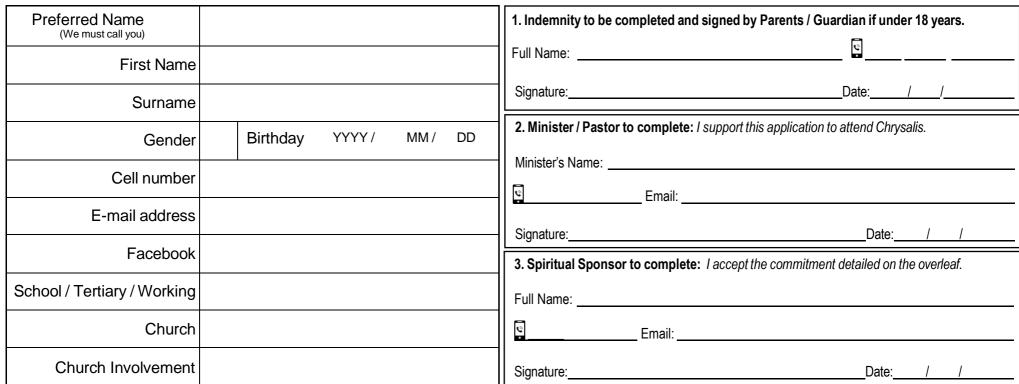
PROTEA COMMUNITY

Chrysalis

Medical conditions (E.g., hearing, handicap, snoring, etc.)				
Special dietary needs (E.g., Diabetes or food allergies, etc.)				
Contact details of close family members / friends in case required.				
Name		Cell Number		
Applicant signature:		Date:	1	/



Please email completed form, proof of deposit to Evol Goodall - <u>Protea Registrar:</u> : registrar@protea.emsa.org.za <u>Fees for 2025 Flights:</u> Full Fee R1,350 ; Deposit R675 (on application) + R675 (due by 15 June 2025).

What is Chrysalis?

A caterpillar goes through a growth stage during which it is called a "chrysalis" before it becomes a butterfly. On the surface it may not look like much is happening, but the delicate chrysalis process changes the fuzzy caterpillar into an awesome butterfly with wings of intricate designs and intense colors. The chrysalis process symbolizes how Christ can transform you into something beyond your dreams. It happens when you grow beyond yourself, opening your life to Jesus' power and love.

Chrysalis is the name that was chosen for the youth/young adult version of The Walk to Emmaus, its parent movement. The Emmaus movement is based on the story of the two followers who encountered the risen Christ on the road to Emmaus in Luke 24:13-35.

A Chrysalis Flight is a three-day spiritual renewal event, which provides participants with an opportunity to grow in their faith. It is a time to experience Christian love and make new commitments. The focus will be on how, through the prayers and actions of other Christians, one can experience Jesus as a friend. The point is to inspire, challenge and equip you for a closer friendship with Christ and for Christian action at home, church, school, and community.

What happens at Chrysalis?

You'll spend three days with other people your age in worship, prayer, fellowship, creative expression, recreation, singing, and discussion. You'll experience the love of God through prayers and the acts of service from a loving support community.

Think of it as three days for you to discover or re-discover your spiritual self, to analyse and realize who you are in Christ.

You'll hear talks that focus on the needs of maturing youth or young adults, the message of the gospel and the love and example of Jesus Christ. Each day speakers present topics with life examples, followed by discussion, reflection, and creative expression of how these messages can encourage your personal faith.

The Purpose of Chrysalis

The purpose of Chrysalis is commitment to Jesus Christ through the local church. Chrysalis will inspire, challenge, and equip local church youth for a closer friendship with Christ. It will also encourage Christian action at home, school, university and in the community.

In order to achieve its purpose, Chrysalis offers specific opportunities after the weekend. As part of a larger community these include:

- Regular gatherings for fellowship and worship
- Meetings to maintain spiritual accountability
- Training to participate in future Chrysalis or Emmaus events

Who should go on a Chrysalis flight?

Chrysalis is for the development of Christian youth and young adults, of any denomination, between the ages of 16 and 24. It is for those who wish to strengthen their friendship with Jesus Christ, may have unanswered questions about their faith, understand that being a Christian involves responsibility, are open to dedicating their everyday life to God.

Fees for 2024 Flights: Full Fee: R1,350; Deposit: R675 (Balance Due R675)

Banking Details:

Account EMSA,-PROTEA, Standard Bank Branch: Northgate (001106). Account Number: 20-240-679-2 Reference: First Name & Surname + Flight No.

How to apply for a Chrysalis Flight

The form on the overleaf needs to be completed and signed by all of the following:

1. The Applicant

- 2. The Spiritual Sponsor. Someone who has already attended a Chrysalis Flight or Walk to Emmaus and will undertake to explain the weekend, pray for the participant and assist in practical requirements.
- 3. The Applicant's own Minister / Pastor in order to be in submission to the home church. (If a minister or pastor requires more details, the Protea Spiritual Director see back page can be contacted.)

Your application will be considered prayerfully and you will be informed of your acceptance.

Requirements for Sponsorship

Sponsorship does not involve paying for participants (although in some cases this might apply), but rather ensuring that they derive most spiritual benefit from the Flight. This is a commitment that should not be taken lightly and can only be fulfilled by someone who has been on a "Walk to Emmaus" or Chrysalis Flight. It involves, among other things:

Selection of suitable Applicants:

This should be done prayerfully and in consultation with your reunion group and the relevant minister or pastor, to ascertain that this applicant will benefit from a Chrysalis Flight and is at present spiritually and emotionally suitable for this.

Support for the Flight, before and after:

You undertake to:

- Pray for this applicant;
- Encourage family/friends to participate in the care and support for him / her during the Flight;
- Arrange for transport to and from the Flight;
- Participate yourself in activities that make the weekend a special blessing;
- Help the applicant attend follow-up activities after the Flight.

PROTEA EMMAUS & CHRYSALIS COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Community Spiritual Director: Johan Potgieter Cell: 081 566 0808 csd@protea.emsa.org.za

Community Lay Director: *Craig Goodall* Cell: 061 504 2283 cld@protea.emsa.org.za

Website: http://www.protea-emmaus.org.za

DATES OF FLIGHTS 2025 - BOYS AND GIRLS @ CYARA LODGE

Boys # 51 27 – 29 June 2025 | Girls # 52 4 - 6 July 2025

POPI act:

As per the POPI act we require all Pilgrim's/Caterpillar's permission to send him/her community information and other communications.

Our newsletter is not compulsory but would benefit you as it contains information about Emmaus events and prayer requests.

Emmaus declares that your information will not be distributed or used outside the Emmaus Ministries environment.

Hereby, I agree, that my information as registered can be used by Emmaus Ministries for the purpose of Emmaus communication and use.

Name:	Signature:	Date:
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