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Thursday, 11 September



18:00 / OPENING OF THE 4TH TULBAGH ARTS FESTIVAL AND ART EXHIBITION BY FESTIVAL ARTIST TINA NEL, 29 CHURCH STREET

As featured artist for the 2014 Tulbagh Art Festival, Tina Nel will be exhibiting retrospective works spanning some thirty years, as well as approximately thirty new miniature oils, at no. 29 Church Street. Schalkenbosch Wines will be available for sale and tasting, and live music will be featured at various times during the day. The focus music-wise will be on feminine energy and mystery, with the performers all writing and composing their



own original material. Indian foods such as rotis, samoosas and chilli bites will be on sale.

Opening address by Herman Binge, executive director of Waterfront Television.

Friday, 12 September

17:00 / OPENING OF ART EXHIBITION OF DROSTDY HOF FEATURED ARTIST ALETA MICHALETOS, DROSTDY HOF, DIE OUDE DROSTDY

Opening of 'PIGMENT OF THE IMAGINATION', an exhibition of artworks by acclaimed artist Aleta Michaletos at De Oude Drostdy. The exhibition includes retrospective and new works, including some special Tulbagh inspired works. Live entertainment.

(Please note opening times of Drostdy Hof over the festival weekend: 12 Sept Fri: 09:00 – 17:00; 13 Sept Sat: 10:00 – 15:00; 14 Sept Sun: 10:00 – 13:00).





19:00 / VOORSKOOT EN LIPSTIEK, MET MARINDA ENGELBRECHT EN HERMAN LENSING AT THE SARONSBERG TEATER

Marinda Engelbrecht van Kokkedoor-faam en Herman Lensing, kosredakteur van SARIE is koskenners en liefhebbers in hulle eie reg. Dit is net twee van die bestanddele wat hierdie teater-produksie uniek maak. Voeg nog Marion Holm se teks en regie saam in die pot en jy het 'n vuurwarm produksie wat kook. In Voorskoot en Lipstiek word 'n drie-gang maaltyd op die verhoog voorberei en gekook terwyl 'n wel-deurdagte storielyn hom afspeel. Hierdie is beslis nie 'n kosdemonstrasie nie. Dit is 'n volwaardige teaterproduksie met verskeie fasette, kostuums en stel.

Kaartjies: R100 van COMPUTICKET.

20:00 / RE-LAUNCH OF THE CHRISTO COETZEE ART GALLERY

The Christo Coetzee Gallery welcomes you to an exhibition of classic Christo Coetzee works from private collections, as well as Homage paintings, collages and assemblages by artists such as Erika Prinsloo, Debbie de Beer, Fawa Conradie, Alexander Laurean, Susan Smuts, Jan Wolmarans and sculptors Victor Harley, Ronelle Loots en Nanette Ranger.

The exhibition, which will be opened by Herman Binge and Nic de Jager will also feature the premiere of Stroom Op, a documentary program on Coetzee by Herman Binge (for KykNet). Wine and snacks will be served and there will be a live performance by Martinique du Toit.





20:30 / DINNER WITH AUTHOR NIËL STEMMET READERS RESTAURANT, CHURCH STREET

Niël Stemmet will be talking about his books Salt + Pepper and Agter + Blad, which are based on his nostalgic food and travel blog. He is passionate about the origin and tradition of heritage food; he writes the stories down the way he remembers them and the recipes as he received or heard them. Copies of his books will be on sale.

Well-known Tulbagh restauranteur Carol Collins will be serving dishes from Niël's book. Tickets for dinner with Niël Stemmet available from Readers Restaurant, tel. 023 230 0087 / 082 894 0932. The price of R185 includes entrance to the book review and a 3-course dinner.



21:00 / POPULAR GUITAR AND VIOLIN DUO DIRKIE AND TALISA @ SARONSBERG THEATRE

Join Dirkie and Talisa for an evening of light classics and gypsy jazz. Dinner-time show, book at Saronsberg Theatre, 023 230 0179, entrance fee R25.00.

Saturday, 13 September

06:00 - 08:00 / PHOTOGRAPHIC EXCURSION WITH LOCAL PHOTOGRAPHER NORMAN COLLINS

Dawn Mountain & Reflections: From the edge of the dam, photograph first light striking Saronsberg peak with reflections in the water.

08:30 - 10:00 / Photographic excursion with local photographer norman collins

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Booking essential: contact Norman Collins, telephone 082 921 0039. R100 per person.

09:00 / TALK BY DR HANS FRANSEN: "TULBAGH – THE QUINTESSENTIAL CAPE VILLAGE"

Dr. Hans Fransen is the well-known author of reference books on South African art and architecture and a member of the 1969 Tulbagh Restoration Committee. He will discuss the layout and architecture of historic town villages, and how well this is exemplified in Tulbagh. His talk will be copiously illustrated with colour slides. No charge.

(9;0) / Guitar and violin duo dirkie and talisa @ saronsberg theatre

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10:00 / ARCHITECTURE WALK-ABOUT | STARTING POINT - OUDE KERK VOLKSMUSEUM

Jayson Augustyn-Clark, local heritage activist and chairman of the Tulbagh Valley Heritage Foundation will give a guided tour down historic Church street. The focus will be on the development of Cape vernacular architecture in Tulbagh as well as the evolving concept of authenticity in a largely reconstructed environment. No charge.

10:00 - 16:00 / crafts and food market at van Riebeeck park

A traditional country market with local produce, crafts and food stalls, supporting Tulbagh charities and local business.

11:30 / CARL STASSEN ANTIQUE AUCTION | BADISA CHURCH, VAN DER STEL STREET

Antiques, Art & Collectables, both SA and imported items to go under the hammer by local auctioneer Carl Stassen. Stassen is the owner of the well-known second hand/antiques shop "Baie Bargains" in Ceres. On auction will be works of renowned South African artists such as Gregoire Boonzaaier, Dawid Botha, Carl Buchner and others. There will be a good selection of Victorian and Cape Dutch furniture, and porcelain, silver, small and collectable items will be up for grabs. A variety of beautiful Persian carpets also on sale. No charge.

12:00 / A B-FLAT IN MY BONNET | SARONSBERG THEATRE

Better known as accompanist for top South African artists, Rika Vermeulen takes centre stage for the first time in "A B-flat in my Bonnet" and reveals the secrets of her trade, some gossipy anecdotes and off-stage information of her life in theatre. Be prepared for a high-speed, energetic and fun-filled gallop through a 30-year career of sitting behind a piano. Rika is assisted by "her dear friend and retired diva from Eastern Europe, Madame Dahlia Souzatskaya", played by organist and counter-tenor, Francois Blom. The show is for all ages, in English and Afrikaans.

Tickets: R100 from Computicket.





12:00 - 16:00 / ART, FOOD AND WINE, LIVE MUSIC AT TWEE JONGE GEZELLEN, TULBAGH

Come and join us at Twee Jonge Gezellen for an afternoon celebrating art and music performance with KRONE bubbly. We will be hosting an exhibition by Tulbagh based Czech artist Vasek Matousek exploring "fantasy of flight" through surreal paintings and ceramic sculptures. At 2pm Alessandro Gigli from Florence will do a magical performance of experimental classical flute in the underground cellar followed by a theatrical music show by Martinique du Toit with her band Croak.

Tickets for sale at the door or pre-book with Abigail on 0826811833. R90 per person (includes a ticket to art, music performances, KRONE bubbly, oysters, salmon and other delicacies).



13:00 / MIDDAGETE MET RIANA SCHEEPERS DIE TULBAGH HOTEL, VAN DER STELSTRAAT

Riana Scheepers vertel staaltjies uit haar boek Vallei van Melk en Heuning. Die boek sluit 'n wye spektrum van resepte in : van geurige elke-dag-kos, tot uithaler gebak om enige gas mee te beïndruk - maar altyd toeganklik, eerlik en onpretensieus. Vallei van Melk en Heuning is meer as net 'n resepteboek; dis inderwaarheid 'n inspirerende lekkerlees boek wat jy nie net in die kombuis gaan lees nie. Die sjef van die Tulbagh Hotel sit 'n heerlike ete voor, met 'n erfenis dis of twee uit Scheepers se boek.

Kaartjies teen R150 per persoon sluit die praatjie van Riana Scheepers en 'n 2-gang erfeniskos-maaltyd in. Kopieë van Vallei van Melk en Heuning is te koop.

Vir besprekings kontak die Tulbagh Hotel, tel. 023 230 0071.



17:00 / DAVID MULLER IN "FROM THE HEART OF OOM SCHALK"

The Saronsberg Theatre is excited about hosting "From the Heart of Oom Schalk", with Cape Town actor, David Muller as Schalk Lourens telling some of Herman Charles Bosman's best stories. Fresh from the National Arts Festival in Grahamstown David Muller is bringing a highly entertaining mixture of well-known comic tales about the farmers of Groot Marico as well as murder and love stories to Nieu Bethesda. All penned by South Africa's best short story writer.

Tickets: R80 from Computicket.



GALA CONCERT: 19:00 / "EVERY DAY I HAVE THE BLUES" MONTPELLIER DE TULBAGH

The Dark Prince of South-African Blues, Albert Frost, teams up with the Classy Lady of Classics, mezzo-soprano Minette du Toit-Pearce, in a musical journey criss-crossing between the blues and classical music, from Bo Diddley to Debussy and beyond... This unique collaboration of musicians in different genres aims to communicate the most important thing in music: passion passion for their art, passion for their fellow musicians and, most importantly, passion for their audience.

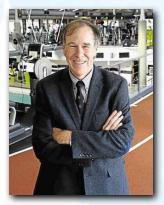
Backed by a band consisting of Jason Releon (piano), Anjulie de Vos-Nock (cello), Charles Lazar (bass) and Kevin Gibson (drums), and with musical direction by Melissa van der Spuy, this concert showcases the versatility of two of the most respected musicians on the South African stage - Albert Frost and Minette du Toit-

The premiere of "Every day I have the Blues" will be performed in the wine cellar on the beautiful Montpellier de Tulbagh Estate at 19h00 on Saturday 13 September, as the gala event of the Tulbagh Arts Festival.

Tickets: R120 from Computicket







20:30 / "THE REAL MEAL REVOLUTION" – WHAT IS ALL THE FUSS ABOUT?

Professor Tim Noakes is a respected South African sports scientist, who has been championing an eating plan which entails eating protein and high-fat food and avoiding carbs. Incredibly pragmatic and charismatic to boot, it's hard not to be swayed by what Prof Noakes has to say in his new book, The Real Meal Revolution - a complete lifestyle change which means changing your attitude towards food, drink and exercise.

Prof Noakes will be talking about his "banting diet" at a dinner function at Montpellier de Tulbagh on Saturday 13 September at 20h30 (after the Gala Concert at Montpellier), where the Montpellier team will prepare dishes from "The Real Meal Revolution". Contact 023 230 0656 to book your seat at the long table in the wine cellar. R180 per person (3-course meal).

21.00 / chromatique, with wilken calitz | saronsberg theatre

Wilken Calitz challenges the traditional music boundaries by performing his unique acoustic guitar and violin compositions in Chromatique. Synthesizers, loop pedals and other interesting musical equipment add to a magical 60 minutes of storytelling, demonstration and performance. The cross-over elements in his performance are unique. i.e the 2nd movement of the Violin Concerto by Phillip Glass, as well as J.S Bach's Cello suite no.1 on the acoustic guitar, with modern play techniques. Jazz, blues, zigeuner, Greek, Folk and other styles are also part of this extraordinary production.

Tickets: R60 from Computicket.



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11:30 / MOZART'S REQUIEM DUTCH REFORMED CHURCH

A collaboration between the Canticum Novum Choir, resident at the Moederkerk Stellenbosch, and the Stellenbosch University Symphony Orchestra, with soloists Elsa Coetzee, Christine Bam, Riaan Oosthuizen and Riaan le Roux and under the baton of Louis van der Walt. Mozart's Requiem, although less than an hour long, is regarded as one of the most profound beacons of the entire classical music repertoire. Its sublime beauty, tangible pathos and deeply moving undertones characterize its otherwise classical harmonic language. Mozart, a very sick man towards the end of his life, is often seen to have been composing the Requiem for himself and the mysterious circumstances under which he was writing the Requiem seem to indicate that he may have been commissioned to write it by his arch rival Antonio Salieri. Mozart died before he could finish the work and the world has come to know it as his, and possibly his greatest. It was completed by his pupil Franz Xaver Süssmayr.

Tickets: R110 from Computicket.



12:30 / SAXOPHONIST MIKE LAATZ PERFORMS POPULAR CLASSICS AT THE

13:00 / COMEDY CLASSICS WITH EMILE MINNIE AND GODFREY JOHNSON SARONSBERG THEATRE

The award winning musical comedy duo, Emile Minnie and Godfrey Johnson, will be performing their brand-new show "Comedy Classics" at the Saronsberg Theatre on Sunday 14 September The show will have a strong classical music influence, (well...?) and will also include more contemporary sounds. The clarinet, piano and vocal dexterity of these two will ensure a fun hour of laughs and theatrical wonder. And for the serious music lovers, do not fear: Bach, Abba, Mozart and Madonna are all here.







15:00 / two pianos eight hands | oude kerk

Tertia Visser-Downey, Franklin Larey, Albie van Schalkwyk and Francois du Toit, all members of the pianoi staff at the South African Collage of Music, UCT, will be giving exciting performances of various works for 2, 3 and 4 pianists at the Tulbagh Arts Festival. The various permutations will include piano duet; piano duos (2 pianos); 3 people at one piano; 4 people at one piano and 4 people split between two pianos. Composers being performed will include Beethoven, Rossini, Strauss, Rachmaninov, Poulenc and Prokofiev and will include a number of popular compositions transcribed for these mediums. Ian Burgess-Simpson is the sponsor of the beautiful baby grand pianos.

Tickets: R100 from Computicket.

The following art galleries venues will be open the whole weekend. Friday 10h00 till Sunday 16h00

ANNETTE BARNARD GALLERY AND STUDIO, PADDAGANG, CHURCH STREET

Featured artists Annette Barnard, Ansie Nel and Sally Ings.

KUIERBOSSIE RESTAURANT, VAN DER STEL STREET

Featured artists: Lex van Heerden and Rosanne Louw (also a children's workshop by Lex van Heerden).

READERS RESTAURANT, 12 CHURCH STREET

Featured artist: Viccy Wanliss, a unique exhibition of art and music.

ROCHELLE BERESFORD GALLERY AND STUDIO

Featured artist: Rochelle Beresford.

RIJKS COUNTRY HOUSE

Erika Prinsloo, Debbie de Beer, Fawa Conradie, Alexander Laurean, Susan Smuts, Jan Wolmarans and sculptors Victor Harley, Ronelle Loots and Nanette Ranger. Jan Visser, Nelia Retief and Thea Smith.

MONTPELLIER DE TULBAGH

Featured artists: Lize Beekman exhibiting MANDALAS in the French Cellar, an exhibition of pottery by Ronel Baker, art classes by Lee Molenaar and art installations in the garden. Also food stalls, cheese platters and (all day) wine tastings.

SARONSBERG CELLAR

Saronsberg Art Collection: Sculptures by Angus Taylor and Ruhan Jansen van Vuuren and paintings by Diane Victor, Norman Catherine, Paul du Toit, Rina Stutze and more.

Photographic exhibition: Norman Collins - Terroir: A photographic study of the Western Cape landscape, its geology, geography and climate.

LEMBERG WINE ESTATE

Featured artist: Derric van Rensburg, well known for his colourful landscapes, vineyards, female figures and abstract wildlife. Also traditional farm-style meals and wine tasting.

Open Friday, Saturday & Sunday from 10h00 - 17h00. 082 749 7585 / 021 300 1130

The following museums will be open on Saturday 13 September, 10h00 till 16h00

NO 1 CHURCH STREET: DE OUDEKERK VOLKSMUSEUM

Oldest surviving church building in South Africa featuring a traditional Reformed (Gereformerde) Baptismal display with frocks from the 18th,19th & 20th Centuries. A selection of art depicting historical Tulbagh including 3 Pierneef prints will be on display in the Vestry.

NO 4 CHURCH STREET: THE EARTHQUAKE MUSEUM

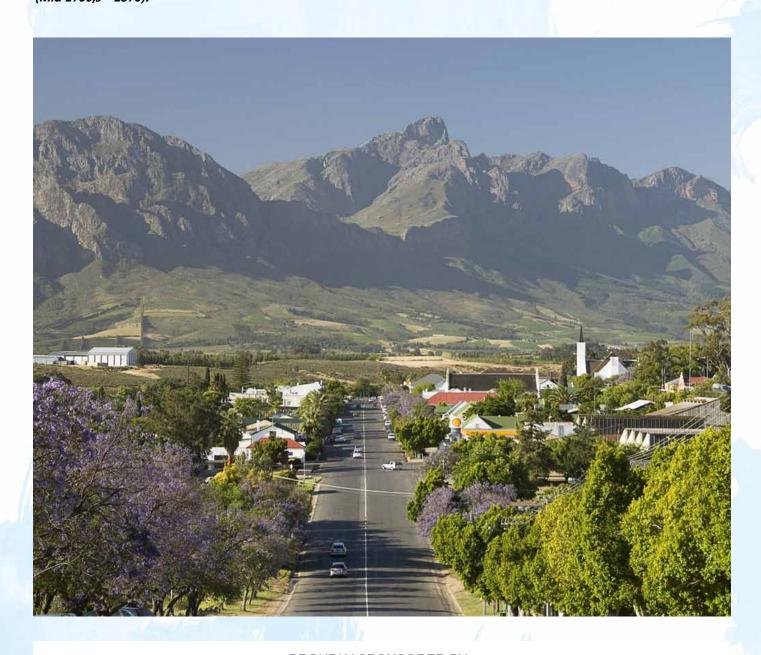
A revitalized exhibition documenting the earthquake of 1969 and subsequent restoration.

NO 14 CHURCH STREET: VICTORIAN HOUSE MUSEUM

Permanent collection of Victorian life in Tulbagh. Come and enjoy Victorian tea and cake served by Museum Staff in period dress.

NO 22 CHURCH STREET: PIONIER HOUSE MUSEUM

A permanent exhibition of Cape Dutch furniture, art and antiques, depicting the pioneer period of Tulbagh (Mid 1700,s - 1870).



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