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Route from Magoebaskloof via Georges Valley One kilometre south of the hotelatMagoebasltloof, turn south off the Magoebas-ikloof/Haenertsburg tarred road onto a gravel and earth road. The ihtain road winds through magnificent forest and htlly countiy. There are distant views of the dam at various points. A road branches off to the yacht club on the south side of the dam. The scenery in the immediate vicinity of the Ebenezer Dam IS superb md-Qiere are also excellent views of the Wolkberg and the Iron Crown.

Woodbush and the Debengeni Waterfall (N34)

The Woodbush road leads through a forest and is steep, narrow and winding in parts. Motorists are advised to use the western approach near the top of Magoebasldoof (3 km north of the Magoebaskloof Hotel) instead of the eastern approach near De Hock Saw Mill, because the latter is a very steep road. The turnoff to Debengeni Falls is reached aftena rough and precipitous descent through plantations and thick bush where motonsts should exercise extreme caution.

Picnicking is permitted at the falls and there is limited parking. The Debengeni waterfall consists of a series of huge cascades Which tumble over a sheer rock face. It is very dangerous to venture near the edge - lhefalls have claimed many lives.

The forest office lies near the road. A permit to drive down to the the State is responsible for any’damage that they, their passen’%erg orl’their Vehicles may suffer or claim to have suffered. Memhm: .0!- the public are responsible for any damagetthat they itnay : cause - directly or indirectly - to a forest estate. j

8; Tourists must drive carefully on forestry depanment roadslas. these are usually narrow and bumpy, often steep andvsometimes slippery.

Fishing: There is rainbow and brown trout fishing in the Stanford Lake and the Helpmekaat River, both of which are under l the control of the Haenertsburg Trout Waters Association. Daily fishing permits are obtainable from Lakeside Chalets at a Cost’ of 112,00 per day. A provincial trout licence (obtainable from the office of the Receiver of Revenue throughout the Province) must be produced. The Tzaneen offices are open on weekdays from 08 h 00 to 13 h 00 and until 12 h 00 on Wednesdays.

To fish in the Dap Naude Dam, one needs a provincial trout licence (R6,00) and a permit (112,00), obtainable in Haenerts-burg.

The short forestry reach on the Broederstroom River is open to members of the public, providing they have obtained in advancea permit from the forestry department. The remainder of the Broederstroom River is private water.

The Ebenezer Dam is open to anglers in possession of the ordinary provincial fishing licencewhich costs R3 ayear. Thedam has been stocked with bass, bream (kurper), trout and eels.

Trout fishing is permissible throughout the year. A provincial trout licence costs R6 a year.

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There is good trout fishing in the area.

Sudwala Caves (C 7)

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I Located in the Mankelekele ("crag on 6mg") hill are a series
. of gigantic underground caverns, the largest of which is the P R
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I of heavy metals such as manganese and iron. Guided tours take
place every half-hour, from 08 h 30 to 16 h 30.

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Dorpsn’vier and Sterltspruit. Fishing permits can be obtained from
the Transvaal Provincial Fisheries Institute. The Institute is open
from 08 h 00 - 16 h 00 and visitors to the Aquarium are welcome.

A nature reserve on the Townlands is partially open to visitors
from 11 h 00 - 17 h 00 on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. There
are braai facilities in pleasant surroundings and nature lovers can
follow the hiking trail to the archeological ruins, dating from the
’ Iron Age. Prior reservations and further enquiries can be made at
the Town Council of Lydenburg. Tel (01323) 2121.

The Lydenburg museum is open from 09 h 00 - 12 h 00 and
I4h00 - 16 h 15 on weekdays and from 09 h 00 - 12 hOO on
Saturdays. The town also boasts a numberofNational Monuments
such as the Voortrekker Church and School (1852) and the Powder
Magazine.

The Long Tom Pass, which traverses the escarpment near
Mount Anderson (2 284 m), links Lydenburg with Sabie. The
highest point on the pass is 2 149 m and the views are spectacular
on a clear day. This is one of the highest motor roads in South
Africa.

Ohrigstad Echo Caves (C6)

These caves with their interesting dripstone formations have
been proclaimed a national monument. They are open to the
public daily and guides are available. Enlranceke: Adults R1, 50 and
children 500. There is an open-air museum and an art gallery on the
way to the caves. Visiting hours: 08 h 00 10 17 h 00. Entrancefee:
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Magoebaskloof is another popular touring area which can be
reached from Ohrigstad via the Abel Erasmus Pass (C5,C6)
(1 242 m) and the) G Strijdom Tunnel (C5). There is attractive
scenery in the vicinity of the pass.

Magoebasldoof (A/B4)

The Magoebaskloof area, between Haenertsburg and Tzaneen,
is one of the loveliest parts of South Africa. Dominated by the
Wolkberg (cloud mountain) and the magnificent Iron Crown, it
has become famous as the iiLand oi the Silver Mist" and is

described in the books of john Buchan and H Rider Haggard.
Magoeba and his tribesmen had their lookout in this kloof.
Magnificent mountain scenery (the mountains of the Magoebaskloofarea form part of the Drakensberg range) - great forests, fastllowingstreams where trout can be found, pleasant lakes and dams make an ideal setting for excursions. The countryside is rich in wild flowers, orchids and a great variety of ferns which grow profusely in the bush.
Visitors should acquaint themselves with the regulations posted at the entrance gates to all State forests. To protect State-owned and private forests, plantations and grazing areas from destruction, there are heavy fines for lighting fires at other than prescribed places. Visitors should apply to the government forester at Woodbush for information on camping. A small fee is charged for the use of amenities at all picnic and camping spots. Members are advised nut to camp without permission from the authorities or land owners concerned. Road: which are not xignposled orimliazted 071 lhe accompanying map should not be used.
The Magoebasldoof area has an exceptionally heavy rainfall in summer and minor roads may become impassable in places. The use of earth or gravel roads during or after heavy rains is not recommended unless these are known to bc passable. The main gravel roads are generally we'll maintained and have an all-weather
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Hoewel die Laeveld in die somer op sy mooiste is, is die koel wintermaande (Mei tot Oktober) die gewildste toertyd. In die hoErliggende dele soos Sabie, Pelgrimsrus en Graskop waar die somerhitte minder straf is, is daar geen besondere toerseisoen nie.
Sabie, Graskop, die Elandsriviervallei en die streek suid van Nelspruit vorm die grootste enkele bosboukonsentrasie in Suid-Afrika. Die bosse bestaan hoofsaaklik uit naaldboomsoorte, bloeltom- en wattelbome.
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BESIENSWAARDIGE PLEKKE
Waterval-Boven (88) en Waterval-Onder (BS)
Die Elandsrivier, wat sy oorsprong naby Belfast het, kronltel deur die platorand in in ruwe, pragtige vallei af waarlangs President Paul Kruger se Oostelike Spoorlyn(1887 - 1894) ookeens op ,n tyd gcloop het. Die aanskoulikste deelvan die spoorlyn is by die Elandsbergpas war die oorspronklike tandratspoor tussen Waterval-Onder en Waterval-Boven 244 m binne 4 km geltlim het - in helling van 1 op 20. Hierdie seksie is later herbou met makliker hellings. 'n Monument in die vorm van in stult van die oorspronklilte tandratspoor en een van die talle rotsbloklte wat tydens die spooraanleg verwyder moes word, staan op die stasie van Watewal-Boven ter gedagtenis van die werkers wat tydens die b'ou van die Spoorlyn weens koors, hitte, leeu-aanvalle en ongelukke gesterf het. Krugerhof, by Waterval-O'nder, is in nasionale gedenkwaardigheid en was die laaste woning van President Paul Kruger voordat hy die land verlaat het. Die rit deur die Elands-

riviervallei na Montrose is besonder mooi. Die Elandsrivier-waterval _ 90m hoog, die ou NZASM-spoorwegtonnel (sowat 211 m lanlt) en die Vyiboogbrug (albei nasionale gedenltwaar-dighede) is in die NZASM-natuurresen’aat, halfpad teen die Elands-bergpas op.
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Sudwala-grot (C 7)
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Geleide toere begin elke halfuur van 08 h 30 tot 16 h 30.
In die natuurlike botaniese tuin waardeur die grot omring word, is die Dinosouruspark, in voorlrellike uitstalling van lewensgrootte replikas van dinosourusse. Taegangsgeld: Valwassenes - R2, 50,- Kinders (5 - 12Ijaar) - 111,00; Kinders ander 5 - gratis.
(Die AA-toerbulletin, "Die Sudwalagrot en Dinosaurutpark" l3 gratis aan lede beskiltbaar by alle AA-kanlore).
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’n Deel van die natuurreservaat op die dorpsgrond is Vrydae, Saterdae en Sondae tussen 11 h 00 en 17 h 00 oop vir besoekers. Dis in fraai omgewing met vleisbraaigeriewe en in wandelpad na . argeologiese bouvalle wat uit die Ystertyd dateer. Vooruit-besprekings en navrae kan by die Dorpsraad van Lydenburg gedoen word. Tel (01323) 2121.
Besoektye by die Lydenburgmuseum is weekdae van 09 h 00 tot 12 h00 en 14 hOO tot 16 h 15, en Saterdae tussen 09 hOO en 12 h 00. ’n Aantal nasionale gedenkwaardighede is 00k op die dorp te sien, onder meer die Voortreltkerlterk en -skool (1852) en die I(ruithuis.
Ohrigstad Eggo-grot (C6)
Hierdie grot met sy interessante druipsteenformasies is tot nasionale gedcnkwaardigheid verklaar. Dit is daagliks oop vir die publlelt en gidse is besltiltbaar. Ibegangsgeld: Volwassmes R1, 50 m la’nderx 506. Daar is in opelug-museum en kunsgalery op pad na die grot. Besoekure: 08 h 00 tot 17 h 00. Tbegangsgeld: Volwatsenes - 506 en hinders under 12 - 25c.
Magoebaskloof is nog 1n gewilde toerstreek en kan vanaf Ohrigstad bereilt word via die Abel Erasmuspas (C5,C6) (1 242 m) en die) G Strijdomtonnel (C5). Die natuurskoon in die omgewing van die pas is 1n lus vir die oog.
Magoebasltloof (A/B4) .
Die Magoebaskloofstreek tussen I-Iaenertsburg en Tzaneen is een van die pragtigste dele van Suid-Afrika. Met die tronende Wolkberg en die tnanjiiieke Ysterkroon het die streelt beroetntIi-heid verwerf as die iiLand van die Silwermis" en is dit verewig in die boelte van john Buchan en H Rider Haggard. Hicrdle kloof was die uitkykpos van Magoeba e11 sy stamgenote.
Pragtige bergnatuurtonele (die berge in die MagoebaskloofStreeIk maalt deel uit van die Drakensbergreeks), groot bosse, vinmg vloeiende forelstrome, en heerlike mere en dammc bied die ideale geleentheid vir uitstappies. Die streek is ryk aan veldbloinme. orgidee en in groot verskeidenheid varingsoorte wat oral 111 d1e bosse gedy. ’ .
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banks of the dam which offers facilities for boating enthusiasts,
campers and anglers. The Magoebaskloof Hotel and Lakeside
Chalets (consisting of apartments, chalets and a caravan park) are
within easy reach of the Ebenezer Dam and Stanford Lake.

Tzaneen (B4)

This is the commercial hub of the Letaba district and is fast
becoming one of the most important farming towns in South
Africa. The soil in the Letabadistrict is very fertile and, as the area is
free from frost, vegetables can be cultivated throughout the
year. The area is noted for its citrus and sub-tropical fruits. There
is a tourist camp and picnicspot on the outskirts of the town on the
banks of the Letaba River. F ishing, golf, tennis, swimming and
bowling facilities are available. The massive Fanie Botha Dam is
3 km from Tzaneen.
From the Tzaneen/Phalaborwa road there is a turnoff to the
Hans Merensky Nature Reservewhich was established to provide a
home for sable and roan antelope, tsessebe and nyala. Within the
reserve there is an open-air museum of the traditional lifestyle and
architecture of the Tsonga people and a rest camp at the Eiland
Mineral Baths. Applications for accifmmodalion should be made
lo The O_gicer-in-Charge, Eiland Mineral Baths, Privalc Bag 527,
Letsilele 0885. Tel: (015238) 759/667.
Of particular interest in the Tzaneen district are the tea estates:
the Sapeltoe Middelkop Tea Estates (B4) on the road between
Magoebaskloof and Tzaneen and the Sapeltoe Grenshoek Tea
Estates beyond Politsi Station on the Tzaneen-DuiwelskloofRoad.
More than 900 ha is under cultivation and at the height of the
season approximately 3 000 Blacks are employed in the production
of the tea which is marketed all over South Africa -I- both as part
of a blend for various popular brands and under Sapeltoe's own
label. Visitors who would like to visit either if the Sapekoe Tea
Estates should write to the Secretary, Sapekoe (Pty) Ltd, P O Box 576,
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Tzaneen 085010 obtain the netessmy permit. 1 This village, on a spur of the Mauchsberg (2 115 m), is an
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Agatha Hills (B4). A drive up Magoebasltloof is a must when Erasmus, Bantu Commissioner in the days of the gold rush. His
visiting Tzaneen. En route you can visit the Debengeni Waterfall
(B4), Tea Estates, Magoebaskloof Dam, Ebenezer Dam (A4) and
lunch at Magoebaskloof Rest Camp, the Hotel or Lakeside
Chalets, with magnificent scenery. The fruitjuicc factory and the
factory where carton containers are manufactured at Letaba can
also be visited.

Politsi (B4)

This can be regarded as the industrial centre of the Letaba

district. It has a large co-operative citrus packhouse, a canning factory and a number of sawmills. The Hans Merensky Dam lies near the junction of the road from Politsi and the main road between Tzaneen and Duiwelsltloof.

Duiwelskloof (B4)

This picturesque village lies north of Tzaneen and is surrounded by forests, flowering trees and shrubs.

Large tomato farms in the Duiwelskloof area can be visited. Write to the Town Clerk for further particulars. Interesting excursions can be undertaken to iiThe Platforml'.

The Kraal of Modjadji, the Rain Queen, and the Cycad Forest

The Kraal of Modjadji, legendary Rain Queenof the Lovedu tribe, is 27 km north-east of Duiwelskloof and the cycad forest is approximately 2 km from the kraal. In order to visit the cycadforesl a permit mutt be obtained from the Magistrate, Bolobedu, Ga-Kgapane Black Township - 12 km norlh-east of Duiwelskloaf A minimalfee is leviedhr the permit.

The forest of cycads has been declared a national monument. After rain has fallen the road may become impassable.

From Duiwelskloof one can drive on to Louis Trichardt which lies in a beautiful setting. This town was proclaimed an administrative centre for the Soutpansberg on the 15th February 1899.

North of Louis Trichardt are the Hendrik Verwoerd Tunnels (274 m and 457 m respectively).

Further north-east lies Fundudzi - the sacred lake of the Bavenda - and Phiphidi, a waterfall which is believed locally to be enchanted. It is named after a former chieftainess.

Excursions can be made to the Verdun Ruins (near Mopane Station) and the Dzata Bavenda Ruins in the Nzhelele valley. Both sites have been declared national monuments. Permission to visit this area must be obtained from the authorities at Sibam.

Fifty-eight kilometres beyond Louis Trichardt on the road to Messina there is a turnoff to the right leading to the Tshipise Mineral Baths which are situated in the Honnet Nature Reserve. Animals in the reserve include ltudu, impala and bushbuck. There are also many bird species. Hotel or rondavel accommodation is available and there is a caravan park with camp sites. Enquire: should be addressed to The General Manager, Tshipise Mineral Baths, P O Box 4, Tshipise 0901. Tel: 4.

Koedoesvallei (A/B4)

The road from Mooketsi to Houtbosdorp descends into the Koedoesvallei which is noted for its picturesque scenery.

Turfloop (A4)

The Blaclt University of the North is at Turfloop, near Pietersburg.

Haenensburg (A4)

This village is 56 km from Pietersburg and set in the foothills of the mountains. The surviving patches of indigenous forest in the district are protected by law. The tarred main road twists and turns to the summit of the spectacular Magoobasklooi before commencing a steep descent of almost 400111 over a distance of just a few kilometres to the lowveld.

Ebenezer Darn (A4)

The Ebenezer Dam was built by the Department of Water Affairs between 1955 and 1959 and is used to irrigate the Letaba Valley. It Can be reached from both Magoebaskloof (A/B4) and Haenertsburg (A4).

mag word of, na bewering, berokken is. Lede van die publiek is verantwoordelilt vir enige skade wat hulle regstreeks of onregstreelts aan in bosland beroltken. ,

3 Toeriste versigtig op paaie van die Departement van Bosbou moet ry omdat hulle gewoonlik smal en stamperig, dikwels steil en soms glyerig is.

Hengel: Rebnboog- en bruinforelle kan in die Stanfordmeer en die Helpmekaarrivier gevang word. Albei is onder toesig van die Haenertsburgse Forelwatervereniging. Daagliltse hengelpermitte is verkrygbaar by Lakeside Chalets en ltos R2,00 per dag. 'n Provinsiale forellisensie is by die kantoor van die Ontvanger van Inkomste regdeur die provinsie verktygbaar en moet getoon word. Die kantoor in Tzaneen is op weekdae van 08 h 00 tot 13 h 00 en

Woensdae tot 12 h 00 00p.
Vir hengel in die Dap Naudedam is in provinsiale forellisensie (R6,00) en in permit (R2,00) nodig. Dit is in I-Iaenertsburgverkrygbaar.
Die kort stroolt bos langs die Broederstroomrivier is toeganltlik vir die publiek, mits hulle vooraf in permit by die Departementvan Bosbou bekom het. Die res van die Broederstroomrivier is private water.
Die Ebenezerdam is toeganltlilt vir hengelaars in besit van die gewone provinsiale hengellisensie wat R3,00 perjaar ltos. Die dam is voorsien van baars, lturpers, forelle en palings.
Farelhengel word regdeur die jtzar toegelaal. ’n Provinsiale forellisensie kos R6,00 perjaar.
Die Haenertsburgse Forelwatewereniging het in stultltie grond op die damwal wat geriewe bied vir bootrygeesdriftiges, kampeerders en hengelaars. Die Hotel’Magoebasltloofen Lakeside Chalets (bestaande uit woonstelle, chalets en in woonwapark) is binne bereilt van die Ebenezerdam en Stanfordmeer.
Tzaneen (B4)
. Dit is die handelsentrum van die Letabadistrik en ontwiltkel in toenemende mate tot een van die belangrikste boerderydorpe in Suid-Afrika. Die g’rond in die Letabadistrik is baie vrugbaar en omdat dit geen ryp luy nie, kweelt die boere dwarsdeur die jaar groente. Die streek is beltend vir sy sitrus- en sub-tropiese vrugte.
Op die walle van die Lelabarivier, net buitekant die dorp, is daar in toeristckamp en ’n piekniekoord. Hengel-, gholf-, tennis-, swem- en rolbalgeriewe is beskikbaar. Die massale Fanie Bothadam is 3 km van Tzaneen af.
Uit die Tzaneen/Phalabomapad is daar Yn uitdraaipad na die Hans Merensky-natuurreservaat wat ontwikltel is as ,n tuiste vir die swartwitpens, bastergemsbok, tsessebe en njala. In die reservaat is ’n opelugmuseum wat die lewenswyse en boukuns van die Tsongavollt uitbeeld asoolt in ruskamp by die Eiland-Minerale Baddens.
Aansoeke Vir huisvesting moet gerig word aan: Die Beampte-in-Bevel, Eiland-Minerale Baddcns, Privaatsak 527, Letsitele 0885. Tel: (015233) 759/667.
Veral besienswaardig in die Tzaneendistrik is die teeland-
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falls is obtainable at a minimal fee.
Dap Naudb Dam (A4)
There are magnificent forest views along the road through the Woodbush plantation and past the Dap Naude Dam.
To reach the darn proceed as for the Debengeni Falls. Turn left and continue for six kilometres. On arrival, report to the Woodbush Forest Station.
There are picnicking facilities below the dam wall and along the Broederstroom River.
Return to Tzaneen and from there drive south towards thej G
’ Strijdom Tunnel and Blyde River Canyon.
The Blyde River Canyon (C6)
This is one of the outstanding scenic attractions of the Eastern Transvaal and has been proclaimed a nature reserve. Details of the F H Odendaal and Sybrand van Nielterk camps are contained in theAA publication TBE-Tl: The Blyde River Canyon, available .free of charge from any AA oilice, or from the General Manager, Blydepoort Public Resort, Private Bag 368, Ohrigstad, 1 122. Tel: (013231)901/881/951/891/924. Facilities include fully furnished self-contajned chalets, a caravan park, fully licensed restaurant, cafe and supermarket. Roads to the view sites are tarred.
Pilgrimls Rest (C6)
This romantic hamlet, now over 100 years old, has many associations with the early goldmining days. The whole area has been declared a national monument and is currently being restored. Timber, a more recent trade, has superseded goldmining which ceased in April 1972 when extraction was no longer economically viable. Some of the most magnificent scenery in South Afn’ca is on the Pilgrim’s Rest/Blyde River Canyon road. The Blyde River provides trout fishing.
Graskop (C6)
farm lay near the kraal of the Bakwena chief, Kowyn. Kowynls Pass (C6) (1 371 m), a spectacular climb of over 457 m in roughly

3 km, provides wonderful panoramic views of the lowveld. Burgefs Pass, also known as Witbooi's Path, was used before the construction of Kowynls Pass.

The Lisbon and Berlin waterfalls, Paradise Camp, Godis Window (C6), Edge of Drakensberg, Driekopkloof(C6) and the Pinnacle ate all in the vicinity ofGraskop. Near the Graskop/Sabie road are the Mac-Mac pools (C7), Mac-Mac Waterfall (C6) and Grasltop Falls. Tourists may not drive to Graskop Falls but a short circular walk of 3,5 km to the falls and back is open to the public. The starting point of the walk is at the Mac-Mac picnic site on the Grasltop/Sabie road. There is another short walk of 800 m to two old graves and two small waterfallsjust across the main road from the picnic site. No fee is levied for the use of the picnic site or walks but the public must keep to the demarcated route and not wander off into the forests.

Sabie (C 7)

Sabie lies on a wide terrace halfway up the escarpment, against the impressive backdrop of the Spitskop (l 675 m) and Mount Anderson (2 284 m). Alluvial gold was discovered on the slopes of Spitsltop in 1871 and on the farm Geelhoutboom in 1872 and resulted in the first proclamation of public diggings in the Eastern Transvaal. This is the Department of F oresttyls largest afforested region and is the headquarters of Mondi Timber, which owns vast plantations and controls the largest sawmill in South Africa. The D R de Wet Forestry Research Station can be visited by appointment on Fridays between 09 h 00 to 16 h 00. Tel. (0131512) 339.

The Sabie Foresty Museum, the first of its kind in the world, houses exhibitions on subjects ranging from the prehistory oftrees and fossils to the history ofthe discovery ofgold in this region. It is open on weekdays from 09 h 00 - 13 h 00 and 14 h 00 - 16 h 00 and on Saturdays from 09 h 00 - 11 h 30.

Enlrancefee: Adults 506, children, 206.

The town, which is attractively laid out, features a beautiful small stone church designed by Sir Herbert Baker and consecrated in 1913.

Angling in the upper Sabie River is controlled by the Sabie Trout Angling Club. Permits are obtainable from Gidish Investments and Merry Pebbles Caravan Park.

Near Sabie are the Bridal Veil, Lone Creek and Horseshoe Falls (C7) which can be reached by turning left off the Sabie/Grasltop road about 485 m before the bridge on the outskirts of Sabie.

Swarm: of bees which have built their hives in crevices on lhe mountaimz'de, are dangerous when disturbed - be careful.

The Sabie Falls viewsite is at the bridge.

To avoid theft, do rial leave anything of value in the car.

Drives from Sabie include

1 The Klipkraal road (turn right 9 km from Sabie on the Graskop road). Travel along the edge of the Drakensberg escarpment and back via Kowynls Pass and Grasltop. (Loolt out for thejoclt of the Bushveld plaque about 11km from Graskop on the Grasltop/Sabie road). Distance: 77 ltm.

2 Gorge road (reached by turning right after about 800 m on the White River road) to Malieveld Creek and back along a forestry road via Hendriksdal (C7). There are several attractive picnic spots and a succession of cascades and pools along the Malieveld Creek. Watch out for the jock of the Bushveld plaque about 10 ltm from Sabie. Distance: 40 km.

3 Drive to Sabie Gorge, Bergvliet, Kiepersol (D7), Sabi River Bungalows (D 7) and back via Grasltop 0r Klipltraal. This extremely beautiful drive follows the course of the Sabie River.

White River (C/D7)

This attractive town, renowned for its moderate climate, lies at the centre of large citrus and timber estates, irrigated from the Longmere, Danie joubert and Witklip Dams (C/D7) which lie north of White River. More than a million cases of citrus are

Die roete van Haenertsburg af oor die Georgevallei (A4)

Hierdie teerpad draai oos van Haenertsburg uit die Haenerts-burg/Magoebasltloofpad. Dit vleg 10 km ver deur deinende, ge-deeltelik beboste veld voordat dit die damwal bereik waar daar verslteie goeie uitsigpleldte is.

Die roete van Magoebaskloof af oor die Georgevallei
Draai 1 km suid van die hotel by Magoebaskloof suidwaarts op in gruis- en grondpad. Die hoofpad kronkel deur in pragtige, bosagtige en heuwelagtige omgewing. Op verskeie pleklte is daar vergesigte op die dam. in Ander pad draai weg na die seiljagklub aan die dam se suidekant. Die natuurskoon in die onmiddellike omgewing van die Ebenezerdam is verrultlik mooi. Daar is 00k pragtige gesigte op die Wolkberg en die Ysterkroon.

Woodbush en die Debengeniwaterval (A/B4)
Die steil, smal Woodbushpad slinger plek-plek deur die bosse. Motoriste word aangeraai om die pad van die westekant af te nader, naby die bopunt van die Magoebaskloof (3 km noord van die Hotel Magoebaskloof) eerder as om dit van die oostekant af naby De Hoeksaagmeule binne te ry, omdat dit daar bale steil is. Na in steil en hobbelrige afdraand tussen plantasies en digte bosse deur, word die uitdraaipad na Debengeniwaterval bereilt - motoriste moet baie versigtig bestuur.
Parkeerruimte by die waten/al is beperk, maar piekniekhou word toegelaat.
Die Debengeniwaterval bestaan uit ’n aantal ontsaglike stort- valle wat oor ,n loodregte rotsmuur tuimel. Dit is baz’e gevaarliltiom dil te nu aan die lean! le waag- die Debmgeniwalerual het reeds talle lewens geeit.
Die boskantoor is vlak by die pad. in Permit om na die watewal te 1y, is teen in geringe bedrag verkrygbaar.

Dap Naudedam (A4)
Die pad deur die Woodbushplantasie en verby die Dap Naude- dam bied ’n uitsig op pragtige bostonele.
Om die Dap Naudedam te bereik, hou aan met die pad na die Debengeniwaterval. Draai links en ry 6 ltm verder. Meld u by die Woodbush-bosstasie aan na aanltoms. Daa.r is piekniekgeriewe onderkant die damwal en langs die Broederstroomrivier.
Keer terug na Tzaneen en ry daarvandaan suidwaarts na dieII G Strijdomtonnel en Blyderivier-canyon.

Die Blyderivier-canyon (C6)
Dit is een van die uitnemende natuurskone aantreklikhede van die Oos-Transvaal en is tot 1n natuurresewaat verklaar. Beson- derhede aangaande die F H Odendaal- en Sybrand van Nielterlt- kamp is vervat in die AA-publikasie TBA-Tl: Die Blyderivier- canyon, wat gratis by enige AA-kantoor verkrygbaar is. So nie, nader die Hooibestuurder, Openbare 00rd Blydepoort, Privaat- sak 368, Ohrigstad 1122. Tel: (013231) 901/881/951/891/924.
Geriewe sluit in gemeubileerde, toegcruste chalets, 1n woonwa- park, gelisensieerde restaurant, kafee asook 1n supermark. Die paaie na die uitsigplekke is geteer.
goedcre: Sapekoe-Middelkoplandgoed (B4), weerskant van die pad tussen Magoebaskloof en Tzaneen, en Sapekoe-Grenshoek- landgoed, digby Politsistasie op die Tzaneen/Duiwelskloofpad.
Meer as 900 ha is reeds onder tee. Gedurende die pro- duksieseisoen word oor die 3 000 Swart arbeiders van werlt voorsien tydens die vervaardiging van die tee wat oor die hele Suid- Afrika bemark word 4 sowel as deel van die vermenging onder bekende handelsname, as onder sy eie etiket: Sapeltoe.
Mense wat graag een van die Sapekoe-Teelandgoedere wil besoek, kan skryf aan: Die Sekretaris, Sapeltoe (Edms) Bpk, Posbus 576, Tzaneen 0850 om in permit te bekom.
Vanaf Tzaneen kan Vir 31 ltm met in ringpad na die Agatha- heuwels (B4) gery word. in Rit in die Magoebasltloof op is in moet wanneer u Tzaneen besoek. Op pad kan u die Debengeni- waterval (B4), Teelandgoedere, Magoebaskloofdam en Ebenezer- datn (A4) besoek en middagete nuttig by die Magoebaskloof- ruskamp, die Hotel oiLakeside Chalets, omring van asemrowende murskonTT) pTEetab’a’k’an’ Ln "Vrugtesapfabfi’eit’emifabrhik waar kartonhouers vervaardig word, ook besoek word.

Pelgn’msrus (C6)
Hierdie romantiese gehuggie, wat al oor die lOOjaar oud is, het baie herinneringe aan dievroee dae van goudontginning. Die hele gebied is tot 1n nasionale gedenkwaardigheid verklaar en wo rd tans gerestoureer. Bosbou, wat eers in laterejare ontwikkel het, het nou die goudmynbedryf vervang. Goudontginning is in April 1972 gestaak omdat dit nie meer ekonomies lewensvatbaar was nie..
Van die aansltouliltste natuurtonele in Suid-Afrika word op

die Pelgrimsrus/Blyderivier-canyonpad aangetref. Die Blyderivier
bied geleentheid vir forelhengel.
Graskop (C6)
Hierdie dorp le op in uitloper van die Mauchsberg(2 115 in) en
is in belangrike bosbousentrum. Dit is aangele op die eertydse
plaas van Abel Erasmus, die Bamoe-ltommissaris in die daevan die
goudstormloop. Sy plaas was naby die kraal van die Bakwena-
kaptein Kowyn. Kowynpas (C6) (1 371 m) is 1n skouspelagtige pad
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uitsigte oor die Laeveld. Burgerspas, wat 00k as Witbooi se pad
Politsi (B4) bekend was, was voor die bou van die Kowynpas gebruik.
Politsi kan as die nywerheidsentrum van die Letabadistrilt 1 Die Lisbon- en Berlin-waterval, Paradysltamp, GOdis Window
beskou word en het 1n groot kooperatiewe sitruspakskuur, in l (C6), die rand van die Drakensberg, die Driekopltloof(C6) en die
Pinnacle is almal in die omgewing van Graskop. Naby die
inmaaltfabrielt en in aantal saagmeulens. Die H ans Merenskydam . . _
Graskop/Sabiepad 16 die Mac-Mac-poele (C7), d1e Mac-Mac-
le naby die ltruising van die Politsipad en die hoofpad tussen _ . . .
Tzaneen en Duiwelsldoof. waterval (C6) en the Grasltop-waterval. Toenste mag me ha die
Duiwelskloof(B4) Grasltop-waterval ry nie, maar 1n sirltelvormige wandelpad van
Hierdie sltilderagtige dorpie ten noorde van Tzaneen is deur 3,5 km na d1e Waterval en Is ms 15 WT d": PUbl16k 90PSCSICL D16
begtnpunt van die wandelpad 15 by d1e Mac-Mac-piekmekplek op
bosse, blombome en -struilte omring. . . . . _ .
In die Duiwelsltloofstreek ltan groot tamatieplase besoek word. dle Graskop/Sablepad. Regoor file pieltmekplelt aan dle anderkant
van die hoofpad is nog 1n paadj 1e van 800 In na twee ou grafte en
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stappies kan na iiDie Platform" onderneem word. . . . . . _
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bakende roete hou en nie in die bosse ronddwaal me.
Die Kraal van Modjadji, die legendariese Rehnkoningin van die
Sabie (C7)
Lovedustam, is 27 km noordoos van Duiwelskloof gelee en die
sikadeewoud sowat 2 ltm van die kraal af. Om die sihadeewoud le 53131616 0? in breE terras, halfpad teen die platorand uit en teen
besoek, moet in permit verltry word by die Landdros, Bolobea'u, die swarl die indrukwekkende agtergrond van Spitskop (1 675 m) en Mount
Anderson (2 284 m). Spoelgoud is in 1871 aan die hange van die
moangebied van Gu-Kga/mne & 12km naardoos van Duiwelsklaaf 1n .
Spitskop en in 1872 op die plaas Geelhoutboom ontdek. Dit het
Nominale bedrag word vir die permit gehef
Hierdie sikadeewoud is tot in nasionale gedenkwaardigheid 8619i (Oi die eerste proklamasie V3" openbare delwerye i" 005'
verklaar. Transvaal. Dit is die groolste beboste streek van die Departement
Na reEns word die pad soms onrybaan van Bosbou en is ook die hoofkwartier van Mondi Timber, in
organisasie wat oor uitgestreltte plantasies en Suid-Afrika se
Vanaf Duiwelskloof ltan in mens na Louis Trichardt, wat in in .
grootste saagmeule beskilt. Die D R de Wet-Bosnavors1ngsta51e
pragtige omgewing le, ry. I-Iierdie dorp is op 15 Februarie 1899 tot
die administratiewe middelpunt van die Soutpansberg geproltla- kan op Vtydae op afspraalt besoek word tussen 09 h 00 en 16 h 00.
Tel. (0131512) 339.
meet. Noord van Louis Trichardt is die HendrikVetwoerdtonnels
Die Sabie-Bosboumuseum, die eerste 1n sy soort ter wereld,
(onderslteidelik 274 1n en 457 m). .
huisves uilstallings oor allerlei ondetwerpe; van die voorge-
Verder, in 'n noordoostelike rigting, is Fundudzi - die hcilige , . . - .
meet van die Bavenda en Fhiphidi, ,n waterval wat na in voormalige skiedenis van bome en $551615 tot d": ontdeltltmg V3" goud 1n d1e
geweste. Dit is op weekdae van 09 1100 - 13 h 00 en 14 hOO -
vroulike opperhoof vernoem is; plaaslik glo hulle dit is getoor.
Uitstappies kan ook na die Verdunrui'nes (naby Mopanestasie) 16 h 00 GOP en 0P Saterdae van 09 h 00 5 1 l h 30-
en die Dzata Bavendarui'nes in die Nzhelelevallei onderneem word. TWENESEEM Wlwmmm _ 505: kinder: T 209 . . _
Albeiterreincistot nasionale gedenkwaardighede verldaar. Verlof Die dorp met Sy'pragtige

uitleg, het l" fraa1 kllpkerkle wal deur
sir Herbert Baker omwerp en in 1913 ingewy is.
om hierdie streek te besoek moet van die beamptes by Sibasa verltty _ . . . . .
word. Hengel m dle bolope van (lie Sabier1v1er staan onder beheer van
Altesame 58 ltm anderkant Louis Trichardt op pad na Messina is die Sabie-Forelhengelklub.
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Departemem van Bosbou nog die Staat is verant'woordelilt Vir
daar in uitdraaipad na regs wat na die Tshipise-Minerale Bronne in
die Honnet-natuurreservaatlei. Koedoes, rooi- en bosbokkehou
onder meer in die reservaat. Daar is 00k baie voelsoorte.
Huisvesting is in in hotel of rondawels besltiltbaar en daar is 00k in
ononwapark met kampeerplekke. Navrae moet gerig word aan
die Hoolbestuurder, Tshipise-Minerale Bronne, Posbus 4,
Tshipise 0901. Tel: 4.

Koedoesvallei (A/B4)

Die pad van Mooketsi na Houtbosdorp daal afin die Koedoes-
vallei wat bekend is om sy skilderagtige natuurskoon.

Turiloop (A4)

Die swan Universiteit van die Noorde is by Turlloop, naby
Pietersburg gelee.

Haenertsburg (A4)

Die dorpie is 56 km van Pietersburg en aan die uitlopers van die
berge gelee. Stroke inheemse bos wat in die distrik behoue gebly
het, word deur wetgewing beskerm. Die geteerde hoofpad styg
kronkelend en draaiend na die piek van die verruklike Magoebas-
ldoof voordat dit oor slegs in par kilometer, sowat 400 in tlie
Laeveld in afdaal.

Ebenezerdam (A4) -

Die Ebenezerdam is tussen 1955 en 1959 deur die Departement
Van Waterwese gebou on word gebruilt vi'r besproeiing van die
Letabavallei. Dit kan van sowel Magoebaskloof (A/B4) as van
I-Iaenertsburg (A4) af bereik word.
Diejongsle o/mame deur die Departemenl van Gesondheid laon dal die
gevaar van bilharzia by die Ebenezerdam tans gating it. Oor (lie algemeen
Qerskil die toestand egler van spmit lot spruit. Lede kan by die kantoar van
die Slreekdireltteur van Gesondheidsdiemte in Pietersburg oor die heersende
lqestand naming doen.
Naby Sabie is die Bridal Veil-, Lone Creek- e11 Horseshoe-
waterval (C7) wat bereik word deur sowat 485 m duskant dic brug
in die buitewyke van Sabie links uit die Sabie/Graskoppad te
draai. Die uitsigplek na die Sabie-waterval is by die brug. Swennx
bye wal hulle in die theme mm (lie ltmnxz' luixgemtmh het, is gevatzrlih
wanneer hulle gesleur word 7 wees versigtig.
17707110771 diejtlal deur waardevalle urlikels nil molars le wruyder.
Ritte van Sabie af sluit die volgende in

1 Die I(lipkraalpad. (Draai 9 km van Sabie afregs op die Graskop-
pad). Ry al langs die rand van die Drakensbergplato en terug oor
die Kowynpas en Graskop. (Wees op die uitkylt vir die gedenltplaat
van Jock of the Bushveld sowat 11 km van Craskop a1 op die
Grasltop/Sabiepad). Afstand: 77 km.

2 Gorge-pad (word bereilt deur na sowat 800 m op die pad na
Witrivier regs tc draai) na Malieveld Creek en terug met in
bosboupad oor Hendriksdal (C7). Daar is verskeie aantreltlilte
pieknieltplekke en in aantal watervallctjies en poele langs die
Malieveld Creek. Wees op die uitkyk vir diejock of the Bushveld-
,gedenkplaat sowat 10 km van Sabie a1. Afstand: 40 lttn. .

_3 Rit na Sabie Gorge, Bergvliet, Kiepersol (D7), Sabi River
Bungalows (D7) en terug oor Graskop of Klipkraal. Hierdie
besondere mooi'pad loop langs die Sabierivier.

Witn'vier (C/D7)

Hierdie fraai dorpie is bekend vir sy matige klimaat en le 11:
midde van groot sitrus- en timmerhoutplase wat besproei word uit
die Longmere-, Daniejoubert- en Witldipdam (C/D7), ten noorde
van WitrivierJaarliks word nagenoeg ln miljoen kissies sitrusvrugte
uitgevoer, terwyl tabaltboerdery steeds toeneem. Versltei e ander
soorte sub-tropiese vrugte word ook hier op gToot skaal verbou en
die Burgershall-piesangplaas - die grootste in Transvaal - lewer
35% van die provinsie se piesangoes.

Nelspruit is the 'cor'n "H
lowveld. It is thejunction 16x Elicia anatwhitc River
lines and lies at the centre of an extensive roadisystem

is surrounded by intensively cultivated citrus,- iiftbitt p1 , and vegetable-producing lands. A citrus and sub-uopiafho’r’u tural’research station as well as the Lowv’eld Botanical Gafdb ’ situated on the outskirts of the town. The drive (IomNelqu; Barberton (D8) is most attractive. The road over the Krokodiipdo . _ Range, Hilltop Pass (990 m) (C8) and through the De Kaapv tarred. The approach to Barberton is particularly lovely m early morning or late afternoon. ’ .

Barberton (D8)

Since the days of the gold rush in the 1880’s when itaw mining centre, Barberton has developed into a trim agriCul centre which owes its prosperity to citrus, timber, tobacco cotton. It was once the home of Sir Percy Fitzpatrick, autho’Eq
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of ujock of the Bushveld".

Drives from Barberton include:
IT
1 An interesting route to Kaapsehoop (C8) and 12.1andshoek(fc:8y returning via the trunk road. Distance: 149 km.
2 The Shiya lo Ngubo Dam (D8). The tumofT to the damig 13 km from Barberton on the road to Havelock and the Saddle: back Pass. There is excellent bass fishing in the dam and bungalows and boats can be hired. This road it not rewmmendga: during or after heavy rain. .

The ruins of the goldmining town ofEurelta City(D8) are inthis area. Visitors to the ruins will enjoy the spectacular mountain drive which, however, is extremely steep and rough and is under, ’ taken at the motoristis own risk.

De Kaap Valley (D8)

The De Kaap Valley is a dipper-shaped depression extending from Kaapmuiden to the escarpment. The De Kaap River anditg tributaries lie in the bowl of the dipper which is fed by waters from surrounding mountains. The valley is extensively irrigated, pro: ducing large quantities of cotton, citrus, tobacco, vegetables and sub-tropical fruit.

Kaapmuiden, the commercial hub of the lower De KaapValley; . lies close to the confluence of the Kaap and Crocodile Rivers; Farms in this area yield large crops of sub-tropical fruit and vegetables which are processed and canned locally. The railway. junction at Kaapmuiden which joins the Barberton branch 1111.525 serves the farming community. Pettigrewls Nek (D8) is just south of the village beyond the Krokodilpoort Range.

Because of the prevalence of malaria in the lowveld, it is advisable to take precautionary measures.

HIKING TRAILS

Fanie Botha Hiking Trail (C7/6)

The number ofpeople per gToup undertaking this trail is limited to a minimum 013 and a maximum of30. It commences at Ceyltm State Forest Office, Ceylon Plantation, 3,5 km west of Sabie and ends at Godls Window - a distance of78,8 ltm. Hikers determine. the length of trail they wish to undertake but must stay overnight at the huts which are situated at approximately 20 km intervals,

Blyderivierspoott Hiking Trail (C6)

On this trail, the number of people per group is limited to ,a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 30. It stretches from Godfs’ Window at the southern end of the Blyderivierspoort Nature Reserve, through the Treur River valley, passing the New Chunih Falls, to the potholes at Bourkels luck where the trail ends. It stretches 32,4 km along the Eastern Transvaal escarpment. Hikers ’ must stay overnight in one of the 4 huts along the route.

PibEbectors, Hilaifg#frhil (736)

A minimum of 3 and a maximum of 30 people can walk this 5 day trail which begins at the Mac-Mac Forest Station. The first day’s hike is to the Pilgrim’s Rest but, then on to the Morgenzon but the second day, with further overnight huts at Excelsior and Sacramento Creek. The trail, a total distance of 65,2 ltm ends at Bourkeis Luck.

A 2’72 day circular walk, which begins and ends at the Morgenzon Forest Station, can also be undertaken. Hikers spend both nights at the Excelsior hut. Booking is essential.

Bookings and Enquiries

The Regional Director, Dept. of Environmental Affairs, Private Bag X503, Sabie 1260. Tel: 196.

NATURE CONSERVATION TRAILS

The Yellowwood Trail (C6) is a 2-day trail with overnight accommodation for 10 people. It crosses the Belvedere valley and includes mountain, forest and open grassland scenery.

The 3-day Protea Trail (C6) takes in the Belvedere valley, Devilis Window and part of the escarpment. Both trails begin and end at the Bourkels Luck Potholes.

Bookings and Enquiries

The Nature Conservation Division, P O Bourke’s Luck, 1272. Tel:l5.

ADVANCE BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL

WALKS

The Forest Falls Walk is a 4 km walk starting and ending near the Mac-Mac Forest Station on the Sabie/Graskop road. The walk features the Forest Falls and indigenous forests.

Pine and eucalyptus forests and waterfalls feature on the 13 km Loerie Walk which starts and ends at the Ceylon Forest Station, 3,5 km west of Sabie.

KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

The small Sabie Game Resewe- the area between the Crocodile and Sabie Rivers, and the Lebombo and Drakensberg Mountains- was proclaimed by President Paul Kruger in 1898.

In july 1902, Lt.-Col._I Stevenson-I-Iamilton was appointed to protect the animals of the infant reserve from the onslaughts of game hunters and ivory traders.

Later a new section, known as the Shingwedzi area, was added to the resewe but it was not until 1926 that the Kruger National Park, as it is now called, came into being. Today the park comprises an area of nearly 19 485 ltmz; its total length being approximately 350 km and its width 60 km. When the park was first opened to the public in 1927, only three cars ventured through the gates. Gradually the fear of both animals and motorists subsided and, as its reputation grew, more and more visitors came to the park. The animals were thriving, many hitherto rare Species became abundant and the dual purpose of the reserve - to provide a sanctuary for animals and an opportunity for humans to study them in safety - was achieved.

Game

A great variety of game, eg caracal, lion, civet, Cape hunting dog, leopard, cheetah, grey wild cat, serval, spotted genet, elephant, jackal, hyena, zebra, hippo, baboon, giraffe, bufialo, and others too numerous to mention, inhabit this park. Birdlife 100, is prolific. (Books idenlyying game are obtainable either at the entrance gates 07 at camp stores).

Seasons

The park and camps are open throughout the year. Possibly the best time to visit the park is, however, from May- October when it is not only cooler but easier to spot game in the bush.

Climate and topography

Sub-tropical: with warm days and cool nights, becoming cold at times in midwinter.

South of the Olifants River, the countryside is typical of the bushveld with acacia scrub predominating. To the north, the growth of the mopani is widespread.

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Nelspruit (C7)

Nelspruit is die handel- en nywerheidsentrum van die Laeveld. Dit is die aansluiting vir die Sabie- en Witrivier-spoorlyn en vorm die middelpunt van 1n uitgebreide padnetwerlt. Om die dorp word daar intensief met sitrus-, sub-tropiese vrugte en groente geboer. Aan die buitewylte van die dorp is daar 1n sitrus- en sub-tropiese tuinboukundige navorsingsinrigting asook die Laeveldse Botaniese Tuine. Die rit van Nelspruit na Barberton (D8) is besonder aansltoulik. Daar is 1n goeie teerpad oor die Kroltodil-poortbergreeks, Hilltoppas (990 m) (C8) en deur die De Kaapvallei. Die uitsig is pragtig wanneer in mens Barberton nader, veral vroeg soggens of laat smiddae.

Barberton (D8)

Tydens die goudstormloop van die 188015 was Barberton

die middelpunt van die mynbedrywighede. Sedertdien het dit ontwikkel tot ln knap landbousentrum wat sy welvaart hoofsaaldik te danke het aan die verbouing van sitrus, timmerhout, tabalt en katoen. Dit was ook die tuisdorp van sir Percy Fitzpatrick, sluywer van flock of the Bushveld".

Ritte van Barberton af sluit die volgende in:

l 1n Interessante roete na Kaapsehoop (C8) en Elandshoelt (C8) en terug met die grootpad. Afstand 149 km.

2 Na Shiya lo Ngubo-dam (D8). Die afdraaipad na die dam is 13km van Barberton af op die pad na Haveloclt en die Saddleback-pas. Die dam is 1n uitstekende baarshengelplek en bungalows en bote kan gehuur word. I-Iierdie pad word nie tydens of na swaar rebns aanbeveel nie.

Die ruines van die goudwinningsdorpie Eureka City (D8) is in hierdie omgewing. Die skouspelagtige bergrit is 1n ware genot, in weerwil daarvan dat hy baie steil en hobbelrig is en motoriste die pad op eie risiko aanpalt.

Die De Kaap-vallei (D8)

Die De Kaap-vallei 16 in in lepelvormige kom wat vanaf Kaapmuiden tot by die platorand strek. Die De Kaap-rivier en sy sytakke 16 in die holte van die kom wat gevoed word deur waters van die omliggende berge. Die vallei word intensief besproei en lewer groot hoeveelhede katoen, sitrus, tabak, groente en sub-tropiese vrugte.

Kaapmuiden, naby die samevloeiingvan die Kaap- en Krododil-riyier, is die handelsentrum van die laer De Kaap-vallei. Die groot oeste aan sub-tropiese vrugte en groente wat die plase lewer, word plaaslilt verwerlt en ingemaak. Die spoorweg-aansluiting by Kaapmuiden, wat by die Barbertontaltlyn aansluit, word deur die omliggende boerderygemeenskap gebruik.

Pettigrewls Nek (D8) 16: net besuide die dorp anderkant die Kroltodilpoort-bergreeks.

Omdat malaria endemies in die Laeveld is, word lede aangemai om voorsorgsmaalree’fls te tnf

VOETSLAANPAAIE

Fanie Botha-voetslaanpad (C7/6)

Die aantal mense per groep wat hierdie voetslaanpad onder-neem, word beperlt tot in minimum van 3 en in maksimumvan 30. Die pad begin by die Ceylon-Staatsbosltantoor, Ceylon-Plan-tasie, 3,5 km wes van Sabie en eindig by God’s Window - in afstand van 78,8 km.

Stappers bepaal selfhoe ver hulle wil stap maar hulle moet in die hutte wat sowat 20 km uit mekaar gelee is, oornag.

Blyderivierspoortvoetslaanpad (C6)

Op hierdie voetslaanpad word die aantal persone per groep beperk tot minstens 3 en hoogstens 30. Die voetslaanpad strek van Godls Window aan die suidelike punt van die Blyderivierspoort-natuurreservaat, deur die Trcurriviervallei, verby die New Chum-waterval na die Bourkeis Luck-ltolltgate waar die voetslaanpad eindig. I-Iy loop vir 32,4 km met die Oos-Transvaalse platorand langs. Stappers moet in een van die 4 hutte langs die roete oornag.

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I mlmum van 3 en in maltsimum van 30 menge an’die ’pad wat 5 dae duur en by die Mac-Mac-bosstasie begin, onder-neem. Die eerste dag word daar tot by die Pelgrimsrushut gestap en die tweede dag tot by die Morgenzonhut. Verdere oornaghutte is by Excelsior en Sacramento. Die voetslaanpad, in totale afstand van 65,2 km, cindig by Bourkels Luck.

1n Sirkelpad, wat 2’74 dae duur en by die Morgenzon-bosstasie begin en eindig, kan ook onderneem word. Voetslaners bring albei nagte in die Excelsiorhut deur.

Dit is noodsaaltlik om te bespreek.

Besprekings en Navrae

Die Streekdirekteur, Dept. van Omgewingsake, Privaat-salt X503, Sabie 1260. Tel: 196.

NATUURBEWARINGSPAAIE

Die Geelhoutvoetslaanpad, (C6) duur 2 dae en het oornag-verblyf vir 10 mense. Die pad loop oor die Belvedere-vallei en sluit sowel bergplantasies as oop grasveld in.

Die 3-daagse Proteavoetslaanpad (C6) strek oor die Belvedere-vallei, Devilis Window en in deel van die platorand.

Albei voetslaanpaaie begin en eindig by die Bourkels Luck-
kolkgate.
Besprekings en Navrae
Die Natuurbewaringsafdeling, Pk Bourkels Luck, 1272. Tel: 15.
DIT IS NOODSAAKLIK 0M VOORAF TE BESPREEK.
WANDELPAAIE
Die Forest Falls-wandelpad is 4 km lanlt en begin en eindig
naby die Mac-Mac-Bosstasie op die Sabie/Graskoppad. Die
Forest Falls-waterval en inheemse bosse is onder meer te sien.
Die Loerie-wandelpad van 13 km begin en eindig by die
CIeyloIn-Bosstasie 3,5 km wes van Sabie. Van die hoogtepuntelangs
h1erd1e roete is denne- en bloekombosse asoolt watervaJle.
NASIONALE KRUGERWILDTUIN
In 1898 het president Paul Kruger die klein Sabiewildreservaat -
die gebied tussen die Krokodil- en Sabierivier en die Lebombo-
en Drakensberge geproklameer.
In julie 1902 is lt-kolj Stevenson-I-Iamilton aangestel om die
diere van die ontluikendc reservaat teen die toeloop van wild- en
ivoorjagters te beskerm.
Later is nog 1n deel, beltend as die Shingwedzigebied, by die
reservaat gevoeg, maar dit is eers in 1926 dat die Nasionale
Krugerwildtuin, soos hy nou heet, tot stand geltom het. Vandag
beslaan die wildtuin bykans 19 485 1(th daar hy sowat 350 km
lank en 60 km breed is. Toe die wildtuin in 1927 die eerste keer vir
die publiek oopgestel is, het net drie motors dit deur die heltlte
gcwaag. Geleidelilt het die vrees van sowel diet as motoris egter
afIgeneem en namate die wildtuin al hoe bekender geraak het, het
die getalle besoekers toegeneem. Die diere het lloreer. Baie
soorte wat tot in daardie stadium skaars was, het volop geword en
die reservaat se dubbele doel is bereik. Dit het enersyds beslter-
m1ng aan die diere gebied en andersyds aan mense die geleentheid
gegee om die fauna van Suid-Afrilta in veiligheid te bestudeer.
Wild
Die wildtuin is 'n tuiste vir in groot verskeidenheid wild, onder
meer rooiltatte, leeus, sivetkatte, wildehonde, luiperds,jagluiperds
groukatte, tierboskatte, muskeljaatkatte, olifante, jakkalse, hiEnas'
serras, seekoeie, bobbejane, kameelperde, buffels en talle ander:
1316 voellewe is net so uitgebreid. (Boeke vir die identi/isering van wild
13 (if by die toegangthehhe (if by die kampwinltels verhrygbaar).
Seisoene '
Die wildtuin en kampe is regdeur die jaar oop. Die beste
besoektyd is egter Mei - Oktober wanneer dit nie net koeler is nie
maar wild oolt maklilter in die boswbreld gewaar word. ,
Klimaat en aard
Sub-tropies met warm dae, koel nagte wat soms in die middel
. van die wmter selfs koud word. Suid van die Olifantsrivier is dit
tipiese boswereld war die doringboom die oorheersende struik-
l gewas is en na die noorde is dit merendeels die mopanie.
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1.7 1130. Should the Mice be closed, members should call at theiemzzgemy' L-
. gF-uiu centre.
At the emergency service centfe, a qualified mechanic; and
agsistants are in attendance to effect minor repair work. Whe'E
major repairs are necessaty, eg engine overhauls, gear box repairs .
'etc, arrangements can be made for the car to be towed to a garage
outside the park.
Spare parts, tyres and batteries are stocked and sold at the
centre. A labour charge is levied where the mechanic is required
i to fit any parts, or to effect any repairs. Repairs to tubeless and
conventional tyres and washing of cars are also undertaken. On
production of their current membership cards, AA members will
qualify for a lower scale of charges for the above services.
The centre is open Mondays to Friday: from 08 h 00- 12 h100 and from
14 h 00 (winter) or 14 h 30 (summer) until the campgales close. Although
it is closed on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays, a mechanic
or patrol is on standby to render emergency sewice.

When the Centre is closed, members should call at the AA office for assistance.

AA WORKSHOP AND PATROL STATION - LETABA

This workshop operates along similar lines to the AA emergency service centre at Sltukuza, but on a smaller scale. A limited range of AA maps is available. When the workshop is closed, assistance may be obtained from the AA patrol at Satara.

AA PATROL STATION AT SATARA

The function of AA patrols at this station is to assist members who experience car trouble on the road. Members who can produce their membership cards may obtain tow-in service from the nearest available AA patrol free of charge. Puncture repairs, washing of cars and charging ofbatteries are also undertaken. When this station is closed, assistance may be obtained from the patrol station at Letaba.

Messagesfram members requiring breakdown assislance in the park should be sent to the nearest AA patrol station. Members should report their position in the park by quoting the relevant road number, eg Salih’epad $30, as marked on the map overleah so that assistance can be rendered with the minimum possible delay. Members are advised to carry their membership cards at all times. Member: who are unable to produce their membership cards, may apply for a refund of charges rendered by submittingfull details to their AA Mice.

ROADS .

Gravel roads in the park tend to become corrugated at times.
Tarred roads are indicated clearly on the map.
Sections of road which are impassable after heavy rains are indicated at the gate of each camp by means of road numbers.

TRAVELLING HOURS

Visitors should ensure that they reach entry gates be/bre closing time: as lalecomers will be chargedfar afending park regulations. They should also allow suhicienl lime in which to travelfiam lhe entry gate to rest camps behrc these close.

8 NB Entry gates are closed between 13 h 00 and 13 h 30.

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May - August (incl)
September
October

ENTRANCE FEES (excluding CST)

Perpetson: adults R4,00; children(2-16years)R1,50; children under 2 free.
Pervehicle: under 1 500 kg: 114,00; 1 500 kg- 4 000 kg: R8,50; 4 000 kg- 7 000 kg: R12,00. More than 7 000 kg: R25,00. Caravan or trailer: R300. Vehicles with an axle load of more than 8 164 kg are not allowed into the park.

DAY VISITS

A limited number of people are allowed into the park for the day only and permits are essential for long weekends and peak holiday periods. Visitors must arrive before 10 h 00 on the appli- cable date. Apply well in advance to the Board, stating the proposed date of entry, gate of entry and number of people in the car. Tariff: as above.

ANNUAL PERMIT ’

An annual permit, which costs R40,00, entitles the holder and maximum of 7 passengers travelling with him in one vehicle, to make as many visits as he wishes in a year. Visits over long weekends are however, excluded. The entrance fee for a permit holder is 50% of the normal tariff for a vehicle and its passengers. Identification must be carried by the permit holder.

BOOKINGS AND ENQUIRIES:

Hut accommodation at rest camps and camp sites can be resen/ed one year in advance. A strictly limited number of visitors will, however, be permitted to enter without advance reservations to take whatever accommodation may be available on account of late cancellations. Booking applications should be addressed to the Reservations Office, National Parks Board, P O Box 787, Pretoria 0001. Tel: (08 h 00 - 15 h 30) 44-1191. Only urgent bookings can be made telegraphically or per telephone.

When booking, remember to state on which nights you require accommodation, at which camps you would like to stay (plus alternatives, if possible), the number in your patty (eg 3 adults, 1

child) and details of the accommodation you require. It is advisable to check tanfs at these are subfect to change without prior notice.
All AA offices will undertake to book on behalf of members.
No charge is made for this service but members are required to reimburse the AA for any telephone, telex or telergram charges incurred in making reservations on their behalf. No guarantee of Success in obtaining bookings can be given.
During the Apri1,july and August school holidays, visitors are not permitted to spend more than five nights in any one camp.
Deposits: Once a booking has been obtained, a deposit, calculated according to type of accommodation and length of stay, is payable.
Reservation vouchers issued in respect of bookings, must be produced on arrival at the park, at rest camps and when applying for refunds.
Payment: All payments must either be in cash, travellerls cheque or one of the following credit cards: Barclaycard, Standard Card, Volksltas Card, Diners Club or American Express.
Cancellations and booking alterations
If the notification of cancellation is received:
a) More than 30 days before the date on which the accommodation is required, a fee of 15% (minimum R5) will be deducted from the deposit
b) less than 30 days but more than 10 days before the date concerned, a fee of 25% (minimum R5) of the deposit will be deducted
c) less than 10 days before the date concerned, the total depositwill be forfeited.
A fee of R3 will be deducted from the deposit when a reservation is altered.

AA-KANTOOR, PATROLLIESTASIE EN NOODDIENS-SENTRUM _ SKUKUZA
Allerlei AA-dienste, met inbegrip van kaarte, reisinligting, padverslae, reishulpmiddels (bv eerstehulptoerusting, brandblussers e s m), hotelbespreltings (besprekings in die Wildtuin uitgesluit), derdeversekering, e s m is by die AA-ltantoor aan lede besltikbaar (verwys rm die Kampplan).
Diekantooris deagliks mm 08 h 00 - 12 h 00 en van 14 h 00 lot 1 7 h 30 00p. As die kanloor gesluit is, moet lede by die noaddiemsenlmm aanklop.
,n Gekwalifiseerde werktuigkundige en assistente onderneem getinge herstelwerlt by die nooddienssentrum. Vir grootsltaalse herstelwerk soos enjinopltnappings, ratkasherstelwerk, e s m, kan daar gereel word dat die motor na in motorhawe buite die Wildtuin gesleep word.
Onderdele, bande en batterye word by die sentrum aangehou en verltoop. Arbeidsltoste word gehef waar dit vir die werlttuigkundige nodig is om onderdele te monteer of herstelwerk uit te voer. Herstelwerlt aan binnebandlose en gewone bande en die was van motors word 00k onderneem. AA-lede wat geldige lidkaartjies toon, ltom vir 1n laer tariefsltaal vir die bogemelde dienste in aanmerking.
Die sentrum is Maandag lol V7ydag van 08 h 00 - 12h 00 en van 14 h 00 (winter) 11 14 h 30 (somer) 0017 lot die hamphekke sluit.
Hoewel die sentrum op Saterdae, Sondae en openbare vakansiedae gesluit is, is lnwerktuigkundige of patrollieman byderhand om nooddienste te lewer. Wanneer die sentrum toe ix, moet lede by die AA-hantoar om hul/I aanhlop.
AA-WERKWINKEL EN -PATROLLIESTASIE - LETABA
Hierdie werltwinkel funksio neer nes die AA-nooddienssentrum op Skultuza dog op ltleiner skaal. in Beperkte reeks AA-kaarte is beskikbaar. Wanneer die werkwinkel gesluit is, moet hulp by die AA-patrollieman op Satara verltry word.
AA-PATROLLIESTASIE BY SATARA
Die taak van AA-patrolliemanne by hierdie smsie is om motoriste wat langs die pad probleme met hulle motors ondewind, te help. Lede wat hulle lidkaartjies kan toon, se motors sal kosteloos deur die naaste beskikbare AA-patrollieman ingesleep word. Die herstel van lekbande, was van motors en die laai van batterye word ook onderneem. Indien hierdie stasie gesluit is, moet hulp by die patrolliestasie op Letaba verltry word.

Baodskeppe van lede wat teempoeddiem in die wildtuin nodig het, moet 772
die naaste AA-palrolliestasie gesluur word. 0772 hulplewering .taveel as
momztlih te bespaedig, moet lede hulleposisie in die wildtuin aandui dear die
belrokke padnommer, bv Saliljepad $30, soos op die meegaande keen
aangetaon, le meld Lede word aangeraai om hulle lzd/azarljies le alle lye byder-
haml te hou. Diegene wet nz'e hul lzdhaarhies lam loan hie, kan later am in terug-
betaling aansaelz doen deur valledige besonderhede aan hulle AA-kantaor le
verstreh

PAAIE

Die gruispaaie in die wildtuin word soms sinkplaat. Die teer-
paaie is duidelik op die kaart aangedui.

Paaie of dele daarvan wat na swaar reEns onrybaar is, word deur
middel van die padnommers by die hek van elke kamp aangedui.

REISURE

Besoekers moet sorg dal hulle die toegangsheltke voor sluilingslyd bereik.
Inatkommen sal van in oortreding van die wildtuinregulasies aangekla
word. H ulle moet oak genoeg tyd toelaat vir die rit van die loegzmgshek nu die
ruskamp voordat die' sluit.

3 LW Toegangshekke is tussen 13 h 00 en 13 h 30 gesluit.

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November tot en
met Desember 04 h 30 05 h 30

TOEGANGSGELD (AVB uitgesluit)

Per persoon: volwassenes R4,00; kinders (2 - 16 jaar) 111,50;
kinders onder 2 gratis.

Per voertuig: onder 1 500 kg: R4,00; 1 500 kg - 4 000 kg: 118,50;
4 000 kg - 7 000 kg: R12,00; b0 7 000 kg: R25,00. Woon- of
sleepwa: R3,00. Voertuie met in aslas van meer as 8 164 kg word
nie in die wildtuin toegelaat nie.

DAGBESOEKE .

'n Beperkte aantal mense word net vir in dag in die wildttInn
toegelaat. Permitte is egter noodsaaltlilt vir naweIlte en spits-
valtansietye. Besoekers moet voor 10 h 00 op d1e Itoepasltlte
datum arriveer. Rig die aansoelt lank voor die tyd aan die Raad en
meld die beoogde datum van besoek, toegangshelt en aantal
mense in die motor.

Tarief: soos hierbo.

jAARPERMIT . .

Diejaarpermit ltos 1140,00 en maak die houer, asook n maltst-
mum van 7 mense wat saam met hom in een voertuig reis, geregtig
op in onbeperkte aantal besoeke in in Ianar. besoekeIoor lang
naweke is egter uitgesluit. Die toegangsgeld vir n permnhoueris
50% van die normale tarief vir in voertuig en insmendes. D1e
permithouer moet identifikasie by hom dra.

BESPREKINGS EN NAVRAE I .

Huthuisvesting in ruskampe en kampeerplekke kan tot n Jaar
vooruit bespreelt word. in Streng beperkte aantal besoekers word
toegelaat om die wildtuin sonder bespreking binIne te gaan om
sodanige verblyfplelt wat as gevolg van laat opseggmgsIbeslukbaar
mag wees, op 16 neem. Besprekingsaansoelte moet gerig word aan
die Besprekingskantoor, Nasionale Parkeraad, PosbusI787, 2retor1a
0001. Tel: (08 h 00 - 15 h 30) 44-1191. Alleenlik drmgende
besprekings ltan telegrafies of telefonies gedoen word. .

Wanneer u bespreek, meld vir watter nagte u verblyf vcrlang, 1n
welke kampe u graag wil bly (plus alternatiewe, I1nd1en moontlik),
die aantal in u geselskap (bv 3 volwassenes, I kind) en besontIier-
hede van die huisvesting wat u verlang. Dit is raadsaam om die lanewe
na le gaan aangesien dit aan veranden'ng sander vooraf kmtnugewmg

onderhewig is. .
Alle AA-ltantore onderneem om besprekmgs namens lede te
doen. Hierdie diens is gratis, maar daar word van lede verwag om
die AA te vergoed vir enige telefoon-, teleks- oftelegramltoste wat 111
die loop van die besprekings namens hulle aangeIgaan word. DaarIts
geen waarborg dat verblyfwel verkry sal word me. GedurenIde the
April-, Julie- en Augusmsskoolvaltansie word besoelIters nIie toe-
gelaat om meer as vyf nagte in een kamp deur te bring me. .
Depositois: Sodra in besprelting toegestaanIis, moet in depostto,
bereken volgens die soort huisvesting en die duur van verblyf,
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Besprekingsbewyse ten aansien van besprelungs, moet by an-
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Betaling: Alle betalings moet Of in kontant, reisgeks, 01 met een
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OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATION TARIFFS (excls ’ -_I)_iII
Tariffs axe revised annually on1 lst April. .
WHITES: .-.
’Huts with separate ablution facilities(l - 2 persons) at(a) Baltil’
R1100 (b) Crocodile Bridge, Orpen, Punda Maria, ShingweIdIzi,
Letaba, Lower Sabie, Olifants, Pretoriuskop, Satara; Sltukuza: ’-
1116,00. . l
Huts with shower and toilet (I - 2 persons) at Punda Maria,
Shingwedzi, Letaba, Lower Sabie. Berg-en-Dal, Olifants; Pretorin’s-
kop, Satara, Skukuza: R22, 00.
Huts with bath and toilet for paraplegics (1 - 2 persons) at Skultuza: l
R2200. .
Family cottages with kitchenette (4 persons or fewer) at (a) Olifants; 1
_, proyidIe a bed - adults RJ,00,- childrenRI, 50; children under 2
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Shingwedzi, Skukuza: 1145,00. (b) Pretoriuskop: 1140,00.
Family cottages without kitchenette (4 persons or fewer) ft;
Pretoriusltop: 1133,00. II
Double family cottages with kitchenette (each 1,4 section. - ’
persons or fewer) at Olifants: 1126,00.
Hut with shower, toilet and kitchen at Shingwedzi and Fun
Malia: 1126,00
Hut with bath, toilet and kitchen at Berg-en-Dal and Punda Matiafij ’
R4 5, 00 i "
Guest cottages at Letaba, Lower Sabie, Olifants, Satara and
Skukuza. Tariffs vary according to size. Bookings up to 3 months-
in advance. ’
Luxury Caravan Homes on site at Pretoriuskop, (4 persons-or,
fewer) R40, 00.
THE FOLLOWING CAMPS MUST BE RESERVED EN BLOC:
Nwanedzi - 10 persons or fewer: RI20,00. Additional Iperson’sI: I
117,50. Maximum 15 persons.
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Malelane - 10 persons or fewer: I20, 00. Additional persons R7, 50. ’. ’
Maximum 19 persons.
Roodewal - 10 persons or fewer: 1218000. Additional personst’ -

117,50. Maximum 19 persons. :1
Jock of the Bushveld - 10 persons or fewer: R180, 00. Additionalix persons 117,50. Maximum 15 persons.
Caravan/Tent Sites (maximum 6 persons per site)
Per site at Satara R7,50
All other camps 114,00
Plus
Per person .... 121,00 each
Children under 2 .... ji’ee .
ADDITIONAL PERSONS: Huts at (a) Balule - adults R3, 00; children 112,00 (b) all other camps - adults 115,00; children under 16: R2,00 per bed per night. (If the park is unable to Ffir’ee)? "?_w .
REST CAMP FACILITIES-
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LAMP Beds taurant tore Office oil Diesel
Balule 15
Berg-en-Dal 200 Yes Yes Yes Yes
Crocodile 56 Yes 3 Telephone Yes
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Jock 011116
Bushveld 15
Letaba 27 7 Yes Yes Yes and AA work- Yes
shop and patrol
station
Lower Sabie 256 Yes Yes Yes Yes
Malelane l9 , Yes
Nwanedzi 15
Olifants 316 Yes Yes Yes Yes
Orpen 26 Yes 5’ Yes
Pretoriuskop 409 Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes
Punda Maria 56 Yes Yes Yes Yes
Roodewal 19
Satara 473 Yes Yes Yes and AA Yes
patrol station
Shingwedzi 261 Yes Yes Yes Yes
Skukuza 602 Yes Yes Yes Yes and AA Yes
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RESTAURANT TARIFFS
Tariffs are subject to change without prior notice.
Meals - Breakfast 113,50, lunch R5, 00, dinner R7, 50. Children under 10: half price. (On Sundays the main meal is served at midday). Take-away meals for servants can be arranged with the restaurant manager who charges per plate of food served.
DOMESTIC SERVANTS:
Accommodation in huts ot tents at all camps except Orpen and Crocodile Bridge. Beds and bedding can be hired at the ruling tariff.
BLACKS, COLOUREDS AND ASIANS:
Ordinary Hut (1 - 2 persons) at Lower Sabie: 1116,00.
Hut with shower and toilet (I - 2 persons) at Lower Sabie, Skukuza: R22, 00.
BABALALA
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These distances given are over the shortest practicable routes and are not necessarily lh
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Die afstandc wat hier vcrstrelt word is die oor die kortste praktiese roetes; nie noodwet
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c) minder as 10 dae voor die betrokke datum, sal die totale deposito verbeur word.

1n Bedrag van R3,00 sal van die deposito afgetrek word indien in bespreking verander word.

Bespreltings in rusltampe moet voordat die kamphekke op die eerste dag sluit, opgeneem word. So nie sal die bespreking gekanselleer en die deposito ten aansien van daardie kamp verbeur word.

HUISVESTING

Tariewe per nag is onderhewig aan verandering sender kennisgewing. Dit is dus raadsaam om dit ten tydevan die bespreking na te gaan.

Kothuise en rondawels het beddens, beddegoed, in koelkas, warm en koue water, handdoeke en seep. (iiMet kombuisie" betelten dat breelt- en messeware en kombuisgereedsltap ingesluitis). Rushutte het beddens, beddegoed, toilet, stortbad en wasbalt. Alle kampe, met die uitsondering van Balule, Nwanedzi en Orpen, is of van waaiers of lugverkoeling voorsien.

Vierkantige en rondaweltipe hutte wissel in grootte met van 2 tot 6 beddens (by die meeste van die kampe).

Huisvesling by Malelane-, Nwanedzi-, Jack of the Bushveld- en Roodewalruskamp ward net en bloc verhuur.

Verblyfltonsessies: Diejaarlikse ltonsessie, waardeur tariewe vir verblyf in Punda Maria en Shingwedzi met die helfte verminder word, geld van 15 Oktober tot net voor Paastyd of die eerste sltoolvakansie. Konsessies is nie op die toegangsbedrag van toepassing nie.

TARIEWE VIR OORNAGVERBLYF (AVB uitgesluit)

Tariewe word jaarliks op 1 April hersien.

BLANKES: Hutte met afsonderlike wasgeriewe (1 - 2 persone) by (a) Balule: 128,00. (b) Krokodilbrug, Orpen, Punda Maria, Shingwedzi, Letaba, Onder-Sabie, Olifants, Pretoriuskop, Satara, Skultuza: R1 6, 00.

Hutte met stonbad en toilet (I - 2 persone) by Punda Maria, Shingwedzi, Letaba, Onder-Sabie, Berg-en-Dal, Olifants, Pretorius- . kop, Satara, Skultuza: R2200.

Hutte met bad en toilet vir paraplee (1 - 2 persone) by Skukuza: R22, 00.

Gesinshuise met kombuisie (4 of minder persone) by (a) Olifants, Shingwedzi, SkultuzazR4 5, 00. (b) Pretoriuskosz40, 00.

Gesinshuise sonder kombuisie (4 of minder persone) by Pretotiuskop: R33,00.

Dubbele gesinshuise met kombuisie (elke helfte - 3 of minder persone) by Olifants: R26,00.

Hut met stortbad, toilet en kombuis by Shingwedzi en Punda Maria: 1126,00

Hut met bad, toilet en kombuis by Berg-en-Dal en Punda Maria: R 4 5, 00.

(, Gastehuise by Letaba, Onder-Sabie, Olifants, Satara en Skultuza. Tariewe wissel na gelang van grootte. Besprekings tot 3 maande vooruit.

- Luukse-woonwahuise op terrein by Pretoriuskop: (4 of minder persone) R40, 00.

’ DIE VOLGENDE KAMPE MOET EN BLOC
BESPREEK WORD:

Nwanedzi --10 of minder persone: R120, 00. Bykomende persone 117,50. Hoogstens 15 persone.

Malelane - 10 of minder persone: R120, 00. Bykomende 117,50.
Hoogstens 19 persone.
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Woonwa/tentstaanplekke (hoagxtens 6 persone per staanplek)
Per staanplek by Satara 117,50
Alle ander kampe R4, 00
PLUS
Per persoon R1,00
Kinders onder 2 .... gratis
BYKOMENDE PERSONE: Hutte by (a) Balule - volwassenes
113,00; kinders 112,00 (b) alle antler kampe-volwassenes 115,00,-
kinders ondet 16 112,00 per bed per nag. (Indien die wildtuin
nie in bed kan verskaf nie - volwassenes R3, 00; ltinders 111,50
kinders onder 2 gratis).
RUSKAMPGERIEWE
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. Onder-Sabie 256 la ja ja Ija
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Pretoriuskop 409 Ija ja ja Ila Ila
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RESTAURANTTARIEWE
TariIewe is onderhewig aan verandering sonder vooraf kennis-
gewmg.
Etes - Ontbyt R3, 50, middagete R5, 00, aandete R7, 50. Kinders
onder 10: halfprys. (Op Sondae word die hoofmaal in die middag
bedien). Wegneemetcs vir bediendes kan met die restaurant-
bestuurder geret'el word. in Bedrag word vir elke bord kos wat
bestel word gevra.
HUISBEDIENDES:
Daar is verblyf in hutte of tente in alle ltampe behalwe Orpen en
Krokodilbrug. Beddens en beddegoed is teen die heersende
tarief te huur.
SWARTES, KLEURLINGE EN ASIATE:
Gewone but (1 - 2 persone) by Onder-Sabie: 1116,00.
Hut met stortbad en toilet (I - 2 persone) by Onder-Sabie,
Skukuza: 1122,00.
Hut met stortbad, toilet en kombuisie (2 mense) by Letaba,
Satara, Skultuza: R26, 00. Kombuisgereedskap word nie verskaf
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Woonwa/tentstaanplekke by Onder-Sabie, Skukuza. 114,00 per
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, y regular intervals throughout the park. Some are more
1) , cate'ti than others. Most have toilet facilities, braais, tables
hairs while others sell colddtinks and tea and provide boiling
for those wishing to make their own. One of the many
spots is the Mooiplaas picnic site on the road between
aand Shingwedzi which has fully attended fires of mopane
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Monday toSaturday,
Ii,aland trails comprise parties of a maximum of 8 people who
e'accompanied into the bush by experienced rangers. Trails are
. . ver 3 nights and 2 days, include all equipment and food but
, lto,liquid refreshments and cost R100,00 per person. Information
S: obtainable from the Chief Director, National Parks Board,
P 0 Box 787, Pretoria 0001. Tel: 44-1191. Bookings must be
t 1Iegzured well in advance and a deposit lodged once the booking has
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f itiRentaJ Service: Operated by Avis from Skukuza and espe-
l . daily useful for visitors who fly to the park or coach-tour visitors
"N .Who wish to stay on a few extra days. Either book through the
central reservations office in Pretoria or directly through Avis.
X Motor-coach Tours: Offered by SA RTOI'RS for 3. 4 and 5 day
. .periods. Further details are available from SARTOURS. P O Box
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i V AFSTANDTABEL
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HOKWANE
BYKOMENDE PERSONE:
Hutte - volwassenes R5, 00; hinders onder 16 R2, 00 per bed per nag.
(Indien die wildtuin nie in bed kan versltaf nie- volwassenes 113,00; kinders R1, 50; hinders onder 2 gratis).
RUSKAMPGERIEWE
Aantal Res- Win- Pos- P trol n .
1 KAMP beddens taurant kel kantoor eoliee Diesel
Letaba 18 . Ila ja en AA-werk- Ila
winkel en
patrolliestasie
Onder-Sabie 22 ja ja
Punda Maria 6 ja Ja Ila Ja
Satara 12 Ja Ja jaen AA-patrol- Ija
liestasie
Shingwedzi 8 ja ja ja ja
Skukuza 25 la ja ja ja en AA-nood- ja
dienssentrum
REGULASIES
0 Die algemene spoedperk is 40 ltm/h op gruispaaie en 50 km/h op teerpaaie.
O Woonwaens word alleenlik op teerpaaie toegelaat.
O Boetes sal opgelE word aan toeriste wat diere molesteer, voer of skriktnaak.
O Benewens die streng regulasies betreffende die verwoesting van die voel- en dierelewe, mag geen plant beskadig word nie.
Motoriste sal swaar beboet word indien hulle uit hul motors klim, van die pad af ry of rommel langs die pad strooi.
Dit is in oortreding om uit in motor te ltlim, of enige deel van die liggaam dent in venster, deur of oop dak te steek
Hengel en bootry word nie toegelaat nie.
Troeteldiere is verbode in die wildtuin. Indien hulle daar aangetref word, sal hulle van kant gemaalt word.
Hoewel daar geen beperking is op vleis wat die wildtuin
, ingebring word nie, mag geen vars vleis uitgeneem word nie.
i Sigarette, pypas en vuurhoutjies moet behoorlilt doodgemaalt
l word en mag nie by die motorvenster uitgegooi word nie.
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0 Die gebruilt van vuurwapens is verbode. Besoekers met vuurwapens moet dit by die ingang na die wildtuin laat setil.
’ALGEMEEN
Klere: Bring informele draklere. Hoewel warm ltlere nie normaalweg in die somer nodig is nie, is 1n trui of baadjie tog soms handig. Warm klere is noodsaaltlilt vroeg soggens en saans in die winter, maar bring 00k ligte klere vir die middel van die dag. ,n Reisdelten sal oolt in die winter handig te pas kom. 1n Flitslig is noodsaaltlilt.
Kos en kookgeriewe: Vir diegene wat verkies om hulle eie has to maak, is daar oop vure (deur personeel beheer) en kombuise met stowe en opwasgeriewe. Kookwater is deurentyd besltikbaar. Eet- en kookgerei word egter hie verskaf nie.
Ander geriewe: Daar is voldoende bad-, stonbad- on toilet-
. geriewe in a1 die kampe. Wasmasjiene wat met munte gevoerword, is by Letaba, Satara en Skukuza besltiltbaar. Waar was- en strylt-
i’i i geriewe ontbreek, maar dringend benodig word, raadpleeg die Toeristebeampte.
Daar is swembaddens by Berg-en-Dal, Pretoriusltop en Shingwedzi.
Winkels: Die winkels in die wildtuin hou die meeste verbruiksware aan; onder meer blikkiesltos, brood, botter, eiers, gesteriliseerde melk, vars vleis en groente, asook breek- en messeware, kookgerei, films,-kuriositeite en gas. Alltoholiese drank is by die hooikampe (Krokodilbrug, Nwanedzi en Orpen uitgesluit) verltlygbaar. Die winkels is gedurende die volgende tye 00p, maar dit kan wissel:
meeste openbare
vakansiedae:
08h00-13h00 I5h30-18h30 l7h30-18h30
08h00-l3h00 15h00-18h00 l7h00-18h00
08h00-131100 161100-19h00 l8h00-19h00

Maandag tot Saterdag:
Maan. Sept.. Okt.
. April tot Aug
1 :Nov tot Feb
, 'Voorsorg teen malaria: Aangesien malaria endemies in die
' 1. Laeveld is, word besoekers gemaan om voorsorg daarteen te tref.
Pille teen malaria is sander voorsltrif by enige apteelt verkrygbaar.
4 1liusiileltlte: in Aantal rusplekke is met taamlilt gereelde tussen-
' pose oral in die wildtuin aangebring. Party is beter ingerig as
mder. Die meeste het toiletgeriewe, braaipleklte, tafels en stoele
terwyl koeldranke en tee by sommiges te koop is en kookwater
verskaf 'word vir diegene wat hul eie wil maak. Een van die talle
rusplekke is die Mooiplaaspiekniekplek op die pad tussen Letaba
en Shingwedzi waar vleisbtaaivure van mopanie- en loodhout
namens besoekers gemaalt word. Daar is ook strooidaltskuilings
met 111 uitsig oor die watergat in die TsenIderivier.
Pafuri: Toerislc word nie toegt-laat om 11a 13 h 00 11a Paliiri te ry
nie aangesien dit onmoontlik is om voor sluitingstyd na Punda
Malia terug te keer.
Wildemisvoetslaanpaaie: Die Boesman-, Wolhuter-, Olifants- en
4 Njalalandvoetslaanpad is bestem vir groepe van hoogstens 8 mense
' lwat deur ervaIe wildbewaarders die bosse in vergesel word. Dit
duur 3 nagte en 2 dae en sluit alle toerusting en voedsel maarIgeeIn
:. 1drinltgoed nie, in. Die koste is R100,00 per persoon. Inltgting IS
I verkrygbaar by die Hoofdirekteur, Nasionale Parkeraad, Posbus
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f gedoen word en in deposito is betaalbaar sodra die bespreking
t_bevestig is.
l1 Motorhuurdiens: Word deurAvis van Skukuza af gelewer en is
. lveral nuttig vir besoekers wat na die wildtuin vlieg of met in
i stoerbtis soontoe ry en in paar dae langer wil vertoef. Bespreek of
i idem die sentrale besprekingskantoor in Pretoria, of regstreeks
i ldeur Avis. ' .
l Mototbustoere: Word aangebied deur SASTOERE vn tydperke
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i JSASTOERE, Posbus 1111,johannesburg 2000. Tel: 713-5741.
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1'1 die AA geen veranl'wnardelikheM vir enige jbute of weglalmg: aanvaar
iiie. Lede walhmte gewaar qf verbeten'nge aan die hand wil doen, word
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