

CLUB TRAVEL WINS AT THEBE EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Club Travel South Africa, which has grown at four times the market rate over the past year, won the Most Improved Company award at the Thebe Excellence Awards held in Johannesburg on Thursday 15 November.

The annual awards recognise companies for performing across a range of factors including financial performance, community upliftment, integrity, innovation, equality and quality. Club Travel won for its financial performance (delivering a return on investment of 38% in 2013), for being a truly South African company committed to transformation, for investing in CSI initiatives and for scoring well above its peers in a recent employee satisfaction study.

“Club Travel has grown at four times the market growth rate in the last year largely due to us remaining true to our DNA and thereby building solid relationships with all stakeholders,” said Club Travel Financial Director, Gary Mulder. “We truly care about our staff, clients and suppliers and that has helped to establish long-standing, dependable relationships. Our drive to continually offer the best technologies to our staff, clients and partners also stands us in good stead for the future.”

The award follows on the heels of Club Travel being named the best Travel Agency in Africa for the 7th successive time at the World Travel Awards. Club Travel has also been listed as one of the Top 5 companies in the travel and tourism sector in a 2013 survey of the Top500 of South Africa’s best managed companies.

Club Travel is represented by 175 independent travel consultants (ITCs), eight branded ITCs, 53 affiliates, 10 branded franchises and eight corporate owned branches. Club Travel also has a Corporate and Executive division specialising in premium business travel services.

Passionate travel entrepreneur and MD Wally Gaynor attributes Club Travel ‘s success to staying true to the company values of “We Care” and “We Can”.

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Club Travel was established in July 1987 by Wally Gaynor whose philosophy it was to always give the client the best deal. This philosophy is still the driving force behind Club Travel today. The cornerstone of Club Travel’s success is being true to our vision of offering customers the unique combination of best price, best service and long-term relationships. Competitive rates coupled with leading edge technology and specialised travel expertise is the strong foundation on which Club Travel continues to grow its national presence. Club Travel, a Level One Contributor, is owned by the Thebe Tourism Group (TTG), the first black empowerment group formed in South Africa. Club Travel effectively operates in the following areas of travel: Leisure Travel, Corporate Travel, Executive Travel, Online Travel, Groups/Conferences/Incentives/Events and Franchise Business Opportunities.

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