



SANDTA 2016 CHAIRPERSON'S ANNUAL REPORT BY DOROTHY RUSSELL

This year was a busy year with the registration for NPO, planning of the Roadshow and numerous financial assistance to members attending congresses. I have been blessed and privileged to serve as the SANDTA Chairperson from October 2013 for the past 3 years. I am humbled by the assistance and support with the day-to-day management of the association.

It gives me great pleasure to present the annual report of SANDTA.

As this is work on a volunteer basis, I want to thank the following members of the executive committee:

Andrea Fourie (Vice-Chair)

Carol Brenner (Treasurer)

Vanessa Rademeyer (Secretary)

Shelagh Hughes (Professional and Public Relations Committee)

Pam Gibbs (Branch Liaison)

Dianne Zeller (Ed Com representative)

The executive committee held 5 teleconferences (one a special meeting) during this period, as well as a face-to-face meeting with branches representatives.

The focus of SANDTA NEC for the past year has been the registration for Non-Profit Organization, which has been finalized February 2016 and re-birth of Western Cape branch. The Roadshow in 4 branches have been organized for October 2016. Lastly the 11 procedure or policy documents of SANDTA have been updated.

Andrea Fourie wrote to Carte Blanc on the broadcast of Advanced Biomechanical Rehabilitation (ABR) treatment that is in direct competition for NDT. She consulted with Edcom on the issue of Personal indemnity during courses. She attended the Face to Face of Edcom in August 2016.

Carol Brenner as treasurer has a stern hand on SANDTA's financial and Marianne at the office assist in this regard. Financial assistance were given to five SANDTA members for International Congresses and/or research.

In the past year **Shelagh Hughes** again managed the public relations portfolio expertly. She runs this portfolio in a professional way through the Newsletter and Website. Regular advertising of SANDTA branches events, Ed Com courses and advertising of non-related SANDTA activities through sms and emails. The generated income from advertising increased from R8140 (2015) to R11 605.00 for this year.

Type of Advert	Number of adverts	Income
Member sms & email	7	R 1,915.00
Member sms, email & website	2	R 840.00
Non-member sms & email	14	R 4,330.00
Non-member sms & email and website	2	R 1,290.00
Non-member website	1	R 315.00
NGO sms & email	13	R 2,105.00
NGO sms, email & website	4	R 810.00
None payment (Adult NDT course, CPA)	3	R 0.00
	Total:	R 11,605.00

Table 1- Income and advertising usage by category for July 2015- June 2016

The SANDTA website continues to be well used as can be seen by the figures below.

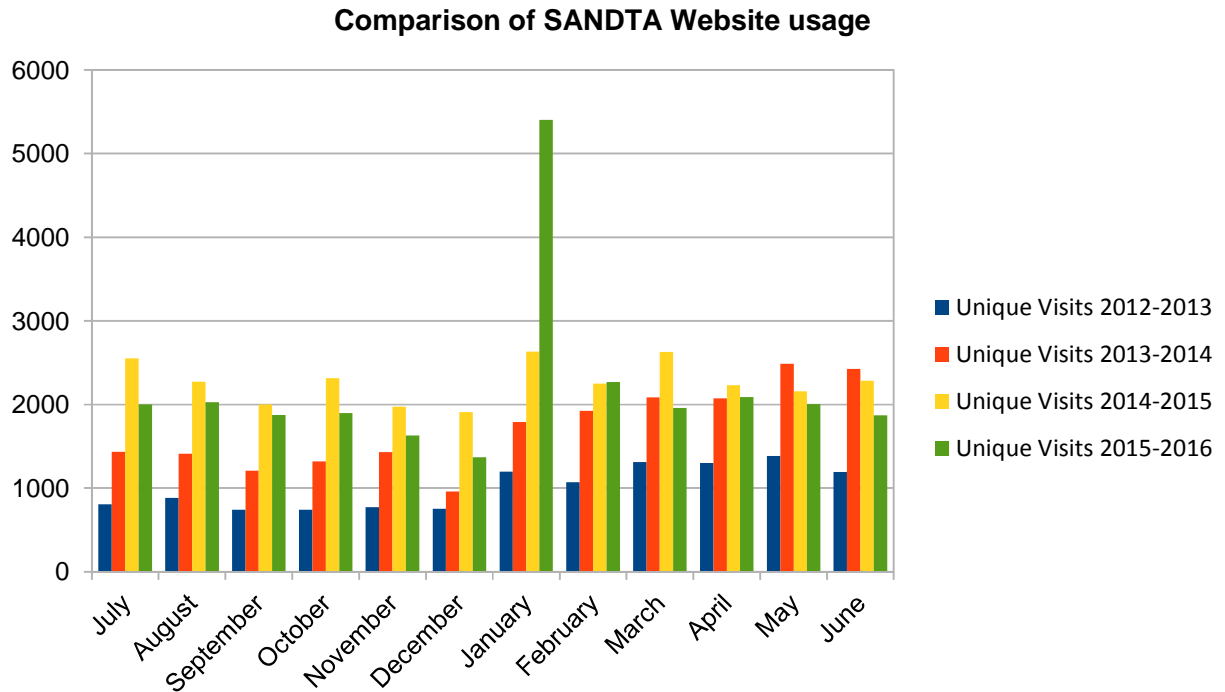


Figure 1- Unique visits

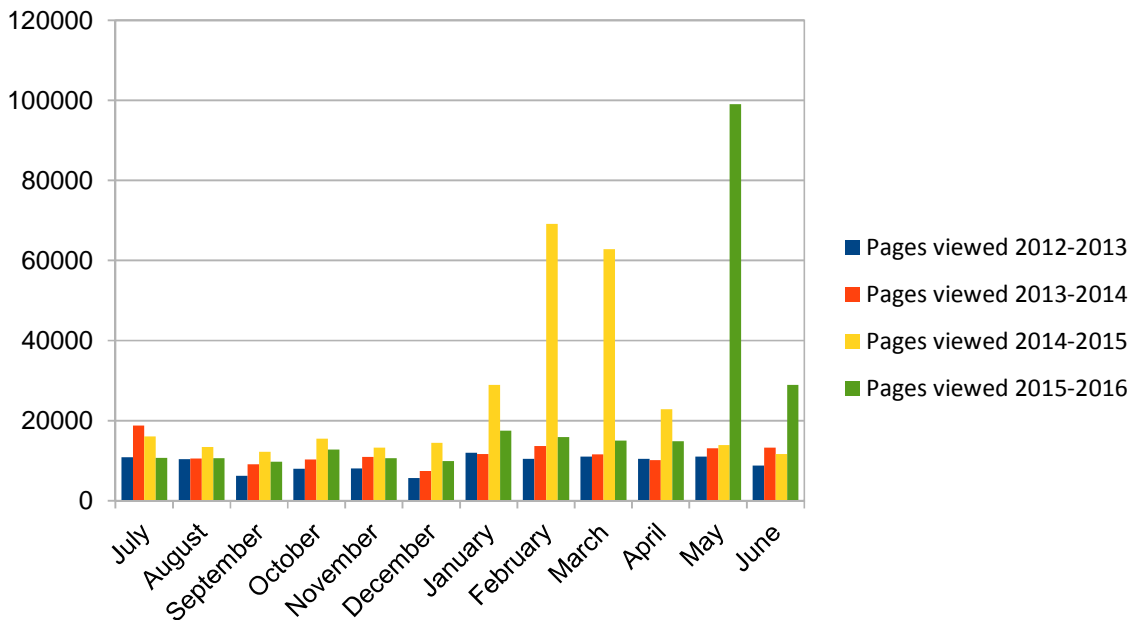


Figure 2 – Pages visited

CPD portfolio done by **Dorothy Russell** has been successful as all branches and steering committee applications are correct.

CPD Portfolio 2015-2016					
Month	Group	Activity	No of Acc	Templets	Cert
Sep-15	SG, FS, KZN	4	7	7	
Nov-15	SG	1	2	2	
Jan-16	FS, Edcom, NG	8	16	16	
Feb-16	Edcom, NG, WC, SG	5	10	10	
Mar-16	EC	2	4	4	
Apr-16	NG	1	2	2	
May-16	WC, Edcom	3	6	6	
Jun-16	KZN, SG	2	4	4	
Jul-16	WC, NG	2	4	4	
Aug-16	SG, FS, WC	4	8	8	
Total		32	63	63	
	Total for 2015	34	67	67	
	Total for 2014	53	59	48	5
	Total for 2013	52	99	67	278
	Total for 2012	55	100	60	230

I want to thank every SANDTA Educational Committee Tutor, including the NEC Representative Dianne Zeller. The work done by Ed Comm is appreciated. A total of five Intro Courses were presented this year which offered training to 78 therapists. The Basic Paediatric Eight Week Course 2016 were held at Red Cross Children's War Memorial Hospital, Cape Town. Dianne Zeller qualified as a Physio Therapy Tutor and Karien Marias was promoted to Senior Speech Therapy Tutor. The resignation of Senior Occupational Therapist Christa Scholtz leave us with sadness.

The 11th SANDTA congress 2017 at the CSIR, Pretoria: "Transitions: from infant to adulthood" under the guidance of Northern Gauteng branch chairperson, Esedra Krüger.

This previous year as NEC Branch liaison by **Pam Gibbs**, the communication between NEC and branches has been successful.

Southern Gauteng committee

Chairperson: Pamela Gibbs
 Vice- Chairperson & Treasurer: Andrea Fourie
 Secretary: Lynndall Ewan
 Media and PR: Jessica Joffe

CPD: Bianca Reinecke

Up to date 5 CPD activities to offer members 14 CPD points with total attendance of 109. They have **128** members. Ideas for CPD events in 2017: CP outreach.

Free State committee

Chairperson: Cornelia Deacon
Vice-Chair: Magda Wessels
Treasurer: Heleen (van Wyk) Nel
Secretary: Dorothy Russell
CPD and Marketing: Corina Botha
Add member: Petro du Plessis

Free State have **157** members. They had three SANDTA formal meetings with an average of 47 members attending and at the AGM 75 (109 members in 2015) attending and 8 non-members. They had 9 CPD activities during this period. This branch is responsible for the CPD articles. Bank balance is R22 907.23.

Western Cape committee (from January 2016)

Chairperson: Tamar Koekemoer
Secretary: Nicole Comninellis
Treasurer: Roche Crawford

Even though this branch underwent lots of changes and bank challenges, this committee managed to organize 3 CPD activities during this 8 month period. They are busy with a membership drive. They have **113** members, the only branch with increase in members.

KZN committee

Chairperson: Vanessa Rademeyer
Secretary: Donna Webb
Treasurer: Krystal Weatherhead
Add member: Claudia Wyer

They have **37** paid up members. The committee had 5 meetings during this year. Three successful workshops including the AGM 24 October 2014 was presented. I want to thank the Vanessa Rademeyer for the hospitality in hosting the AGM and Face-to-Face meeting.

Eastern Cape committee

Chairperson: Lurinda Els
Secretary/CPD: Emma Emmerich
Treasurer: Elisabeth Barry
Ad Hoc member: Sarita Nell
East London Rep: Anastacia Scholtz

SANDTA EC have **33** members. Three committee meetings. They organized the CP Conference 2016 in PE.

Northern Gauteng committee

Chairperson: Esedra Krüger
Secretary: Elriza Janse van Vuuren
Treasurer: Rosalie Boezaart
Marketing/Correspondence: Anja Wolmarans
Co-opted member: Sydney Percy
Co-opted member: Anita Hains
Co-opted member: Jacqui de Beer

They had 4 CPD activities including Ethics. Organizing the Pretoria Roadshow for NEC in October 2016. Organizing the 2017 11th SANDTA congress and NEC Face to Face meeting.

SANDTA NG has **58** members (North Gauteng, Limpopo, Mpumalanga and North West).

Planning for 2016/2017:

1. Next year's AGM in SGauteng, Pretoria (20 -21 September 2017)
2. 2017 11th SANDTA congress will be hosted in Pretoria by Northern Gauteng.

This year SANDTA NEC and branch chairpersons were blessed with new SANDTA babies; Vanessa Rademeyer (Secretary NEC), Cornelia Deacon (FS) and Lurinda Prinsloo (EC) end of October.

I know this coming year will be blessed. Next year we welcome Andrea Fourie as the new Chairperson 2017.



Chairperson: Dorothy Russell