

Journey of Hope and Healing



"This walk is not just about healing the injustices of the past, but rallying to working towards the prosperous society we can be."

Professor Thuli Madonsela

Set against the backdrop of our country's turbulent history, this 16 km walk aspires to embrace social justice. While acknowledging past injustices, we commit ourselves to create an environment in which all the communities in Stellenbosch can enjoy the immense benefits of our tourism potential.

Itinerary:

- 08:30 Meet at the Rhyne Sending Kerk. Walk from Stellenbosch town centre to Lückhoff School, passing several places of significance before continuing to the Ida's Valley Dam.
- 10:30 Enjoy a break at the Ida's Valley Dam while appreciating the spectacular setting.
- 11:30 Refreshments at the top of Helshoogte Pass before descending into the Dwarsrivier Valley.
- 12:30 Zorgvliet comfort break. Leaving Zorgvliet behind, we'll cross the R310 into Ou Bethlehem at the Kylemore entrance, continuing to Johannesdal.
- 13:30 Re-joining the R310 for the last 1.2km to Die Werf, Pniël.
- 14:00 Arrive at Die Werf, visiting the social impact monuments while waiting for everyone to complete the walk.

The price includes the following:

- A downloadable informative guidebook unpacking the route, the objective of the walk as well as the background of the many places of relevance en route.
- A knowledgeable and experienced guide accompanying the group for the full duration of the walk.
- Conservancy and hiking permits.
- Area guides from Ida's Valley, Pniël and Kylemore will accompany the group for sections of the walk.
- Access to a back-up vehicle in case of emergency.
- Transport from Pniël back to Stellenbosch.
- Roosterkoek and koesisters served en route.
- A small gift from the Dwarsrivier Valley for you to take home.
- You will be given a stone and spekboom cutting to carry with you on the route, symbols of remembrance of the past and hope for the future.

Pricing:

Group Size	Price
31 – 52 pax	R265 per person
26 – 30 pax	R285 per person
20 – 25 pax	R300 per person
14 – 19 pax	R370 per person
13 pax	R370 per person
< 13 pax	R65 per person plus a fixed cost of R3380

All the service providers (guides, caterers and transport operators) involved in this initiative are local tourism entrepreneurs. By supporting this tourism product, you are investing directly into the local Stellenbosch economy. We thank you for your support and can't wait to welcome you!