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floor show

Tile Africa took to the road to introduce its wide range of tiling options to South Africans

Tile Africa recently hosted glamorous functions for *House and Leisure* readers at restaurants around the country. Each evening was highlighted by great food, excellent wines and stimulating company – plus guests got the inside scoop on selecting the most suitable tiles for their indoor and outdoor spaces from the marketing manager of Tile Africa, Kate van Niekerk.

- Kate described various tiles available from Tile Africa:
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 - Glazed porcelain tiles – also hard-wearing, with a glossy finish.
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 - Terracotta tiles – perfect for a more rustic look; each piece is unique; and they're timeless.
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Grand Café and Beach, Cape Town
Set on the edge of the shore at Granger Bay, The Grand is where beach culture meets eclectic, free-spirited decor – think antique Indian rugs, café chairs and huge windows – and where top cuisine and service flourish. Offering bistro fare for lunch and dinner, old classics and new fusion, The Grand serves up an experience.



THIS PAGE, CLOCKWISE FROM ABOVE Glamour and grace at Jam in Durban's Quarters on Avondale; mouthwatering canapés; in Johannesburg it was Clico's turn to host the function; rack of lamb; Tile Africa marketing manager Kate van Niekerk with *House and Leisure's* editor, Naomi Larkin.

Quarters on Avondale, Durban
In the tradition of the original Quarters (on Florida), this former home has been beautifully restored to its Edwardian glory. There are 17 en-suite bedrooms in the main building and annex, all lavishly appointed with period French furniture and quality soft furnishings. And Quarters' renowned restaurant, Jam, offers guests and visitors memorable dining.

Clico, Johannesburg
Timeless, with colonial touches and modern luxury, Rosebank's Clico is a guesthouse with panache. Beautiful accommodation set in a lovingly tended garden is complemented by an excellent French-style restaurant under the guidance of chef Sean Ackermann.

Hoopenburg Wines
One of the Western Cape's foremost boutique wineries, Hoopenburg has gained a reputation for quality and taste. The textured, well-integrated wines – made in the old-world style – are accessible and fruity.



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