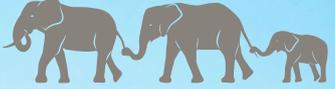




“THE EXPERIENCE WAS OUT OF THIS WORLD, HOW HUMBLING TO BE ABLE TO TOUCH AND INTERACT PERSONALLY WITH THESE HUGE, INTELLIGENT ELEPHANTS. THE HIGHLIGHT OF MY TRIP TO HLUHLUWE.”



# ELEPHANT

## Connections

NORTHERN ZULULAND

# Elephant Interactions

## BE TOUCHED BY GENTLE GIANTS

*An educational, touch and feed elephant experience – a truly unique & unforgettable experience for all ages.*

INTERACTIONS DAILY AT 11H00 – BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL



Meet the majestic Rambo and Rachel - habituated elephants who were rescued after their herd was culled. Experience the thrill and privilege of getting up close to these elephants and be educated about the plight of the mighty African Elephant.

One of our passionate and knowledgeable rangers will talk you through Rambo and Rachel's history and provide you with interesting facts about elephants. You will be given opportunity to feed Rambo and Rachel as well as touch Rambos ears, behind his tusks, between his legs and even get to feel his tongue! This experience, described as "Life Changing" is sure to delight visitors.

When the elephants are not greeting visitors, they are roaming freely within the Manyoni Game Reserve with their keepers by their side.



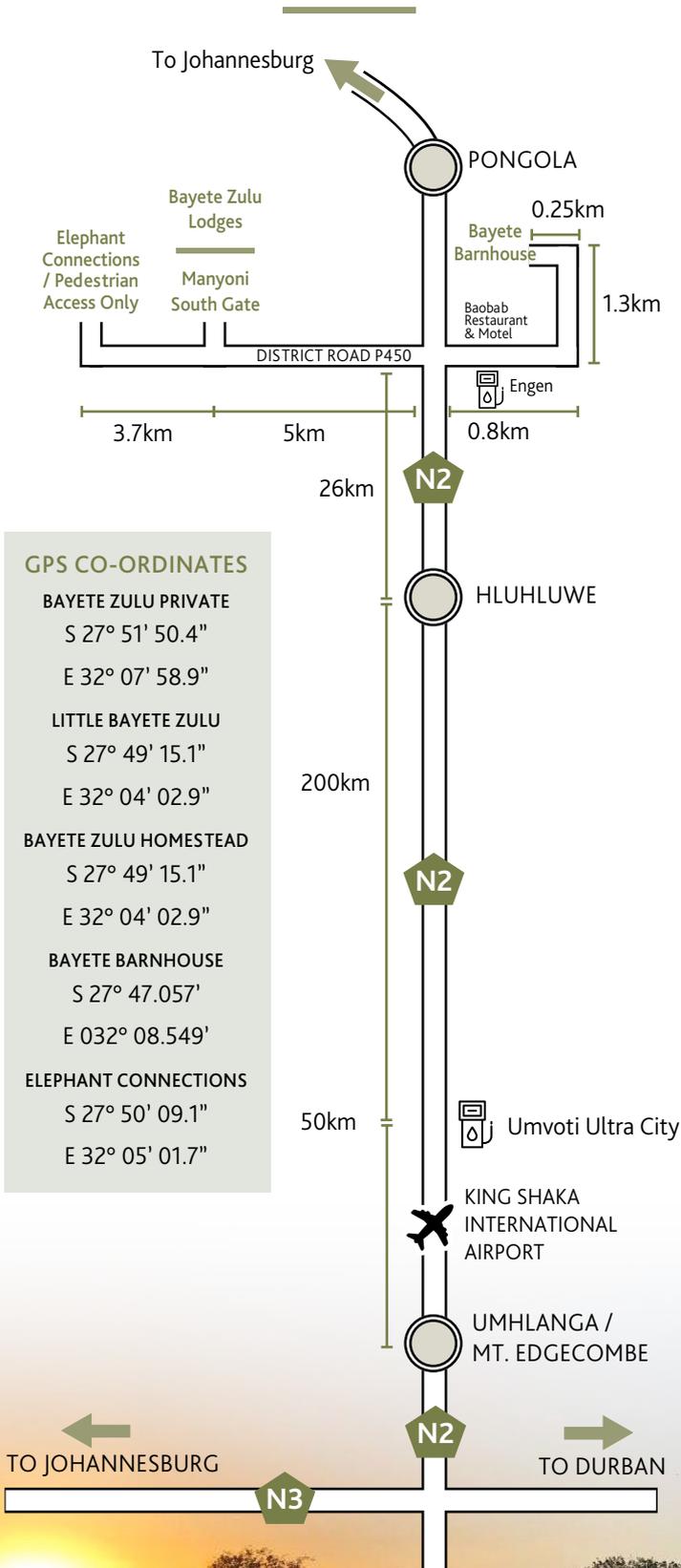
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ELEPHANT INTERACTION  
**RATES**  
ADULTS: R670 per person  
CHILDREN: R350 per child (3-12 yrs) Children under 3 are FREE  
Rates include VAT

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# Bayete Zulu

## LODGES



## DIRECTIONS

The turn off to Bayete Zulu Lodges is only 276 kilometers (171 miles) north of the Umhlanga / Mt Edgecombe / Gateway off ramp. The roads are in excellent condition and the journey time, dependent on the driver, is between 2½ and 3 hours, including a fuel and refreshment stop.

It is recommended that you take a fuel and refreshment stop approximately 50 kilometres (31 miles) from Umhlanga at Mvoti Ultra City. You do not need a 4x4 vehicle for the journey. The P450 district road is in reasonably good condition. In the unlikely event of heavy rain fall and the road being difficult to travel on, please call the Lodge and a representative will give you an alternate route to follow.

### FROM DURBAN

- Take the N2 from Durban heading north past Richards Bay.
- Once you pass Hluhluwe travel for 26km (16.1 miles).
- You will arrive at the Engen Station and Baobab Restaurant & Motel on your right.
- Turn left onto District Road P450.
- **BAYETE ZULU PRIVATE, BAYETE ZULU HOMESTEAD & LITTLE BAYETE ZULU** entrance gate is 5km (3.1 miles) from the N2.
- **ELEPHANT CONNECTIONS / Pedestrian Access Only**, entrance gate is 8.7km (5.4 miles) from the N2.
- **BAYETE BARNYARD** is ±10 min from The Manyoni Reserve. Turn right onto District Road P450. Drive past Baobab Service Station, take the first left, and then left again to the entrance gates. **Please call Shona on 074 100 5221 when you drive past Hluhluwe so a ranger can meet you at the gate on arrival.**

### FROM JOHANNESBURG

- Follow the N3 road to Durban, KwaZulu-Natal.
- Turn left onto the N2 and then follow the directions above.
- An alternate route can be followed heading towards Pongola then down to Mkuze until you reach the Baobab Inn Service Station then follow the directions above.



# The Finer Details

## BAYETE ZULU LODGES

### RATES ARE QUOTED

- Inclusive of VAT @ 15%
- In South African Rands
- Subject to availability

### RESERVATIONS

- Are subject to availability and final confirmation from Bayete Zulu Lodges reservations office.
- All reservations are subject to the company Booking Terms & Conditions listed below.
- All bookings must be made by in writing by e-mail.
- Any booking must be confirmed in writing by Bayete Zulu Lodge reservations office to be effective.
- Any amendment and any cancellation/ modification of a reservation must be confirmed in writing by Bayete Zulu Lodges reservations office to be effective.

### INCLUSIONS & EXCLUSIONS

Are listed on each individual accommodation page.

### TARIFF CHANGES

All tariffs quoted are subject to change, without prior notice, however rates quoted for confirmed bookings will be honoured.

### PAYMENTS & CANCELLATIONS

#### DEPOSIT & PAYMENT POLICY:

Once a booking has been confirmed to us, we will require the following:

- A non-refundable deposit payment of 25% of the total amount, within 14 days.
- Full and final payment of 75% due (4) four weeks prior to travel.
- Cancellations of confirmed reservations are subject to cancellation fees as per our Terms & Conditions listed herein.
- All reservations must be guaranteed by a valid credit card or EFT payment of deposit.
- By confirming your booking with a deposit payment you are also accepting our terms and conditions as well as our cancellation policy.

#### CANCELLATION POLICY:

Cancellations on confirmed reservations are subject to cancellation fees as stipulated.

- Cancellation fees are levied when guests cancel confirmed reservations. The costs of the cancellation fees will escalate the closer the guest/s cancels to their confirmed departure date.

- Should a cancellation be made more than 8 weeks prior to departure, the non-refundable deposit of 25% is forfeited.
- Should a cancellation be made between 4 & 8 weeks prior to departure – 50% cancellation fees apply.
- Should a guest cancel less than 4 weeks or 31 days prior to departure – 100% cancellation fees apply.
- Where a set number of guests make a booking and then fewer guests arrive, they need to pay for the original number of guests booked. Our cancellation policy will apply in such an instance.

### CHILD POLICY

- Children of all ages are welcome
- Children under 3 years – stay free of charge
- Children 3 – 12 years – pay 50% of adult rate

**BAYETE PRIVATE** – If the Lodge is not booked exclusively, families with children under 12 must book a private vehicle. All children are welcome on game drives, but it will be under the guides discretion regarding sensitivity of sightings and guest safety. The private vehicle cost is R 2 700 per day.

**ROOMS FOR FAMILIES** - Maximum 2 adults and 1 child on a single bed or 1 cot. Parents with children older than 12 would need to split into 2 rooms.

### ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE

Check In is at 14h00. Check Out is at 10h00.

### WATER

Tap water is pumped from a borehole which is safe to drink. We also provide Reverse Osmosis water in a 25 litre container. However, you may wish to bring your own bottled water (preferably in glass).

### WHAT TO BRING

- Sun hat, sunglasses and sunblock
- Cameras (with plenty memory cards and a charger) and binoculars
- Light, neutral coloured comfortable clothing. Layered clothing advisable for game drives
- Bathing suit
- Warm jersey or fleece
- Wind breaker
- Warm jacket and scarf, gloves and beanie for the cold winter months (May - Sep)

- Light rain gear for summer months
- Insect repellent

SELF CATERING GUESTS: Remember to pack snacks and drinks for game drives!

### LAUNDRY

Laundry available at an additional cost.

### GAME DRIVES

#### GAME DRIVE ETIQUETTE

- No standing on the game vehicle
- Mobile phones only to be used for photos
- No smoking during the drive

#### GAME DRIVES & RAIN

We do have a wet route to travel on during wet weather, but during and after a heavy downfall the roads will be closed to all game drives to protect the reserve.

#### GAME DRIVES AT HOMESTEAD & BARNHOUSE

Please note that we can accommodate a maximum of 10 per game vehicle.

### ACCESSIBILITY

Closest Airport : King Shaka International Airport (Durban) – ±2.5 to 3 hours (276km)

Flights into King Shaka : Emirates, Qatar, BA, SAA, Airlink

### DISTANCES

Bayete Zulu is a 2.5- to 3-hour drive from King Shaka International Airport – Durban.

### DIRECTIONS TO LODGE

#### VIEW DIRECTIONS

### MANAGERS

RESERVATIONS:	Chantelle Lee
GENERAL MANAGER:	Craig Lee
BAYETE ZULU PRIVATE:	Louise & Tristan Isaacs-Roome
LITTLE BAYETE ZULU:	Shona Lawson
BAYETE ZULU HOMESTEAD:	Shona Lawson

For further information or assistance please contact the relevant Lodge

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