

# Journey of sustainability



## Preserving our water

We have been actively reducing our water usage since 2015. We have seen a reduction of **42% since 2013**. We currently save the equivalent of **150 Olympic swimming pools** per year through efficient irrigation practices. We also engage annually in alien clearing on Paarl Mountain Reserve to help eradicate alien species and **preserve the natural biodiversity**.



## Recycling



>9 tons  
paper



>2 tons  
glass



>2 tons  
plastic

More than **18k** paid to workers in the form of grocery store vouchers as cash back incentive for recycling.

17 tons of waste recycled

since **2017**

## Carbon footprint

We have been actively measuring our carbon footprint since 2015 as part of the Confronting Climate Change initiative.

We have seen great reductions in the use of synthetic fertilisers and our current usage is well below the industry norm:

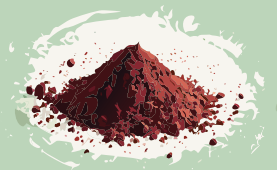
**1.82 kg per Ton of fruit**



Farm Carbon Footprint:

**0.9kg CO2e/kg fruit**

## Caring for the SOIL



A total of **3.444.43 m3** cubic meters were added to our farms in 2022!

We believe that improving soil health through the application of compost, mulch and cover crops helps to produce better quality fruit and a more resilient vine.

## Education

Trained facilitators, recognised curriculum, breakfast & snacks.

**2 ECD facilities**  
**25 children**

