



OUR MENU

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OUR STORY



Our Story: The Factory

This beautiful, classic building began its journey as an apricot jam factory in the early 1910s. It was originally part of The Golden Valley Citrus Estates, founded by a man named Schlesinger.

Golden Valley grew rapidly and soon became the largest citrus estate in the world. By 1920, over 970,000 apricot trees covered the valley, and a large factory was built to meet the growing demand for jam.

The name “Golden Valley” came from the golden autumn leaves and the rich apricot colour that painted the orchards in December — harvest time.

A Golden Harvest Era

Thousands of jobs were created. Students from Stellenbosch, Cape Town, Grahamstown, and Witwatersrand flocked here every year to help with the harvest. They stayed in tents, filled the valley with Boeremusiek and jazz, and danced until sunrise. During the day, donkey carts, bicycles, horse and mule carts moved in every direction, loaded with fruit.

The picking system was simple:

- Pick your fruit
- Weigh your harvest
- Collect your pay
- Repeat — or rest!

The harvest was wrapped up in under a month, with thousands of drying racks laid out across the valley.

A Local Legacy

In the 1920s, the Lax Brothers launched their own Williston Brand apricot jam right next to the Longhope train station — the very place where you are sitting today.

Sadly, the apricot era came to an end in the 1930s due to limited water, the “Stamkewer” pest, and lime-rich soil. Yet, apricot orchards remained until the 1980s, keeping the valley’s golden charm alive just a little longer.

From Lucerne to Dreams

After the jam days, the factory became a storage shed for lucerne bales and tractors — until a new dream took root.

Leaving the city behind to start a new life on a dairy farm, it was always our dream to breathe new life into this historic building.

Ten years later — and after two years of hard work and planning...

Welcome to The Factory

Farm Stall • Catering • Events Venue
A new chapter begins — in the same golden valley that once echoed with music, laughter, and the scent of apricots.

We are proud to tell new stories, make new memories, and share them all with you.

Thank you for being part of the new history.



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B R E A K F A S T

BOERE BREKKIE FULL

110

Two Eggs, 3 Bacon Strips, The Factory Relish, choice of Pork Sausage or Cheese Griller, served with a slice of freshly baked homemade Sourdough.

BOERE BREKKIE HALF

95

One Egg, 2 Bacon Strips, The Factory Relish, choice of Pork Sausage or Cheese Griller, served with one slice of Homemade Sourdough.

AVOCADO ON TOAST

75

Fresh, creamy avocado (when available), spread generously on toasted Sourdough.

Extra Egg (your way – scrambled, poached, or fried)

10

SCRAMBLED EGG ON TOAST

65

Fluffy scrambled eggs served on toasted sourdough.

BREKKIE BUN/ TOASTED SANDWICH/CROISSANT

NEW

50/57/54

Bacon, egg & melted cheese – the perfect start to your day.

BREAKFAST WRAP

NEW

85

A wrap spread with cream cheese and packet with scrambled egg, bacon, fried cherry tomatoes, mushroom, cheddar and fresh rocket.

THE FACTORY SAVOURY

NEW

138

WAFFLE

Mozzarella, cheddar cheese, poached egg, bacon, cherry tomatoes, rocket, spring onion & avo or cream cheese waffle

OMELETTES

Bacon, Mushroom, Tomato and Cheese omelette

115

Mince and Cheese omelette

115

MINCE ON TOAST

A hearty serving of beef mince spread on toasted sourdough.

95

Extra Egg (your way – scrambled, poached, or fried)

10

THE FACTORY FRENCH TOAST

NEW

105

With banana, syrup & crispy bacon – a sweet and salty twist.

Upgrade to choc chip sourdough slice.

5

EXTRAS

Avo (seasonal)

30

Tomato

10

Mushrooms

25

Mince

35

Wagyu Patty

45

Bacon

25

Cheese Griller/Pork Sausage

25

Jam (Apricot, Blueberry, fig)

10

The Factory Relish

20

Cheese (Cheddar or Gouda)

15

Eggs (Scrambled requires 2, Fried, Poached)

10



S I D E S

Small Chips – R35

Medium Chips – R45

Large Chips – R55

Side Salad – R35

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LIGHT LUNCH

TOASTED SANDWICHES

Served on freshly baked homemade sourdough.

ADD ON

Small Chips	35
Medium Chips	45
Large Chips	55
Side Salad	35

FILLINGS

Salami, Mozzarella Cheese, Basil Pesto & Tomato	85
Apricot jam, Bacon, brie cheese & rocket	85
Chicken Mayo	75
Add Peppadew Sauce	20
Ham, Cheese & Tomato	75
The Braai Broodjie; Cheese, Tomato & red onion with chutney	70



BURGERS

CHICKEN BURGER 120

Tender chicken schnitzel patty with melted cheese, fresh greens, tomato, red onion, and our homemade burger sauce, served with crispy fries or a refreshing green salad.

WAGYU CHEESEBURGER 145

A juicy Wagyu beef patty, topped with cheese, burger sauce, pan-fried red onions, tomato, and fresh greens, served with crispy fries or a fresh green salad.

THE FACTORY BURGER 155

A juicy 180g Wagyu beef patty, topped with Brie cheese, apricot jam, bacon and fresh greens, served with crispy fries or a fresh green salad.



SALADS & WRAPS

BUTTERNUT & CHICKPEA SALAD 85

Fresh greens topped with roasted butternut, chickpeas, red onion, cherry tomatoes, and crumbled feta cheese.

*Add Chicken 45

Option to be served in a wrap 10

SALAMI & FETA SALAD 89

Fresh greens topped with cherry tomatoes, cucumber, feta cheese, red onion, and chopped salami, drizzled with a balsamic reduction.

*Add avo 30

Option to be served in a wrap 10

SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN WRAP 95

perfectly grilled chicken, fresh crispy greens, and our signature sweet chilli secret sauce. All wrapped to perfection.

OTHER

CHICKEN SCHNITZEL 160

Two crispy crumbed chicken breast, golden-fried and served with chips & a fresh garden salad.

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PANCAKES

MINCE & CHEESE PANCAKE 85

Two Beef mince pancakes with cheese

CHICKEN MAYO PANCAKE **NEW** 83

Two large pancakes filled with tender shredded chicken mixed with creamy mayo, lightly seasoned, and wrapped in a soft savoury pancake.

BISCOFF PANCAKES **NEW** 89

Two fluffy, golden-stacked pancakes drizzled with warm Biscoff cookie butter sauce, topped with crushed Lotus Biscoff biscuits

BANANA & CARAMEL DRIZZLE **NEW** 79

Fresh sliced banana with rich caramel and a dusting of icing sugar

CINNAMON SUGAR PANCAKES 30

Two pancakes dusted with cinnamon sugar, served with a slice of lemon.

Optional Add-Ons:

- Scoop of ice cream +R12
- Whipped cream +R8
- Make it a waffle instead +R10



KIDDIES MENU

CHICKEN STRIPS & CHIPS 59

Chicken strips with chips

KIDDIES BREAKFAST 55

One scrambled or fried egg, 1 rasher of bacon, with one slice of toast

KIDDIES Pizza Bread **NEW** 59

Toasted bread topped with ham, cheese sausage, cherry tomatoes, mozzarella cheese & Cheddar cheese

Kids French Toast **NEW** 57

Golden French toast with syrup, crispy bacon & banana.

TOASTED HAM & CHEESE 45

Two slices of toasted ham and cheese sandwiches, served with apricot chutney dip sauce and chips.



Worth the Wait

We're not a fast food restaurant — we make every dish fresh, with care (and maybe a bit of butter). Sit back, relax, and enjoy the slow.



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GRAB 'N GO BAR MENU

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HOMEMADE PIE COMBO 85

Your choice of a hearty homemade pie — Chicken & Mushroom, Pepper Steak, or Plain Steak — or a Beef Sausage Roll, served with golden fresh-cut chips or a crisp garden salad.

QUICHE PORTION & SIDE SALAD 85

Generous portion of homemade quiche served with a fresh garden salad. Ask for today's flavour.

GIANT MUFFIN WITH CHEESE, JAM & BUTTER 79

Warm, hearty muffin served with cheese, apricot jam, and butter on the side. Ask for today's muffin flavour.

CROISSANTS

Plain Croissant	R25
Croissant with Apricot Jam & Butter	R35
Croissant with Cheese	R40
Custard Croissant	R45
Choc Chip Croissant	R45

BAKED GOODS

Freshly baked daily — ask your waiter for today's delicious goodies or have a look at our cake fridge for more treats!



BE THE FIRST TO RING THE BELL WHEN
THE TRAIN PASSES AND ENJOY A FREE
CAPPUCCINO ON US



DRINKS MENU

MILKSHAKES

Strawberry	50
Chocolate	50
Vanilla	50
Salted caramel	50
Bubblegum	50
Lime	50
Coffee	57
Shortbread Cookie	57
Biscoff	65
Kiddies Shake	37

NEW

SOFT DRINKS

Appletiser/Grapetiser	27
Coke/Light/Zero	21
Stoney Gingerbeer	21
Sprite/ Zero	21
Fanta/ Creme Soda	21
Cappy juice (Breakfast blend, Orange, Apple)	27
Still/ Sparkling water 500ml	20

HOT DRINKS

Espresso Single	19
Americano Single	25
Americano single Decaf	28
Americano Double	35
Americano Double Decaf	39
Small Cappuccino	30
Small Cappuccino Decaf	33
Medium Cappuccino	42
Medium Cappuccino Decaf	47
Large Cappuccino	45
Large Cappuccino Decaf	49
Flat White	39
Red Cappuccino single	38
Red Cappuccino double	48
Chai Latte	45
Dirty Chai	47

HOT DRINKS

Cafe Latte	40
Biscoff Latte	50
Cortado	32
Hot Chocolate	40
White Hot Chocolate	45
Mocha	48
Iced Coffee	48
Chocolate Freezo	48
Tea (5 Roses or Rooibos)	25

EXTRAS

Almond, Dairy milk	9
Flavour (Vanilla, Hazelnut, Salted Caramel)	10
Whipped Cream	8



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