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SPORTING HIGHLIGHTS
CLUB ROUNDUP

REDS & SPICE EVENING
A FLAVOURFUL CELEBRATION

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CAN MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE**
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SPORTING SPOTLIGHT

GOLF, FOOTBALL AND CRICKET DELIVER PLENTY OF DRAMA

From the fairways of the U.S. Open to the drama of the FIFA World Cup and the ICC Women's T20 World Cup, it's been a week of unforgettable sporting moments.



SOUTH AFRICANS IN THE FIELD

HENNIE DU PLESSIS
FIRST MAJOR

JAYDEN SCHAPER
TWO DP WORLD TOUR TITLES



SOUTH AFRICAN HOPES HEAD TO THE U.S. OPEN

The 126th U.S. Open tees off this week at Oakmont Country Club, and South African interest is sky-high with Jayden Schaper and Hennie du Plessis in the field.

Schaper arrives in excellent form following a breakthrough season on the DP World Tour, while du Plessis earned his spot after a late call-up as an alternate.

South Africa last lifted the U.S. Open trophy in 2004 when Retief Goosen triumphed at Shinnecock Hills. Can this duo end a 22-year wait?

“*Can Schaper or du Plessis end South Africa's 22-year wait for U.S. Open glory?*”

THIS WEEK IN SPORT

-  U.S. OPEN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP
12 - 15 JUNE
-  FIFA WORLD CUP 2026 GROUP STAGE
11 JUNE - 19 JULY
-  ICC WOMEN'S T20 WORLD CUP
12 JUNE - 5 JULY
-  WINTER SPORT ACROSS SA IN FULL FLOW









BAFANA LOOKING FOR A RESPONSE



Bafana Bafana's return to the FIFA World Cup got off to the worst possible start as they fell 2-0 to hosts Mexico in a chaotic opening match. The game saw three red cards - Sphephelo Sithole and Themba Zwane for South Africa, and Cesar Montes for Mexico - in a night of controversy, VAR drama and frustration.

Now the focus shifts to tomorrow's vital group clash against Czechia. Coach Hugo Broos has demanded a strong response and believes his team can get their campaign back on track.

FIFA WORLD CUP 2026 - OPENING RESULTS

| | | | | |
|---|----------|-------|---|------------|
|  | Germany | 7 - 1 |  | Costa Rica |
|  | Portugal | 3 - 2 |  | USA |
|  | Brazil | 2 - 0 |  | Morocco |
|  | France | 2 - 1 |  | Japan |



SOUTH AFRICA W20C1 vs CZECHIA

19 JUNE 2026
KICK-OFF 18:00 (CAT)

“*Three red cards. One difficult night. Tomorrow offers a chance for redemption.*”

PROTEAS WOMEN SEEK WORLD CUP MOMENTUM





The ICC Women's T20 World Cup got underway in England with South Africa facing a tough opener against six-time champions Australia.

Laura Wolvaardt and her side were beaten by 65 runs, but remain well in contention with key matches still to come.

Pakistan are next on the schedule, followed by a highly anticipated clash against India. There's still everything to play for.

ICC WOMEN'S T20 WORLD CUP - GROUP STAGE

| | | | |
|---|--------------|-------|--------------------------|
|  | AUSTRALIA | 178/4 | AUSTRALIA WON BY 65 RUNS |
|  | SOUTH AFRICA | 113 | |

“*One match does not define a tournament. The Proteas still have plenty to play for.*”

REDS & Spice

WINE TASTING & BUNNY CHOW CURRY NIGHT

A fantastic Wednesday evening at Victoria Country Club as members enjoyed a guided red wine tasting with Anthonij, Rupert Wyne, perfectly paired with our popular Bunny Chow Curry Night.

Great wines, bold flavours and even better company – the perfect midweek pairing!



BOLD REDS, RICH SPICES, GREAT FRIENDS. *That's what Wednesdays are all about!*



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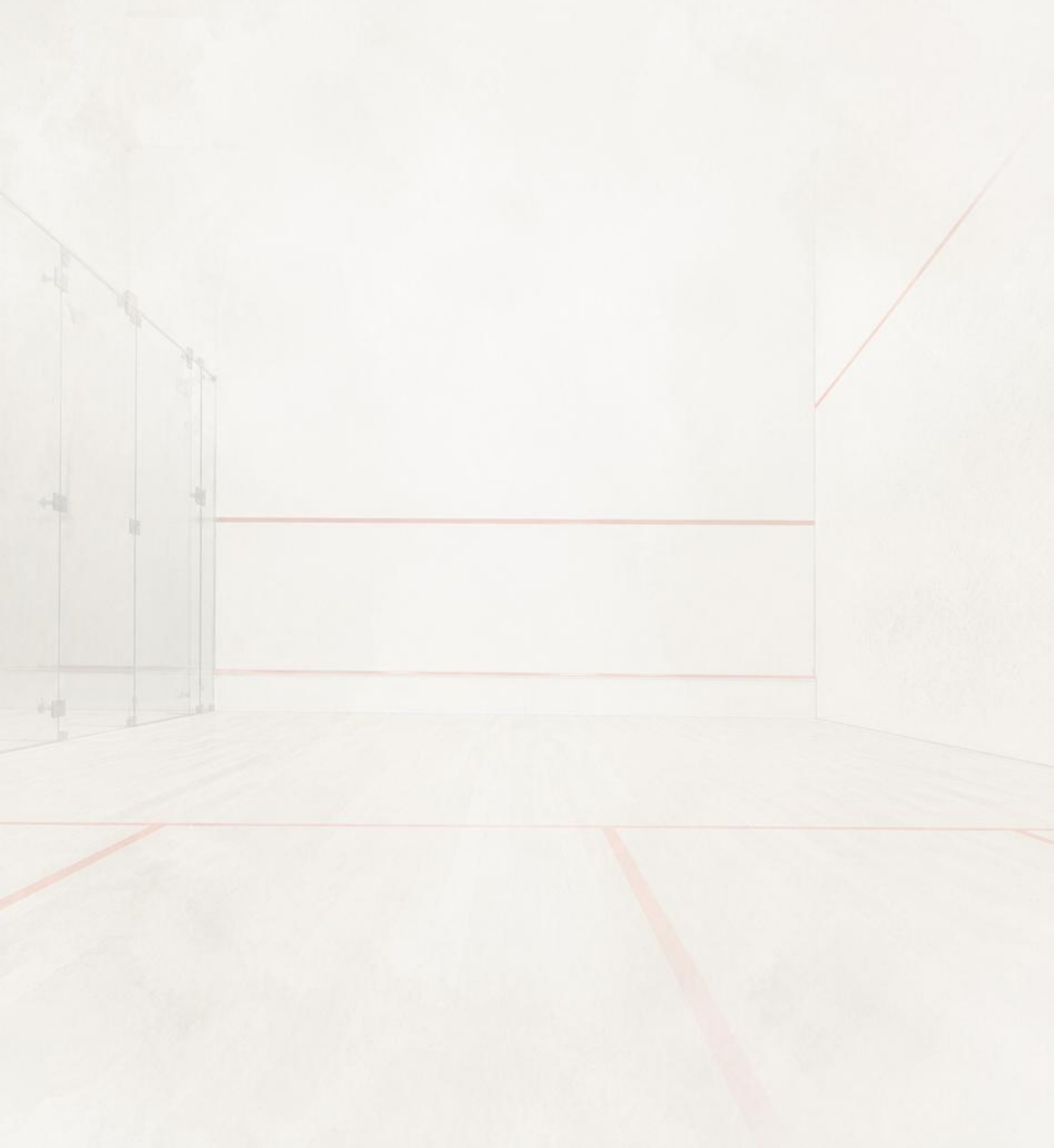
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AT VICTORIA





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JUNE 2026

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
|--|----------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | 1 | 2  SINCE 187  LADIES GOLF | 3 | 4  ST ANNES DIOCESAN COLLEGE GOLF DAY | 5  SANTAM GOLF DAY | 6  MONTHLY MUG |
| 7 PREMIER LEAGUE ALLERTON LEAGUE | 8 | 9 LADIES OPEN | 10  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY USHER ATTORNEYS | 11  | 12 | 13 |
| 14 COMRADES MARATHON 2026 | 15 | 16   BafanaBafana | 17  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY ANTHONIJ RUPERT WYNE | 18  CLIMB FOR SKILLS GOLF DAY | 19  HARVARD HOUSE GOLF DAY | 20  |
| 21  | 22 | 23   OUR PEOPLE DELIVER | 24  MIDLANDS 081 345 7084 WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY SEEF MIDLANDS | 25 | 26  ABS GOLF DAY | 27 |
| 28 | 29 KZN SENIOR LADIES | 30  LADIES GOLF | | | | |

JULY 2026

| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
|---|-----|--|--|-----|---|--|
| | | | 1  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY VENNS ATTORNEYS | 2 | 3 | 4  takealot  MONTHLY MUG |
| 5 | 6 | 7  SINCE 187  LADIES GOLF | 8  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY SMG LEXUS UMHLANGA | 9 | 10 VOLTA OPEN | 11  |
| 12 | 13 | 14  LADIES GOLF | 15 | 16 | 17  MIDLANDS HOSPICE GOLF DAY | 18  |
| 19  Allerton League | 20 | 21 | 22  DICK'S DAY SPONSORED BY PAM GOLDING PROPERTIES | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 | 27 | 28  LADIES GOLF | 29  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY HILTON QUARRY SPAR | 30 | 31  CORDWALLES PREP GOLF DAY | |



MORE THAN GOLF

MEMBERSHIP

COMMUNITY

HERITAGE

RESULTS

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SATURDAY CLUB COMPETITION

13 JUNE -4 BALL BETTER BALL

1st : Gary Whattley, L Waite - 45 Points

2nd : Ajay Bechan, Sanjay Harryparshad - 43

3rd : Bradley Flanagan, G vd Warth - 42

LADIES RESULTS

16 JUNE - SOCIAL GOLF

WEDNESDAY SCHOOL

10 JUNE - ANTHONIJ RUPERT WYNE - 4 BALL ALLIANCE

1st : Wynand Hart, Peter Allen - 44 oco

2nd : Mark Coetzee, Russell Goosen - 44

3rd : Deon Schaup, Stephen van Coller - 42

RESULTS

Wednesday
SCHOOL
Victoria Country Club



Wednesday SCHOOL

Victoria Country Club

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WEDNESDAY SCHOOL
24 JUNE 2026

FORMAT
• 4 BALL ALLIANCE •

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FATHER'S DAY

Breakfast

CELEBRATE DAD WITH A MORNING
TO REMEMBER

♥



SUNDAY
21 JUNE



FROM
8AM – 11AM



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SUNDAY, 21 JUNE 2026



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SPRINGBOKS

SOUTH AFRICA



BARBARIANS



20 JUNE 2026

KICK-OFF
3:00PM

NELSON MANDELA BAY STADIUM, GQEBERHA

MATCH DAY SPECIALS!



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WATCH THE MATCH *LIVE* AT REGGIE'S BAR



SOUTH AFRICA
BAFANA BAFANA

VS

CZECHIA



THURSDAY, 18 JUNE 2026



KICK-OFF: 18:00
(SA TIME)



MERCEDES-BENZ STADIUM,
ATLANTA



COLD DRINKS



GREAT ATMOSPHERE



BIG-SCREEN ACTION

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Golf Tournament 2026

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Victoria Country Club, Pietermaritzburg

R2 500 per 4-ball
R625 per individual
R2 500 per hole sponsorship

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FRIDAY

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CHARITY Golf Day

| DATE | VENUE | COST |
|-------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
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4--ball alliance format

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CORDWALLES PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Golf and Padel Day

Victoria Country Club | 31 July 2026

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|-------|----------------|
| | R2600 per team |
| PADEL | Team Entry |
| | R500 per team |

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CAPTAIN



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