



WINELANDS EXPERIENCES



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*Most of these experiences can be tailored to accommodate larger groups. Additional fees may apply.
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All distances are measured from the centre of Franschhoek and may vary from the departure point.*

LEEU COLLECTION CUISINE

THE DINING ROOM

LA PETITE COLOMBE

FOUNDER'S CELLAR PRIVATE DINING

THE DINING ROOM

At Leeu Estates

This inviting restaurant space offers a warm and versatile setting, featuring an indoor seating area with a long table, perfect for groups to gather for celebrations. Guests can unwind in the light-filled conservatory, where natural sunlight creates a bright and airy atmosphere, or enjoy the ambience at the bar, which serves an impressive selection of handcrafted cocktails, premium wines, and refreshing beverages. For those who prefer open-air dining, the spacious deck provides a comfortable outdoor retreat ideal for casual gatherings or evening drinks. With all-day dining available alongside a thoughtfully curated à la carte menu, the restaurant caters to every occasion, from leisurely lunches to elegant dinners, delivering exceptional flavours and attentive service throughout the day.

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LA PETITE COLOMBE

At Leeu Estates

As part of the award-winning La Colombe group, and paying homage to the sister restaurant in Constantia, La Petite Colombe (meaning little dove) offers a dining experience that extends the world-class service and cuisine that put this formidable culinary group on the map.

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FOUNDER'S CELLAR PRIVATE DINING

At Leeu Estates

Step into a world of refined elegance and unparalleled ambience with our exclusive private dining experience. Set in the intimate and atmospheric setting of our Founder's Cellar in the Manor House, this experience promises a memorable journey through gourmet cuisine, featuring signature dishes and exquisite wines. Perfect for special occasions and celebrations, this venue can accommodate up to 6 guests and is exclusive to resident Leeu Collection guests.

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LEEU COLLECTION CUISINE

PROTÉGÉ

ÉPICE

PICNICS & BRAAIS

PROTÉGÉ

At Le Quartier Français

Protégé is a casual fine-dining establishment under the guidance of Scot Kirton, Chef Proprietor of La Colombe, that recognises talented young chefs and offers them a platform to establish themselves in the culinary world. This informal yet stylish restaurant is perfect for visitors seeking an eclectic dining experience, featuring casual fare crafted by a team of talented young chefs led by Andrew Willemse, with Asian, French, and Italian influences evident in the cuisine. Guests can dine al fresco or enjoy the lively atmosphere of the central show kitchen, making Protégé the quintessential setting for those seeking refined, casual fare.

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ÉPICE

At Le Quartier Français

A venture from the team behind La Colombe and other world-class dining establishments, Épice - derived from the French word meaning spice (and is pronounced eh-peace)- is an intimate fine dining restaurant, serving an array of delectably curated dishes. The fine-dining restaurant is headed by chef Charné Sampson. The flavour-packed menu is inspired by the team’s culinary expedition to India, memories of travels through Spain, Japan, Mexico, Denmark and the US, and chef Charné Sampson’s own Cape Town family influences. Presented in a home-cooking style with a refined edge, the experience begins from the moment you sit down.

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PICNICS & BRAAIS

At Leeu Collection

Offering our guests an extraordinary culinary experience amidst the beauty of nature is at the heart of our commitment to creating unforgettable moments. We have crafted a unique service that allows you to savour the great outdoors in style. Picture yourself basking in the sun or enjoying the evening breeze while indulging in a delightful picnic or a sizzling braai (barbecue) with your loved ones.

- Both experiences are offered to in-house guests only.
- Picnics: only available at allocated spots on Leeu Estates.
- Braais: only available when booked with certain cottages and event spaces on Leeu Estates. And for exclusive use bookings at Leeu House.
- All experiences are weather dependant, and orders must be placed 48 hours in advance.

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FRANSCHHOEK, PAARL & STELLENBOSCH CUISINE

FRANSCHHOEK

STELLENBOSCH

FINE DINING

Franschhoek

Explore the rich culinary tapestry of Franschhoek through exceptional fine dining restaurants. [OKU](#) introduces Southeast Asian fusion inspired by the Gili Islands. [Eleven](#), influenced by its Franschhoek address, presents global contemporary cuisine with an industrial-chic design, featuring Cape artisan-crafted furniture and a focus on delicate flavours and exceptional wines. Both restaurants are led by Chef-Proprietor Ryan Shell. [Le Coin Français](#) pays homage to the region's heritage, artistry, and wine culture through its fusion of cutting-edge culinary techniques and timeless French elegance. At [Chefs Warehouse](#) – Maison, flavour boundaries are pushed with surprising and delightful combinations. [Arkeste](#) at Chamonix Wine Farm blends relaxed refinement, guided by renowned chef Ashwin Johannes, who revisits classics and introduces new creations using seasonal, locally sourced ingredients. Lastly, [Orangerie](#) at Le Lude offers a sumptuous à la carte menu and delightful Morning and Afternoon Teas, creating a diverse culinary journey in this South African town. These establishments showcase the diverse culinary landscape of Franschhoek, from French elegance to Southeast Asian fusion and inventive flavours, all rooted in the town's rich food and wine culture.

Stellenbosch

Though understated from the outside, [Dusk](#) (30 kilometres away) is known for its inventive, boundary pushing approach within. Offering two seasonal menus, both speak to the restaurant's guiding philosophy- storytelling through flavour, using memory, nostalgia and emotion as foundations for innovation. With deep roots in cooking with traditional and local flavours, using organic ingredients, with a nod to local heritage – [Mertia](#) (30 kilometres away) will take every guest on a culinary voyage that evolves with them, and where no two experiences are the same. [Cavalli](#) restaurant (42 kilometres away), overlooking a serene dam set against the backdrop of the Helderberg Mountain range, is a must-visit dining destination in the Cape Winelands. [VUUR](#) Restaurant is an intimate, reservation-only fine dining restaurant. Led by chef-owner Shaun Scrooby, the restaurant is centred around open-fire cooking, where every dish is prepared over wood flames, embers, or smoke to highlight the natural flavours of locally sourced South African ingredients. In the heart of the historic town's old Post Office, [Post and Pepper](#) offers playful and refined cooking with reimagined classics and twists on traditional favourites.

À LA CARTE / CASUAL DINING

Franschhoek

Indulge in a diverse culinary journey in South Africa's renowned Franschhoek region, where you'll find a selection of restaurants offering relaxed, casual-style à la carte dining. [Yama Asian Eatery](#), Franschhoek's leading sushi restaurant, offers a serene dining experience with a high-quality sushi and Asian-themed menu, local wines, cocktails, and instrumental music, all overseen by chef and restaurateur Ryan Shell. [Franks Corner Bar and Grill](#), from steaks to house-brewed beers, homemade seltzers and Franschhoek wines. [Reuben's](#) Restaurant & Bar, nestled in the heart of the winelands, offers fine yet uncomplicated cuisine in a laid-back setting. [Allora](#) Ristorante Classico is an upscale Italian gem combining casual and sophisticated dining with vibrant, artfully presented dishes. At Mont Rochelle's [Country Kitchen](#), enjoy hearty, locally sourced dishes and gourmet picnics in a beautiful estate setting.

Stellenbosch

[The Winemaker's Lunch](#) at [Deux Frères Wine Estate](#) (35 kilometres away) is an intimate, hosted experience combining carefully curated dishes with a guided tasting of estate wines. With its small-group setting and personal interaction, it's ideal for guests who enjoy conversation, craftsmanship, and a deeper connection to the winemaking story. [The Fat Butcher](#) is one of Stellenbosch's premier steakhouse restaurants, renowned for serving premium pasture-reared, grain-fed beef in a warm and sophisticated setting. Specialising in expertly prepared steaks, signature meat dishes and a carefully curated selection of local Stellenbosch wines.



LEEU SPA

LEEU GYM

PAM HAMMOND STUDIOS

LEEU SPA
At Leeu Estates

A serene, contemporary wellness space designed to restore both body and mind. Tailored treatments, inspired by Africa’s rich heritage, are delivered by skilled therapists in a peaceful atmosphere. Leeu Spa offers four treatment rooms, along with separate changing areas and steam rooms for male and female guests. The tranquil plunge pool overlooks a lily pond, creating a quiet pause between treatments, and guests are invited to enjoy the relaxation lounge pre- and post-treatments. A fully equipped gym featuring TechnoGym equipment is available for those seeking a more active experience.

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LEEU GYM
At Leeu Estates

The spacious gym with its premium TechnoGym fitness equipment offers framed views of the majestic mountains. The gym, which caters exclusively to resident Leeu Collection guests.

- Our machines include:
- A professional treadmill and exercise bike
 - Excite+ Crossover machine
 - Vario equipment
 - Plurima

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PAM HAMMOND STUDIOS
Franschhoek

Pam Hammond Studios in Franschhoek offers expert, personalised Pilates classes, including mat, reformer, and barre, for all levels. The studio focuses on strengthening, toning and life coaching. They are known for promoting holistic physical and mental well-being.

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WELLNESS CLINICS

JUST SKIN

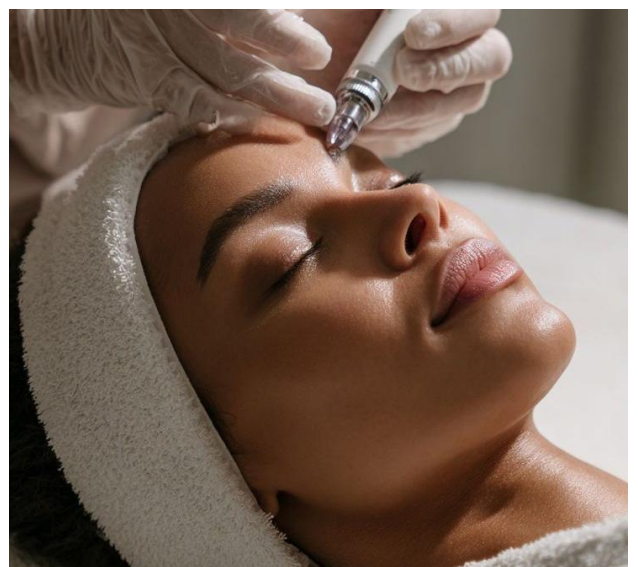
TERRE PAISIBLE

JUST SKIN Franschhoek

An advanced skincare and medical aesthetics clinic with a holistic approach. Combining professional skin treatments, doctor-led aesthetic procedures, and medical-grade skincare products to improve skin health, treat specific concerns, and support healthy ageing. Treatments are personalised following a consultation.

Their Franschhoek clinic offers a wide range of treatments, including but not limited to:

- Skin rejuvenation
- Advanced skin tightening
- LED laser therapies
- Medical aesthetic injectables

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TERRE PAISIBLE Franschhoek

Combining the restorative experience of a luxury spa with the precision of advanced medical aesthetics and longevity technologies. This clinic focuses not only on relaxation, but also on cosmetic results, with an approach that considers how you feel, function and age as a whole.

Guests can enjoy restorative massages, facials and body therapies to advanced skin rejuvenation, body contouring, wellness infusions and diagnostic-led treatment programmes – all carefully tailored to individual goals and concerns.

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LEEUEEE COLLECTION

FRANSCHHOEK

ALONG THE R45

BANGHOEK VALLEY (HELSHOOGTE PASS)

MULLINEUX & LEEU FAMILY WINES

At Leeu Estates & Le Quartier Français

Indulge in curated tastings led by dedicated hosts, guiding you through the artistry of our premium handcrafted wines. Choose from three options at [The Wine Studio](#) on Leeu Estates: the Mullineux Signature tasting (complimentary for Leeu Estates guests), the Mullineux Single Terroir tasting, and the Leeu Passant tasting. We recommend booking in advance to secure your spot.

At the [Great Heart Wine Boutique](#), the home of Great Heart Wines, enjoy one complimentary tasting per stay if you're a guest at Leeu House or Le Quartier Français.

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Franschhoek

Franschhoek's wineries offer unique experiences and exceptional wines. [La Motte](#), nestled in the picturesque valley, combines quality wines with traditional cuisine and a historical charm. [Paserene](#) stands out with meticulous artistry in both labels and wines, tailored for the refined palate. [Atlas Swift](#) explores the multisensory aspect of wine, focusing on Chardonnays from different regions and offering diverse expressions. [Klein Goederust](#), under Siguqa family ownership since 2019, invites you to taste in their historic 1905 building. [GlenWood's](#) success story began in 1984, boasting Platter 5-star Chardonnay and gourmet sushi pairings on a scenic oak-tree terrace. [Boekenhoutskloof](#), established in 1776, cherishes indigenous Cape Beech trees and offers an array of carefully crafted wines.

Along the R45

On the outskirts of Franschhoek, [Plaisir Wine Estate](#), located a short 17 kilometres from the town centre, offers a refined experience with exceptional wines, delightful food pairings, and panoramic views of the Simonsberg Mountains. Its historic 1823 barn serves as a charming tasting room. About 18 kilometres from Franschhoek, [Vrede en Lust](#) is nestled within a natural amphitheatre shaped by the cliffs of the Simonsberg Mountains, carrying a rich history dating back to the arrival of the French Huguenots in 1688. Equally distant, the [Rupert & Rothschild](#) tasting centre adjoins the serene outdoors and the restaurant, exuding elegance with French oak furniture and art from the Rupert Museum, offering a diverse array of wines. [Noble Hill](#), situated 20 kilometres from Franschhoek, welcomes guests to enjoy wine tastings on the shaded terrace under a picturesque willow tree, with knowledgeable staff assisting in selecting the perfect wine complemented by locally sourced cheese pairings.

Banghoek Valley (Helshoogte Pass)

Embark on an exploration of Stellenbosch's renowned Banghoek Valley, housing a collection of exceptional wine farms. Just 23 kilometres from Franschhoek, the lovingly restored [Bartiney](#) wine farm beckons with its double-aspect space adorned with native fynbos plants and a splendid chandelier crafted from aged vines. Unwind on the terrace while taking in unparalleled panoramic views stretching across the valley and Simonsberg. Among these wineries, [Tokara](#), also located 23 kilometres from Franschhoek, distinguishes itself as an all-encompassing destination for wine and culinary enthusiasts. Here, expert-guided wine tastings and an upscale restaurant featuring locally inspired cuisine and award-winning wines await visitors. The sculpture garden and picturesque vineyards further enhance the experience, making it an ideal indulgence for couples, families, and solo travellers. Just a short distance away, 24 kilometres from Franschhoek, you'll discover [Delaire Graff Estate](#) nestled in the heart of the Winelands, offering a unique wine tasting experience complemented by breathtaking views of Simonsberg Mountain. To conclude this wine-rich journey, [Oldenburg Vineyards](#) welcomes wine enthusiasts to its Tasting Room, providing an opportunity to immerse in the natural beauty of the mountain amphitheatre, the vineyards on Rondekop, and the stories and activities behind the wine. The belief at Oldenburg Vineyards is that sharing wine stories truly brings the experience to life.

SOBER CURIOSITY

FRANSCHHOEK

BANGHOEK VALLEY (HELSHOOGTE PASS)

STELLENBOSCH

AFTERNOON TEAS
IN THE WINELANDS

Franschhoek

At [La Bri](#), guests can enjoy a carefully considered alcohol-free tasting experience designed to complement the menu's seasonal flavours and progression. Beverage pairings can be seamlessly swapped out for freshly pressed juices and house-made blends, thoughtfully matched to enhance each course. For younger guests, a dedicated kids' pairing offers fun, flavour-forward juice combinations that mirror the structure of the tasting menu—ensuring every diner enjoys a complete, alcohol-free, and memorable experience. At [Atlas Swift](#), a standout feature is the refined tea service, where carefully selected teas are [paired](#) alongside dishes—and especially with the cheese platter—bringing out nuanced flavours, textures, and aromas for a balanced, sophisticated dining experience without alcohol. An offering that they present for families with kids is their unique [Cookie Painting](#) with grape juice. [Rickety Bridge](#) offers alcohol-free options. They provide a non-alcoholic pairing experience featuring refreshing, flavoured iced teas with snacks, making it suitable for those looking to enjoy a flavourful outing without alcohol. Additionally, they have a [Kiddies Pairing](#) option for children, ensuring everyone can enjoy a wholesome time at the estate.

Banghoek Valley (Helshoogte Pass)

[The Cellar Door Wine Tasting](#) at [Boschendal](#) (16 kilometres away) offers a kids' fruit cordial pairing or a grape juice pairing to enjoy while parents explore the wine and snack plate pairings. Appreciate the “finer” things in life, as you explore the wonders of H2O. Visit [The Library at Lanzerac](#) (30 kilometres away), where you can enjoy the newest ultra-premium experience: Water Tasting. Fine water tastings are partly inspired by wine tastings, but they also introduce their own unique approach. Each fine water tells the story of its place of origin, from ancient glaciers to volcanic rock, and is naturally imbued with minerals that create a distinct flavour of terroir in every drop.

Stellenbosch

For designated drivers and non-alcoholic bubbly drinkers, enjoy the tasting options and food pairings at [J.C. Le Roux](#) (39 kilometres away). These pairing options include: a non-alcoholic sparkling wine and nougat experience; non-alcoholic bubbly and artisan chocolate indulgence; non-alcoholic bubbly and cheesecake pairing; a non-alcoholic sparkling wine and biltong pairing and lastly a non-alcoholic bubbly and pizza pairing. Children can also enjoy their own juice and pizza pairing. J.C. Le Roux is South Africa's first dedicated sparkling wine cellar. Visit [Blaauwklippen's](#) market (35 kilometres away) over the weekend, with breathtaking scenery of the Cape Dutch architecture. They also offer a [Kids Pizza Pairing](#) to keep the little ones entertained during your visit.

Afternoon Teas in the Winelands

Enjoy an afternoon of “[Tranquillity and Tea](#)” at La Residence, paired with mouthwatering savoury delights and sweet treats ranging from macarons to scones. Served at the Bistro, a [High Tea](#) at [La Paris Estate](#), 27 kilometres away) it is a delicious way to spend your day. Featuring a curated mix of sweet and savoury bites, paired with your choice of house teas, coffee, gin, whiskey, etc. The High Tea experience also has [gluten-free](#) and [vegan](#) options, along with “[Whiskey Lovers](#)’ High Tea. A Timeless Afternoon Tea is waiting for you at [Lanzerac's Manor Kitchen](#) (30 kilometres away). Here you can enjoy a delectable feast with re-imagined canapes and an assortment of savoury and sweet plates. Upgrade this memorable experience to include bottomless Cap Classique.

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LEEU COLLECTION, FRANSCHHOEK & STELLENBOSCH ART & SCULPTURE TOURS

FRANSCHHOEK

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STELLENBOSCH

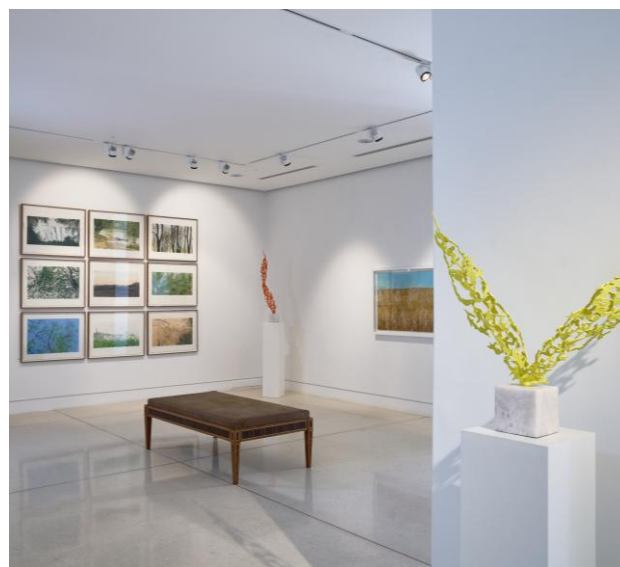
EVERARD READ GALLERIES

At Leeu Estates & Le Quartier Français

There are two [Everard Read galleries in Franschhoek](#): one adjacent to Le Quartier Français and the other at Leeu Estates on the flagship property of Leeu Collection. These galleries showcase contemporary art year-round through solo and group exhibitions.

Everard Read at Leeu Estates, opened in November 2020, combines a gallery and sculpture park, emphasising monumental sculptures set amid stunning fynbos and vineyards, and showcasing significant works in its purpose-built gallery.

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ART GALLERIES

Franschhoek

[AITY Gallery](#), founded in 2012, is a contemporary art gallery in the heart of the Franschhoek Valley. Showcasing a diverse range of art forms and unique handcrafted items while promoting experimentation and innovation within the art world. The [Pigcasso](#) Art Gallery at Farm Sanctuary SA, founded in 2016, introduced visitors to its extraordinary resident, 'Pigcasso,' the renowned painting pig. In collaboration with Joanne Lefson, she created remarkable artworks that highlight the connections among food systems, animals, and climate change. Her legacy continues to inspire. [EBONY/CURATED](#), a leading South African gallery spanning three locations, two of which are in Franschhoek, highlights contemporary and notable modern artworks.

SCULPTURE GARDEN TOURS

Stellenbosch

Explore the lush and inspiring gardens of the Cape Winelands. A short 16 kilometres from Franschhoek, [Boschendal](#) offers guided walking tours that provide insights into the farm's history, regenerative farming practices, and sustainable gardening. These tours also offer opportunities for harvesting herbs and fruit, allowing you to immerse yourself in the beauty of the Cape Winelands. Just 21 kilometres from Franschhoek, [Babylonstoren's](#) garden, inspired by Cape Town's historic Company's Gardengarden, inspired by Cape Town's historic Company's Garden, is central to the farm's heritage and provides fresh produce. Located 37 kilometres from Franschhoek, The [Dylan Lewis Sculpture Garden](#) on Stellenbosch Mountain spans seven hectares, offering expansive vistas, serene groves, and sculptures that express the untamed wilderness within the human psyche.





MUSEUMS

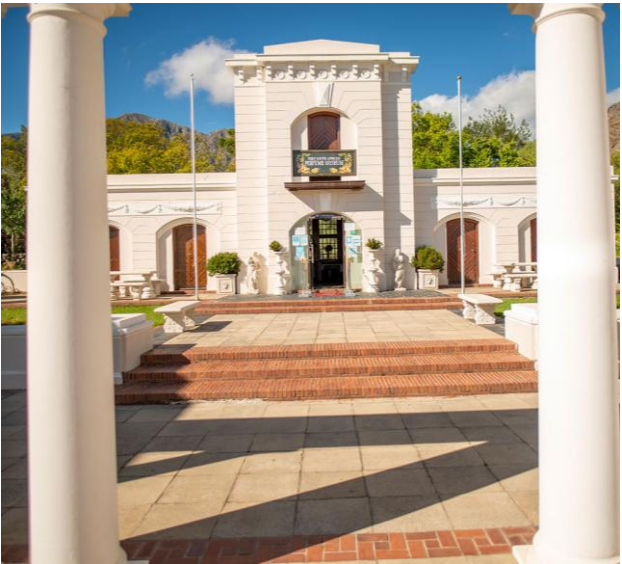
HUGUENOT MEMORIAL MUSEUM

FRANSCHHOEK MOTOR MUSEUM

KUMANOV PERFUMERY

HUGUENOT MEMORIAL MUSEUM Franschhoek

The historic Franschhoek Valley is home to a treasure trove of captivating museums and cultural experiences. Begin your journey at the [Huguenot Memorial Museum](#), which pays homage to the 17th-century French Huguenots and tells their story within the broader context of global refugees. The museum's galleries delve into Huguenot history, while an annex hosts exhibitions on Franschhoek, Fynbos, Khoisan, and Huguenot families.



FRANSCHHOEK MOTOR MUSEUM Franschhoek

Just 12 km from Franschhoek's village centre, automotive enthusiasts will discover the must-visit [Franschhoek Motor Museum](#), which houses over a century of automotive history in a collection of more than 220 vehicles.

KUMANOV PERFUMERY Franschhoek

Lastly, delve into the captivating world of perfumery at the [South African Perfume Museum](#) by Kumanov, located just a stone's throw from the Huguenot Memorial Museum. Antique treasures, some dating back to Roman times, and cutting-edge exhibitions await, all deeply rooted in the Kumanov family's centuries-long heritage as perfume importers and manufacturers. Experience the art of perfumery with Perfume Prive Workshop's expert-guided creation of personalised, high-quality signature scents. Explore these cultural gems in Franschhoek.





OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES/ ADVENTURE

LEEU COLLECTION

FRANSCHHOEK

R45 & STELLENBOSCH

GOLF

Leeu Collection

[#LEEULOCALLYGROWN](#) invites guests to immerse themselves in the natural beauty of the estate through a thoughtfully curated Garden Walk experience. Join a guided stroll led by our knowledgeable team, or explore at your own pace with the bespoke Leeu Estates map, available at reception. For those with a passion for birdlife, the estate offers a tranquil birdwatching experience, complete with informative pamphlets and binoculars for both adults and children, available upon request.

Franschhoek

La Motte Wine Estate offers a [Sustainable Hike](#) through the surrounding Wemmershoek mountains, where guests can explore indigenous flora and fauna, birdlife, protea gardens, and vineyards along a 5km scenic circular route. It takes about 2-3 hours to complete. Experience a guided tour through [GlenWood's](#) scenic vineyards, showcasing breathtaking views and the estate's commitment to sustainable winemaking. Discover [The Franschhoek Wine Walk](#). This nearby tour includes vineyard trails to multiple wineries, featuring tastings, snacks and lunch- perfect for those wanting to blend nature with local wine culture. Uncover the natural wonders of Franschhoek, a paradise for outdoor enthusiasts. Discover the diverse adventure and outdoor activities that await you in Franschhoek. Whether you prefer hiking through the picturesque [Mont Rochelle Nature Reserve](#), a sensory bike tour with [Franschhoek Cycles](#), or a thrilling scootour adventure with [Scootours® Franschhoek](#), there's something for every nature enthusiast. You can also embark on a captivating horseback journey with [Paradise Cottages and Stables](#), stopping at renowned wine estates along the way. Dive into these unforgettable experiences and immerse yourself in the beauty of the Franschhoek Valley.

R45 & Stellenbosch

Embark on a [Jeep Customised Tour](#), a personalised [open-air Jeep](#) experience designed to explore Franschhoek, Stellenbosch, and nearby destinations in style. Explore the lush and inspiring gardens of the Cape Winelands. A short 16 kilometres from Franschhoek, [Boschendal](#) offers guided walking tours that provide insights into the farm's history, regenerative farming practices, and sustainable gardening. These tours also offer opportunities for harvesting herbs and fruit, allowing you to immerse yourself in the beauty of the Cape Winelands. Just 21 kilometres from Franschhoek, [Babylonstoren's](#) garden, inspired by Cape Town's historic Company's Garden, is central to the farm's heritage and provides fresh produce. These tailored excursions offer a unique way to discover the region's natural beauty, hidden gems, and spectacular landscapes. [Wine Valley Horse Trails](#), located just 18 kilometres from Franschhoek on the Rhebokskloof Wine Estate in Paarl, South Africa, now offers Wine Valley Quad Bike Trails. These quad bikes offer guests the same scenic views and natural experience as horseback riders. The guided quad bike excursions range from half-hour to two-hour trails and include a fun obstacle course amidst the forest for novice riders to practice and refine their skills, guided by experienced professionals.

GOLF

Paarl, R44 and Somerset West

Experience world-class golfing in the scenic winelands of Cape Town. Just 19 kilometres from Leeu Estates, [Pearl Valley Golf Course](#), designed by the legendary Jack Nicklaus, has consistently been ranked among South Africa's top courses and received the "Best Conditioned" accolade from Golf Digest. Located 23 kilometres from Leeu Estates, [Paarl Golf Club](#) on Boschenmeer Estate, nestled in the picturesque Paarl-Franschhoek valley, boasts a warm tradition of hospitality and meticulously maintained fairways set against a backdrop of mountains and vineyards. A short 38 kilometres from Leeu Estates, [De Zalze Golf Course](#), situated within the De Zalze Winelands Golf Estate, offers a delightful mix of parkland and tree-lined holes along the Blaauwklippen River, providing a memorable golfing adventure for all skill levels. Just 54 kilometres from Leeu Estates, [Erinvale](#) offers a golfing experience surrounded by majestic mountains, with two distinctive nine-hole sections featuring varied landscapes and breathtaking views. Explore the beauty of the South African winelands while teeing off on these exceptional courses.



FAMILY FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES

LEEU COLLECTION

FRANSCHHOEK

PAARL

KLAPMUTS

Leeu Collection

[The Dining Room](#), offers a bright conservatory, stylish bar, and spacious outdoor deck, providing a relaxed yet elegant setting for all-day dining and drinks. Guests can enjoy a thoughtful à la carte menu perfect for everything from casual lunches to refined dinners. Our bespoke Colouring-in pages are designed for fun and offer young guests endless creative entertainment during their stay. Children staying at [Leeu Estates](#) can choose from puzzles and LEGO sets to purchase, play with, and take home as a souvenir. Leeu Spa [pampering for Kids](#) offers treatments for children aged six to twelve. Ideal for relaxing after a day of fun. [Little Green Fingers](#) offers little ones the chance to plant flowers, grow herbs, learn about how plants grow and explore nature through hands-on activities. Enjoy Leeu Estate's [Garden walks](#) and for those with a passion for birdlife, the estate offers a tranquil birdwatching experience, complete with informative pamphlets and binoculars for both adults and children, available upon request.

Franschhoek

[Franks Corner Bar and Grill](#), from steaks to house-brewed beers, homemade seltzers and Franschhoek wines. [Allora](#) Ristorante Classico is an upscale Italian gem combining casual and sophisticated dining with vibrant, artfully presented dishes. [Let's Frite](#) offers snacks, burgers, Wok meals and desserts. Their primary focus is delivering high quality meals for that "fine- dining" feel, at affordable prices. Suited for guests who want a quick meal before moving on to their next activity. [Rickety Bridge](#) offers alcohol-free options. They provide a non-alcoholic pairing experience featuring refreshing, flavoured iced teas with snacks, making it suitable for those looking to enjoy an outing without alcohol. Additionally, they have a [Kiddies Pairing](#) option, ensuring everyone can enjoy a wholesome time at the estate. [The Cellar Door Wine Tasting](#) at [Boschendal](#) (16 kilometres away) offers a 'kids' fruit cordial pairing or a grape juice pairing to be enjoyed, while parents explore the wine and snack plate pairings. Farm Sanctuary SA, nestled in the serene Franschhoek Valley, offers a peaceful retreat where visitors can connect with rescued farm animals and experience something truly extraordinary. Meet Balloo, the beloved resident cow, and discover the late [Pigcasso's](#) unique paintings that are showcased at the on-site OINK Gallery. [Spilsbury's Kitchen](#) in Franschhoek offers culinary experiences like the diverse Franschhoek Feast, creative Cakes & Bubbles, and the intimate Chef's Table, all celebrating local flavours and communal enjoyment.

Paarl

[Playrock](#) at Freedom Market, located 23 kilometres away, is the ultimate destination for family fun, offering a lively and unique adventure park that appeals to all ages. With indoor play areas, trampoline zones, a mini-golf course, and an outdoor mini-soccer field, there's something to keep everyone entertained for hours. What sets Playrock apart is its welcoming Restaurant and Bar, where adults can relax and enjoy themselves, knowing their children are busy having a blast. Situated in the beautiful Cape Winelands, Playrock is the first venue of its kind in Paarl—perfect for a memorable day out with the whole family.

[Clay Café Paarl](#), 26 kilometres outside of Franschhoek, is a family-run business established in 1999, grew out of Chasms Ceramics, known for hand-painted African-style ceramics. Housed in a charming former hill-top dairy, Clay Café Paarl has become a hidden gem in the Cape Winelands. This unique Pottery Café combines a creative pottery experience with a kid-friendly restaurant, making it a perfect outing for families and friends. Located on the award-winning Groot Parys Estate, visitors can enjoy breathtaking views of Paarl Rock and the Paarl Monument, just a short drive from Cape Town, all while soaking in warm, welcoming hospitality.

Klapmuts

[Exotic Animal World in Klapmuts](#) (36 kilometres away from Franschhoek) offers a unique family-friendly experience, home to over 700 rescued exotic animals, including spiders, snakes, monkeys, meerkats, scorpions, and a wide variety of birds. Visitors can explore the sanctuary and enjoy delicious meals and treats at Café Lemur, the on-site eatery known for its tasty food, friendly service, and lovely views of playful Ring-Tailed Lemurs, colourful parrots, and a charming aviary filled with canaries, parakeets, chinchillas, and doves—making it a perfect spot for the whole family to relax and recharge.

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GROUP ITINERARIES

THE DINING ROOM

LA PETITE COLOMBE

LA PETITE COLOMBE & EVERARD READ

THE DINING ROOM

At Leeu Estates

The Dining Room at the historic Manor House is an enchanting venue perfect for corporate and group dining. Embracing the rhythms of the seasons, the menu showcases a variety of light dishes along with exquisite à la carte selections, catering to all preferences.

- Exclusive to in-house guests.
- The conservatory can accommodate 24 guests.
- The long table seats up to 22 guests

Additional outdoor seating on the deck and terrace is weather permitting.

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LA PETITE COLOMBE

At Leeu Estates

La Petite Colombe offers an exceptional, award-winning fine-dining experience that perfectly blends the tranquil beauty of the Cape Winelands with the pinnacle of culinary expertise, making it an unrivalled group experience.

- Can accommodate up to 60 guests.

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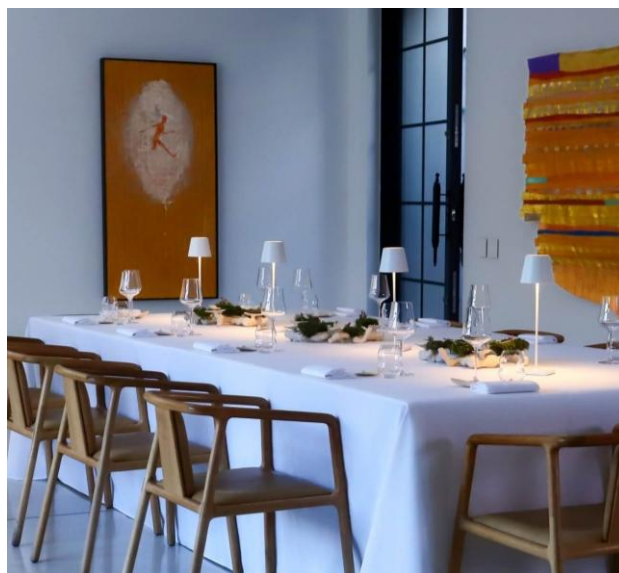
LA PETITE COLOMBE & EVERARD READ

At Leeu Estates

Experience the fusion of culinary mastery and artistic allure with La Petite Colombe's unique group dining offering, in partnership with Everard Read Gallery at Leeu Estates. Enjoy an exclusive private dining experience set against a backdrop of fine art in the Everard Read Gallery.

- Groups of 10 to 18 diners.
- This private dining experience is available for dinner only.

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GROUP ITINERARIES

PROTÉGÉ

ÉPICE

INDABA –
THE MEETING PLACE

PROTÉGÉ

At Le Quartier Français

Protégé offers a unique blend of casual fine dining, ideal for group gatherings. It showcases the talent of emerging chefs in a stylish setting, with options for al fresco dining or the excitement of a central show kitchen. Perfect for those seeking an exceptional and eclectic experience, Protégé is the go-to spot for groups looking to discover the culinary stars of tomorrow in a vibrant, welcoming atmosphere.

- Can accommodate up to 40 guests.

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ÉPICE

At Le Quartier Français

Épice, named after the French for 'spice' and pronounced eh-peace, offers an intimate fine dining adventure ideal for groups. Our menu, inspired by global travels including India, Spain, and Japan, serves up flavour-packed dishes perfect for those looking to embark on a culinary journey together. It's the ideal setting for an unforgettable group dining experience, blending exotic spices and international inspiration in every dish.

- Can accommodate up to 40 guests.

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PICNICS & BRAAIS

At Leeu Estates

Offering our guests an extraordinary culinary experience amidst the beauty of nature is at the heart of our commitment to creating unforgettable moments. We have crafted unique picnic and braai offerings that allow you to savour the great outdoors in style.

- Picnic set-ups are exclusive to Leeu Estates.
- Braais accommodate up to 6 people, and can only be held at select Leeu Estate locations, or for guests with exclusive use of Leeu House.

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GROUP ITINERARIES

MULLINEUX & LEEU FAMILY WINES

LEEU SPA

EVERARD READ GALLERIES

MULLINEUX & LEEU FAMILY WINES

At Leeu Collection

The Wine Studio at Leeu Estates, groups can enjoy a unique wine tasting experience led by expert hosts. With three specially designed tasting options, guests will explore premium handcrafted wines, learn about new vintages, and special cuvées. This exclusive experience is ideal for those looking to dive into the world of fine wines together in an exquisite setting.

- For private or group tastings, The Wine Studio's exclusive use can cater to 25 guests.
- A group of 12 guests can be accommodated during public tastings.
- Tastings typically last 60-90 minutes.

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LEEUE SPA

At Leeu Estates

A serene, contemporary wellness space designed to restore both body and mind. Tailored treatments, inspired by Africa's rich heritage, are delivered by skilled therapists in a peaceful atmosphere. Leeu Spa offers four treatment rooms, along with separate changing areas and steam rooms for male and female guests. The tranquil plunge pool overlooks a lily pond, creating a quiet pause between treatments and guests are invited to enjoy the relaxation lounge pre and post treatments. A fully equipped gym featuring TechnoGym equipment is available for those seeking a more active experience.

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EVERARD READ GALLERIES

At Leeu Estates & Le Quartier Français

Discover the rich tapestry of contemporary art at Everard Read galleries in Franschhoek, where a curator or gallery assistant is always on hand to enrich your visit. Guests are invited to immerse themselves in the exceptional exhibitions at their leisure during opening hours. The galleries, located next to Le Quartier Français and on the flagship Leeu Estates, showcase a year-round selection of solo and group exhibitions, offering a glimpse into the vibrant South African art scene.

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LEEU COLLECTION

FRANSCHHOEK

PAARL

HUGUENOT CHOCOLATES

Delve into the decadent world of chocolate with exclusive classes by [Huguenot Chocolates](#).

- 30-minute chocolate-making classes perfect for groups, with a take-home gift included.
- The experience is customisable for larger groups.

HIKING OR NATURE WALKS

Embark on an enchanting journey through nature during your stay at Leeu Collection with [Leeu Estates' vineyard and river walks](#), featuring well-maintained walkways along the riverside and through the vineyards, for a serene ambience.

- Self-guided garden walks on Leeu Estates are complimentary, do not require booking for in-house guests, and can be enjoyed at leisure.

[Mont Rochelle Nature Reserve](#), just a stone's throw from Leeu Estates.

- Mont Rochelle Nature Reserve offers various trails suitable for different levels.
- Day permits need to be purchased from Webtickets. Children under 12 years enter for free when accompanied by a paying adult.

[Wine Walk Experience](#), offers a curated stroll through vineyards, statue gardens, and country lanes.

- Stopping at three top Franschhoek wine farms.
- Enjoy nine wine tastings along the way, ending with a harvest-style lunch at one of the wineries.

La Motte Wine Estate offers a [Sustainable Hike](#) through the surrounding Wemmershoek mountains.

- Explore indigenous fauna and flora, birdlife, protea gardens, and vineyards along a scenic circular route of about 5km, taking about 2-3 hours to complete.

KUMANOV PERFUMERY

Immerse yourself in a sensory journey during your stay at the Leeu Collection with the enchanting perfume-making workshops offered by [Kumanov Perfumery](#). Elevate your experience with this unique opportunity to craft your signature scent under the guidance of expert perfumers.

- The workshop spans from 2 to 3 hours.
- Workshops cater to up to 35 individuals.
- Several packages are offered, with the Ultimate Package including champagne and charcuterie for an exquisite touch.

RICKETY BRIDGE WINE EXPERIENCES

[Rickety Bridge Wine Experiences](#) offer an ideal group activity in Franschhoek, with everything from unique tasting options to bespoke experiences such as their Estate Wine Blending and Premium Wine Blending Experiences.

- Large groups of up to 60 people can be accommodated by prior arrangement.
- Bookings are essential, and should be made at least 2 weeks in advance, subject to availability.

Please note offerings are subject to change without warning. Contact reservations for the most up to date offerings.



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BLACK ELEPHANT VINTNERS

Discover [the silent disco wine tasting](#), an innovative blend of taste and sound that elevates the classic wine tasting. Enjoy eight carefully selected wines, each matched with a unique playlist delivered through silent disco headphones. Imagine rich reds paired with powerful bass and delicate whites accompanied by soft acoustic melodies. Prepare for a two to three-hour journey of sensory surprises and immersive enjoyment. This experience accommodates a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 30 guests.

SCOOTOURS

Add a dash of adventure to your stay at Leeu Collection with the thrilling [Scootours](#) experience in the Franschhoek Winelands. Embark on a guided Scootour, navigating the stunning landscapes while enjoying the invigorating breeze.

- Drivers must be 10 years of age and older.
- The excursion lasts 1.5 hours.
- The Family-Friendly Adventure option allows passengers aged 4 – 9 years to double up with parents.
- The experience can cater for groups of up to 30 people.
- The experiences cater for groups no smaller than 4 and larger than 12.

SPILSBURY'S KITCHEN EXPERIENCES

[Spilsbury's Kitchen](#) in Franschhoek offers culinary experiences like the diverse Franschhoek Feast, creative Cakes & Bubbles, and the intimate Chef's Table, all celebrating local flavours and communal enjoyment.

- The experience can cater for groups of 2 – 12 people.
- Private classes can cater for 6 children and 6 adults.

WINE TRAM

Experience the epitome of wine and culinary excellence during your stay at Leeu Collection with the Franschhoek Wine Tram, offering a range of wine experiences, including curated wine tours, lunches, and tastings.

- The [Curated Wine Experience](#), exclusively for adults, offers a wine lecture, three-course lunch, cellar tour (when available), premium wine tasting, and wine pairing.
- The [Group Experience](#), for groups of 16 or more, provides a tailored adventure through the Vineyards.
- The [Hop-on-Hop-off Experience](#) allows flexibility to explore at your own pace.
- The [Exceptional Wine & Cuisine Experience](#) includes food and wine pairings across breakfast, lunch, and dessert.

For pricing, details and reservations, please visit the official [Franschhoek Wine Tram](#) website.

JEEP WINELANDS TOURS

Explore the Stellenbosch Wine Route in an [open-air Jeep Wrangler Tour](#). You'll visit three premium farms on the Stellenbosch Wine Route in open-top Jeep Wranglers, venturing into private vineyards and exploring the beautiful surroundings. Prices available on request.

- Includes a private Jeep and driver, hotel pick-up, three wine tastings, refreshments and a cheese platter.
- Excludes additional beverages and gratuity.
- There is an option to upgrade at an additional cost for a fine dining lunch experience.
- The duration of the tour is approximately 8 hours, from 9 am (pick-up) to 5 pm (drop-off)

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GOLFING

Enjoy exclusive golfing at the Jack Nicklaus Signature course at [Pearl Valley](#) and the scenic [Boschenmeer Golf Estate](#), both within a short drive from the Leeu Collection in the stunning Paarl-Franschhoek Valley.

- [Pearl Valley Golf Estate](#), located just 20 minutes from Franschhoek.
- For pricing, details and reservations, please visit the official Pearl Valley website.
- [Boschenmeer Golf Estate](#), located just 25 minutes from Franschhoek.
- For pricing, details and reservations, please visit the official Boschenmeer website.

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