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SHOW PROGRAMME

17 - 19 SEPTEMBER

GROOTJIES SHOW. 2025



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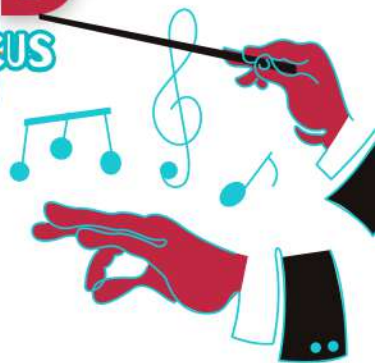
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FOREWORD

BY THE CLOWN RUNNING THIS CIRCUS



GROOTFONTEIN SHOW PRESIDENT NITA PRETORIUS

The theme of the 2025 Grootfontein Show is Circus.

Many of us still remember the excitement, the eager countdown of “just a few more sleeps,” and the thrill when the posters first appeared. Once the big tent was up, it felt like stepping into an entirely new world. I recall the last circus pitched on the road to Natis— back

in a time before television, smartphones, Google, and all the technology that surrounds us today.

This is the spirit the 2025 Show Committee hopes to bring to Grootfontein and its surrounding communities. Since 1911, every committee has tried to create something that allows people to forget their daily struggles, if only for three days.

Today’s children no longer count down the “sleeps.” Modern show organizers face the challenge of competing with the endless entertainment technology provides—often free of charge.

While once everyone’s first question was about the Merry-Go-Round, times have changed. With a price tag of N\$1.3 million, it has simply become impossible to bring it here.

But that does not discourage us. We remain committed to presenting a show that is authentic, vibrant, and never watered down. Grootfontein, like so many rural towns, has a community that stands together in difficult times.

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Yes, there may be differences—but unity and a shared desire to make a difference are what carry us forward. At the end of the day, each of us must ask: What am I doing to make Grootfontein a better place? With pride, humility, and dependence on God, we as the Show Committee serve this community. Often with nervous hearts, we attempt new things, but always with the aim of giving back. From Tuesday, 16 September 2025, livestock trucks will begin to arrive. On Wednesday, our grand float procession will bring laughter, smiles, and participation—reminding even old rivals to let go of small grievances.

The official opening and prize-giving will follow. Throughout the grounds, we are grateful for numerous exhibitors, full halls, lively entertainment for children, and long tables where neighbours share good food and celebrate each other's achievements. Together, we will give thanks for an exceptionally blessed year of rain.

To the Grootfontein Show Committee—thank you. You are the best. Thank you for meetings free of quarrels, for each person adding their piece of the puzzle until, God willing, we can present our Show from 17 to 19 September.

Above all, to our Heavenly Father be the glory—for His

provision, for health, for love, and for the joy of expectation. We invite you to join us, to celebrate with us, and to help make Grootfontein truly special.



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SHOW PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

07:00 Gates Open

09:00 Show Halls Open

10:00 Exhibitor Judging

16:00 Float Parade through Grootfontein
(*Show halls closed until parade ends*)

16:30 Official Show Opening & Prize Giving, *Keynote Speaker: Thinus Pretorius, NAU President*

20:00 Show Halls Close

21:00 Gates Close

ALL DAY:

- Cattle Shows: Braunvieh, Limousin, Simbra, Charolais, Boran, Angus
- Small Stock Shows: Boer Goat, Damara sheep, Savanna
- Horse Show
- Kids' Entertainment: Prime Steel Train, Ghost House @17:00



THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

07:00 Gates Open

09:00 Show Halls Open

14:00 Women's Programme, Inteligro facility:
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17:30 Bokdrol Spoegkompetisie - kleinveekrale

18:00 Cattle Costume Class

20:00 Show Halls Close

21:00 Gates Close

ALL DAY:

- Cattle Shows: Simmentalers, Dexters, Brahman
- Small Stock Shows: Van Rooy, Persie, Veldmaster
- Horse Show
- Kids' Entertainment: Prime Steel Train, Ghost House @17:00

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

07:00 Gates Open

09:00 Show Halls Open

16:00 Cattle Parade & Prize Giving

20:00 Show Halls Close

21:00 Gates Close, Show Ends

ALL DAY:

- Cattle Shows: Interbreed Championships, Cattle Handlers
- Small Stock: Boer Goat & Savanna Championships, Sheep Breed Championships, Interbreed Championships & Prize Giving
- Horse Shows
- Kids' Entertainment: Prime Steel Train, Ghost House @17:00

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- Schnitzel, chips en slaai N\$120
- Hamburger en chips. N\$100

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Kroeg met verskeidenheid **drankies**

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HORSE SHOW HIGHLIGHTS

Wednesday, 17 Sept 2025

Namibian Grand Champion Snr Stallion & Mare

Boeresport

Costume Class 15:45

Thursday, 18 Sept 2025

Champion Fine Harness

Utility Horse, Park Horse Barrel Racing

Friesian, Arabian, Western Pleasure,

Friday, 19 Sept 2025

Best of Breed & Champion of the Yard

Various Breed Champions

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SMALL STOCK SHOW HIGHLIGHTS 9

Wednesday, 17 Sept 2025

Boer Goat, Damara Sheep, Savanna Shows

Fancy Dress - circus theme @16:00

Breeders & Sponsor's Braai @19:00



Thursday, 18 Sept 2025

Van Rooy, Persie & Veldmaster Shows

Friday, 19 Sept 2025

Boer Goat, Savanna Championships

Sheep Breed Championships

Interbreed Championships

Prize Giving



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10 CATTLE SHOW HIGHLIGHTS

Wednesday 17 September 2025

Braunvieh, Limousin, Simbra, Charolais, Boran & Angus

Thursday 18 September 2025

Simmentalers, Dexters, Brahmane

Costume Class (18:00)

Sponsor's & Breeder's Braai (19:00)

Friday 19 September 2025

Interbreed Championships

Cattle Handlers (touleiers)

Parade & Prize Giving (16:00)



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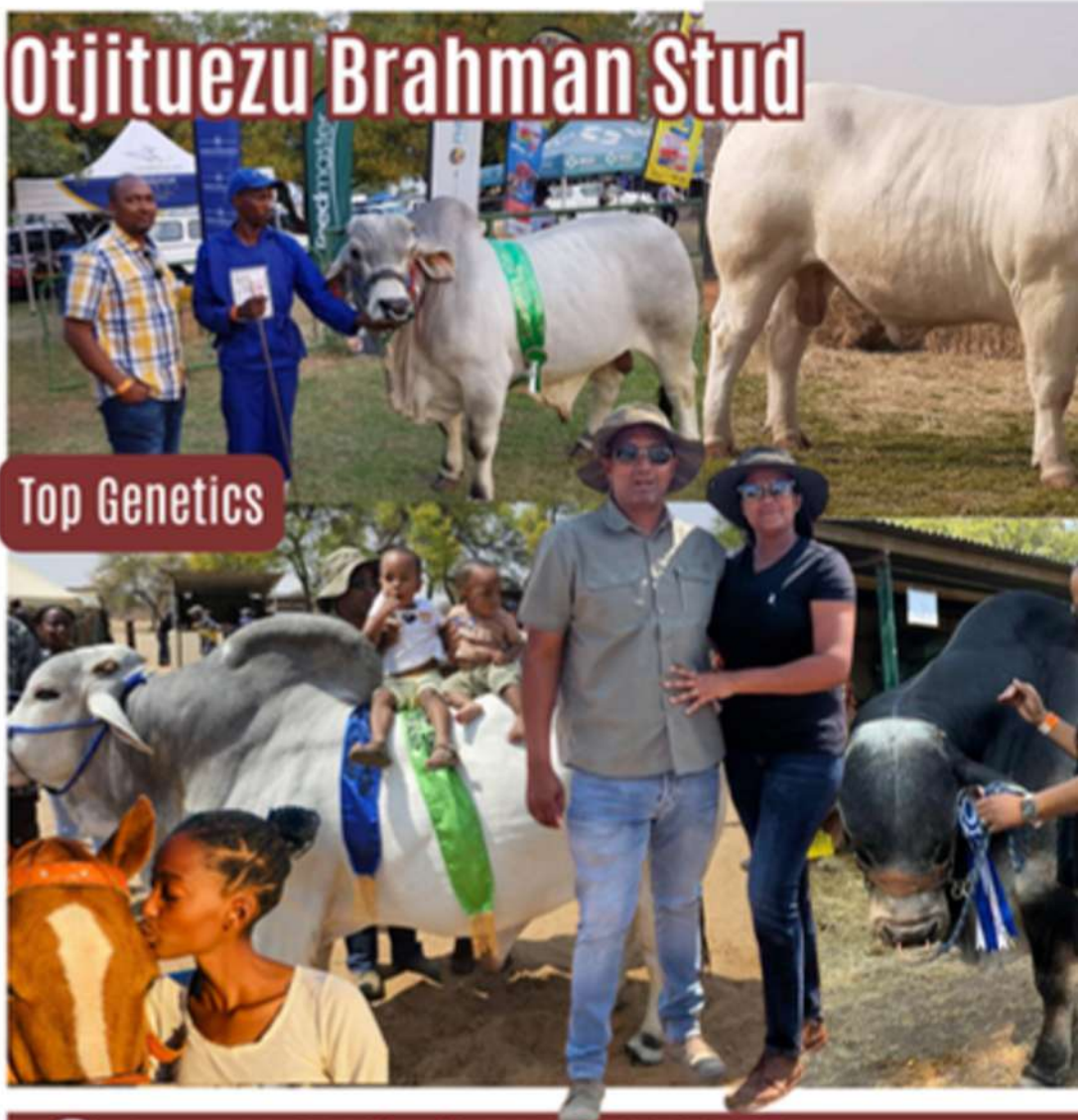
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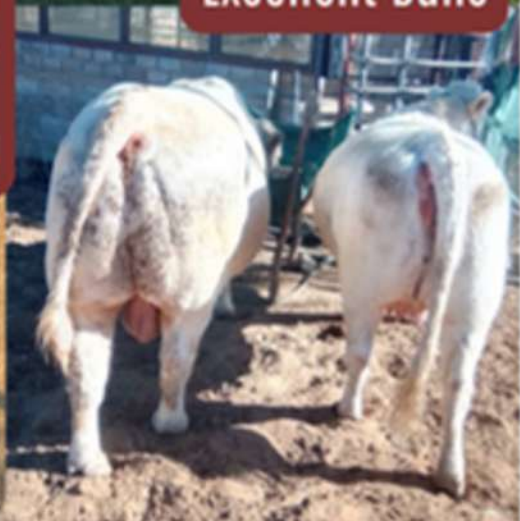


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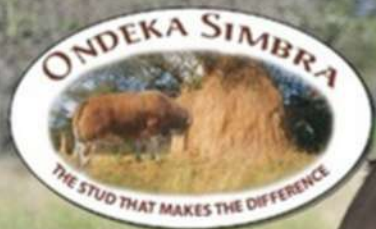
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on all measurable traits.

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- 7% Restaurant (2,1 ton)
- 60% BBQ (17,9 ton)
- 33% Fines (10 ton)

Large amounts of fine charcoal
means less money in your pocket!



	Weight	Price	Total
Restaurant - 7%	2.1	3500	N\$7,350.00
BBQ - 60%	17.9	2700	N\$48,438.00
Fines - 33%	10	850	N\$8,415.00
			N\$64,203.00

A typical 30 ton load of high quality Charcoal is:

- 20% Restaurant (6 ton)
- 65% BBQ (19.5 ton)
- 15% Fines (4.5 ton)

More Restaurant Grade Charcoal
means more money in your pocket!



	Weight	Price	Total
Restaurant - 20%	6	3500	N\$21,000.00
BBQ - 65%	19.5	2700	N\$52,650.00
Fines - 15%	4.5	850	N\$3,825.00
			N\$77,475.00

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