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THIS MONTH'S FOCUS:



Year End Functions @ African Pride Irene Country Lodge

Looking for the ideal year end event - well look no further as we have a variety of different private venues, varying in size from small intimate venues to our larger Nomadic which is ideal for big groups. We also offer a variety of Mezze Platters, Cocktail Menu, Plated Menu or Buffet Menus that can be served.

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Mooovelous Mooovember!

The recent spate of rain and the arrival of our famous Highveld thunderstorms was a welcome relief to our herd as not only were we able to cool off a bit, but now we are enjoying the wonderful grass just that little bit of natural watering has helped flourish.

The calves weren't happy with the wet weather as we insisted they stay inside the barn and out of the mud! Hopefully the weather is good on the weekends for the month of Mooovember as our much anticipated **Year-End Function** is taking place at **African Pride Irene Country Lodge**. Our invitation didn't give much away, but by the sounds of it, we will be enjoying the **Nomadic Experience**, all 200 of us!

Hank came round to visit last week to find out a bit more about **Destination Irene** and what it has to offer. It's his first Festive Season on the **Irene Farm** and his family have decided that they would like to visit so they can see first-hand why he thinks his new job is so mootastic (apart from the fact that he's fallen in love with Pertunia!).

I was quick to assure him that the **Family Fun Getaway** at **African Pride Irene Country Lodge** would be the mooofect option for his family to book. And while Pertunia and him get to babysit his younger siblings (which will give him some insight into her mooothering skills), he can book a **Camdeboo Day Spa Date Night** for his folks to enjoy. Not only will they graze on a snack platter and some bubbly whilst putting their hooves up and watching the sunset, but they will also enjoy a Twice as Nice Full Body Massage in the couple's room – after this they will completely understand why Hank isn't keen to return to the Lowveld! Hank was most impressed with my suggestions and I am pleased to say that I have, yet again, convinced another to love **Destination Irene** as much as I do!

COMPETITION TIME

WIN

1. Win A Weekend Getaway for two on dinner, bed and breakfast basis for two at [African Pride Irene Country Lodge](#)
2. Win a Monthly Maintenance Package valued @ R 1 100 at the [Camdeboo Day Spa](#)
3. Win Breakfast from our Chef's Hot Table for two at the Barn Restaurant valued @ R 219.90 at the [Irene Dairy Farm](#)

See below for competition details.

WIN

Our admin lady, Lilly, nearly rammed me over this morning in her rush to get to the office on time. I popped in a few hours later to check on her as she seemed a bit frazzled and I was right. She says the phones have not stopped ringing with people wanting to book **Year-End Functions**, **Christmas Eve Dinner**, **Christmas Day lunch** and they've even started enquiring about **New Year** celebrations!

Irene Farm just won **Best Restaurant for Lunch in the Country in the Readers Choice Best of Pretoria Awards** (which is not surprising) and now everyone wants to experience our restaurants first hand! Small and large companies have been enquiring about our fantastic **Year-End Functions** and families have already started booking the breakfast and lunch options

for **Christmas Day**. **The Barn Restaurant** and the **The Deck Restaurant** are going to be booked out soon!

I made Lilly a cup of tea and tried to calm her down but it's no wonder the phone doesn't stop ringing – the Festive Season offerings are fantastic and **Destination Irene** is clearly the place to be.

On my return to the barn, I decided to get my checklist for the Festive Season in order as I don't want to be left out:

- Book our **Romantic Christmas Eve Dinner** at **The Meadow Green Restaurant** (for just Bill and I);
- Remember to get a new outfit for our much anticipated **Year-End Function** at **African Pride Irene Country Lodge**;
- Book for the whole family at **The Barn Restaurant** for **Christmas Day Lunch**;
- Remind Hank to book the **Family Fun Getaway** at **African Pride Irene Country Lodge** together with the **Camdeboo Day Spa Date Night** (I'll also suggest that he book their **Christmas Lunch** at **The Meadow Green Restaurant**); and
- Tell all the others in the field to get their calves in a row as time is running out...

I hope all your Festive Season planning is coming together nicely...

Till next month

THE DAIRY COW



[For those of you that missed my amazing newsletters and need familiarity as to who I am or the characters I often refer to in my updates, click here to read more...](#)

DESTINATION IRENE - WHAT TO DO

I also found some MOOvellous activities and things to do whilst you are in the area, why not take the time to enjoy some of the activities Destination Irene has to offer:



Smuts House



COMPETITION TIME

Competition 1



Win: A **Weekend Getaway** for two on dinner, bed and breakfast basis at [African Pride Irene Country Lodge](#), by simply answering this easy question on their [Facebook Page](#):

Question: What is the price of our Christmas Day Lunch?

Answer: [Click here to post your answer](#)

Competition 2



Win: A **Monthly Maintenance** at the [Camdeboo Day Spa](#), by simply answering the simple question on their [Facebook page](#):

Question: What is inclusive of the monthly maintenance package?

Answer: [Click here to post your answer](#)

Competition 3



Win: **Breakfast** from our Chef's Hot Table for two at the **Barn Restaurant**, at the [Irene Dairy Farm](#) by simply answering the simple question on their [Facebook page](#):

Question: What does the Sunday Breakfast from our Chef's Hot Table at the Barn Restaurant include?

Answer: [Click here to post your answer](#)

WINNERS



Congratulations to last month's winners!

African Pride Irene Country Lodge - **Weekend Getaway** for two on dinner, bed and breakfast basis.

Frank Montgomery

Camdeboo Day Spa - Hot Rock for Men Treatment

Wally Weber

Irene Dairy Farm - a R 250 shopping voucher at the Dairy Shop

Marelize Campbell

Please send an email to marketing@irenecountrylodge.co.za to claim your prize!!!

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