



Where is it?

Lukimbi Safari Lodge is situated within the Kruger National Park on the Lwakahle River. The closest gate to the Lodge is Malelane. The drive from the Malelane gate to Lukimbi is 27.5 kilometers and takes approximately 45 minutes.

The concession is one of the biggest in the southern section of the Park and is over 15 000 hectares (37 100 Acres). This is for our exclusive use and no other vehicles are permitted to drive here. We do not drive on the public roads in the Kruger unless there are unusual game sightings in the vicinity.

Facilities

There are 14 Classic suites, each with very special bathrooms, private lounge and deck.

We have 2 ultra luxury Premier suites with private swimming pools, a dining area and two bathrooms.

There are telephones and laptop connections in each suite, as well as hairdryers, minibars and tea and coffee facilities.

One of the suites is wheelchair friendly.

Children from the age of 2+ are welcome at the lodge. Please see attachments on children's programme and family vehicle/private vehicles.

A fully equipped conference room is available, seating up to 32 guests.

There is a beautiful chapel seating 32 people, or guests can choose to get married at the Big Tree in the bush.

Other facilities include a well-equipped gym, spa and a swimming pool.

There is a well stocked bar, wine cellar and boma.

Our curio shop provides a variety of interesting goods and will be well worth a leisurely visit.

Game

Being in the Kruger National Park, the game viewing is excellent. Lukimbi is particularly lucky to be home to both white and black rhino, as well as the rest of the Big Five and a wide variety of general game.

Safaris (Game Drives)

Game drives are in open vehicles with an experienced rangers and trackers.

There are 2 game drives daily lasting about three hours each. Limited off-road driving is permitted, offering exceptionally close viewing.

Private vehicles are available to guests subject to availability. Rates for these are on request. Private vehicles must be booked for families with children 8 years and under.

Bush Walks

Walks are available after breakfast for guests staying a minimum of 2 nights and is approximately 1 hour long. Minimum 16 years of age.



Arrival & Departure Times

Check-in is from 13h00–15h00, with lunch served from 14h00–15h30.

Sufficient time must be allowed for the transfer operator to get into and back out of the Park before gate closing times. PLEASE DO NOT BOOK GUESTS ON THE 16H15 FLIGHT.

Departures are after morning game drive & breakfast ±10h30. Guests on the 11h35 flight to Livingstone will miss their morning game drive on day of departure. PLEASE DO NOT BOOK GUESTS ON A FLIGHT EARLIER THAN 10H00 BECAUSE OF GATE OPENING TIMES.

Clothing & Accessories

- Clothing should be casual and lightweight. Neutral, dull colours are recommended. Try to avoid bright colours and bright white.
- Comfortable, closed walking shoes are recommended.
- A warm jersey or jacket in the winter months.
- A hat, sunglasses, sunscreen lotion and insect repellent.
- Camera, Binoculars
- Swimsuit
- Anti-malaria tablets should be taken prior to departure – please consult your medical doctor.

Weddings

Wedding rates are available from the reservations office. The entire lodge must be reserved for a minimum of 2 nights for all weddings over 8 guests. Weddings can be held in the private chapel or at the Big Tree.

Children's programme

There is a safari playroom and an outdoor play area for children. They are not supervised.

Safari beds and cots are available on request.

Children's activities are offered while adults are on walk, and activities are dependent on the ages of the children in camp and include: casting tracks, arts and crafts, treasure hunts, and interactive sessions with rangers.

Golf

Arrangements can be made for guests to play golf at Leopard Creek. Contact reservations for current rate per round of 18-holes, which excludes transfers and club hire.

Reservations must be made through our office and Leopard Creek reserves the right to confirm or cancel. Not available over weekends, public holidays or peak holiday periods, and closed on Tuesdays.

How to get there

- Lukimbi can be reached by road. It is 440 km from Johannesburg on the N4.
- Guests can fly to KMIA/Nelspruit or Skukuza airports and transfers can be arranged from there.
- Charters can fly into Malelane airstrip and transfers can be arranged to the lodge.