



STELLENBOSCH
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To whom it may concern

Dear Sir / Madam

Letter of recommendation – Southern Turf Management (“STM”)

STM has been responsible for the maintenance of the Stellenbosch Golf Course since 2010.

As one of South Africa’s oldest and busiest 18-hole golf courses, we are extremely pleased with the work done by STM over the past 10 years. It is often difficult to distinguish between professional service providers. The professionalism and efficacy that STM permeates set them, in our view, apart from any other service provider we’ve dealt with.

Some of the main attributes that distinguishes STM, include:

- Attention to detail in every aspect of preparing the golf course to ensure a memorable golf experience seven days a week.
- Their relentless consistency in preparing a world class golf course year-round.
- Long term planning and continuous improvement of the course and its surrounds.
- Personal involvement and attention by their Directors and easy and direct access to the Directors.
- Keeping abreast of the latest developments in turf grass maintenance, particularly in areas such as, technological improvements in machinery, irrigation, turf grass practices, growing agents, grass strains and fertilisers.
- Comprehensive and detailed administrative systems and procedures.
- Appreciation for health and safety, and compliance with all legislation in this regard.
- Machinery care and suppliers reports on a regular basis.

We have no hesitation in recommending STM to any golfing operation that wish to employ their services. They’ve made a real difference to the Stellenbosch Golf Course and contributed significantly to the success the club experienced in recent years.

Yours sincerely

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General Manager: Stellenbosch Golf Club

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