



OUR STORY

A place of serenity

Just seven kilometers outside Stellenbosch, tucked into the heart of the Cape winelands, lies our place of quiet beauty.

A history rooted in wine

Wine has flowed through this valley since the very first settlers arrived. In 1654, vine cuttings were shipped from Germany's Rhineland to the Cape's first commander, Jan van Riebeeck, but they arrived rotten. A second shipment the following year fared better, and it became the foundation of an entire industry. On 2 February 1659, the valley's first wine was made. Van Riebeeck captured the moment in his diary with unmistakable joy. "Wine," he wrote, "has finally been produced from Cape grapes."

Those early years were anything but easy. Lions and leopards prowled the mountains, and daily life was rough and unforgiving. Settlers received little more than basic government supplies and some plants – the rest was up to them. Out of necessity, they built a way of life defined by independence, grit and a deep faith in God and the land.

The scared corner

The area now known as Banghoek was once called *De Bange Hoek*, "the scared corner", as recorded on an old 1704 map of Zeven Rivieren. The name wasn't just poetic. The terrain was treacherously steep, criminal gangs and escaped prisoners hid in the area and lions and leopards stalked the dense forests. Travelers had every reason to fear the journey. Even today, leopards are still occasionally spotted in the surrounding mountains.

The original road from Stellenbosch wound through Idas Vallei, past the farm Nazareth (now Glen Bourne), up to a mountain pass at a farm called Die Hel, later renamed Rust en Vrede and known today as Kylemore, before continuing through Bethlehem and into the Groot Drakenstein valley. The owner of Die Hel made his living charging toll fees and offering shelter to farmers traveling to and from the Cape.

Today, Banghoek stands as a proud sub-region of Stellenbosch and Zorgvliet Wines is honoured to be part of its story.

Our promise

Behind this mission is a team of passionate, dedicated people. Knowledge and a genuine love for exceptional, personal service are at the heart of everything we do.

We believe everyone deserves to feel pride and purpose in their work. And because great service is a team effort, we thrive when we collaborate, respecting one another's contributions and valuing what each person brings to the table.



ZORGVLIET GRAPES & GREEN PICNICS

PICNIC MENU
Monday - Sunday | 11:00 - 16:00

PICNIC BASKETS

Family Basket for four | 1300

- Please book at least one day in advance

With whole, oven roasted chicken, baguettes, preserves, quiche of the day, fresh garden salad, salad of the day, something sweet and a bottle of Zorgvliet wine

Silvermyn Basket for two | 750

With baguettes, preserves, quiche of the day, charcuterie, fresh garden salad, salad of the day, something sweet and a bottle of Zorgvliet wine

Meaty Basket for two | 750

With baguettes, preserves, a duo of gourmet cheeses, crackers, charcuterie, beef meatballs, something sweet and a bottle of Zorgvliet wine

Snack Basket for two | 840

With baguettes, preserves, quiche of the day, a duo of gourmet cheeses, crackers, charcuterie, beef meatballs, something sweet and a bottle of Zorgvliet wine

Zorgvliet Basket for two | 840

With baguettes, preserves, wraps, a duo of gourmet cheeses, crackers, chicken drumsticks, fresh garden salad, something sweet and a bottle of Zorgvliet wine

Vegetarian Basket for two | 840

With baguettes, preserves, vegetable wraps, a duo of gourmet cheeses, crackers, fresh garden salad, salad of the day, something sweet and a bottle of Zorgvliet wine

Children's Basket | 195

- For children under the age of 10

With crumbed chicken strips or chicken drumsticks, a beef burger, potato crisps, sweets, juice and a toy

CREATE YOUR OWN *or top up your basket*

- Baguette (1) | 30
- Sweet and Savoury Preserves (4) | 110
- Quiches of the Day (2) | 90
- Duo of Gourmet Cheese and Crackers | 190
- Chicken or Vegetable Wraps (2) | 115
- Charcuterie Selection | 125
 - 100g Parma or Salami
- Fresh Garden Salad (1) | 110
- Salad of the Day (1) | 100
- Chicken Drumsticks (4) | 105
- Beef Meatballs (10) | 100
- Whole Chicken (1) | 265
 - Please book one day in advance
- Jars of Something Sweet (2) | 200
- Chocolate Brownies (2) | 200



please note that a 10% gratuity will be added to your final bill



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