

# NGALA SAFARI LODGE

## UNIQUE SELLING POINTS

- First **private game reserve** to be incorporated into the two million hectare world famous **Kruger National Park**
- Dazzling and prolific array of **spectacular wildlife** • Huge breeding herds of elephant and **high concentrations of lion**
- Vast terrain – enables wide-ranging rare African wild dog to thrive • **Timbavati River** habitat offers excellent game viewing
- Phenomenal **leopard sightings** • Elusive **nocturnal animals** (African wild cat and serval) • Lodge echoes the elegance and romance of a bygone Africa • Luxurious **Safari Suite** with private ranger and 4x4 safari vehicle • **Swimming pool** and sundeck overlooking a dry drainage line – often frequented by elephant • Unique **lanternlit courtyard**, boma and Safari Shop • Offers unique activities for **children**
- Specialist Safaris: [Leopards@Ngala](mailto:Leopards@Ngala), [Tracking@Ngala](mailto:Tracking@Ngala)
- Member of **Small Luxury Hotels Of The World**

## LOCATION

Ngala Safari Lodge is situated in Ngala Private Game Reserve on 14 700 hectares/36 500 acres of exclusive game-rich Kruger National Park, Northern Province, South Africa.

## ACCESS

Federal Air operates a daily flight from Johannesburg International Airport to Ngala airstrip, which is a 5-minute drive from Ngala Safari Lodge and a 45-minute drive from Ngala Tented Camp and Ngala Walking Safaris. Daily SA Express scheduled flights from Johannesburg and Cape Town International Airports to Eastgate Airport. The transfer from Eastgate Airport is by road and takes one hour. Ngala is accessible for guests by two-wheel drive vehicle. Driving time from Johannesburg is 5 hours on excellent roads.

## GUEST ACCOMMODATION

20 air conditioned cottages with ensuite bathrooms, with shower, twin hand basins, w.c., bath, and intimate veranda. One luxurious Safari Suite with ensuite bathroom, separate sitting room, outdoor shower, large deck/veranda, swimming pool and private safari vehicle.

## GUEST AREAS

Secluded in leafy woodlands, Ngala's guest areas include a spacious thatched sitting, bar and dining area with impressive open fireplaces, shaded swimming pool and sundecks overlooking a busy waterhole. Dinner is served either in the traditional African boma (reeded enclosure) or in the romantic lantern-lit courtyard. The lodge has a well-stocked Safari Shop.

## SAFARIS

Twice-daily game drives in open safari vehicles and nature walks on the reserve are included in the rate. The excellent game viewing experience is complemented by other activities such as stargazing, birdwatching and moonlit riverbed dinners and bush sundowners (weather permitting). Specialist Safaris: [Leopards@Ngala](mailto:Leopards@Ngala), [Tracking@Ngala](mailto:Tracking@Ngala) (additional cost).

## NGALA SAFARI LODGE

Number of Rooms	21
Maximum Guests	42
Children	Yes
Triples	2 (children 11 yrs & younger)
Double Bed	8 rooms
Twin Beds	13 rooms
Air-conditioning	Yes
Room Fans	Yes
Lodge Pool	Yes
Bath	Yes
Indoor Showers	Yes
Outdoor Showers	No (Yes Safari Suite)
Separate w.c	No (Yes Safari Suite)
In Room Safe	Yes
Personal Bars	No (Yes Safari Suite)
Telephone	Yes
Hairdryers	Yes
Laundry Included	Yes
Suitable for disabled guests	Yes, with assistance
Distance between Rooms	20m/66ft
Check In	12h00
Check Out	11h00
Airstrip	Yes
Kosher Food	Prior notice, extra cost
Power	220v AC
Internet Access	Yes
Private 4x4 safari vehicle	If available, extra cost
Boma	Yes
Childminding	Yes
Credit Cards	Visa, Diners, Amex, MasterCard
In-Room Massage	Yes

**Weather:** Hot, wet (568mm/22") summers, cool to dry winters.

**Rainfall:** September to April late afternoon & evening thundershowers.

**Temperature:** Summer: 18° to 36°C/64° to 96°F. Winter: 2° to 16°C/ 36° to 61°F

**Best time to travel:** Game viewing excellent year round

**Altitude:** 418m/1372ft above sea level

**Malaria:** Ngala is in a malaria area and necessary precautions should be taken.

**Children:** Children are welcome: Regretfully children 5 and younger cannot participate in the regular game drives and children under the age of 12 cannot participate in bush walks. Child minders can be booked at an additional cost. Children aged 6 to 11 years are accommodated on game-drives at the lodge Manager's discretion. An extra bed can be arranged for a child 11 and younger sharing its parent's cottage. No more than 2 triples in camp at any time.

**Park Fees:** R100 per person per stay conservation fee and R85 per car entry fee (for self-drive guests); both payable at the lodge.

**Airstrip:** Ngala airstrip is not registered. Coordinates are: S24.23.16' and E31.19.54'.

**Ratio of guests to staff:** 1 to 3

**Lodge closure:** Open year round