

The Barn @ Monchique
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Conditions of Hiring of Venue

Rules IRO cut off times, parking & noise are imposed by South Peninsula Municipality.

Rules are subject to change at discretion of Management and new rulings dictated by South Peninsula Municipality.

Music/sound must be at a level so as not to disturb neighbouring property owners. Base, which causes unnecessary noise disturbance must be at lowest. Venue staff monitor the sound at boundaries. Should requests for toning down of music be ignored, music must be switched off. Music in gardens to be background only. PA systems are not allowed.

Since January 2004 a fine in excess of R20,000 is levied for noise disturbance in S.A. This fine can be levied for noise at any time of day or night. The hirer of the venue and DJ/musicians are liable for payment of fines arising from non-compliance with rules IRO noise.

Hosts have the obligation of informing their guests of rules IRO noise and ensuring that hooting/revving/shouting/whistling or other disturbances do not occur during function or when guests depart.

South Peninsula Municipality rules prohibit the large barn doors from being opened during functions. Windows on Constantia side of barn must be kept closed during functions.

Cut off time for evening events is 11.30pm when music must cease. Venue and grounds must be vacated by midnight.

An announcement is to be made at 11.30pm requesting that guests leave the venue and grounds calmly and quietly.

South Peninsula Municipality has imposed these rules out of consideration for neighbouring property owners. Non compliance will result in our being closed down without compensation. We will do anything to give our clients a good experience. That does not include being closed down by non-compliance with Municipal Rules.

Thank you for your co-operation.
Kathy Whittaker. Owner.