

HESSEQUA HARMONIE

22–26 September 2026 · Heidelberg, Western Cape

TUESDAY · 22 SEPTEMBER

09:00 — Skeerhok Farm Stall · Agricultural Breakfast

120 min · R300

Samantha van den Berg

Landbouweekblad editor Samantha van den Berg in conversation with Agriculture Professor Theo Kleynhans on modern farming and his transition from academia to practice.

11:30 — Proeviland · Classical: Bulgarian Brunch

60 min · R220

Miroslav Chakaryan (violin), Susan Mouton (cello), Elna van der Merwe (piano)

Haydn, Brahms, Mendelssohn, and traditional Bulgarian works.

19:00 — Town Hall · Classical: Opening Concert — Spiritual Songs

90 min · R220

Niël Rademan (baritone), Paulina Malefane (soprano), Miroslav Chakaryan (violin), Susan Mouton (cello), Elna van der Merwe (piano), RUK Choir (dir. Pam de Goede)

Featuring *Amazing Grace*, *Danny Boy*, *I'll Walk with God*.

20:15 — Banquet Hall · VRL Lounge: Cheese & Wine

60 min · R150

A relaxed post-concert gathering. Pre-booking essential.

WEDNESDAY · 23 SEPTEMBER

09:00 — Fourie House · In Conversation

60 min · R150

Riana Scheepers & PJO Jonker

Conversation on Jonker's debut novel *The Invisible*.

Coffee and tea served.

11:30 — Proeviand · Classical: From Holland to Heidelberg

60 min · R220

Kaat Vanhaverbeke (accordion), Josie McClure (saxophone) — NorthSouth Duo

A vibrant programme spanning Europe and South Africa.

15:00 — Congregational Church · Poetry / Spoken Word / TaMiem van Swellendam

60 min · R220

Bettie Kemp in A literary portrait of MER's life and legacy.

16:00 — NG Church Hall · Day Market

120 min · Complimentary

18:00 — NG Church · ATKV Gala Concert

75 min · R160

Minette du Toit-Pearce (mezzo-soprano), Paulina Malefane (soprano), Corneil Muller (baritone), Elna van der Merwe (organ & piano), Windworx Symphonic Wind Orchestra (cond. Pamela Kierman & Riaan van Wyk), Festival Choir (cond. Betsie Ryke & Ravic Fielies)

19:15 — NG Church Hall · Night Market

120 min · Complimentary

THURSDAY · 24 SEPTEMBER

09:00 — Fourie House · In Conversation: Adam Small — 90 Years

60 min · R150

Riana Scheepers & Prof. Steward van Wyk

Celebrating the legacy of Adam Small.

Coffee and tea served.

11:30 — Proeviand · Heritage Table: Bobotie & Pinotage

120 min · R300

Melodika Ensemble — Irene Sutherland (piano/violin), Merinda Uys (piano/cello), Christelle Gildenhuys (flute/cello/piano)

Live chamber accompaniment to a curated heritage pairing.

15:00 — Congregational Church · Poetry & Song: Adam Small — A Life Celebrated

60 min · R200

Dean Balie (performance)

A spoken and musical tribute to Adam Small.

16:30 — Delish · Tapas & Craft Beer

90 min · R200

A tasting experience

Five curated tastings.

19:00 — Town Hall · Classical: 3 Pianos — Mozart, Movies & Maestros

60 min · R220

Elna van der Merwe, José Dias, Mario Nel

20:15 — Banquet Hall · VRL Lounge: Cheese & Wine

60 min · R150

FRIDAY · 25 SEPTEMBER

09:00 — Fourie House · In Conversation

120 min · R150

Riana Scheepers & Theo Kemp

Award-winning author of *Strafjaart*, *Skool* and *Klein Konings*(2025).

11:30 — Proeviand · Classical: Brahms & Blooms

60 min · R220

José Dias (piano), Johanna Roos (violin)

Brahms violin works alongside a contemporary South African song cycle by Niel van der Watt.

15:00 — Congregational Church · Poetry: Oulap se Rooi

60 min · R220

Lee-Ann van Rooi performs poetry by Jolyn Phillips, Ronelda Kamfer, Bibi Slippers, Veronique Jephtas; in this tribute to Diana Ferrus.

16:30 — Delish · Tapas & Wine

90 min · R200

Curated wine tasting experience

19:00 — Town Hall · Light Music: André Schwartz — Any Dream Will Do

75 min · R250

André Schwartz performs Andrew Lloyd Webber.

20:15 — Banquet Hall · VRL Lounge: Cheese & Wine

60 min · R150

SATURDAY · 26 SEPTEMBER

11:00 — Dasjesdrift · In Conversation

120 min · R250

Riana Scheepers & Chanette Paul

Award-winning author of 50+ novels. Includes breakfast with bubbly.

14:00 — Dasjesdrift · Musical Drama: Vivaldi en die vondeling (Vivaldi and the Foundeling)

60 min · R220

Lynelle Kenned (soprano/actress), Johanna Roos (violin), Mario Nell (harpsichord)

Text: Riana Scheepers · Direction: Niël Rademan · Design: Lindi Heila Smit

The story of Anna Maria della Pietà, Vivaldi's child prodigy.

16:00 — Dasjesdrift · Light Music: Rocco de Villiers

60 min · R250

Rocco de Villiers (piano)

Solo piano programme with nostalgic and contemporary works.

DAILY ARTS PROGRAMME

Tuesday — Saturday · 09:00 – 17:00

EXHIBITIONS

Harmony Hand-in-Hand — Craft Exhibition
Fourie House · Complimentary

Zelda Truter — Solo Exhibition
Hotel · Complimentary

Louise Kluys & Friends — Group Exhibition
Star Nation Studios · Complimentary

Dina Grobler — Solo Exhibition
Congregational Church · Complimentary

Firefly Studio & Friends
Complimentary

Children's Art Exhibition
Library · Complimentary

Farm-to-Table: Harvest & Serve
Proeviand · Complimentary

WORKSHOPS

Bookings via Webtickets

Craft Workshop I

23 September · 14:00 – 17:00 · Fourie House · R150

Facilitators: Craft Collective Artists

Craft Workshop II

24 September · 14:00 – 17:00 · Fourie House · R150

Facilitators: Craft Collective Artists

Craft Workshop II

25 September · 14:00 – 17:00 · Fourie House · R150

Facilitators: Craft Collective Artists

Organic Clay Workshop

23 September · 14:00 – 17:00 · Proeviand · R550

Facilitator: Dina Grobler

EXPLORE

Historical Walking Tours

By appointment

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