

## **BIOGRAPHY**

### **IAN CEDRIC PLAYER**

#### **BORN**

March 15, 1927, in Johannesburg, Republic of South Africa

#### **EDUCATED**

St John's College, Johannesburg

#### **MARITAL STATUS**

Married to Ann Farrer 1957.

Three children Kenneth, Jessica and Amyas.

#### **MILITARY/ACTIVE SERVICE**

Served with 6<sup>th</sup> South African Armoured Division attached to the American 5<sup>th</sup> Army in Italy 1944 – 1946

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

- Miner on the Gold Mines of the Witwatersrand.
- Shipping Company worked in the stores
- Aluminum factory in Pietermaritzburg worked in the stores
- Game Ranger at Natal Parks Board retiring as a Chief Conservator
- Technical Advisor to Metro Goldwyn Mayer
- Consultant

#### **PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN**

#### **PERSONALLY INITIATED**

1. In 1950 initiated the Msunduzi canoe marathon, between Pietermaritzburg and Durban as a conservation awareness project. In 2007 two thousand competitors took part in the race. Canoeing is now a well established activity countrywide.
2. Initiator and team leader of the team that saved the White Rhinoceros from extinction. Research papers published successfully, films presented nationally and internationally.
3. Introduced the concept of Wilderness Trails to the game reserves and founded the Wilderness Leadership School, a unique conservation education programme to develop leaders and preserve wilderness. More than 30 000 young people and adults of all races and many nations have graduated from this school and have made a great impact on conservation matters in their communities and countries.

4. Established for the Natal Parks Board, facilities in the remote game reserves of Ndumu, iMfolozi, Mkuzi, Lake St. Lucia and Mtunzini which opened these wild areas to the public for enjoyment and nature appreciation.
5. Established an extensive anti-poaching network in the game reserves which resulted in an impressive reduction in poaching and predation. More than 1 000 poachers were apprehended and continue to be apprehended under this system.
6. Conducted eco-surveys of crocodile and hippopotamus populations and of the avifauna at the Ndumu Game Reserve. Conducted “Operation Crocodile”, at Lake St. Lucia, which saw the first helicopter airlift crocodiles from the high salinity area of the Mkuze River, to the fresher regions of the southern part of the Lake.
7. Established a training programme for rangers, and trained many young game rangers who are now renowned worldwide.
8. Raised funds for a facilitated production of several acclaimed conservation films to further popularize “conservation” and to convey the message to a wide conservation base of people.
9. Set up international conservation links and relationships throughout Africa, Europe and the United States of America. Note organizational membership.
10. Lectured and promoted conservation films and raised money for environmental projects within the Republic of South Africa.
11. Sold breeding colonies of White Rhinoceros to many zoological gardens and safari parks outside of the Republic of South Africa in order to assure their survival as a species.
12. Founder of Wilderness International Leadership Development United States of America. As Vice President responsible for (Programmes) of WILD, raised scholarship money which sent more than 100 American citizens to the Wilderness Leadership School. Such trips now inspire similar programmes such as Sierra II, a wilderness programme for juvenile offenders in Virginia Beach, Virginia, United States of America.
13. Raised the initial funds for and co-founder with Sir Laurens van der Post of the Wilderness Foundation (United Kingdom) (*now the Wilderness Trust*) in the British Isles. This Foundation currently takes British people on foot into the wilderness areas of Africa and Scotland. Participants from Northern and Southern Ireland now regularly go on trail into Zululand and learn to reconcile their differences.

14. Established the World Wilderness Congresses, which first convened in October 1977 in Johannesburg. Over 2000 of the world's leading scientists, politicians, financial leaders, poets, artists, etc., shared the platform to focus attention on the need for conservation and protection of wilderness areas and how such goals can be accomplished. Now an established triennial event, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Congress was held in Australia (1980), the 3<sup>rd</sup> in Scotland (1983), the 4<sup>th</sup> in the United States (1987), the 5<sup>th</sup> in Norway (1992) and the 6<sup>th</sup> in India (1997), 7<sup>th</sup> in Port Elizabeth (2001) South Africa and 8<sup>th</sup> in Anchorage Alaska (2005)
15. Produced and facilitated environmental education films including: "Magqubu", a documentary film about his mentor.
16. Travelled extensively in the Far East, Europe and the United States, lecturing and raising funds for worthy conservation projects. Significantly, he was asked by President Ferdinand Marcos of the Philippines to help conserve the endangered Tamaraw, a miniature buffalo, and travelled to that country seven times while implementing a Tamaraw conservation programme.
17. Keynote speaker 1<sup>st</sup> World Wilderness Congress in South Africa 1977, Australia 1980, Scotland 1983, Colorado 1987, Tromso Norway 1993, India 1998, Port Elizabeth 2001 and Anchorage Alaska 2005.
18. Speaker at various business conventions in South Africa and the United Kingdom.
19. Keynote speaker Royal Geographical Society in London on three occasions. 1996, 2005 and 2006.
20. Speaker at International Wild Talk Africa – Durban 2006.
21. Initiated the Cape of Good Hope Centre for Jungian Studies:- Now South African Society for Jungian Analysts.
22. Columnist Daily News South Africa from 1976 – 1993.
23. Columnist Biosphere South Africa from 2002 - 2003

## **MEMBERSHIP OF ORGANIZATIONS**

Honorary Member:	Game Rangers Association of Africa International Association of Jungian Analytical Psychologists. The Natal Hunters sand Game Conservation Association
Member of:	New York Safari Club Explorer Club of the United States of America Wilderness Action Group
Trustee of:	South African Wildlife Heritage

Game Conservation International United States of America.  
 Open Africa Initiative  
 Wilderness Trust United Kingdom.  
 Wilderness Foundation (Republic of South Africa)  
 Wilderness Foundation (United Kingdom)  
 Wilderness International Leadership Development (WILD)  
 – United States of America  
 Wilderness Leadership School (Republic of South Africa)  
 Magqubu Ntombela Foundation

- Patron of: The Bateleurs – Flying for the Environment in Africa  
 Duzi uMgeni Conservation Trust  
 Audi Terra Nova Awards  
 Wildlands Conservation Trust
- Board Member of: Wilderness International Leadership Development United States of America. (WILD)  
 Wilderness Foundation United Kingdom  
 Wilderness Leadership School  
 Wilderness Foundation Republic of South Africa
- Vice-President: Wilderness International Leadership Development (WILD), United States of America
- Vice Chairman: Magqubu Ntombela Foundation- Republic of South Africa
- Chief Judge Chief Judge South African Breweries Journalist of the Year Award
- Founder: Wilderness Leadership School  
 Duzi Canoe Club  
 Magqubu Ntombela Foundation  
 Wilderness Foundation South Africa  
 Wilderness International Leadership Development (WILD)  
 United States of America.

## PAPERS

Preliminary report on the Square-Lipped Rhinoceros *Ceratotherium simum simum* by Ian Player and J.M. Feeley May 1960

## PUBLISHED ARTICLES

1. A note on the Nuchal Hump of the Square Lipped Rhinoceros, *Ceratotherium simum simum* (Burchell) by Ann Alexander and Ian Player – *The Lammergeyer* 111(2) February 1965

2. Make them work for your Vote. African Wildlife Vol 29 no 4 Summer 1975
3. Wilderness a Stimulating Prescription. *Mzuri – Drumbeat – Official Publication of the Mzuri Safari Foundation. Vol 2 no 16 Summer 1975*
4. Columnist Daily News South Africa from 1976 – 1993
5. Voices from the Wilderness *Daily News, Durban 1981*
6. More from the Wilderness *Daily News, Durban 1984*
7. Hierdie is die bymekaarkomplek van mense en diere – *The Motorist Second Term 1985.*
8. Man and the Wilderness *Daily News, Durban 1986*
5. Using Wilderness to Experience and Enhance Human Potential and Understanding – *University of Idaho. Wilderness Research Centre April 12 1988*
6. Unforgettable Magqubu Ntombela. *Readers Digest Vol 134 January 1989.*
7. Gary Growing Up by Brother Ian . *Tomorrow Oct/Nov 1990.*
8. The Scent of Woodsmoke. *Getaway Magazine Oct 2000.*
9. Life with the “Great White Ape” – *The Ecologist June 2000*
10. Columnist Biosphere *South Africa from 2002 – 2003 .*
11. The Heart of a Game Ranger. Thin Green Line( *Newsletter of the International Rangers Federation*) – *September 2003.*
12. St John’s School Magazine. *July 2004.*

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Book Titles:**

1. Men, Rivers and Canoes *Simondium 1964*
2. Men Rivers and Canoes second edition *Echoing Green Press 2006*
3. White Rhino Saga *William Collins Son & Co Ltd 1972*
4. Big Game *Caltex 1972*
5. KwaZulu/Natal Wildlife Destinations (Co Author) 1995 ( must still find out)
6. Zululand Wilderness: Shadow and Soul *David Philip Publishers 1997*

## **EDITORS OF PROCEEDINGS WORLD WILDERNESS CONGRESSES 1979, 1980, 1983**

1. Voices of the Wilderness Jonathan Ball 1979 Editor
2. Wilderness (contributor) Findhorn Press and Thorsons Publishers (1980)
3. Wilderness - The Way Ahead -(contributor) Findhorn Press & Lorian (1983)

## **SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS**

1. Three times winner of the Umzinduzi Canoe Race.

## **VIDEO AND FILM CONTRIBUTOR**

1. Magqubu – uMkhombe Television Productions 1997
2. White Rhino Saga - uMkhombe Television Productions
3. Dr Player –Profile
4. Mark of Humanity – Tekeweni Durban - distributors Magqubu Ntombela Foundation
5. Trails to Survival
6. Trail by Wilderness
7. Zululand Wilderness: The iMfolozi Rediscovered.
8. Shadows over the land – Duncan MacNeillie
9. And so he listened to the Earth – Tekweni Durban – distributors Magqubu Ntombela Foundation
10. Mountains to the Sea – Duncan MacNeillie distributors Magqubu Ntombela Foundation

## **CONFERENCE ADDRESSES**

1. Keynote speaker Ist World Wilderness Congress in South Africa 1977, Australia 1980, Scotland 1983, Colorado 1987, Tromso Norway 1993, India 1998, Port Elizabeth 2001 and Anchorage Alaska 2005.

## **ADDRESSES GIVEN**

1. Speaker at various business conventions in South Africa, and the United Kingdom.
2. Keynote speaker Royal Geographic Society in London United Kingdom on three occasions, 1996, 2005 and 2006.
3. Speaker at International Wild Talk Africa – Durban 2006.
4. Distinguished “Wilderness Resource” lecturer – University of Idaho, United States of America.

## Current employment

Consultant to: Wilderness Leadership School Republic of South Africa  
 Wilderness Foundation Republic of South Africa  
 Wilderness International Leadership Development Foundation United States of America  
 Wilderness Foundation United Kingdom  
 Magqubu Ntombela Foundation Republic of South Africa

## HONOURS AND AWARDS – DR IAN CREDICK AUDLEY PLAYER

### Medals

1974 – The 1974 Gold Medal, The African Safari Club *Renowned conservations for his dedication and outstanding contribution to the causes of wildlife conservation.*  
 1984 - The Decoration for Meritorious Service, Office of the Prime Minister of the Republic of South Africa

### Honours

**1981** – *Die Orde van die Gouden Ark*, The Prince of the Netherlands, Admitted to the Order of Rider in the Golden Ark.  
**1984** - Doctorate in Philosophy in Faculty of Education (*honoris causa*), The University of Natal, Pietermaritzburg, Republic of South Africa  
 Distinguished “Wilderness Resource” lecturer – University of Idaho, United States of America.  
**2002** - Doctor of Laws in the faculty of Law, (*honoris causa*) – Rhodes University, Grahamstown, Republic of South Africa.

### Awards:

1969 Game Conservationist International Award. *In grateful recognition for his outstanding contribution to game conservation.*  
 1974 Mzuri Safari Foundation, Nevada, United States of America. *For an outstanding contribution to the success of the Mzuri Foundation Conference.*  
 1974 Conservation Award 1974. African Safari Club, Washington DC, United States of America.  
 1978 The Seal of The State of Nevada, United States of America. *In appreciation for a wonderful experience.*  
 1982 Mzuri Safari Foundation, Nevada, United States of America. “The David D Bohannon Conservationist of the year Award”  
 1990 Achievement Award. The International Wilderness Leadership Foundation Awards, California, United States of America. *For Pioneering Operation Rhino which saved the White Rhino from extinction and his continuing work on Project Rhino to help save the Black Rhino*  
 2003 Bruno Schubert Lifetime Achievement Award Federal Republic of Germany.

1984. State President's (Civilian) Award for Meritorious Service Republic of South Africa Gold Medal for Conservation, San Diego Zoological Society  
 Conservationist of the Year – Game Conservation International, United States of America  
 Paul Harris Fellow – Rotary International.  
 Paul Harris Fellow – Rotary International  
 Conservation Statesman Award – Endangered Wildlife Trust  
 Gold Medal of Game Rangers Association of Africa  
 2004 Golden Eagle Award – St John's School Johannesburg
- 2005 Spirit of Africa – Game Rangers Association of Africa. *For his remarkable and dedicated life in conservation, in particular to the preservation of Wilderness, and for his significant and enduring legacy to conservation in Africa.*
- 2007 Professional Hunters Association. *Wildlife Utilization Award.*
- 2008 Conservationist Award 2008 - Cheetah Conservation Fund

### CONFERENCE PAPERS

1. 1969 Game Coin Conference – *Big Game Hunters and Fishermen's Conference San Antonio*
  2. 1973 Wilderness Aware Conference – *The impact of Wilderness upon Humanity October – Wits University*
  3. 1976 Natal Hunters Association Congress. *The Contribution of the Hunter to The Creation of the Game.*
  4. 1977 1<sup>st</sup> World Wilderness Congress. *Johannesburg – October*
  5. 1980 2<sup>nd</sup> World Wilderness Congress. *Cairns Australia.*
  6. 1983 3<sup>rd</sup> World Wilderness Congress. *Scotland. Inverness and Findhorn*
  7. 1986 Mzuri Safari Foundation Conference. *Speaking against Apartheid*
  8. 1987 4<sup>th</sup> World Wilderness Congress. *Wilderness Congress History. Concept of Wilderness. Denver – Colorado.*
  9. 1993 Eco-Tourism Conference – *Adelaide South Australia August 1993*
  10. 1994 Campaign for St Lucia Congress- *"The way Forward"*
  11. 1998 Living Lakes. *Nov 1998*
  12. 2000 International Ranger Federation Congress – *Kruger Park September 2000*
  13. 2001 7 World Wilderness Congress – *Port Elizabeth*
  14. 2002 Living Lakes World Summit – *Johannesburg*
  15. 2005 8<sup>th</sup> World Wilderness Congress Alaska United States of America October  
*"Wilderness and the Human Soul"*
- 2006 Live Interview on BBC Radio London – March
- 2006 Lecture at Royal Geographic Society London – March

### PUBLIC ADDRESSES

1. 1962 Canoe race/ Duzi Marathon. *Canoeing – Pietermaritzburg*
2. 1964 Natal Provincial Council – *Pietermaritzburg*
3. 1965 Wild Life Protection Society. *The Struggle to Conserve Wildlife; Goals Durban*
5. 1966 Van Niekerk Talk.
6. 1966 Zululand Wildlife Society. *Overseas trips, Zoos – Empangeni*



7. 1966 Pretoria University Talk. *Tourist Management and Wildlife Science Pretoria*
8. 1967 American Canadian Club. *USA; Zululand*
9. 1968 Eshowe Star Theatre Talk. *Zululand – Industrial Development, Conservation and Wilderness Leadership School. Eshowe*
10. 1968 Junior Chamber of Commerce – Durban
11. 1968 Ixopo Agricultural Show- *Importance of Conservation of natural resources – Ixopo*
12. 1968 McConnell/Kerr Wedding – *Wedding Speech*
13. 1969 Rotary Film Week . *Conservation is the protection of Man’s Habitat. Johannesburg*
14. 1969 National Veld Trust
15. 1969 Game Coin Talk. *Conservation in South Africa; Hunting; Wilderness trails.*
16. 1970 Game Coin – *Conservation is a War; Wilderness Leadership School; Safari Symbiosis – May 1970.*
17. 1970 Wildlife Society. *Natal Conservation and Wildlife Sanctuaries. Pinetown.*
18. 1970 Work Study Talk. *Environmental Problems and Solutions; Wilderness*
19. 1970 Sugar Association. *Lake St Lucia and Wilderness Leadership School*
20. 1970 Annual General Meeting Wildlife Society. *The meaning of Game Reserves. Durban*
21. 1970 Durban Jewish Talk – *Nathaniel Isaacs – Trekkers; Wilderness leadership School; Rhodesia – Durban*
22. 1970 Operation Rhino, *Harthoorn, Umfolozi History.*
23. 1970 The Meaning and Value of Conservation
24. 1970 The Need for Conservation; Example.
25. 1970 Wild Life preservation Society – *Field Work Section . The Role of Field Work in Conservation Today and Tomorrow.*
26. 1970 Rotary. *Wildlife Conservation part of Conservation as a Whole.*
27. 1971 Glenwood High School – *Fighting for the Environment – Durban – November*
28. 1972 Pioneers of the Wilderness Leadership School; *the 2<sup>nd</sup> Ark stage- Durban*
29. 1972 Rotary – Springs – *South African Industrial Expansion – Springs*
30. 1972 Technical College – *South African Industrial Expansion; Population, October*
31. 1972 Howick Junior School ; *Conservation – Responsibility with Young People – November.*
32. 1973 Progressive party – *Wilderness; Boers; South Africa Shrinking Wilderness September.*
33. 1973 Bluff garden Club Flower Show – *Gardening – Link to Wilderness; Indigenous Species; Green Heritage Year. Durban- September*
34. 1973 Surf-Life Saving Association of South Africa; *Conservation of South Africa’s Coastline; Mixing of Races- November - Durban*
35. 1973 Rotary Pietermaritzburg – *Conservation Movement; Economics, - Zulu Natal. Pietermaritzburg December*

36. 1974 Parks Board farewell Speech – *Ian Player's History with Parks Board; The Fight Ahead; Thanks – Royal Hotel Pietermaritzburg – April*
37. 1974 G H Calpin ; *Pollution, Politics and People. June*
38. 1974 S2A3 Grahamstown; *Conservation matters; Grahamstown – July*
39. 1974 Jewish Club – *Parachute Debate – Durban – August*
40. 1974 Durban Girls' High Symposium; *South Africa's Environmental Problems; What I needed – Durban – August.*
41. 1974 Lecture to University; *Wilderness Philosophy; Stuart Udall; September*
42. 1974 Teachers Training College; *T S Elliott; Environmental Struggle – September.*
43. 1975 Lowveld High School. *Wilderness Leadership School. Explaining the Significance of the Leaf. – Eastern Transvaal – February*
44. 1975 Jeppe Quondam. *Politics and Exclusion of Environmental Issues. Johannesburg – February*
45. 1975 Envirac ( Durban Campus). *What must be done in the Environmental Struggle Natal and Zululand – Durban – March.*
46. 1975 University of Natal. *Natal and Zululand – History; Conservation Initiatives; What needs to be done. Pietermaritzburg - March*
47. 1975 University of Natal. *Natal and Zululand – History; Conservation Initiatives; What needs to be done. Durban – March*
48. 1975 Teachers Training College. *Role of Man in Nature – Pietermaritzburg April.*
49. 1975 Dalton Farmers' Association – *Settlers; Overseas trips and Wilderness Leadership School.- Dalton – April*
50. 1975 Introduction of Wilderness Leadership Film. *Wilderness Leadership School Background. Durban – October.*
51. 1976 25<sup>th</sup> Canoe Marathon. *Background to Race, Address to Minister Botha. Pietermaritzburg – January.*
52. 1976 Wilderness Awareness Evening. *Congress and Wilderness Foundation. Durban - February*
53. 1976 Civil Engineering Department, University of Natal. *Crises Facing Mankind. Appeal to blend Structures with Landscape. Durban – March.*
54. 1976 Bellair Women's Institute. *Natal, History and Wilderness. Bellair - Durban – March.*
55. 1976 Girls' High School. *Physical Wilderness; Benefits of Wilderness, Laurens van der Post. Pietermaritzburg – March.*
56. 1976 Wits University. *Concept of Wilderness. Wits University Johannesburg - March.*
57. 1976 National Tourism Board of Rhodesia. *Praise for Rhodesian National Parks. Salisbury – Rhodesia – March.*
58. 1976 Rotary Howick. *Wilderness and Effect on Mankind. Howick - September*
59. 1976 Rotary Pietermaritzburg. *Wilderness and Effect on Mankind. Pietermaritzburg – September.*
60. 1976 South African Association for Physical Education and Recreation. *Wilderness Areas and Man. September*

61. 1976 Wilderness Awareness Cape Town. *Wilderness Leadership School, Financing and Achievements, World Wilderness Congress and Red Indians. Cape Town – November.*
62. 1976 Rotary Howick. *Canoeing, Ex Natal Parks Board, Trails. Howick - November.*
63. 1977 Mansfield High School Prize Giving. *Historical Examples of Courage (Roman, Zulu and Boer) Need for Racial Tolerance. Durban November*
64. 1977 Howick High School Prize Giving. *Shrinking Wilderness- Howick November.*
65. 1978 Rotary Empangeni. *Natal and Zululand History. Empangeni June.*
66. 1978 New Republic Party Divisional Council. *Personal Background; Natal Politics. Hillcrest June.*
67. 1978 Howick Junior Town Council. *Wilderness Leadership School. The Leaf. Howick July.*
68. 1978 Talk to Rotary. *Janus and Calder (2 Futures) Wilderness – Physical and Values.*
69. 1979 Howick Women’s Institute. *Background; Wilderness leadership trail – Watch Magqubu. Howick February*
70. 1979 Johnson and Johnson. *Survival in the Wild. Hluhluwe February.*
71. 1979 Wildlife Society. *Tse Tse Fly*
72. 1979 SACCAC. *Shrinking Wilderness. Human Race at Crossroads.*
73. 1980 Barclays Bank. *Magqubu presentation, Boer War, Olive Shreiner. Johannesburg January.*
74. 1980 IBM Conference. *Challenge to balance Technology and the Natural World. January*
75. 1980 Highveld, *Wilderness Leadership School, Umfolozi Dam. Van Der Byl Park. April*
76. 1980 Beachwood Boys’ High. *Courage . Durban August.*
77. 1980 Wilderness Awareness Evening. *Trails. Johannesburg*
78. 1981 Technikon Durban. *Importance of Reading. Durban*
79. 1981 IBM Durban. *Wilderness Trails. Durban January.*
80. 1981 Medical Association. *Human Beings Story Most Precious Possession. August.*
81. 1981 Rotaract Parys. *Ecological Loss. Parys. September.*
82. 1981 Kloof High School. *11 November Historic (End of World War 1). Kloof November.*
83. 1982 Women’s Forum Howick. *Ian Player’s Story. Howick. February.*
84. 1982 Treverton Environmental Conference. *African Interpretation of Land Ownership. Mooi River. April.*
85. 1982 Umvoti Mounted Rifles. *History of War in Natal. – Melmoth. May.*
86. 1982 Divits Society. *Value of Parks. June*
87. 1982 Rotary. *Value of Wilderness. June*
88. 1982 Rotary Uvongo. *Natal History. Paul Harris Award. Uvongo. August*
89. 1982 ECLA. Windhoek. *Outer and Inner. Windhoek. September*
90. 1982 Chartered Accountants. *Lions on Beach. Durban September*

91. 1982 Wilderness Awareness Evening. *Nkunzi Amalanga Trustee. Cape Town October.*
92. 1982 Rand Club. *Jimmy Carter's report on Biodiversity. Johannesburg. October.*
93. 1982 Chartered Accountants. *Future of Zululand Reserves. Durban December.*
94. 1982 Scottburgh High School. *Overpopulation threatening Environment and Individualism.*
95. 1982 East Griqualand Forum. *Wilderness Leadership Trails, Sitting Around Fire. Kokstad – December.*
96. 1983 Science Symposium JHB. *Need for Conversation in SA. Joburg January*
97. 1983 Science Symposium CT. *General. Cape Town February*
98. 1983 Duke of Edinburgh Award Launch. *Symbolism; Alan Paton; Award Scheme Objectives. Grahamstown February*
99. 1983 Howick Round Table. *Round Table Movement. Howick. February*
100. 1983 Explorers Club of SA. *"A Moral Dilemma" April*
101. 1983 EWT Sympoaium. *"The Conservative Ethic: A Search" May*
102. 1983 President's Council. *Wilderness May*
103. 1983 Clifton Prep Speech Day. *John Forbes, Umfolozi, Magqubu, Wilderness Trails. Nottingham Road September*
104. 1984 Institute of Solid Waste Management Congress. *Commended Institute on Achievements, Need for sensible legislation, ICP Background, Env. Challenges facing SA. Port Elizabeth*
105. 1984 Mzuri. *Friends made through Conservation; Problems facing SA. USA*
106. 1984 Howick & Conservation; *Sybil Fielding; preston Whyte; WLS. Howick January*
107. 1984 Building Society Institute of Sthn Africa. *MDS from President in Cape Town; WLS; Grey Owl; Appeal for help to continue this work. April*
108. 1984 Honorary Doctorate Acceptance Speech. *Jung; Conservation; Wilderness; Chardin. NU, PMburg May*
109. 1984 Courage `84 Awards. *Courage of Jaco Berhard & Stefan Oosthuizen ( Middleburg Holiday). July*
110. 1984 African Transpersonal Association. *"With & Without". Joburg July*
111. 1984 Jungian Seminar . *Speaking from Personal Experience; Wilderness Concept. Joburg August*
112. 1984 Wilderness & Psychology Seminar-CT. *"Wilderness: A Statement of Purpose" ( Transcript of Tape). Cape Town September*
113. 1984 Zululand at War Launch. *Zulu War; Need for Preservation of Isandlawana & Rourkes Drift. September*
114. 1984 Waterkloof House Prep School. *Private School system; Magqubu Film; Zulu Names; Importance of Racial Integration. October*
115. 1985 Natal Association for Gifted Children. *Educating the Gifted Child. March*
116. 1985 Film Premier. *Magqubu. March*
117. 1985 Braamfontein Spruit Trust. *Environmental Problems. March*

118. 1985 Mountain Club. *Mountains and the Valley Wilderness. Rob Roy Hotel Hillcrest. July.*
119. 1985 Durban Parliament. *The Environmental Crisis. Durban. September.*
120. 1985 Clothing Institute. *South Africa's Political Problems.*
121. 1985 Durban Publicity Association. *Durban – Past and Future. Durban. November.*
122. 1986 Sugar Association. *The Role of the Wilderness Leadership School in South Africa. Apri.*
123. 1986 Opening of Zululand Show. *Wilderness Areas, Game Reserves and conservation. Eshowe, June.*
124. 1986 Owl Club. *Rhino Capture. Cape Town. July*
125. 1986 Michaelhouse Old Boys. *Magqubu and overseas trips. Johannesburg. July.*
126. 1986 Sabi Sabi. *Respect for Animals, man and Spirit. Sabi Sabi. August.*
127. 1986 R.A.F. Association. *South Africa's Ecological Problems. Durban . September.*
128. 1986 National Occupational Safety Association. *Prevention of Environmental Accidents. Natal Coastal Region. November.*
129. 1986 Barcalys Bank Seminar. *Black Umfolozi Rediscovered. November.*
130. 1986 Wartburg School. *The Importance of Reading. Wartburg. December.*
131. 1987 Barlow Rand. *Wilderness Leadership School. Johannesburg. February*
132. 1987 Rotary New Germany. *World Understanding. Westville March.*
133. 1987 Lifeline. *Caring of the World. Journey Inward. Durban. August*
134. 1987 Mtumvuma Trust. *Desecration of the Planet. November*
135. 1987 Rotary Pietermaritzburg Azalea. *Wilderness. Pietermaritzburg. February.*
136. 1988 Civil Engineers Association. *June*
137. 1988 Association of Biology Teachers. *On Arid Ground. Durban . June*
138. 1988 Rotary Art Auction. *Wilderness. Durban. September.*
139. 1988 Wildlife Society. *Mankind and Mother Nature. Durban. September.*
140. 1988 Durban Parliament. *Urgent need for Conservation. Durban. December.*
141. 1989 F.W.I. – Natal University Pietermaritzburg. *Definition of Progress; Conservation and Society.*
142. 1989 National Environment Day – Daily News Durban. *“Aliens Speech”*
143. 1989 CIES – Sabi Sabi. *“Earth Day, Importance of Wilderness to Businessmen & Rhino Story”.*
144. 1989 Computer Society – Durban *“History of Durban; Philippines; Ecological Disaster”*
145. 1989 South African Breweries – Durban. *“Social Conscience & Conservation”*
146. 1989 Helderberg. *“Politics and the Environment”*
147. 1989 University of Natal – Pietermaritzburg. *“Definition of Progress” Conservation & Society”.*
148. 1989 Elida Ponds – Durban *“Industry and the Environment”*
149. 1989 Old Johannians – Johannesburg. *“The Gift of Reading & South African Politics and Conservation”*

150. 1989 Wilderness Conference – Durban. *“The Spiritual Impact of Wilderness”*
151. 1989 Democratic Party Congress – Durban. *The Ecology and our Environmental Heritage”*
152. 1989 Beachwood Mangroves Opening – Durban. *“Importance of Conservation of Biodiversity”*
153. 1989 Community Chest – Empangeni. *“Zululand Conservation and History; St Lucia Mining”*
154. 1989 Reckitt and Coleman- Durban. *“Conservation”*
155. 1990 Durban Parks and Gardens.- *“Horticulture; From Preservation to Conservation”*
156. 1990 Durban – *“Fauna and Flora,*
157. 1990 Pietermaritzburg – Girls’ High School. *“Need to protect the Earth”*
158. 1990 Durban – Lifeline. *“On Arid Ground”*
159. 1990 Polela Biosphere Reserve – Polela. *“Conservation Ethics”*
160. 1990 Richards Bay Minerals Rebuttal- Richards Bay. *“St Lucia”*
161. 1990 Sugar Industry – Durban. *“Sugar Natal, Ultimatum Tree, Destruction of Nature”*
162. 1990 Mnet Speech- Johannesburg. *“Transkei, Tribal Reserves; Zulu and Natal History”*.
163. 1990 Barlow Rand- Johannesburg. *“Managing to Change in Turbulent Times”*
164. 1990 Youth Congress – Cape Town. *“Young People’s Role in Conservation”*
165. 1990 Highway Commando Society- Westville. *“D-Day, Boer War”*
166. 1990 Ogilvy and Mather- Cape Town. *“Mining (Dunes); Seals”*
167. 1990 Building Industry Federation. – Durban. *“Devastation of Key Resources/Growing Environmental Awareness”*.
168. 1990 Audi – Johannesburg. *“Audi Terra Nova” ICP Conservation background”*
169. 1990 Rhino and Elephant Foundation – Johannesburg. *“Conservation Struggle”*
170. 1990 Howick Publicity Association. *“Poaching, Conservation Struggle”*
171. 1991 ASSET- Swaziland. *“Conservation and the Environment – Senario for a subcontinent”*
172. 1991 Durban heights Sludge Dewatering Plant Opening – Durban. *“Need to stop Pollution”*
173. 1991 NOSA – Sun City. *“Threats to Biodiversity; Rivers.*
174. 1991 Coca Cola Group – Uvongo. *“Changing the Environment, Changing People”*.
175. 1991 SAPOA – Elangeni – Durban. *“Landscapes of the Soul: A New Conservation Ethic”*.
176. 1991 Audi – Teachers Workshop – Durban. *“Landscapes of the Soul: A new Conservation Ethic”*
177. 1991 Audi – teachers Workshop- Johannesburg” *Landscapes of the Soul: A new Conservation Ethic” Floods and Drought.*
178. 1991 Audi Environmental Evening – Port Elizabeth. *“Terra Nova Awards; Feelings and Sentimentality”*
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237. 2003 Rhodes University – Grahamstown April 2003
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240. 2003 Wetland Symposium – St Lucia Wetland Park -August
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248. 2006 Wild Talk Festival Durban - April



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250. 2006 Professional Hunters Association November ,Johannesburg
251. 2007 Cavalry and Carbineers – Pietermaritzburg July
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253. 2007 Memorial lecture Ruth Edgecombe – Natal University September
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7. 1987 Idaho University. Using Wilderness Experience to Develop Human Potential.
8. 1987 Zurich. Trails, Man's Survival.
9. 1989 Ojai Community California. Jung, Wilderness; Politics.
10. 1990 Palm Springs- United States of America. “Conservation Struggle”
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14. 1993 Hobart – Tasmania. “One of the Last Opportunities for the Western World to have its cake and eat it; Wilderness”
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19. 1996 Bruno Schubert Environmental Award – Germany. “Traditional people and Conservation”
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26. 2006 Live Interview on BBC Radio London – March
27. 2006 Lecture at Royal Geographic Society London – March