**Corona Plateau Mauritius**

**Newsletter May 2022**

**A word from our Chairwoman, Asha:**

**I am very pleased to welcome you all to this new chapter in Corona Plateau. The April meeting was very cordial and it was encouraging to see so many of you enjoying egg decorating and Easter Egg hunting. Simple pleasures, but in such a friendly, relaxed atmosphere. Thanks to Huguette, who brought a magnificent chocolate cake for the raffle, which was won by Rekha.**

**So many of you paid your 22/23 subs, a gentle reminder to those who have not yet done so, subs are now due at the next meeting please.**

At our April meeting, Lyndsay brought along all sorts of art materials and wonderful samples that she had prepared in advance to stimulate us into decorating boiled eggs. Most ladies took the challenge and produced some very attractive designs on their eggs. Rosemarie had managed, in spite of the rain, to hide some mini eggs around the area. Back to childhood for us all, searching for Easter Eggs!

We have some wonderful news for our ladies in May.

On Friday, 27th May, we are organising a special lunch for Mother’s Day at the Opium Restaurant at Reduit. The menu is as below. As a reward to all our ladies who have all been very patient during these past two difficult years of Covid 19, lockdowns and anxious times, the committee has decided to heavily subsidise this lunch, and you will only be asked to contribute Rs. 200 to this extremely attractive menu on offer.

Menu proposed by Opium Restaurant :

Chicken & Prawns Siu Mai

Prawns Har Gau

Assorted vegetable dumplings

Chicken Bau

Mini Vegetable Spring Rolls

Chicken Taro Puffs

Home made fried noodles with chicken and Shrimps

Crispy chicken with sesame seeds

Braised fresh fish fillet with ginger, shallots

Cantonese fried rice with chicken and Shrimps

Jasmine Tea

Soft drink and mineral water (2)

Deserts will be provided by Manda and Binita

Any extras such as alcoholic drinks will be purchased individually by the consumer

We shall be taking the names of those ladies wishing to attend during the monthly meeting to be held at the Gymkhana club on Friday the 20th May. Please bring along Rs. 200 on that day, plus your annual subs of Rs. 1000 for those ladies who have not yet paid for 22/23. Obviously, only members who have paid their full subscription will be eligible to join in the lunch . Please also make a special mention if you wish for a vegetarian meal on that day.

The committee will be giving more details of the event during the meeting, as they have planned other activities for that special Mother’s Day lunch. But one reminder, those ladies attending must bring proof of Covid vaccination, as the restaurant may check this at the entrance.

We are looking forward to seeing many of you at the next meeting. Our thanks to Maureen, who kindly offered to give the raffle prize in May.

Your committee