



June 2013

Rhebokskloof Wine Estate, situated in the magnificent Paarl valley, 40 kilometres from Cape Town, is nestled between the granite hills of the Paarl Rock mountains. On top of being the perfect location for weddings and events, the picturesque Estate boasts with a restaurant and award-winning wines.



FATHER'S DAY AT RHEBOKSKLOOF

16 JUNE 2013

Treat your dad this Father's Day with our Boland Braai Buffet at R195 p/p
(kiddies menu and entertainment available).

4x4 Land Rover Experience to the Flat Rock Lookout point, including a glass of sparkling wine at R60 p/p
(weather permitting).

Reservations essential. Email restaurant@rhebokskloof.co.za



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WINE ESTATE

INTERESTING NEWS FROM THE CELLAR

At last the long awaited winter rains have started and the vineyards can eventually start shedding their leaves and cuddle up for a nice and lengthy, well deserved rest.

What has been a very up & down harvest and a strange start to autumn, with cooler temperatures and windy conditions during February and March and rain in April, the pattern seems to be normalising and hopefully this is the start to a traditional cold and wet winter. The cover crop that we sowed in-between the vineyard rows are slowly sticking out their necks above ground and a beautiful green sheen is covering the vineyards.

The 2013 Chenin Blanc and Sauvignon Blanc wines are being bottled at the moment and will be ready for enjoyment soon – watch out for these lovely exuberant fresh & fruity wines.



AWARD WINNING WINES

Rhebokskloof 2010 Black Marble Hill recently won a gold medal and Rhebokskloof 2010 Estate Shiraz won a silver award at the Syrah du Monde awards 2013. This is the third award for the Rhebokskloof 2010 Black Marble Hill in one year as it was also selected as one of the Top 100 SA Wines in 2013 and won a Michelangelo Gold award in 2012.



DID YOU KNOW?

CORK SPOILAGE OF WINES

A mouldy flavour can develop when a combination of lignin (wood component), halogen (chlorine, bromide or iodine) and certain micro-organisms are together under suitable conditions. The mouldy character of a corky wine is associated with TCA (trichloro-anisole). Corks are made from the bark of the cork oak tree, which contains a large microflora population. Traditionally the raw cork bark was treated with boiling water to remove undesirable components and a chlorine solution to bleach the cork. Consequently the combination of lignin, halogen (chlorine) and micro-organisms existed, which made corks prone to mouldiness. Cork suppliers had to adjust their production methods to minimise this risk.

UNIQUE VENUES

The estate offers a variety of venues, including a Bedouin tent under permanent roof structure that hosts a maximum of 300 guests. The Cape Dutch venue is perfect for smaller celebrations with a maximum of 100 guests.

Wedding ceremonies can be held in the lush gardens. A beautiful boma is also an option for a unique braai experience with breathtaking views.

Rhebokskloof lends itself to any type of function, be it office events, year-end parties, team-building sessions or product launches.

[**Click here**](#) for more information.



Take advantage of our attractive winter and mid-week rates.



BRAINSTORM AT RHEBOKSKLOOF THIS WINTER

Rhebokskloof is one of the Cape Winelands' premier business function destinations. The unique surroundings provide the perfect environment for stimulating new ideas. Our conference facilities are relaxing and comfortable.

EVENTS TO LOOK FORWARD TO

Visit our stand at the CTICC SA Wedding Show on 7 to 9 June 2013.

Add <http://www.rhebokskloof.co.za/#/events> to your favourites and stay in the loop.

INTO NATURE

The estate's 'Rooikat' hiking trail is the ideal way to explore the unique fauna and flora surrounding Rhebokskloof. Guests can enjoy quad bike tours on the estate, led by an experienced guide. Alternatively, explore the estate and its magnificent surrounds on horseback. Moonlight trails and trails combined with a wine tasting are available as well.



NEW AROMAS FROM THE KITCHEN

The Rhebok restaurant offers winter warmers on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Don't miss the Shank & Shiraz offer in June, Potjie & Pinotage in July and Curry & Cabernet in July. The popular Sunday buffets are a must, please book in advance to avoid disappointment.

LET'S PLAY

Rhebokskloof is child friendly. We offer a jungle gym, jumping castles and free pony rides over weekends.

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