



# PUBLIC OFFICERS' WELFARE COUNCIL

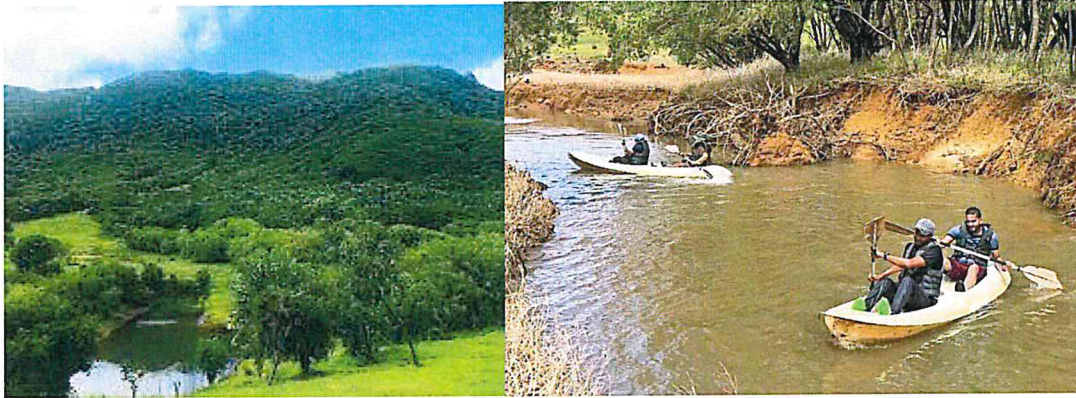
Promoting the welfare of Public Officers and their families  
Operating under the aegis of the Ministry of Public Service and Administrative Reforms

Our ref: POWC/DDLG/25

Date: 03 February 2025

From: *Welfare Events Organiser, Public Officers' Welfare Council*  
To: *Supervising Officers i/c Departments/ Ministries*

## EXCURSION TO DOMAINE DE LAGRAVE



*"Exposure to nature is one important aspect to bring balance to your life. Substantial physical activity is another aspect."  
Sadhguru*

The Public Officers' Welfare Council (POWC) is organising a full day excursion at Domaine de Lagrave on **Saturday, 26 April 2025** for the welfare of Public Officers and their families.

2. With an area of more than 500 acres of 100 percent natural picturesque forest, Domaine de Lagrave is surrounded by natural rivers, waterfalls, deer, monkeys, wild boars and birds hidden in a practically virgin forest.

3. The cost of ticket includes bus transport, access to the Domaine de Lagrave, activities, lunch, & refreshments are as follows:

Details	Child (4 – 7 years) (Mur)	Participants as from 8 years (Mur)
Transport, activities, lunch, & refreshments	950	1,750

### **Lunch menu includes:**

- **For Non-Veg:** Fricassé de légumes, crudités variées, curry de poulet, lentilles noires et riz blanc.
- **For Veg:** Fricassé de légumes, crudités variées, curry de teokon au masala, lentilles noires et riz blanc.
- **Drinks:** Mineral water, & soft drinks (excl. alcoholic drinks).
- **Dessert:** Glace.

4. Program of the day:

- **Approximate time of arrival at Domaine de Lagrave:** 09.00
- **Briefing session by POWC/ Domaine de Lagrave team:** 09.00-09.10
- **Activities\*:** 09.15-12.30
- **Lunch:** 12.30-14.00
- **Leisure time/Fun Games\*\*:** 14.00-15.15
- **Departure from Domaine de Lagrave:** 15.30

✚ *Activities\*:* Randonnée, tir à l'arc, relais de kayak, et parcours du combattant.  
✚ *Fun Games\*\*:* Chess, domino, tug of war, cards and musical chair.

5. Departure from pick-up points will be as follows:

(a)	Curepipe (Near Municipality of Curepipe & SBM)	07:45 hours
(b)	Trianon (Near La City Trianon - Bus Stop)	07:45 hours
(c)	Réduit, University of Mauritius (Bus Stop)	07:45 hours
(d)	Port Louis (Government Centre - Near Queen Victoria Statue)	07:30 hours
(e)	Pamplemousses (Parking SSR Botanical Garden – By the motorway)	07:00 hours
(f)	Flacq (Bus Terminal near VIP Commercial Centre)	07:00 hours
(g)	Own Transport to reach Domaine de Lagrave	09:00 hours

6. Please note that **time indicated above is subject to changes** as and when required by the Council **for better convenience of participants**, pick-up points will depend on the number of participants and may be subject to amendments. Participants not availing of transport facilities provided by the Council and latecomers will have to make their own transport arrangements.

7. **It is mandatory that participants be physically fit for the excursion. The activity is not recommended for infants under 3 years.** Participants should mandatorily wear **hiking shoes and weather appropriate clothing** and are encouraged to bring along **a spare set of clothes & towel** (Hot & cold-water facilities available).

8. Participants will have to bear responsibility of any mishap caused by themselves or accompanying members of their family during the excursion.

9. Public Officers, wishing to participate in the excursion, alone or with their families, are requested to fill in the participation form (Annex I) and submit same together with the exact amount on the scheduled date of payment. The following documents should be submitted while effecting payment:

- (i) A photocopy of a recent payslip/top part of the payslip indicating the name, paysite code and National Identity Card number or any written evidence/document attesting that the applicant is a serving Public Officer;
- (ii) Photocopy of National Identity Card for each adult; and
- (iii) Photocopy of Birth Certificate or student ID for any participant under the age of 18 years.

10. Payment will be received on a **“first come first served basis”** as from **Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> February 2025 from 09 30 to 14 00 hours** at the seat of the **POWC, Level 12, SICOM Building II, Corner Chevreau & Reverend Jean Lebrun Streets, Port Louis.**

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11. Payment can be effected by **card, or cheque** to the order of "Public Officers' Welfare Council". **No refund** will be considered in case of cancellation of participation, except in exceptional cases (e.g. illness, death of close relative or any other valid reason). **However, an administrative fee of MUR 200 per participant, together with other cancellation charges claimed by the stakeholder will be applicable.**
12. The POWC reserves the right to cancel/postpone the excursion in case of bad weather or any other unforeseen circumstances. Participants will be refunded accordingly.
13. It would be appreciated if you could kindly arrange for the contents of this Circular letter to be brought to the attention of all Public Officers serving in your Ministry/Department/Division.
14. This Circular letter has been posted on the website and Facebook Page of the POWC.

*M. Boyjoonauth*

**Mrs. M.D. Boyjoonauth  
Welfare Events Organiser**



**Copy to: Presidents of Staff Welfare Associations**

**Name of Applicant:** \*Mr./Mrs./Miss .....  
 (\*Delete as appropriate and surname in block letters)

**Designation:** .....

**Ministry/Department:** .....

**Tel (Off):** ..... **Tel (Res):** ..... **Tel (Mob):** .....

**Residential Address:** .....

**Email Address:** .....

<b>Flacq</b> [Near Bus Terminal near VIP Commercial Centre] 07:00 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Port Louis</b> (Government Centre - Near Queen Victoria Statue) 07:30 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>
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<b>Trianon</b> [Near La City Trianon - Bus Stop] 07:45 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Own Transport</b> to reach Domaine de Lagrave 09:00 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Réduit, University of Mauritius</b> [Bus Parking] 07:45 hours	<input type="checkbox"/>		

**Accompanied By:**

S/N	Name	Relationship	Date of Birth	Age	Lunch		Amount (Rs)
					Veg	Non-Veg	
	<b>SELF (APPLICANT)</b>						
2							
3							
4							
5							
<b>Total</b>							

**Note:**

- (i) A photocopy of recent payslip/ top part of payslip indicating the name, pay site code and NIC number or any written evidence/ document attesting that the applicant is a Public Officer in service and photocopy of Birth Certificate or student ID for any participant under the age of 18 years should be produced when effecting payment.
- (ii) Be assured that all information provided in the form will be kept confidential.

*I and my family members confirm that we are participating in the excursion at our own risk. I/We understand by signing this participation form that neither I and/nor my family member cannot enter any representation, or statement, or legal action against the Public Officers' Welfare Council.*

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**Date**

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**Signature of Applicant**

*For office use only*

	<b>Amount Paid (Rs)</b>	<b>Receipt No.</b>	
<b>Payment Effected by</b>	Cash:	<b>Cheque No:</b>	
	Card:		
	Cheque:		