

hello and welcome

The Overberg wine route has become one of the most sought-after wine destinations in South Africa.

With Creation at No 4 on the list of best wine estate experiences in the world, and Benguela Cove at No 50, this wine region now has world-class winemaking status. And this comes from pure dedication, hard work and a deep love for its climate, terroir and people.

Since 1992, when I first bought a tiny country house in Stanford, I have seen the area flourish, seen small vineyards and wineries popping up, growing and expanding, year after year. My love of tasting and exploring wine and the wine estates from this region led to the first publication of my Overberg Country Maps in 2003. The popularity of the area expanded, with Hermanus and smaller Overberg towns becoming precious weekend retreats and holiday homes, and we published the first Overberg Wine Guide booklet in 2007 with the addition of restaurants and accommodation.

We've been through much hardship. The harsh recession from 2007–2011, the following severe drought, the veld fires, the devaluation of the rand, loadshedding and now another onslaught brought on by severe flooding in the Overberg. But these challenges have only made the vines and the people stronger, more characterful, more unique and have even beckoned many more visitors to our beautiful land.



We will stay strong and hopeful; we will keep making great and exquisite wines the area is now known for.

We welcome all visitors to our breathtaking, varied landscape and stunning coastline ... and, of course, to the wonderful wine estates.

Here, in the Overberg, there is a wonderful wine experience awaiting you.

HANLIE ALLAN, PUBLISHER

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OVERBERG WINE is pleased to announce

wine and life

with J P Rossouw



Winemaking is one of the most ancient traditions in human culture and, since the beginning, it has gone beyond the simple pleasure of something wonderful to drink. The grape was the first fruit to be so carefully studied and its many varieties named and cultivated, the first to be nurtured to the point that parts of the world are uniquely planted to one or two grapes and the ground there given global protection of its identity, like Champagne and Chianti. For over 6,000 years the vine has grown alongside us. In South Africa we are unique in the world of wine because we know the exact date that wine was first made here: 2nd of February 1659. South African wine is justly growing in reputation – from our wonderful Hemel-en-Aarde Valley with its pioneering Pinots, to the elegant cool-climate Sauvignons of the Agulhas, to the benchmark Cabernets of Stellenbosch and to the Chenins of the Swartland from old vineyard blocks. Here at Wine Village we celebrate all of them, and we celebrate the way there is a wine for any occasion. Mostly, we celebrate the sense of community that wine brings to our lives: wine is for sharing, wine is for raising a toast – “to the good life!”

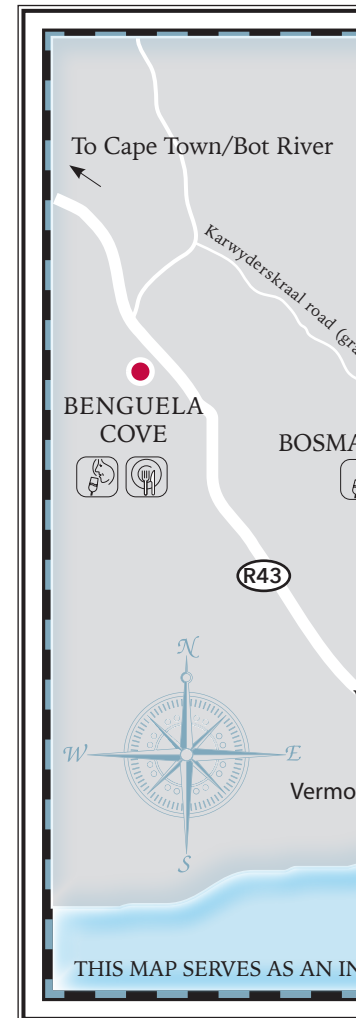
We look forward to hosting you, or sending fine South African wine to your home, anywhere in the world.

Jean-Pierre Rossouw is owner of Wine Village Hermanus.



Fine South African wine since 1998

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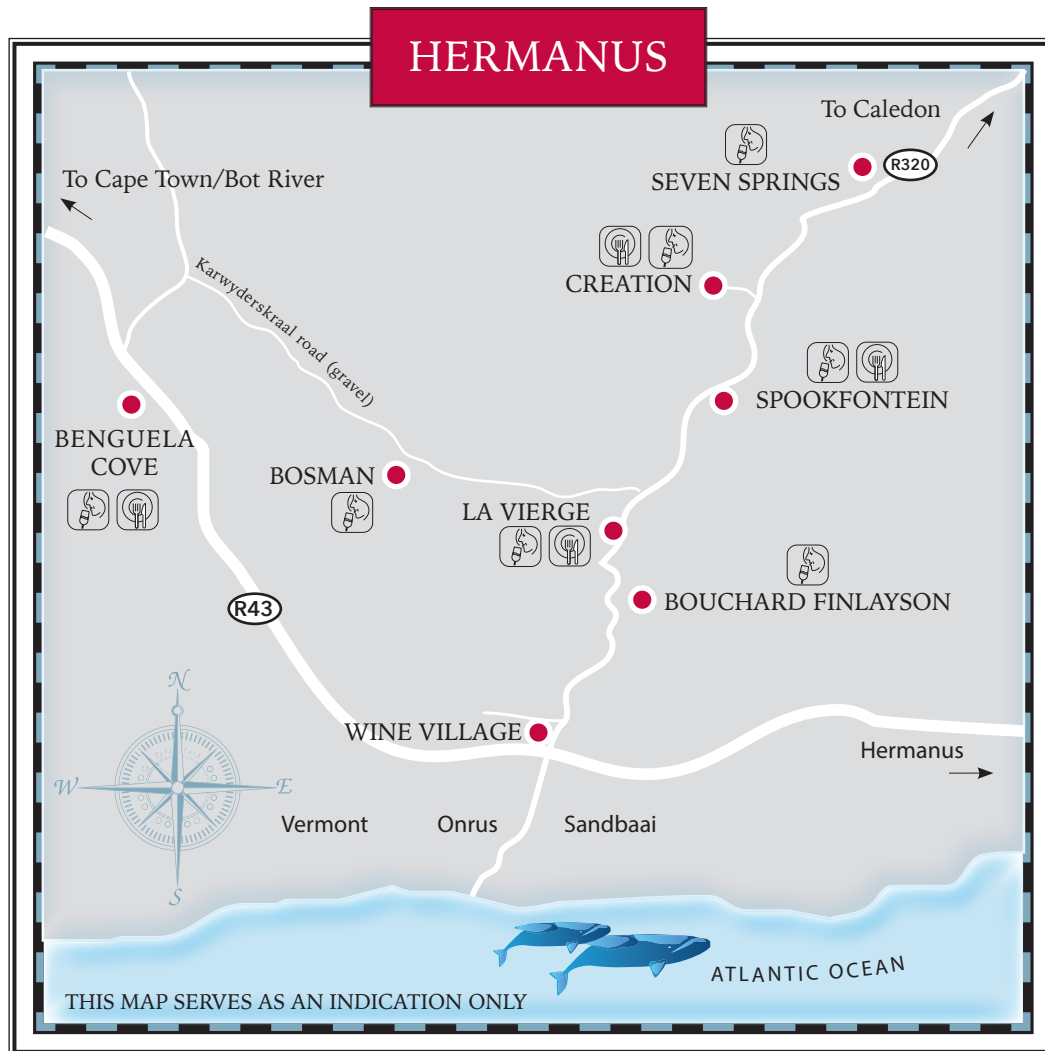
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CREATION WINES

Creation's fine wine alchemy is a rare blend of art, science, our people, and a sense of place. We love to share this with you!

In our little piece of paradise on the scenic Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge near Hermanus, every dawn brings an exciting new challenge and innovation is a way of life. This trendsetting spirit has shaped our vision and led to our estate being rated number 4 on the 2023 World's Best Vineyards list and number 1 in Africa.

At Creation we believe hospitality is the art of creating a memorable experience. Starting with the warm welcome in our Tasting Room, the Creation Experience includes no less than seven pairing options: The Seasonal Pairing, the À la Carte, the Breakfast Pairing, the Paradoxical Chocolate Pairing, the Non-alcoholic Pairing, the Kids Menu, and the Platter Pairing. Plant-based options are available and all Creation wines are vegan friendly. Our beautiful and environmentally positive biome, surrounding Fynbos gardens and scenic hiking and cycling trails add to the attraction.

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WINE TASTING AND SALES: Daily 09h00 – 17h00

WINE AND FOOD PAIRING: Daily 10h00 – 16h00

BREAKFAST: Daily 09h30 – 11h00

Closed on 25 December and 1 January



The Wines: Sauvignon Blanc, Sauvignon-Semillon, Viognier, Cool-Climate Chenin, Old-Vine Chenin, Chardonnay, Reserve Chardonnay, Art of Chardonnay, Viognier-Roussanne, Rosé, Pinot Noir, Reserve Pinot Noir, Art of Pinot Noir, Merlot, Reserve Syrah, Syrah-Grenache, Cabernet Sauvignon-Merlot-Petit Verdot, Elation Cap Classique, Fine Cape Vintage, Chardonnay Gin, Pinot Noir Gin.

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BENGUEL

Experience an unforgettable blend of entertainment, award-winning delectable cuisine at Benguela Cove. Nestled between Cape Town and Hermanus, this hidden gem alongside the majestic Agulhas has earned its place as a WWF Champion winery. A destination not only for guests of all ages. Indulge your senses in a luxurious tasting room, boasting panoramic views. Explore a diverse range of wine tasting experiences that cater to every palate. From succulent oysters to delectable chocolate to charcuterie, there is something for everyone.

Pontoon Cruises | Art Gallery | Vineyard Tours | Adventure Golf & Splash Park | Dog-friendly | Live Music | Restaurant | Tasting Room | Weddings & Conferences | Accommodation

The Wines: Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Malbec, Merlot, Pinot Noir, Syrah, Verdot, Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc and Semillon, Sauvignon Blanc-Classique, Sauvignon Blanc-Semillon, Noble Late Harvest, Rosé.

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BENGUELA COVE

Experience an unforgettable blend of exceptional entertainment, award-winning wines, and delectable cuisine at Benguela Cove Wine Estate. Nestled between Cape Town and Hermanus, this hidden gem alongside the majestic Atlantic Ocean has earned its place as a WWF Conservation Champion winery. A destination not to be missed by guests of all ages. Indulge your senses in the luxurious tasting room, boasting panoramic views. Explore a diverse range of wine tasting and pairing experiences that cater to every palate. From succulent oysters to delectable cheese, heavenly chocolate to charcuterie, there is something for everyone.

Pontoon Cruises | Art Gallery | Vineyard Safaris
Adventure Golf & Splash Park | Dog-friendly
Live Music | Restaurant | Tasting Room
Weddings & Conferences | Accommodation

The Wines: Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Malbec, Merlot, Petit Verdot, Syrah, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc and Semillon, Cap Classique, Sauvignon Blanc-Semillon, Noble Late Harvest, Rosé.

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Spring & Summer: 09h30 – 21h00

Autumn & Winter: 09h00 – 18h00

Adventure Golf & Splash Park:

Weekend Brunch: Sat & Sun 09h30 – 12h00

Weekend Lunch: Sat & Sun 12h00 – 16h00

Dinner: Closed for winter

Pontoon Cruises: Wed – Sun (weather dependent)

Art Gallery: Mon – Sun 10h00 – 18h00

Adventure Golf & Splash Park:

Summer: Mon – Sun 10h00 – 20h00

Winter: Closed



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BOUCHAR

Founded in 1989, Bouchar Finlayson is located in the scenic Hemel-en-Aarde Valley, famous for its internationally acclaimed wine region in South Africa. Under the ownership of the Tollman family, and guided by the leadership of Chris Tollman, Bouchar Finlayson is passionate about the pursuit of winemaking excellence. Cellar master Chris Albrecht heads the winery, focusing on class winemaking and viticultural techniques. The focused portfolio of terroir-driven wines includes More than half of the 25 hectares of vineyard is devoted to Pinot Noir; the variety that Bouchar Finlayson is most famous for. Other cultivars in production include Sauvignon Blanc, Sangiovese, Nebbiolo, and Barbera.

Produced according to age-old winemaking principles, our handcrafted wines are enjoyed by an international audience of connoisseurs and critics as some of the most refined in South African wine.

Bouchar Finlayson combines traditional winemaking techniques with New World creativity, resulting in celebrated wines that create lasting memories.

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BOUCHARD FINLAYSON

Founded in 1989, Bouchard Finlayson is situated in the scenic Hemel-en-Aarde Valley, falling within the internationally acclaimed wine region of Walker Bay, South Africa. Under the ownership of the Tollman family, and guided by the leadership of Victoria Tollman, Bouchard Finlayson is passionate in its pursuit of winemaking excellence.

Cellar master Chris Albrecht heads up our world-class winemaking and viticultural team, crafting a focused portfolio of terroir-driven wines.

More than half of the 25 hectares under vine is devoted to Pinot Noir, the varietal for which Bouchard Finlayson is most famous.

Other cultivars in production include Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Sangiovese, Nebbiolo, Mourvèdre and Barbera.

Produced according to age-old Burgundian principles, our handcrafted wines are hailed by an international audience of connoisseurs and wine critics as some of the most refined examples of South African wine.

Bouchard Finlayson combines classical French winemaking techniques with New World innovation and creativity, resulting in celebrated wines and lasting memories.



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TASTING AND SALES:

Mon – Fri: 09h00 – 16h30

Sat – Sun: 10h00 – 16h00

Public Holidays: 10h00 – 16h00



The Wines: Tête de Cuvée Pinot Noir, Galpin Peak Pinot Noir, Hannibal, Missionvale Chardonnay, Kaaimansgat/Crocodile's Lair Chardonnay, Sans Barrique Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Blanc de Mer.

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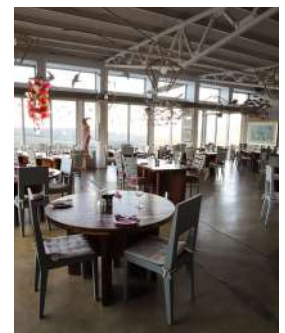
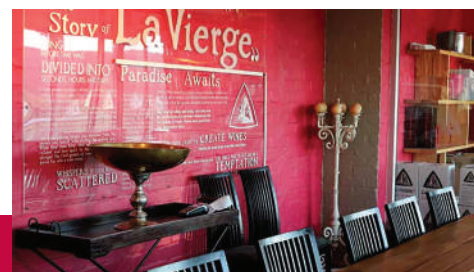


Temptation calls and there is no need to resist this magnificent destination. A catwalk over the shining steel wine tanks in the cellar is the perfect introduction to a unique food and wine experience.

La Vierge Wines is a specialist producer of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay. La Vierge grapes are grown in the rich clay-based soil of the cool climate Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge, best suited to delicate styled wines.

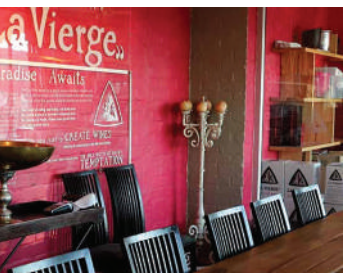
Enjoy various wine and food pairings or select your wines for tasting. We offer a host of experiences through the year. Follow us on social media to stay up to date.

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RESTAURANT: Tues – Sun 11h00 – 16h00
and selected evenings. Contact to confirm.

Scrumptious hearty dishes, platters, daily seasonal specials and tapas are on offer at B's Stro restaurant to match the unique flavours of La Vierge Estate. Take time to savour spectacular views, play a game of boule on the verandah, browse through the colourful art collection. The restaurant is open for lunch, weddings and special celebrations.

Look out for... the stunning views and great ambiance!



BOSMAN F

The Bosman Family has a history of following a different path, of challenging themselves to find a solution in the unexpected. This has been propagating vines and making wine in the Bovenlei region of Wellington for 80 years. But true to form, they went in search of a cool climate vineyard that would offer the 'terroir' of the Bovenlei. The Upper Hemel-en-Aarde Valley proved just the ticket. One of the largest producers of wine in the wine and grape industry, the Bosmans are also looking for a suitable site to propagate. In fact, a visit to this farm was a real round. The Frame House is a wooden building housing the wine tasting venue for the Bosman Family Vineyards, on their farm in the Upper Hemel-en-Aarde Valley. Here is a refreshment station from which you can explore both nature and your place. Soak up the views from the veranda or go for a more adventurous, amble up the mountain paths to absorb the stillness broken by rustling bushes and soft bird call. The Koppie trail laid out by a conservationist, the late Frank Wouda, is his team. The trails wind their way through a number of habitats from farmland to renosterveld. A healthy and relaxing environment for the whole family to enjoy.

Explore with eyes wide open ...

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BOSMAN FAMILY VINEYARDS

The Bosman Family has a history of choosing a different path, of challenging themselves to find a solution in the unexpected. This family has been propagating vines and making wine in the Boven region of Wellington for 8 generations. But true to form, they went in search of a cool climate vineyard that would complement the 'terroir' of the Boven. The Upper Hemel-en-Aarde Valley proved just the answer: One of the largest producers of vines to the wine and grape industry, the Bosmans were also looking for a suitable site on which to propagate. In fact, a visit to this farm is a treat all round. The Frame House is a wooden structure housing the wine tasting venue belonging to Bosman Family Vineyards, on their farm in the Upper Hemel-en-Aarde Valley, Hermanus. It is a refreshment station from which you can explore both nature and your place within it. Soak up the views from the veranda or, for the more adventurous, amble up the mountain paths to absorb the stillness broken only by the rustling bushes and soft bird call. Experience the Koppie trail laid out by well-known conservationist, the late Frank Woodvine, and his team. The trails wind their way through a number of habitats from farmland to fynbos & renosterveld. A healthy and relaxing activity for the whole family to enjoy.



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WINE TASTING & SALES: Tue to Fri 9h00 – 17h00

Sat: 10h00 – 16h00 Kitchen closes at 15h00

Sun: 10h00 – 15h00 Kitchen closes at 14h00

Public Holidays: 10h00 – 15h00

Closed: Good Friday, 25 December, 26 December,

1 January



The Wines: Generation 8: Chenin Blanc, Rosé, Merlot, Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon. Upper Hemel-en-Aarde: Sauvignon Blanc, Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Magnum Opus Pinot Noir, Loose Cannon CC.

Single Vineyard: Fides Grenache Blanc, Optenhorst Chenin Blanc, Twyfeling Cinsaut. Fairtrade: Bosman Adama Red & Bosman Adama White. Nero D'Avola, Erfenis, Dolce Primitivo, Bosman Cabernet Sauvignon.

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Nestled below the fynbos-covered hills, the winery and restaurant, which was designed to fit seamlessly into the landscape. Constructed of striking brick, steel and stone, the building has large windows framing the beautiful valley and the Atlantic Ocean in the distance.

The origin of the name Spookfontein (Spooky Fountain) dates back to the 1800s, attributed to the ghostly swirls created by a natural spring found on the farm in the hills above the vineyards.

The winery produces stunning, characterful wines, every aspect thereof closely monitored by Andries Gotze and winemaker Dewald van der Merwe. With a small cellar, Spookfontein has the time and extra love and devotion into their work. Their tasting room is a taste of the sun-drenched Upper Hemel-and-Aarde Valley produce. The menu at the restaurant is a take on traditional country cooking, where rustic comfort meets a new updated persona on the plate. With the stunning views and the wine, Spookfontein becomes the farm for long languid afternoons in Hemel-en-Aarde.

If you are looking for the most magical getaway, there are two cottages at Spookfontein, each between vineyard and mountain, each with its own people.

Take a break from life ...

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SPOOKFONTEIN

Nestled below the fynbos-covered mountains are the winery and restaurant, which were masterfully designed to fit seamlessly into the landscape. Constructed of striking brick, steel and timber; large windows framing the beautiful valley below and the Atlantic Ocean in the distance.

The origin of the name Spookfontein (Ghost Fountain) dates back to the 1800s and can be attributed to the ghostly swirls created in the small natural spring found on the farm in the mountains above the vineyards.

The winery produces stunning, character-driven wines, every aspect thereof closely monitored by viticulturist Andries Gotze and winemaker Dewald Grobler. Being a small cellar, Spookfontein has the time to put a little extra love and devotion into their work. Join them at their tasting room for a taste of the superb wines the Upper Hemel-and-Aarde Valley produces.

The menu at the restaurant is a take on contemporary country cooking, where rustic comfort food is given a new updated persona on the plate. When combined with the stunning views and the wine, Spookfontein becomes the farm for long languid lunches in the Hemel-en-Aarde.

If you are looking for the most magical spot to break-away, there are two cottages at Spookfontein, nestled between vineyard and mountain, each sleeping four people.



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Winery: Mon – Sat: 10h00 – 16h30

Sun & Public Holidays: 10h00 – 16h00

Restaurant: Tues – Sun: 12h00 – 15h30



The Wines: Phantom, Opera, Pinot Noir, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Full Moon, Chenin, Merlot, Sauvignon Blanc, Syrah and Rosé.

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SEVEN SPRINGS



The wines at Seven Springs Vineyard express purity and character. We stay true to our varieties (Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Syrah and Pinot Noir), the climate and the soils and we invite you to come and taste.

Famed for the production of Burgundian varieties Chardonnay and Pinot Noir; the R320 Hemel-en-Aarde Valley road gives Seven Springs the opportunity to showcase our talent.

Named after the seven natural springs of the nearby town of Caledon, our production is small as is our team who work to produce the wines.

The tasting experience will be informal and informative, warm and welcoming.

The full range of six wines, only single varieties, are available to taste and specials are often on offer.

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VINEYARDS

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TASTING AND SALES:

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Weekends from September: 11h00 – 16h00

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The Wines:
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Pinot Noir, Syrah.

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September: 11h00 – 16h00

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Overberg Wine is proud to present

overberg chardonnay - queen of hearts *with Carolyn Martin*

We are fortunate to live and work in one of the most biodiverse wine regions in the world; a region famous for its world-class Chardonnay.

The Overberg, with its proximity to the Atlantic Ocean, cool climate, elevation, and longer ripening season, is ideally suited to producing Chardonnay of great elegance and finesse. Regular cloud cover, filtering out sunlight, brings forth a hauntingly beautiful, restrained style of Chardonnay, with the acidity and texture setting it apart from the broader style of warmer climate wines.

If you are looking for a juxtaposition of New- and Old-World Chardonnay – energised, crisp and complex or pristine and linear – look no further than the Overberg. Here you will find an exciting variety to tantalise your palate and enhance the bounty of fresh produce from our region.

Fine Chardonnay is about the sense of place and the fine people who make it. Discover the Chardonnay of the Overberg and you'll soon find out why it is renowned as the queen of white wine!

We look forward to your visits.



CAROLYN MARTIN IS THE TEAM LEADER AND CREATIVE DIRECTOR AT CREATION WINES.

OVERBERG WINE is pleased to announce

talking wine

with Chris Albrecht

Cellar Master Chris Albrecht from BOUCHARD FINLAYSON shares some ideas as a winemaker.

Since childhood I've been attracted to the outdoors and nature, which later evolved into an interest in agriculture. Being schooled in the Boland, where wine has a long history and is culturally imbedded into the agricultural landscape, my exposure to the industry was inevitable. From the outside, a lot of romance and artistry is perceived in what we do – some of it true. However, being able to create something useful, even if only partly, is the most rewarding part of being a winemaker. Another is the fairly tight-knit community which, in my current situation, is as interactive and cooperative as you could hope for in any profession. Today wine, to me, is a language and a way of life. As a result of what I do, I've seen many fabulous places and have met numerous interesting people. Our common interest makes it possible to form a bond with someone from a totally different part of the world. I also find the seasonal transition of growing wine stimulating. We are now well into the summer tasks of vineyard management and preparing wines for bottling. During the cool winter months, activities slow down and everyone takes a break. Soon after, the first buds open, signalling yet another new season.



Certain wine glasses perform better than others (there's actually some science to back this up). What are the best wine glasses for you?

You can drink wine from whatever vessel you want, be it a wine glass, coffee mug, paper cup or you can ditch the glass altogether and drink straight from the bottle!

However, using the right glass improves the taste of wine. And they won't cost you a fortune either.

So here is a guide





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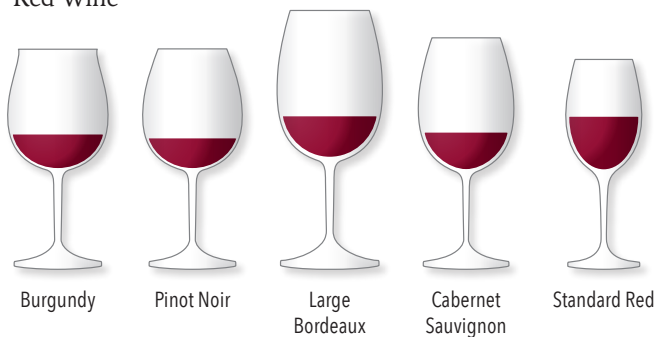
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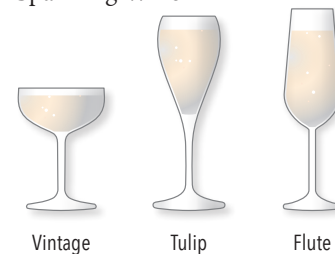
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White Wine



Sparkling Wine



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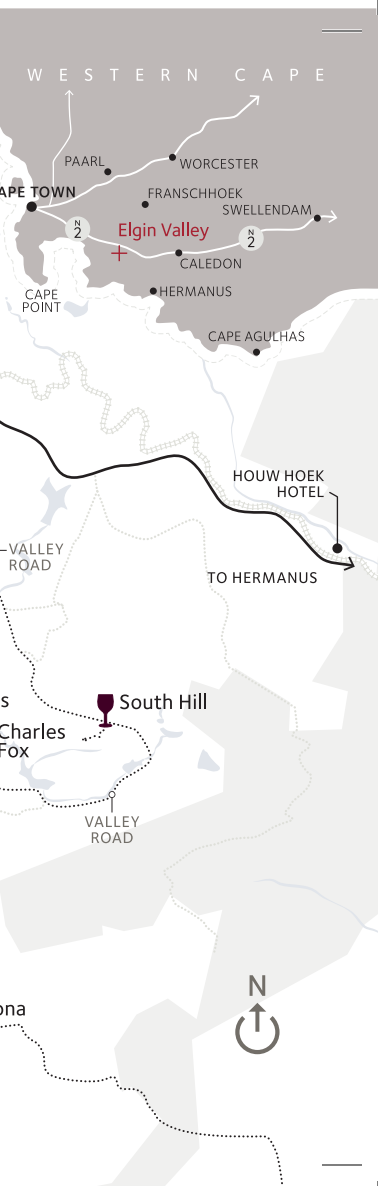
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The Active@Almenkerk trail is accessible to all ages and levels of fitness. It is safe, circular, and clearly marked; 5 km in total with an optional extension of 2 km. The route starts from the tasting room and weaves through the orchards and vineyards of the estate. The route is peppered with seven fun activity stations and include tyre flips, parallel bars and a water cannon, which is popular on hotter days. Visitors are offered a complimentary glass of wine on completion of the trail. There are information boards along the trail that include interesting farming and nature facts. A complimentary map highlights all the wildlife that visitors can spot, including an 'I-Spy' tick sheet to keep little ones engaged.

Opening Times: 8am – 3pm Tuesday – Fridays and 9am – 3pm on Saturdays (Contact the Estate for early access requests)

Cost: 40 ZAR per person – all proceeds are set aside for alien clearing on the estate.

Contact: see opposite page.



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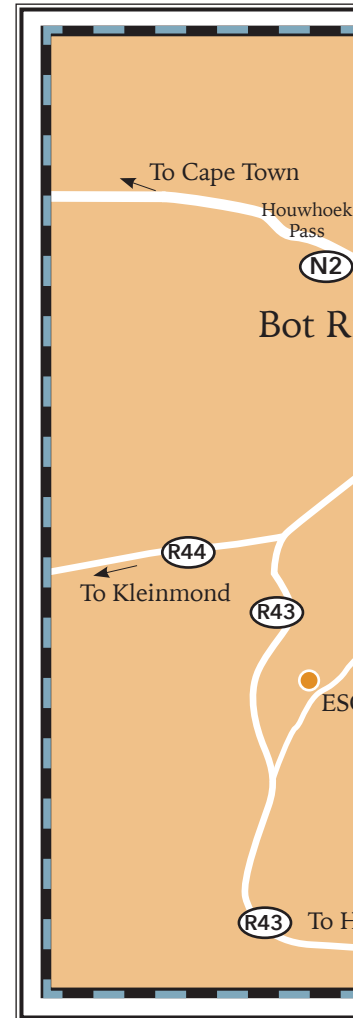
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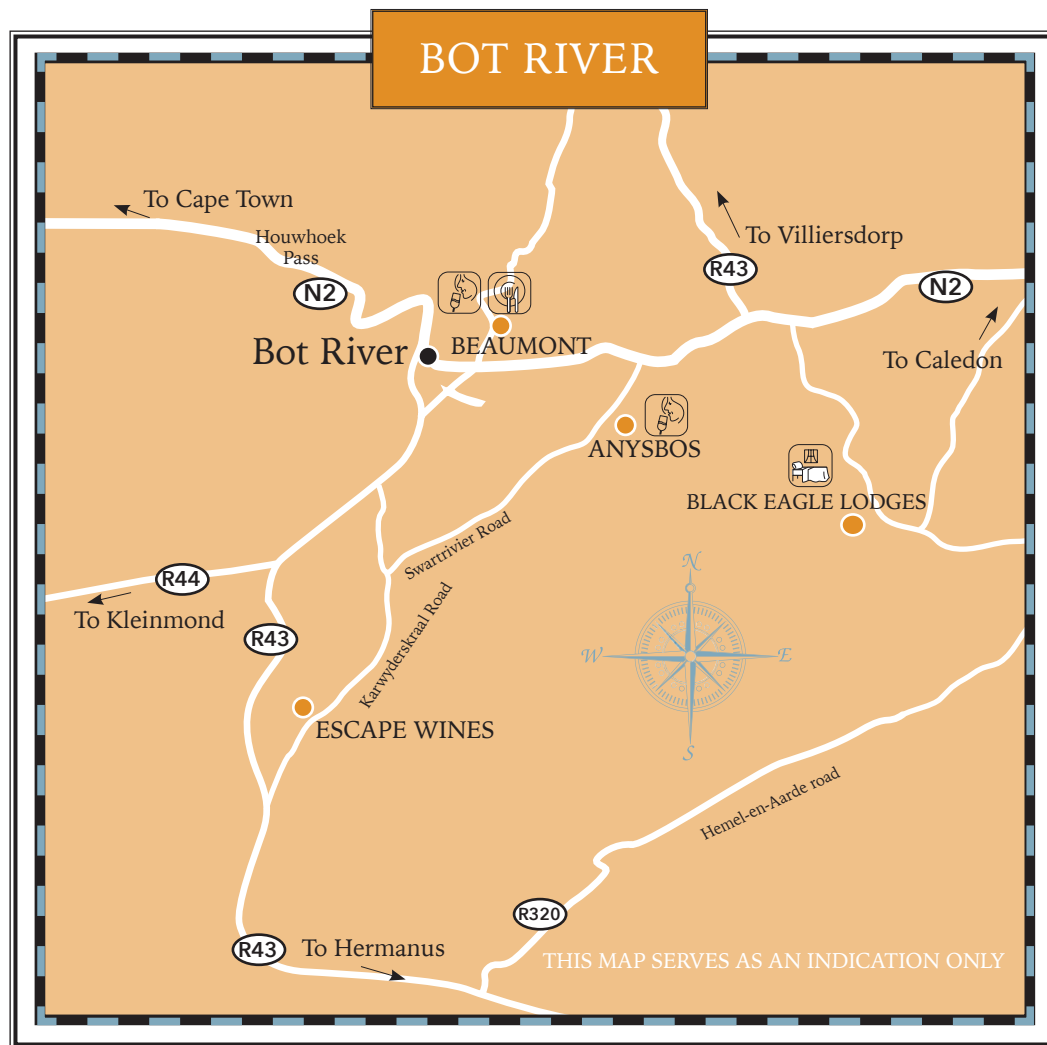
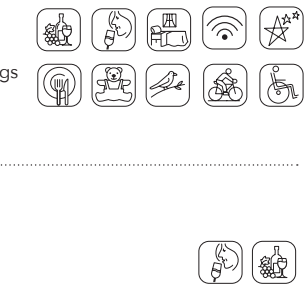


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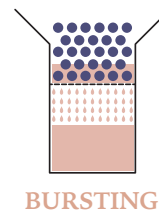
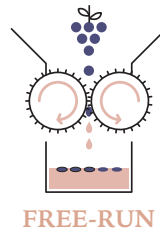
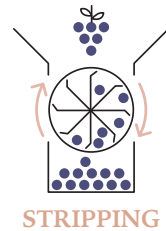
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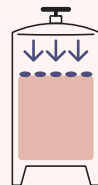
Making Rosé Wines

After harvesting, the grapes are taken to the winery, where the bunches are **stripped** before passing through either a **free-run** or **bursting** process.



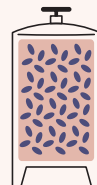
DIRECT PRESSING METHOD:

The black grapes are crushed to burst the berries, then pressed directly. The press juices are collected into a vat to begin fermentation. This method allows the juice a very brief contact with the skins.



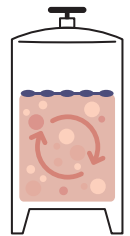
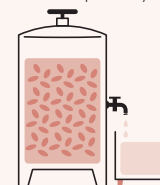
SKIN MACERATION METHOD:

The black grapes are left in vats for up to 24 hours before fermentation, while the pigments and aromas of the grape skins permeate the free-run juice and colour it. The must (skins, stalks and pips) is pressed to separate it from the juice, which is then fermented at low temperature, thus preserving the maximum of aromas.



ROSÉ SAIGNÉE METHOD:

This wine is made from grapes that will also be used to make red wine. The crushed grapes are vatted and left to macerate for a few hours. A portion of the juice, which has already taken on a pinkish hue, is removed by draining it off, to be fermented separately as rosé, leaving the remaining juice and must in the vat to produce red wine.

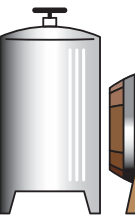


ALCOHOLIC FERMENTATION:

During this process, the sugars contained in the berries, transform into alcohol. Average time is about ten days.

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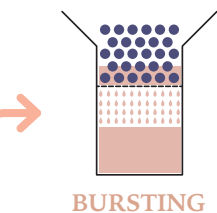
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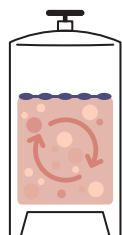
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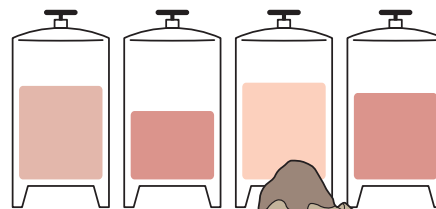
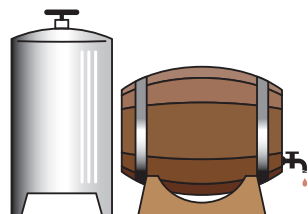


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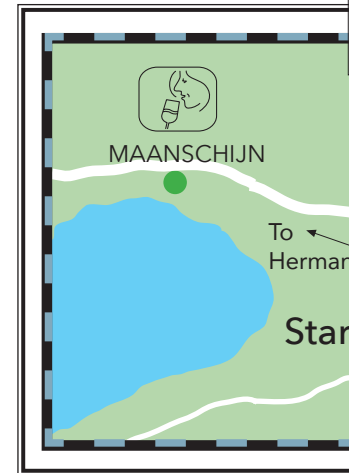
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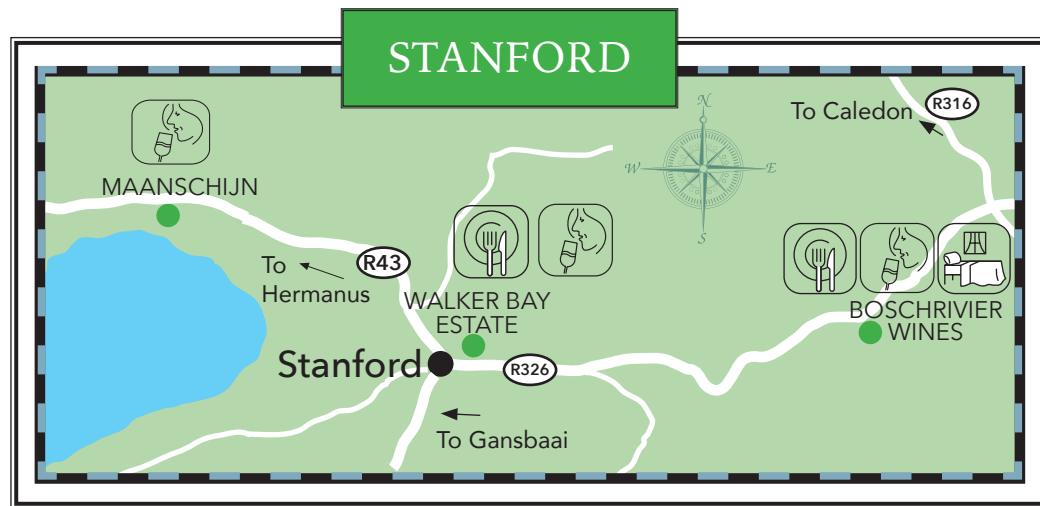
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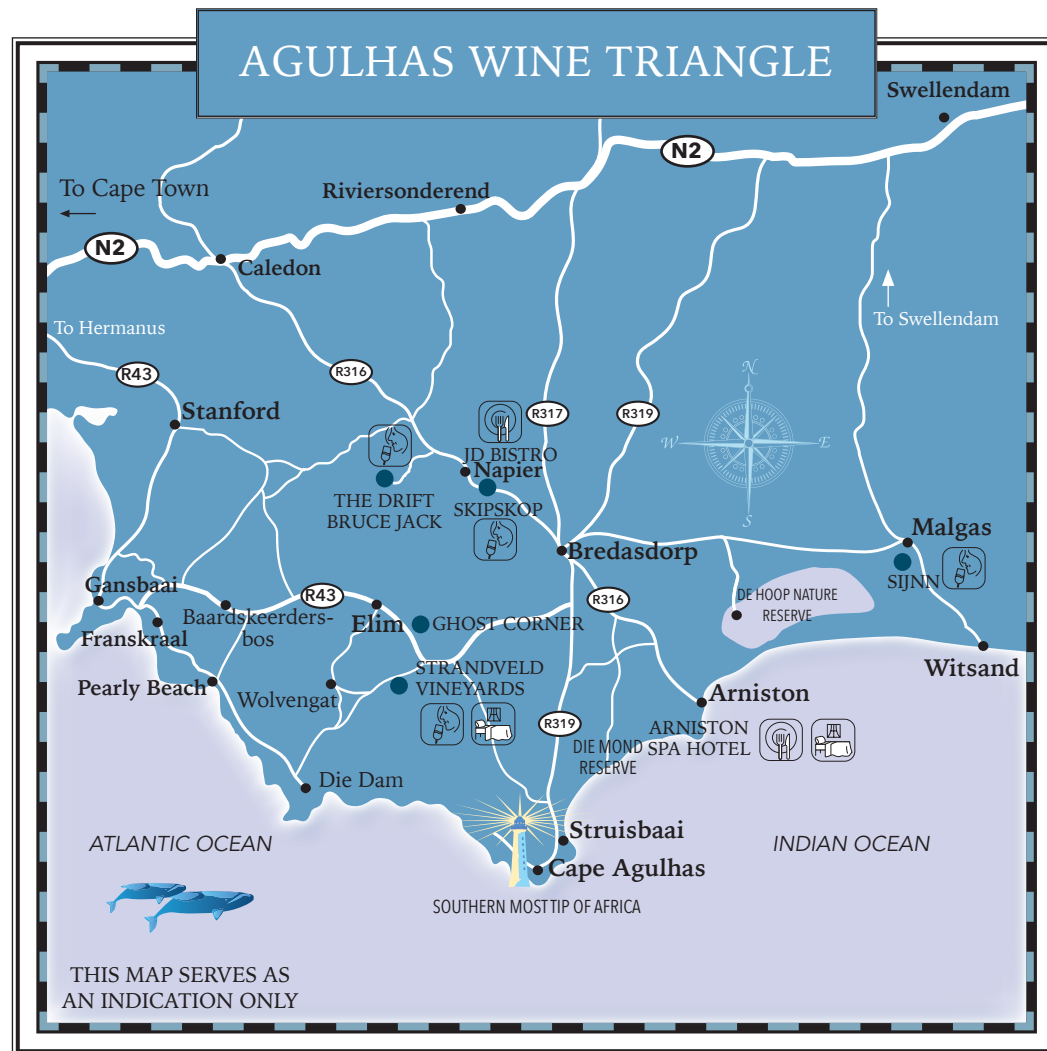
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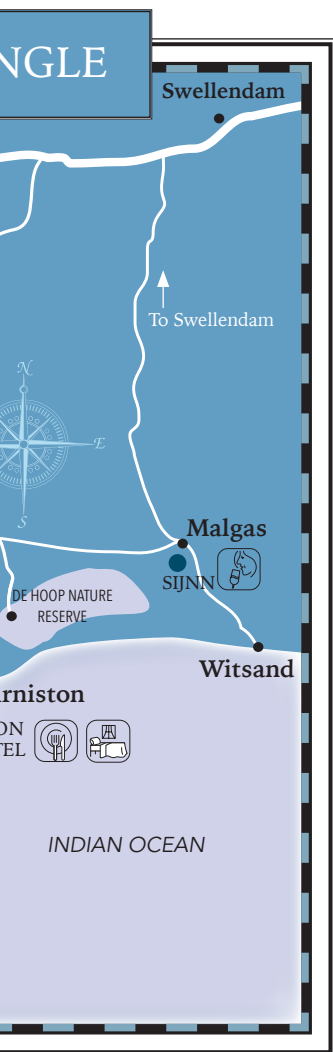
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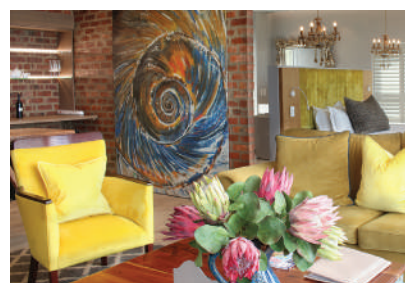
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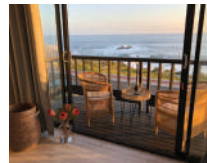
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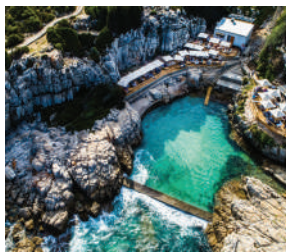
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