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Dear Members and Friends of SA Olive

Welcome to 2022. We are so excited about what this year promises and we wish you every success in your ventures. Here are a few items for your information and/or feedback.

Tree Census

A reminder that all Tree Census updates are required urgently. We will not be able to present an updated snapshot of the industry at the AGM, unless we receive your input. If you need the forms to be (re)sent to you, email info@saolive.co.za and Marita will gladly assist.

Forum meetings

The Olive Oil and Table Olive Forum meetings will take place on Wednesday 16 February 2022 at 9.30. Please confirm your attendance by clicking [here](#).

CTC Tastings

Kindly note that CTC Tasting sessions begin on Monday 21 February 2022. Keep an eye on the [CTC page](#) for any updates.

If you are a current or prospective CTC Scheme participant, we need your input on a 'one-stop-shop' concept: please click on this [link](#) for a short survey.

2022 AGM

Please diarise the SA Olive AGM scheduled for Tuesday 8 March 2022 at 8.30. We are looking forward to record attendance numbers!

The choice of venue for the AGM has not yet been finalised. If you have a suitable venue which you would like to make available for the AGM, please email [Marita](#) soonest.

New Website

- We launched our fresh, new [website](#) last November and have made it more relevant, user-friendly and appealing. Feedback received has been positive and we welcome your comments.
- If you have not yet already done so, please assist us in our tracking and planning and kindly fill out the website survey by clicking [here](#). Thank you to all those who have already done this.
- The Members' Dashboard on the website is where we post Notifications and downloads, Listings of interest (e.g. selling and buying) and create Discussion Groups which you can join. It is crucial that you have access to the Members' Dashboard as it will be used more and more. You can log in by clicking this [link](#) or contact us if you need updated login details.
- Important dates for 2022 have been added to the event calendar, which you can access by clicking [here](#).
- If your olive nursery is not listed on the [website](#), just let us know and we will add it.

Mentorship and Skills Development

The Mentorship programme remains available to SA Olive members. Please contact Vittoria if you wish to enrol your staff on the programme in 2022.

We will also organise group training sessions on selected Skills Development modules later in the year, at different locations. Applications will be open to all employees of SA Olive members.

TFSA School of Export

Trade Forward Southern Africa have developed a free online learning resource on international trade and exporting. Click [here](#) to create a profile and access the material.

Social Media

We encourage you all to share your images and posts with us, and tag us [@saoliveindustry](#) on Instagram and [/SAOliveIndustry](#) on Facebook.

If you no longer wish to receive communications from SA Olive, let us know and we will remove you from our mailing list.

Thank you all again for your time and feel free to call or email me if you have any questions.

Regards

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