

Fact Sheet: Bafokeng Sports Campus

A world-class sporting experience



Bafokeng Sports Campus

A 65-hectare, high-altitude sports training destination near Rustenburg, South Africa, a 2010 FIFA World Cup™ host city.

Building the Dream

The Bafokeng Sports Campus aims:

To provide high altitude (1200m) training facilities for international athletes and teams

To find and hone South African talent and, in particular, to give rural children a dream to fulfil.

To attract sports tourists to a comprehensive sporting destination.



Royal Bafokeng Campus features

- Six grass soccer fields
- Two astroturf soccer fields
- Two half-size astroturf soccer fields
- Six soccer practice walls
- Indoor soccer facility
- Beach soccer pitch
- Rugby field
- Six netball courts
- Two tennis courts
- Athletic track
- Changing rooms
- Coffee and tuckshop
- Five Star hotel
- Two Star motel and academy
- High performance gym, spa, and medical rooms
- Team clubhouse

Sports Academy

The Bafokeng Sports Campus offers facilities to train young athletes in five sporting codes:

Athletics, martial arts, netball, rugby and soccer

England's World Cup Base Camp

The Royal Marang Hotel



The Royal Marang Hotel is named for the Royal Bafokeng Nation, a Kingdom that has preserved ancient traditions as it embraces future opportunities.

“Marang” means the rays of the sun in the local language, Setswana. The sun symbolizes the promise of renewable energy, central to the Bafokeng vision of a sustainable future where people, land, and enterprise co-exist without depleting the earth’s resources.

The Royal Marang Hotel combines the seclusion of the African bush with a luxury five-star experience. The hotel is equipped with full wireless connectivity, climate control, satellite TV and fine dining.

Taking care of the environment...

The BSC is environmentally responsible, without compromising the high-quality experience visitors expect.

The Royal Marang Hotel is 100% eco - friendly, from the double-glazed windows that improve thermal performance to the specially designed and treated ceilings and roofs that reduce the need for heating in winter and air-conditioning in summer.

Location and distance

10 minutes from the Royal Bafokeng Stadium
30 minutes from Rustenburg
1 hour from Pretoria
1.5 hours from Johannesburg

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Facilities include

- 68 Standard rooms
- 4 Presidential suites
- 2 Royal suites
- 3 Conference rooms
- 1 Restaurant, 2 lounges
- Spa
- Pool
- Saunas



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