

Garden Route Safari Lodges



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WELCOME TO THE BEST GARDEN ROUTE SAFARI LODGES Experience the Thrill of the Big Five in the Heart of South Africa's Garden Route Embark on a once-in-a-lifetime adventure with the Garden Route Safari Lodges. Nestled in the beautiful Western Cape of South Africa, these exclusive lodges offer you the perfect blend of luxury, wildlife, and breathtaking scenery. Whether you're seeking intimate bush experiences, family-friendly accommodation, or romantic getaways, our lodges cater to every need.

WHY BOOK YOUR SAFARI STAY WITH US? The Garden Route is renowned for its diverse landscapes, from coastal beauty to rugged wilderness, and each safari lodge offers something unique. Here's why you should choose one of our lodges for your next safari:

1. Exclusive Wildlife Encounters: Discover the thrill of encountering the Big Five- elephants, lions, leopards, rhinos, and buffaloes- on guided safari drives, bush walks, and night safaris.
2. luxury Accommodation in Nature: From elegant suites to luxury tents and treehouses, our lodges provide accommodations that blend comfort with stunning views, ensuring you experience the best of both worlds.
3. Malaria-Free Zones: All our lodges are situated in malaria-free areas, making it the perfect choice for a safe and worry-free safari adventure.
4. World-Class Facilities: Relax in luxurious spa treatments, fine dining, private plunge pools, and a range of family-friendly activities. Whether you're here for adventure or relaxation, we ensure an unforgettable stay.
5. Eco-Friendly and Sustainable: Many of

our lodges are committed to conservation and sustainability, ensuring that your visit contributes to the protection of wildlife and local ecosystems.

GARDEN ROUTE GAME LODGE Experience the Big Five in Style in Mossel Bay Situated in the heart of the Garden Route, the Garden Route Game Lodge offers luxurious safari accommodation and unforgettable game drives. With expert guides, spacious rooms, and a range of activities, this lodge is ideal for wildlife enthusiasts and families alike.

Explore Garden Route Game Lodge

Botlierskop Bush Villas Luxurious Bush Villas near Mossel Bay The Botlierskop Bush Villas is nestled in the serene and secluded northern reaches of the Botlierskop Private Game Reserve. Accessible via the Great Brak River, our stunning self-catering bush villas is a hidden gem.

Rejuvenate at Botlierskop Bush Villas

Botlierskop luxury Tented Lodge Malaria-Free Luxury Safari on the Garden Route Botlierskop Luxury Tented lodge was the very first tented lodge established on the Garden Route of South Africa. This incredible safari lodge is in an idyllic setting, perfect for a romantic getaway.

Botlierskop Village Lodge Secluded Countryside Retreat Perfect for Families Nestled on the northern expanse of the malaria-free Botlierskop Game Reserve, our Village Lodge is ideal for small families or groups of friends.

Garden Route Safari Camp Family Fun in the African Bush Garden Route Safari Camp is located within the heart of the Garden Route with breathtaking views of the surrounding hills of the Outeniqua Mountain Range.

Gondwana Kwena Lodge Nomadic-Inspired Luxury Safari Huts Inspired by the San People, Gondwana Kwena Lodge provides an immersive wildlife experience. This unique safari lodge offers guests a distinctive and culturally immersive experience.

Gondwana Kwena Villas Luxurious Bush Villa near Mossel Bay Kwena Villas are ideal for family gatherings or small groups of friends. The ultimate luxury safari experience located on the Garden Route of South Africa.

Gondwana Lehele Villas Remote Luxury Bush Safari Villas Lehele Family Villas offer all the comforts of home, ideal for families and groups of friends in a Big Five Safari environment.

Gondwana Ulubisi House Ultimate Private Bush Villa Experience. Gondwana Ulubisi House is a private villa with your own Field Guide, Chef and Butler. Breathtakingly stylish and refreshingly simple, Ulubisi House provides the perfect setting for your ultimate

luxury safari experience. Buffelsdrift Game Lodge Explore Africa's Untamed Beauty in Oudtshoorn Buffelsdrift Game Lodge offers a range of luxury tented suites and an unforgettable safari experience. Enjoy guided game drives, animal interactions, and tranquil accommodation amid the breathtaking Karoo landscape. Hartenbos Private Game Lodge Exclusive Safari Retreat in Mossel Bay Located near Mossel Bay, Hartenbos Private Game Lodge invites you to enjoy a secluded safari experience with unparalleled views of the surrounding wilderness. Ideal for couples, families, and small groups. Melozhori Lodge Malaria-Free Safari Adventure in the Garden Route Melozhori Lodge provides an exclusive, intimate experience with game drives and wildlife encounters in a peaceful setting. Perfect for those looking for a private retreat in a malaria-free zone. Melozhori Pods Luxurious Eco Pods only two hours from Cape Town Melozhori Pods offers you an exquisite and unique natural wilderness experience with luxurious and secluded accommodation to relax, breathe, and feel rejuvenated. Melozhori Tree House Secluded Luxury in the Bush Melozhori Tree House is undoubtedly one of the most thrilling game viewing experiences in the Garden Route. One of the best safari venues for stargazing in the Western Cape. Sanbona Gondwana Family Lodge Luxury in the Heart of the Klein Karoo Sanbona offers luxury safari accommodation in the beautiful Klein Karoo, where you can enjoy game drives, wildlife photography, and peaceful relaxation. A must visit for nature lovers and photographers. Sanbona Tilney Manor Hearty Safari Cuisine in the Klein Karoo At Sanbona Tilney Manor you will find breathtaking views of the undulating mountains and landscape. Tilney Manor is home to authentic Karoo cuisine, luxurious lounges and rim-flow pools. Sanbona Owyka Lodge Luxury Tented Safari in the Klein Karoo Opulent and romantic, Sanbona Owyka Lodge is the ideal luxury safari getaway for couples. Guests can enjoy their own romantic, private plunge pool at this magnificent, tented safari lodge. Mont Eco Lodge Sustainable Safari Living in Nature Located within a pristine nature reserve, Mont Eco lodge combines luxury with sustainability. Guests enjoy spacious suites, game drives, and the opportunity to immerse themselves in nature while supporting local conservation efforts. Wildehondekloof Private Game Reserve Exclusive Wilderness Retreat located off the beaten track, Wildehondekloof

offers an intimate safari experience, with a focus on conservation and luxury. A private paradise ideal for those seeking tranquillity and an authentic wildlife experience.

ABOUT THE GARDEN ROUTE

Traditionally not such a big name in safari lodge accommodation, the Garden Route's popularity with tourists has led to large tracts of farmland being reclaimed and allowed to return to its natural state. Wild animals are being reintroduced to these private safari lodges, offering guests a glimpse of the South African wildlife experience. The beautiful Garden Route coastline is also home to many national parks, so it is no surprise to learn that the Garden Route is one of the most important conservation areas in the country in terms of biodiversity and that its sheer beauty attracts a major number of international tourists. The climate in the Garden Route is mild and rainfall is scattered throughout the year. However, the summer (November to February) can get very hot, and the winter months (June to August) can be very wet and cold. The Garden Route is a vast area stretching from Witsand in the West to Nature's Valley in the East. The magnificent Garden Route is a chain of bays, beaches, cliffs, and rocky capes along the pounding white surf of the Indian Ocean. It is by far the most scenic safari lodge destination in South Africa and is less than 4-hour drive from Cape Town - one of the most beautiful cities in the world. The Peak Season for Garden Route Safari Lodges runs in the summer months between 1 October and 30 April of each year. The safari lodges and game reserves on the Garden Route are often fully booked months in advance, so the earlier you book and confirm your safari, the more likely you are to get the safari lodge of your choice. May to September is widely regarded as the off-season in South Africa and as a result, the safari lodges are less expensive during this time of the year.

Book Your Safari Getaway Today

Whether you're looking for a family safari, a romantic retreat, or an adventure in the wild, the Garden Route Safari Lodges offer the perfect destination. With expert guides, luxury accommodations, and unforgettable wildlife experiences, we ensure your safari will be a memory you'll cherish forever.

What to Pack for your Safari in the Garden Route Safari Lodges:

Going on a safari holiday in South Africa is the highlight for many a visitor to our beautiful country. Below is a list of some safari holiday essentials.

What to Wear on Safari in South Africa:

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Sunglasses - safari during the summer months can be hot and sticky. Comfortable Clothing (think layering as early morning safaris can be freezing at first and once the sun is out can get hot). Similarly, the afternoon & evening game drives can be pleasant at first and after the sun sets can get very cold fast. Neutral shades to blend into your environment. Sturdy footwear - especially if your safari lodge also offer walking safaris. Long Trousers - for the cold and the insects. What to Pack for your Safari in South Africa: Camera to capture the highlights of your South African safari holiday. Sunblock - summers can be harsh in South Africa. Binoculars - although the lodge will have a pair or two in your 4x4 safari vehicle. Prescription Medication - Although medical evacuation is possible, you are hours away from any doctors or hospitals, so make sure to stock up. Day Bag / Carry Bag for water, camera, jacket, etc.

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