

The Partners & Staff of Pincus Matz wish you and your loved ones much joy this Festive Season



Our offices will be closing for the festive period at 16:30 on Friday 21 December 2012 and reopening at 8:30 on Thursday 3 January 2013.

High Court will be in recess from 14 December 2012 to 28 January 2013 - with appeals being heard from 21 January 2013. Magistrate's Court closed on 14 December 2012 - with motion court resuming on 7 January and trials on 14 January 2013. Regional Court is in recess from 18 December 2012 to 15 January 2013.

Year-end celebration

It's almost time to kick off our shoes, grab the old beach towel and reflect on our achievements in 2012. To set the mood, Pincus Matz hosted their end-of-year staff function - a breakfast buffet - at the Vineyard Hotel.



Property Connect

Business coach Themis Stergianos encouraged entrepreneurs to move their business to the next level when he spoke at the November Pincus Matz Property Connect. Themis challenged the audience to identify the missing ingredient in their business whether it was 'direction'; 'winning team'; 'know your numbers'; 'uniqueness'; 'mindset' or 'action' - the answer/conclusion was personal to each one. The morning was a great success and we all enjoyed a speciality coffee-tasting with Malcolm Clark of Caribbean Coffees.



Golfing for Education

Pincus Matz recently took part in the Fine Women Excelleration Bursary Fund Golf Day. The vision of this fund is to highlight the enormous need in South Africa to assist disadvantaged women to gain the necessary skills and training to improve their chances of empowering themselves and ultimately, starting their own enterprises. Bursaries are granted for job skills related careers - not for university education as it is felt that a skills career has more economic value to many women. The Golf Day raised R20 000 towards the fund which will enable and empower someone to change their life forever, for a better, brighter future.

Pictured here is Matina Angeliniadis who represented the firm, getting ready to give it her best shot!



The Greatest Little Birthday Club in Town

We thoroughly enjoy celebrating birthdays with the greater Pincus Matz family. In October we took time out to enjoy a delicious lunch at the tranquil Jonkershuis restaurant at Groot Constantia. Last month we held a combined celebration for November and December at the historic Cellar's Hohenort. What a gracious venue!

Looking back on 2012

As we reflect on the 2012 activities at Pincus Matz, we realise just how much has actually happened over the past twelve months. It's been a year in which changes have continued to positively shape us into the firm we strive to be.

Staff news

Farewell to Winnie Zazaza, our Admin assistant who has retired. A warm welcome goes to Stephan Lary who has joined the firm as Candidate Attorney.



The beginning of the year saw us displaying our new logo on various marketing material: from e-signatures and banners to flowcharts and signage. A new look newsletter was introduced, and has received many compliments. We're glad you enjoy reading it.

Remax Elite

Matina Angeliniadis of Pincus Matz poses here with Charles and Lynette Haigh of Remax Elite (Plumstead) at their end-of-year staff breakfast function which was held at Jonkershuis, Groot Constantia recently.



Twenty white doves were released at our Open Day in June, when we exhibited the work of talented artist Gavin Collins - with two of his pictures being acquired by the firm. Many clients and colleagues joined us on the day to celebrate the revamping of our offices. This was definitely a highlight of the year.

Grindrod function

Pincus Matz partners, Alison Tooley and Matina Angeliniadis recently enjoyed an evening at the Mount Nelson, when they attended the end-of-year client cocktail function hosted by Grindrod.



We spent an eventful and unusual day having our photos taken under the direction of Les Aupiais, well-known media personality, for our new-look website. Of course we had our stylist in attendance, with hot-brush and curlers, to make sure we all looked our very best.

Breakfast with Betterbond

Pat Johnson, Head of our Bonds Department, keeping in touch at a breakfast with Liz Botha of Betterbond.



The Greatest Little Birthday Club in Town was launched this year, and has proved to be a delightful way to connect with our valued clients and colleagues. Venues from wine estates to coffee boutiques have catered for these monthly functions.

Pincus Matz birthdays

Four staff members, Karen Napoleon, Jeanette Toerien, Dalene Coetzee and Vincent Neer, celebrated their recent birthdays with us at our monthly staff function.



September saw the launch of Property Connect. At these events we offer those in the property arena an informative talk on a relevant topic and the opportunity to connect and interact with specialists in the property field.

Grindrod lunch

Posing for a photo after a Grindrod business lunch, are Judith Gottgens (Grindrod), Laverne Nolan (Pincus Matz), Natasha Whiteboyd (Grindrod), and Matina Angeliniadis (Pincus Matz).



We trust you have enjoyed reading our newsletters. If you would like to see more pictures, you can visit our facebook page.

Snippets from our Inbox

Thanks for the invite to a most interesting and enjoyable talk. I have already used the Greek coffee! Stella

Thanks very much for this well informed newsletter. I hope that it grows from strength to strength. Brent Farrell (Greeff Properties)

Thank you so much for organising the keys for me. I really do appreciate it! Thank you also for your speedy service and quick transfer. Melanie Stavropoulos (Pam Golding)

A most sincere thank you for participating in our first Excelleration Bursary Fund Golf Clinic/Day – without YOU we would not have raised R20 000 towards our bursary fund. These funds will enable and empower someone to change their life FOREVER, for the better, for a brighter future. Your generosity of spirit is appreciated! Fine Women Business Network EXCELLERATION Bursary Fund

Thanks so much for a great lunch, I thoroughly enjoyed myself. I should have a birthday every month! Pascale Butcher (Meredith Harrington)

Thank you so much for inviting me to lunch yesterday. It was such a lovely treat and I enjoyed having the opportunity to get to know you all. The food was delicious and venue was wonderful on such a perfect day. Bev Fair

Thank you for the great breakfast and company yesterday. It was great to stop and smell the roses and network with your 'family'. Noel Smith (Jawitz)

Thank you for a lovely morning at Property Connect. Learnt a lot and met some great people. Time well spent indeed. Mary-Jane Lefevre (Rodel)

