

Diarise 'Magic of Bubbles' in Franschhoek

The inimitable 'Magic of Bubbles' Franschhoek Cap Classique and Champagne Festival takes place on 29-30 November 2014, offering bubbly fans the opportunity to taste South Africa's best MCC and French champagne.



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Presented by MasterCard, the MCC producers at the Festival include Pierre Jourdan, Morena, Môreson, La Motte, Boschendal, Leopard's Leap, Noble Hill, Plaisir de Merle, Anthonij Rupert Wines, Graham Beck Wines, Krone, Pongrácz, Simonsig, Steenberg and Villiera. Champagnes will be represented by brands such as Piper Heidsieck, Champagne Guy Chabaut and Veuve Clicquot.

Complementing the selection of bubbly are mouth-watering delights offered by the local restaurants that have firmly entrenched Franschhoek's status as one of the world's premier culinary destinations. These include Bread & Wine, The SalmonBar, Haute Cabrière, Le Franschhoek, L'Ermitage, Restaurant at Grande Provence and Mont Rochelle.

"The Franschhoek Cap Classique and Champagne Festival is a highlight of the local social calendar, and the company is delighted to once again present the best of South African food and wine to visitors coming from around the country," says Nadine Mouton, VP Marketing, MasterCard, South Africa. "Sampling exquisite, locally-produced dishes and Cap Classiques in a naturally-beautiful setting that is rich in history, like that offered by Franschhoek, is simply priceless."

The theme for this year's festival is black and white, with an emphasis on Panamas and Parasols. In keeping with tradition, a prize will be awarded to the best-dressed couple on each day.

Tickets cost R200 per person and include access to the festival, which is open daily between 12pm and 5pm, a complimentary tasting glass and tasting coupons. Additional vouchers can be purchased on the day. Children under 18

years will be allowed free entry to the festival.

Use your MasterCard payment card to pay and receive a 10% discount on your ticket purchase, as well as a 10% discount on purchases made at the festival. Book directly through www.webtickets.co.za. For more information, go to www.franschhoekmcc.co.za.

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