

DARLING CALENDAR OF ANNUAL EVENTS 2012

Monthly:

Duckitt Nurseries Open Day

Date: First Saturday of every month May to November
Venue: Duckitt Ochid Nursery, Oudepost Farm, R315 Darling
Tel: +27 22 492 2606
E_mail info@duckittnurseries.co.za
Website : www.duckittnurseries.co.za

Darling Country Market

Date: Last Saturday of each month
Time: 9h00 until 12h30
Venue: Nitrophoska Building, Main Road, Darling
Tel: 082 927 6225

!Khwa ttu Brunch & Culture

Alternating events of Storytelling (including open mic sessions) and Choir performances
Date: Every first Sunday of the month from March
Venue: !Khwa ttu San Culture & Education Centre
Tel 022 492 2998
Website: www.khwattu.org

February

Darling Music Experience: "Mostly Bach"

Date: 3 - 12 February 2012
Venue: Various in Darling
Tel +27 22 492 3996
www.darlingmusic.org

Residency of Stiga Sola Molefi, a SAMA Award winning guitarist from Maun, Botswana.

Date: 9 – 18 February
Venue: !Khwa ttu San Culture & Education Centre: -
11 Feb 3pm Youth guitar workshop with Stiga Sola Malefi
14 Feb 12pm Valentine's Day Concert at the Restaurant
18 Feb 3pm Concert Stiga Malefi and Friends
Tel 022 492 2998
Website: www.khwattu.org

Darling Cellars Annual Crush day

Date: Saturday 25 Feb 2012
Venue: Darling Cellars R315 Darling-Malmesbury
Tel: Margaret Prins 022 492 2276
www.darlingcellars.co.za

March

Reading by Prof. John Parkington of "The Mantis, the Eland and the Hunter"

Date: 21 March
Venue: !Khwa ttu San Culture & Education Centre
Time: 11 am
Tel 022 492 2998
Website: www.khwattu.org

April

Darling Passion Play

Date: Good Friday 06 April
Time: 16:30 for 17:00
Venue: The Vlei – opposite Evita se Perron, Darling
Tel : 074 369 8212 (Sarie Vlotman)

Admission is free (although donations are always appreciated)

Mantis and Eland themed lampion parade:

including a lampion making workshop with visual artists

Date: 07 April

Venue: !Khwa ttu San Culture & Education Centre

Tel 022 492 2998

Website: www.khwattu.org

Starry Night & Storytelling:

Interpretation of the stars by an astronomer/astrologer and San storytellers

Refreshments at the boma

Date: 21 April

Venue: !Khwa ttu San Culture & Education Centre

Tel 022 492 2998

Website: www.khwattu.org

May

The Wonderful Wines of Darling

Date: Every Saturday night in May

Venue: Trinity Lodge

Tel 022 492 3430/083 325 4148 (Shaun Mc Laughlin)

www.trinitylodge.co.za

Darling Museum Crafters Day

Date: Sat 26 May

Time: [10h00 until 14h00](#)

Venue: Darling Museum

Tel +27 22 492 3361

Darling Half Marathon

Date: Sat 26 May

Venue: Darling Primary , Kalkoentjie Street Darling

Tel: Mary Ashford 082 684 5575

www.darlinghalfmarathon.co.za

June

A collaboration with Encounters South African International Documentary Film Festival

Screening of documentary films with a San focus. Including special guest appearances

Date: 7 – 14 June

Venue: !Khwa ttu San Culture & Education Centre

Tel 022 492 2998

Website: www.khwattu.org

July

Xmas in July

Date: Weekends throughout July

Evita se Perron

Tel: Bookings (022) 492 3930

www.evita.co.za

August

The Darling Story Telling Kuier

24 - 26 August

info@darlingmusic.org

Darling Storytelling Kuier collaboration

Date: 25 August

Venue: !Khwa ttu San Culture & Education Centre

Tel 022 492 2998
Website: www.khwattu.org

Wildflower Game Drives

Date: mid-Aug to mid-Oct
Venue: Burgherspost Wine Estate
Tel: +27 22 492 2830 / 084 606 3470
e-mail: nature@cloof.co.za
www.burgherspost.co.za www.cloof.co.za

September

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Darling Voorkamerfest

Date: 31 August, 1,2 September 2012
Venue: Evita se Perron
Tel : Tasha Reid 082 321 7542
www.voorkamerfest-darling.co.za

Duckitt Nurseries Orchid Show

Date: Thurs 13 -Sun 16 Sept
Venue Oudepost Farm, R315 Darling
Tel: (022) 492-2606
www.duckittnurseries.co.za

Darling Wildflower Show

Date: Fri 14 Sept to Sun 16 Sept
Venue: Darling Club, Jacaranda Street Darling
Tel: (022) 492-3361
www.darlingwildflowers.co.za

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October

Renosterveld MTB Cycle Race – Ride the Rhino for renosterved conservation and the Rhinos

Date: 5 - 7 October 2012
Venue: Three day, stage race starting in Langebaan, Darling, Malmesbury ending in Durbanville.
Justin Basson 083 448 4565 (021) 975 7017
E-mail info@renosterveldmtb.co.za www.renosterveldmtb.co.za

Rocking the Daisies music festival

Date: 12,13,14 October
Venue: Cloof Wine Estate, Darling
www.rockingthedaisies.com

Darling Gymkhana

Date: October
Venue Darling Club, Darling

Tel: 022 492 3013

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San dance performance in collaboration with Kuru Dance Festival (D'kar, Botswana)

Date: 28 October

Venue: !Khwa ttu San Culture & Education Centre

Tel 022 492 2998

Website: www.khwattu.org

Nov

The Wonderful Wines of Darling

Date: Every Saturday night in November

Venue: Trinity Lodge

Tel Bookings only 022 492 3430/083 325 4148 (Shaun Mc Laughlin)

www.trinitylodge.co.za

December

Evita se Perron Christmas Season

Date : Throughout Dec

Venue : Evita se Perron, Arcadia Street Darling

Tel: 022 492 3930

E-mail: bookings@evita.co.za

www.evita.co.za