHORT VIDEO CLIPS



- During this difficult time, it is still important for the public to know the importance of movement and why our profession is important.
- We encourage members to send in short video clips of children in your practice participating in your lessons at home. We will post these videos on our social media platforms during the National Awareness Week. We encourage all practices to participate.
- SAPIK will be sending the following information:

[Date of submission](#)

[Criteria for videos](#)

[Where to submit](#)

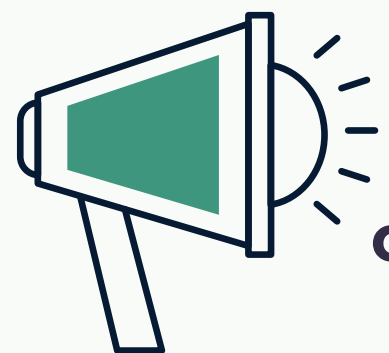
SAPIK WEBSITE

- We have been experiencing some technical difficulties with our current service provider.
- New quotations have been considered and SAPIK will soon be moving our website to a new service provider.
- SAPIK will keep you updated on the progress and when the new website is going live.



MARKETING MATERIAL ORDERS 2021

- Options of our marketing material will soon be sent out to all registered members.
- These materials will be available to order in **January 2021**.
- Members will receive these options early enough to start planning their orders for next year.



**Don't miss out
on this opportunity!**

ONLINE AGM 2020

Due to Covid-19 our Annual General Meeting could not take place in May 2020 and had to be postponed until we had a clearer view of the way forward. We are happy to announce that although we can't see you in person this year, we will be bringing the AGM to you!

ONLINE, in the comfort of your own home. SAPIK will be sending out all the relevant information to all members SOON!

save the date
3 October 2020 (AGM)

Practice Forum



PRACTICE LIST

The list of practices was updated. The updated practice list was emailed to all members and is currently on the website. Please inform SAPIK via email if your information needs to be changed or updated.

PRACTICE VISITS

A member, who is registered, but not practicing as a Kinderkineticist, will not be visited for a practice visit, but will be CPD audited. The member will still be expected to complete their CPD points for the year.

ETHICS

The entry on logos in the ethical guidelines (11) has been revised to be more understandable as well as practical regarding use. Please read the changes carefully:

WHEN AND WHERE TO BE USED

This is the basic Kinderkinetics 'K' logo.

This logo must be used for bags, T-shirts, equipment, certificates, medals, trophies or any other gift that is marketing-related



WHEN AND WHERE TO BE USED

This is the Kinderkinetics logo.

The Kinderkinetics logo is an optional choice for all marketing purposes



WHEN AND WHERE TO BE USED

This SAQA logo can be used for extra credibility on all marketing material.

This is an optional choice.



WHEN AND WHERE TO BE USED

The slash logo is not the official logo of SAPIK.

It is only used for SAPIK's administration purposes.



WHEN AND WHERE TO BE USED

This logo can be used for an official sign at your practice stating that you are registered at SAPIK.

This is an optional choice.



WHEN AND WHERE TO BE USED

This is the official logo of SAPIK.

The SAPIK logo must appear on all business cards, pamphlets, banners, boards, and official reports and documents of the practice.



A Rules and Regulations document for attending Expo's, was developed for SAPIK. This document provides guidelines for when SAPIK will do marketing at an Expo in the near future.

Not only this,
but we also rejoice in our sufferings,
knowing that suffering produces
perseverance;
and perseverance, proven character;
and proven character, hope.

Romans 5: 3-4

