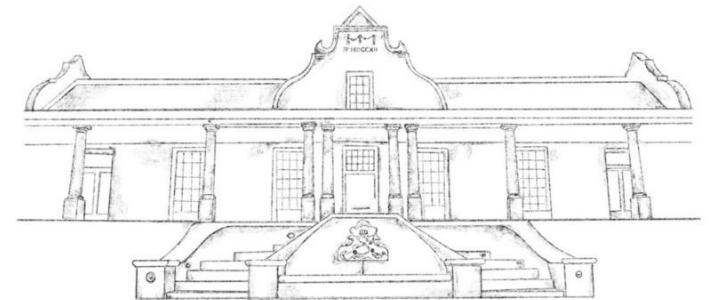




THE DOOLHOF



2024/2025



DOOLHOF BOUTIQUE HOTEL WEDDINGS

Thank you for your interest in Doolhof Boutique Hotel as the potential venue for your celebration!

Set within a secluded and award-winning Wine Estate at the end of a tranquil valley below the historic Bains Kloof Pass just outside of Wellington, the 380 hectares of mountains, vineyards, riverbeds, forests and fynbos are the perfect backdrop for a dream wedding celebration.

The venue can accommodate a maximum of 100 guests.

THE HOTEL

Doolhof Boutique Hotel welcomes its guests with sumptuous comfort, discreet service, and complete privacy and exclusivity amidst beautiful mountain and vineyard scenery.

The exclusive and elegantly restored Cape Dutch Manor House, formerly the private residence of the owners of Doolhof Wine Estate, comprises of six luxurious and bespoke loft rooms and suites. A separate thatched cottage is enjoyed by honeymooners or guests seeking additional privacy.

Imaginative cuisine is served in private dining rooms or al fresco on the grand veranda overlooking the mountains.

Facilities on the Estate comprise a large outdoor swimming pool, a spa room, hiking and mountain bike trails, e-bike rentals, various walks, and a wine tasting center. A variety of activities including horse riding, clay pigeon shooting, quad biking as well as golf played on world-class golf courses, are a short drive away.





VENUE OPTIONS AT DOOLHOF BOUTIQUE HOTEL

CEREMONY OPTIONS

Doolhof Boutique Hotel Lawn - Terrace 1

Our extensive landscaped gardens are perfect for an outdoor wedding ceremony. Guests can watch as you tie the knot while enjoying the beauty of the forest and horse paddocks that can be seen from the lawn.

The Labyrinth

The Labyrinth makes for a very special ceremony area as this structure is an ancient symbol that relates to wholeness. It combines the imagery of the circle and the spiral into a meandering but purposeful path.

PRE-DRINK OPTIONS

Doolhof Boutique Hotel Lawn - Terrace 2

The lawn terrace provides the perfect location for guests to sip a glass and bubbly and enjoy the sweeping views of the valley; with the magnificent Cape Dutch Hotel set in the background.

Doolhof Boutique Hotel Pool Area

The pool terrace provides guests with a luxurious space to enjoy live braai stations or delicious canape while lounging next to the sparkling blue water of our lap pool.

RECEPTION OPTIONS

Doolhof Boutique Hotel Veranda

The veranda is the ideal space for an intimate and romantic celebration. A long table can be set up underneath your lighting display of choice. Guests can dance the night away, under the stars, in front of the Hotel.





WEDDING PACKAGE RATES

ROMANTIC SEASON 2024
(1 May 2024 - 30 September 2024)

VENUE HIRE: R21 000.00

ACCOMMODATION (1 NIGHT): R31 500.00

ACCOMMODATION (2 NIGHTS): R56 700.00

ACCOMMODATION (3 NIGHTS): R80 325.00

FESTIVE SEASON
(20 December 2024 - 10 January 2025)

VENUE HIRE: R 36 300

ACCOMMODATION (3 NIGHTS): R 132 500

SUMMER SEASON 2024/2025
(01 November 2024 - 30 April 2025)
*except the Festive Season

VENUE HIRE: R 30 500

ACCOMMODATION (2 NIGHTS): R 75 050

ACCOMMODATION (3 NIGHTS): R 106 365

ROMANTIC SEASON 2025
(1 May 2025 - 30 September 2025)

VENUE HIRE: R23 000.00

ACCOMMODATION (1 NIGHT): R 34 650

ACCOMMODATION (2 NIGHTS): R 63 000

ACCOMMODATION (3 NIGHTS): R 88 500





DOOLHOF BOUTIQUE HOTEL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

GUESTS NUMBERS

The Doolhof Boutique Hotel can accommodate a maximum of 100 guests for any function that is booked on the premises.

ACCOMMODATION

It is essential that all seven guest rooms are booked by the hosting party for at least two nights (the night before the wedding and the wedding night) and up to three nights during peak times or if the setup requires an additional day. The one-night option is available for weddings in June, July, August, and September, with a maximum of 60 guests. The below rates are already discounted and include breakfast only. The rate includes a continental breakfast each morning, with the option of a hot breakfast as well.

MEALS AND BEVERAGES

The rate includes a continental breakfast each morning, with the option of a hot breakfast. Guests are welcome to book lunch at Mila Restaurant; and book dinner, in advance, with the Hotel. The Hotel offers a three-course dinner at R750 per person, which includes a complimentary glass of Doolhof's sparkling Chenin Blanc. Platters can be booked for the bridal party, with the Hotel, in advance as well. Any drinks will be billed directly to the main client/room and this will need to be settled on check out.

BOOKING & PAYMENT

Provisional bookings will be held for 7 days, thereafter the dates will be released and bookable for other functions. Bookings are only confirmed once a 50% non-refundable deposit and signed contract have been received; the balance is required 30 days prior to the wedding date, unless otherwise agreed with Management.

STAFF

All staffing is to be booked through the Doolhof Boutique Hotel. No outside staffing companies are allowed to work at Hotel.

CATERING

Taste Ateljee is the inhouse catering company that is used at Doolhof Boutique Hotel.

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WEDDING COORDINATION

Please note that any wedding that is booked at Doolhof Boutique Hotel requires a coordinator to be present on the day.

FUNCTION AND HOTEL TIMES

The venue fee includes the hours until 17h00 for lunch or until 1h00 for dinner functions. Every hour thereafter will be charged at an additional venue fee of R3,000.00 (plus staff). A function officially ends as soon as the music stops AND the bar closes/service stops. All guests not staying in the guesthouse as well as service providers are requested to leave the premises within 30 minutes thereafter. Please take note that the management of Doolhof Boutique Hotel reserves the right to limit the duration of the celebration and/or regulate the volume of the music.

CONFETTI

Please note that only biodegradable confetti is allowed. No confetti bombs or party spray is allowed on the premises.

ALCOHOL AND CORKAGE

A standard range of beers, soft drinks and spirits is available. A selection of award winning Doolhof wines will be at your disposal and we do not allow any other wines to be consumed during a function. No other beverages or liquors may be brought onto the premises. The final bar arrangements have to be confirmed at least 14 days before the function.

SUPPLIERS

Please ensure that all suppliers are aware of the venue's policies prior to the wedding day.

ADDITIONAL ACCOMMODATION

(all within 10km of the farm)

Africamps on the Farm // Dunstone Country House // Nabygelegen // Val du Charron // Andreas Country House // 5 Mountains Lodge

