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Santa says

A new record!

Woodlands Dairy Days for Hospice



Sister Ingrid represents 50% of the hospice team who, last year, assisted more than 160 patients. Hospice is there for those who need and want support in their final days. Woodlands Dairy, over the past 21 years has been a major contributor to hospice through their fundraising golf days. In the

past three years alone, hospice has been handed cheques totalling more than R1,1M, with this year setting another record - **R440 000!**

Over the years that we have been involved, the event has grown from one day to two, and the two days are now fully subscribed! 112 played on Thursday and 116 played on Friday! The Mexican theme saw many of the players make an effort with their attire - Midland Logistics came on Friday with specially made shirts. I found some good Mexican music for the welcome in the parking lot and tee sponsors shared a little tequila and hot chilis along the way.

Two days of perfect autumn weather sealed the deal.



Ladies Invitational

Elmarie and Heilie got their names on the board

I saw the look on Elmarie's and Heilie's faces when I announced that Margot McGregor and Melissa Palmer had come second on 41 points. They both looked at each other, covered their smiles and realized that their **42 total** was the winning score. Anna-Marie Vlok and her partner, Yvette Bezuidenhout, came third on 38 points for the day.

Long before there were even any discussions about bringing the **Bard'au**

Spa here, Anne Coesens met with Thinus and me to discuss sponsorship opportunities. She wanted to promote her spa to our members. Then, she raised the bar, by lending her full support to the annual Invitational, donating **R10 000** for the prizes.

After welcome snacks, a great day of golf, another priceless lunch from Chef Jon and a cooking demonstration that followed. We look forward to the 2020 event.



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St Francis Links
ST FRANCIS BAY SOUTH AFRICA

2019 Ladies Invitational
01-Jun-19

2019 Champions

Elmarie Maarschalk & Heilie Uys 42 pts

2nd - Margot McGregor Melissa Palmer 41 pts

3rd - Anna-Marie Vlok & Yvette Bezuidenhout 38 pts

Nearest to the Pins

Hole 4 Clare Milson

Hole 7 Margot McGregor

Hole 14 Avril Laird

Hole 17 Toska Joubert

Longest Drive

Hole 9 Lynn Slogrove

Hot lady in red!



The Ferrari Club returned to St Francis Links for a great evening in the Lighthouse Restaurant and overnighted at The St Francis Golf Lodge. I am sure the journey was as good as the destination!

Coming soon

Put these on your MUST DO list





June at St Francis Links ...

Curry Night Special



- 5** Thai pork curry with toasted peanuts and lemongrass
Moroccan beef curry
Bombay potatoes with spinach and yoghurt
- 12** Lamb biryani
Thai red chicken curry with litchies
Butternut and lentil bobotie
- 26** Butter chicken
Malaysian beef with tamarind
Onion Bhajis with mint raita

R138 for 3 curries incl naan, sambals & poppadums
AND NOW! 10% OFF
on club menu meals and drinks on Wednesdays in June!



9 Hole Golf Competition

14 June 5 July
Meal prices & Happy Hour
Once a month on a Friday

MONDAY CLUB MENU SPECIAL

Members get 20% off
GET 10% OFF
on all meals and drinks every Monday night in June
BURGERS * DRINKS * PIZZA * STEAKS * SALADS
between 5pm and 7pm VISITORS WELCOME | KIDDIES TOO!

FISH FRYDAY LUNCH

Calamari or Fish with Chips
with lemon & tartar sauce incl a glass of wine or local beer
only R79

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Bookings Now Open 21 June

FATHER'S DAY LUNCH

16 JUNE



Free glass of wine or beer for Dad PLUS a voucher for a complimentary 20min men's back, neck & shoulder massage courtesy of

bard'au & Co
at the Links

Slow Braised Octopus, Veg & Dessert

Bookings Essential | R215p/adult
Kiddies menu also available
Special dietary requests by prior arrangement please

SATURDAYS

Buy a Signature Pizza and get a Classic Pizza FREE

ASIAN NIGHT 19 June

R138 per person
MONGOLIAN LAMB RIBS with chili and pineapple as well as SWEET AND SOUR HONG KONG CHICKEN with sesame and spring onion VEG CHOW MEIN and green crackers



R275 greenfee + R35 competition fee

TEL 042 200 4500

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

info@stfrancislinks.com

THE GREAT GET TOGETHER

Thursday, 13 June 2019

Estate Talk at the Clubhouse at 18h00

Come and join us to learn about estate happenings in a casual atmosphere.

Please reply and submit any specific items you would like us to address. This is a great feedback session 😊

If you wish to stay for dinner, please RSVP so that we can cater accordingly.
(Please let us have any special dietary requirements in advance)

The Menu

A variety of pizzas and Greek salad
Dessert

MUSIC IN THE GYM

Please take note that we have installed a smart television in the gym. This tv, situated nearest the pool area can now be used to select your preferred streaming channel using the smart hub button on the remote control.

Please don't change the source or the actual channel. The other tv (near the mirror) has limited DSTV sport channels. We still encourage gym users to consider others by supply their own earphones for music.

HAPPY GYM'ING!



We will cater for anyone with allergies or special dietary requirements. Please advise in advance.

Kiddies Menu also Available!

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL FOR DINNER!
Please book directly with the golf shop or reply to this mail

WE LOOK FORWARD TO A GREAT CATCH-UP WITH ALL OF YOU!

COURSE CLOSURE DATES

The course will be closed on the following dates due to large tournaments:

30 & 31 May

Woodlands Dairy Fundraisers Days

26 June

Only morning field available due to Junior National Order of Merit Practice Day

27 & 28 June

Junior National Order of Merit Tournament

2, 3, 4 July

SA Boys u/17 Championships

**Our golf pro's will arrange away games.
Please touch base with them**

THANK YOU!

FATHER'S DAY



LUNCH



16 JUNE 2019

*Our Gift to
DAD**

Free glass of wine
or beer PLUS
a complimentary voucher
for a 20 min men's
back, neck & shoulder
massage courtesy of

Slow Braised Oxtail

Creamy mashed potatoes
Pumpkin fritters with butterscotch sauce
Honey roast beetroot with feta and thyme
Broccoli mornay baked with cheese sauce

Dessert

Irish coffee **or** Don Pedro of your choice
or Chocolate Creme Brulee

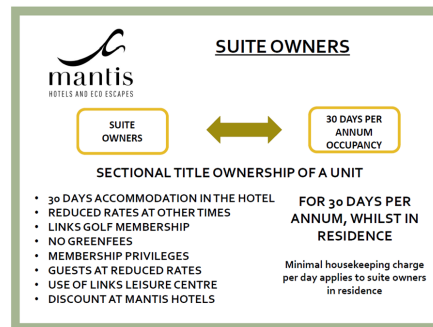
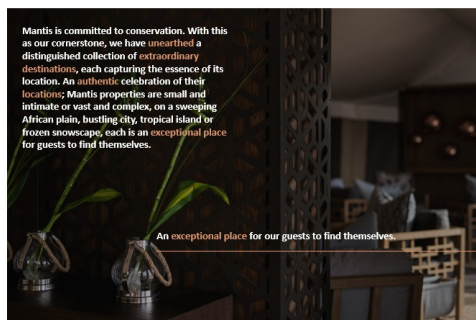
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The St Francis Links HOTEL by Mantis

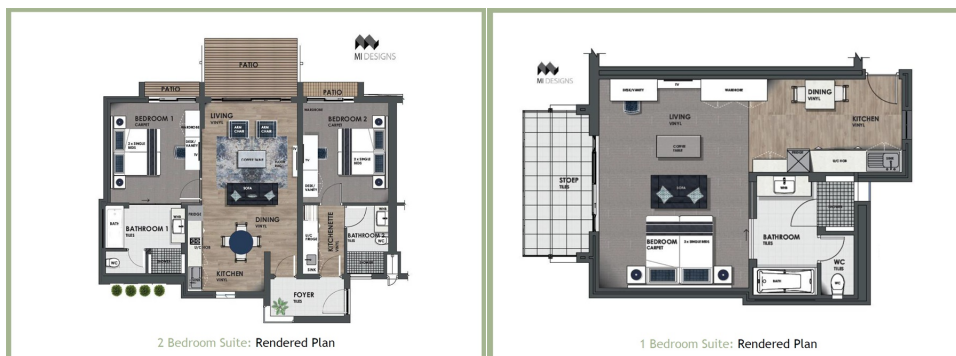
Show unit starting now!

The proposed St Francis Links Hotel by Mantis is being sold as a sectional title scheme.



The Hotel will consist of 60 1- and 2-bedroom suites, modelled after the successful hotel development at Pearl Valley, where the 2nd phase was launched recently. The Clubhouse will be home to reception manned 24/7, the Food and Beverage services, spa and of course, the home of the Jack Nicklaus Signature Course!

Pam Golding Properties are handling the sales for the Hotel. Neil Fox is the lead person. Neil Fox neil.fox@pamgolding.co.za; Saria Blaauw is assisting and they are dividing their time at The Links.



Our events



Selective Lighting/ Fireworks Friday Comp

Ernie and Linda Müller and their Team from Selective Lighting are making Fridays extra special at St Francis Links. Once a month, they host the Selective Lighting/The Fireworks Friday Competition. We shotgun start the players for 9 holes. Starting times are based on the season, 14h30 in the "Cool Season" and 15h30 in the summer months. Be a part of growing the Club and join us for nine and some good times after golf! Please enter in advance for numbers.

Open Wednesday

ITEC are our sponsors for OPEN Wednesday (2nd Wednesday) with meat and added prizes. Invite your friends to enjoy SA's best with special rates for golf, snacks after the game and great prizes – Hey, sometimes Curry Night follows – stay or take away!

Monday Roll-up

Pitch up and play (9 holes or 18 Par-3 from 2pm) let's add you to the whatsapp group.

All day Saturdays

Morning and afternoon fields - the afternoon field will be booked from 12 noon backwards with emphasis on "ready golf".

Monday Men's Book Club

5pm in Jack's Bar (*no reading required*)

Ladies Tea (and coffee)

Every Tuesday at 10am on the Veranda.

Majors

12 June ITEC Open Wednesday

14 June Selective Lightning/ Fireworks 9-hole

26-28 June Nomads National Order of Merit - Juniors

[Click here](#) to view the schedule for the rest of the year.

Results

Wednesday 29 May 2019

Betterball Stableford

1st - Norman Pretorius & Ian McPhearson 42 pts

2nd - Barry Phillips & Louis Boag 41 pts

3rd - Danie Cronje & James Bredenkamp 37 c/i

[Click here](#) for the rest of the results.

Saturday 1 June 2019

Individual Points Stableford

1st - Fred van Eyssen 40 pts

2nd - Lesley Krause 36 pts

3rd - Percy Owen 35 pts

[Click here](#) for the rest of the results.

And to end off...

Every great shot starts (and ends) with a smile!



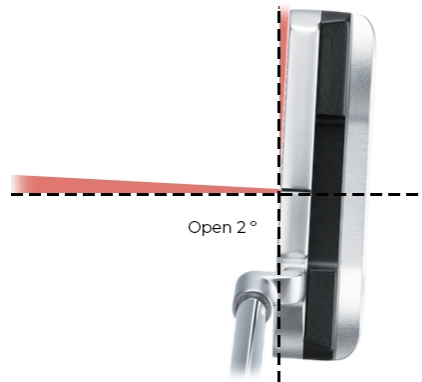
Could you save 5 shots per round?

A simple test to benchmark your putting setup

The jury is out on this one. The evidence shows that, if one is more important than the other, then it's marginal. We think this myth has come about as the industry tries to educate golfers that weight is very important.

And it is.

If the angle of your putter face is just 2° out at impact then, even from just 6 feet you're going to miss.



If you miss most putts in the 6 – 12 foot range then the chances are you have a face angle challenge. For most, that problem starts at the address position. Benchmark your skill level:



Get a check-up

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Improving your ability to square the putter face at impact will take up to 5 shots off your scorecard. There are some simple keys to that improvement.

So come and see us.

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The Srixon Z-Series Irons bring forging to even more golfers. You can have distance and the perfect look, sound, and feel. You can work the ball and have the perfect look, sound, and feel. Or, you can have both.

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Enjoy the journey

Golf is the greatest game on the planet. Great playing experiences. Great

Golf is the greatest game on the planet. Great playing experiences. Great social experiences. Amazing friendships. The healthy outdoors. Add a "journey" and the game becomes even better.



We want you to get more out of your golf and to play better golf. We all know better golf is more fun. But the journey that takes you to a better game should also be fun.



Fun starts right at the beginning of your journey.

Nine holes with two friends and one of our Professionals, playing a fun format, gives your Professional the chance to offer some thoughts on what that journey might look like.



Start a journey

Take the first step on your own journey. Speak to us about our Play Nine Together or Personal Assessment and we'll show you a pathway to better.

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