

ERASMUS PANELBEATERS

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Tiny changes mean huge results!

"For as long as I have been playing golf, I should be much better than I am. A few years ago, it looked like my game was improving and then it disappeared again. Each year I usually end up recycling the same old excuses. "I need to play more often, but I don't have the time." "I need to get to the driving range." The golf industry is built on this one – "Better equipment that's what I need."

That all being said, golf is really not that high on my priority list. It's a nice escape. It cracks me up when I see celebrities or professional athletes whining about their golf games. Tony Robbins tells a story that is mind altering if taken to heart.

Robbins starts by sharing his struggles in a golf lesson. His balls are going left and right – everywhere except for straight. The instructor says that if you slightly adjust the strike angle, just 1 millimetre, the ball will go straight. That tiny change will make all of the difference.

Tony says that's a fantastic life lesson for us. When all hell is breaking loose in our lives, we are only 1 millimetre away from getting back on track. Unfortunately, most people think it's impossible and just give up. I have been there many times and it currently feels like I'm in one of those storms, but I trust and believe that I'm only 1 millimetre away..."

Anthony Robbins – Tiny changes mean huge results

Regards
Kallie & Carlo Erasmus



Welcome Jean

A warm welcome to our new Panelbeater, Jean van Niekerk. Jean was born and raised

in Amanzimtoti, Durban. He then relocated to Johannesburg and started as Apprentice Panelbeater... in 1989 and qualified as A-Journeyman in 1996.

Jean Worked at Ronnies Motors Bodyworks East London for 3 years and then received an offer to run a Mercedes Body Shop in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia from 2008-2012. We are proud to have him as part of our team and cannot wait to reap the fruits of his experience and passion for what he does. Jean lives by a strong Motto to always take pride in his work as well as everything else he does.

We are excited for the journey that lies ahead

Welcome Phillip

Welcome Phillip Mangresi. Phillip joined us on the 17 February 2014. He is passionate about his work and assists our Mechanic Henk. Although he is quiet, he is always willing to learn and reflects a positive attitude.

Phillip you are definitely a gain to our business and we are looking forward to many good times.



THANK YOU WASHBAY

We would like to thank Lynn, Pieter and Vuyo for their dedication and hard work in the wash bay. We often forget to say thank you and it seems that we do not see the effort that you put in. Your attention to detail every single time makes us proud. Thank you boys and girl!

We have also recently renovated our washbay, covering all the walls with tiles and repainting the floor. Thank you Dixon and Kaya for your hard work.



Vuyo



Lynn



Pieter



OUR APPROVALS

While your vehicle is still within its 3–5 year / 100 000 km factory warranty all paint and body repairs must be carried out by an Approved Panel Beater to ensure your factory warranty stays intact. Erasmus Panel Beaters was carefully selected and approved based on the facility, equipment, experience, resources and reputation that we have for delivering quality workmanship as well as guarantees on the work we have done.

Regular audits are done to ensure Erasmus Panel Beaters maintain the high standards as set out by each Agent. Every year one of our qualified panel beaters needs to attend the latest vehicle course of each approval in order for repairs to be carried out to the satisfaction of each agent. Erasmus Panel Beaters is familiar with your vehicle as well as the techniques, color codes and best required to restore your vehicle to factory condition.



3 THINGS TO REMEMBER **BEFORE BUYING A CAR**

1. Know what you want and what you can afford

As with any purchase, the first thing one should do is to consider your values and your limitations. What matters to you most? Do you need something large or something compact? Something light or dark in colour? Horsepower? Safety? Technology? Stereo system? Everyone cares about different things. Know what you want. See what's available. Then, decide what you can afford. Look exclusively for those makes and models.

2. Do your research on the web

There is no longer any excuse for car buyers to be uninformed. Websites such as Car Gurus, True Car, and Autoblog provide neutral, informative resources to help you make the best decision. If you're purchasing a used car, I would also recommend actually shopping for a car on the web via sites such as AutoTrader or Cars.com to narrow your options down to a handful.

3. Always see the car in person

The salesperson always faces a difficult dilemma when you ask about the condition of the car. "Condition" is a highly subjective term. If you are buying a used car, it isn't going to be perfect. The salesperson thinks, "Should I overstate the problems and drive the customer away or should I understate the problems and run the risk of making the customer angry when he/she arrives?" Some salespeople will take pictures or videos of the car but the lighting often makes them unreliable. If you can, always go see the car for yourself. That's the only way to know what you're getting for sure.

SOME HAPPY CLIENTS



"Gooday. Thanks for the aftersales enquiry, good 'old fashioned' business values, nobody does it anymore. Yes I am very happy with the work done and the way your personnel professionally assisted me. Thank you all at Erasmus Panelbeaters. "

SMITHERS H

"Absolutely satisfied with their workmanship and professionalism. I have no vested interest there but highly recommend them."

COETZEE

"10/10 for workmanship and service. Many thanks."

CHAD HORN

"For the best car wash in Plett – Erasmus Panelbeaters. Tried and tested and they definitely get 10/10 every time"

SHANNON MYBURG

THIS MONTH :

Buff and glaze for R620.00

Aircongass R250.00 with free car wash

Wheel alignment : R195.00 with a free wash

Car wash R50.00

Buy a "10 car washes" ticket for only R450.00



COURTESY CARS

If your vehicle is in for repairs and we have a courtesy car available we offer this service at no cost.



SERVICES WE SPECIALIZE IN

We treat every job as a BIG job delivering the best quality and service to our client:
Pensioners receive a 5% on all cash jobs

- Spray painting
- Body and chassis straightening
- Wheel alignment
- Wheel balancing
- Aircon gas
- Headlight adjustment
- Buff and glaze
- Car wash
- Full valet
- Any fiber glass work

Mechanical

- Full mechanical car maintenance service
- Replacing of brake pads and shoes
- Skimming of brake disks
- Replacing of shocks
- prepare and take cars for AA test



Quotations can be done for any insurance, anywhere at any time. Just give us a call.

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Wayne Brink, wow how proud we are of you!
In the past year and a half that Wayne has been with us he has just shown improvement.

Straight through the day Wayne has a smile on his face and is always full of jokes. Thank you for everything you mean to this business Wayne and always stay the awesome person you are.



Wayne Brink
Workshop Assistant

YOU CAN ALSO WIN

*Congratulations **Adel Bester** on your win.
To stand a chance at winning just answer
the follow question and send the answer to
our email address as well as the issue number
and your details .*

*The prize includes a buff and glaze to the
value of R990.00**

*Q : What have we recently renovated?
(T&C apply closing date 24-04-14)*



Sudoku

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Word search

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- VENUS
- EARTH
- MARS
- CERES
- ASTEROIDS
- JUPITER
- SATURN
- NEPTUNE
- URANUS
- PLUTO
- DWARF
- PLANET
- MOON

Ciabatta

Ingredients:

- 5 cups all purpose flour
- 2 cups lukewarm (not hot) water
- 2 and 1/2 tsp. fresh yeast (or 3 tsp. dried yeast)
- 1 tsp. salt
- 1 tbsp. sugar

Method:

1. In 1 cup of lukewarm water, add sugar and yeast and leave in a warm spot until the yeast froths.
2. Place the flour and salt in a large mixing bowl and mix.
3. Add the yeast mixture and the remaining cup of lukewarm water to the flour and mix with a wooden spatula or spoon until combined and no lumps are formed.
4. At this stage, the dough will look more like a batter, but that is what we want; so don't worry. Continue to exert muscle power and beat with all your anger for at least 5-10 minutes.
5. Cover the bowl with cling film and leave to rest in a warm spot for about 4 hours.
6. Grease and dust a baking tray with flour.
7. Beat the dough once again for a minute or two and tip onto the floured tray into two longish, slipper-like shapes. Do one at a time if your oven is small; the batter is runny so it runs the risk of mingling into one loaf.
8. Leave to rest in a warm spot for about 30 minutes.
9. Bake in a pre-heated oven at 200 degrees centigrade until evenly colored. When tapped, the loaf should sound hollow and feel light.
10. Cool completely and slice before serving.



Police

10111 – National

044 501 1900 – Plettenberg Bay Police Station

Doctors

044 533 2415 – Dr Donald and Partners

044 533 0186 – DrNel

044 533 0933 – DrBerning

Dentists

044 533 2318 - DrGrabe

084 580 1680 - DrGrabe (Emergency)

087 808 3612 - DrGrabe (Emergency)

044 533 2734 - DrMcMally

044 533 3446 - Dr Sharon Honeywill

044 533 0961 - DrGardy

044 533 6363 - Dr Theo Nel

Ambulance /Metro control room

10177

Baycare Private Ambulance

072 299 2313

ER 24 Hours

083 320 1199

**Plettenberg Bay
Emergency numbers**



Town Clinic

044 501 3700

Medi-Clinic

044 501 5100

Fire / Rescue / Emergency

044 533 5000 – Fire Station

044 501 3230 – Hedley Venter

Sea Rescue

044 533 2744 – NSRI

082 990 5975 – NSRI

Animal Welfare

083 287 9917

Locksmiths

083 701 3434 – Hobbies and Hardware

Vehicle Breakdown

082 568 2479 – Kallie Erasmus

Municipal Helpline

0861 248 686

Mountain Rescue

082 339 1240 – Andrew

082 323 4349 – Rogan

10177 – Metro Control Room

FOR SALE!

Ford Fiesta Flite 2001 mileage 149473km interior still in a very good condition. Any offers are welcome!



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Thank you NSRI!



The NSRI has initiated an education arm called WaterWise, which teaches children what to do in an emergency and gives them the confidence to “breathe for their buddy” while they wait for the ambulance to arrive. WaterWise targets the disadvantaged youth between the ages of nine and 14, because statistically they are the most at risk (South African Medical Research Council, 2006).

As a thank you to NSRI Plett for their selfless dedication and for giving their time to saving lives, Erasmus Panelbeaters offers their car wash service free of charge for their fleet. Guys you make us proud and once again thank you!

Here just a short overview of NSRI:

Mission

To Save Lives in South African Waters

Company

The National Sea Rescue Institute (NSRI) is a non-profit organisation that saves lives on South African waters. Sea Rescue is run by 880 highly skilled volunteers who are on standby day and night throughout the year.

The NSRI has 29 coastal and three inland stations. It has a fleet of 72 rescue craft, 21 vehicles and access to a range of helicopters. NSRI enjoys a good working relationship with other emergency services and believes that it is through team effort that lives are saved.

**24 Hour
Breakdown
Service**

082 568 2479

