



CLASSIC PORTFOLIO

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TRIP IDEA

WILDERNESS & WILD COAST

South Africa
All Year

QUICK OVERVIEW

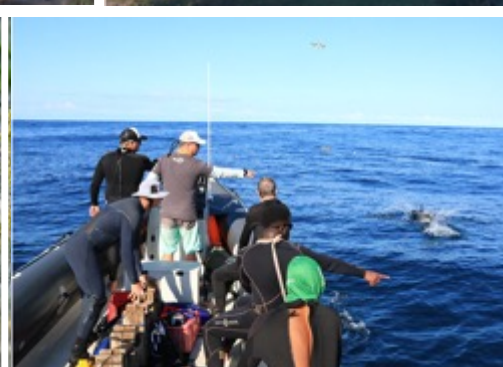
6 NIGHTS
STARTS: PORT ELIZABETH
ENDS: EAST LONDON

LODGES

KWANDWE PRIVATE GAME RESERVE X 3
GWEGWE BEACH LODGE X 3

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Embark on an extraordinary land and marine safari, spanning two destinations teeming with remarkable biodiversity and awe-inspiring scenery. A brief 45-minute charter flight connects these contrasting worlds: from thrilling big cat sightings, encounters with rhinos and elephants at Kwandwe, to the enchanting marine wonders, including whales and vibrant sea life, as well as the inviting warmth of the ocean for a refreshing swim at GweGwe. This is a one-of-a-kind experience, unrivaled in the African safari landscape.

Tailored for families with young children (all ages welcome, with a suggested minimum age of 8 years), this safari is also perfect for small group trips seeking immersive conservation-based experiences. Malaria-free and available throughout the year, it offers a seamless exploration of diverse ecosystems.

Kwandwe and Natural Selection, both boasting over 50 years of experience, lead the way as trusted tourism operators, ensuring an unforgettable and responsibly guided safari adventure.

ACCESS INFORMATION

DAY 1 TRAVEL

FLY: Depart CPT: Cape Town on **FLYSAFAIR** 12:35
Arrive PLZ: Gqeberha (Port Elizabeth) Airport 13:55
Airport meet and greet.

DRIVE 2hr road transfer to Kwandwe Private Game Reserve

OPTION *Instead of the road transfer from PLZ, the upgrade option is a scenic 30-minute helicopter transfer directly to Kwandwe.*

STAY 3 NIGHTS

KWANDWE PRIVATE GAME RESERVE

One of South Africa's largest privately-owned reserves where you are assured of the lowest vehicle density and exceptional wildlife sightings. This private 22,000ha wilderness reserve is home to the big 5 and is a leading conservation model, committed to biodiversity conservation and the protection of key stone species: black & white rhino and cheetah.

EXPERIENCES

This is an area of exceptional biodiversity and wildlife viewing with twice daily or whole day game drives and off-roading for key sightings. Night drives are available with no restrictions and walking safaris for guests 12+ years. Kwandwe also offers numerous conservation participation experiences and surprise guest delights.

STAY

For the combination with GweGwe we recommend Ecce Lodge (6 stunning suites with private pools) for couples or small families, and Melton Manor (exclusive villa) for small groups or larger families.

DAY 4 TRAVEL

FLY Private charter flight from Kwandwe private airstrip with **EAST LONDON AIR SERVICES** (Cesna 210 or a King Air).
Luggage restrictions 20kg per person
Cessna (1-4 guests) flying time: 1 hours 30 minutes
Beechcraft King Air (5-8 guests) flying time: 45 minutes
Land at Mkambati airstrip followed by a short transfer.

STAY 3 NIGHTS

GWEGWE BEACH LODGE

Situated within the Mkambati Nature Reserve on the rugged and picturesque Wild Coast, along the Indian Ocean, GweGwe introduces visitors to a unique destination. This reserve is a haven for diverse plant and animal species, hosting several endemics amidst its varied landscapes, encompassing coastal cliffs, beaches, rolling grasslands, and forests. GweGwe stands as an exciting new travel destination, providing visitors with the chance to explore a remote section of South Africa in collaboration with the trusted tourism company, Natural Selection.

EXPERIENCES

Jump on a MT bicycle and hit the cycling trails (eBikes are also available) head out on a hiking trail or enjoy a guided 4x4 nature drive. Kayak, canoe or SUP on sea, lagoon or river. Enjoy a marine or botany walk, shore-based whale watching (Jun, Jul & Oct), snorkel with the incredible marine life, watch the sardine run (mid-June to mid-July), from the shore, by boat or with scuba. Visit one of the largest remaining colonies of Cape Vultures in the Eastern Cape. Engage with the Pondo locals, from the warmth of the people to the richness of the culture, Mkambati isn't just a destination—it's a heartfelt embrace from the local community.

STAY

The lodge offers 9 en-suite rooms (7 twin deluxe suites, 2 family suites). Each with double vanity, bathtub, indoor and outdoor showers, fireplace, lounge area, small garden, private deck and pool with ocean views.

DAY 7 TRAVEL

FLY Private charter flight from Mkambati airstrip with **EAST LONDON AIR SERVICES** (Cessna 210 or a King Air).
Land at East London airport and connect with numerous onward flights.

OPTION

Fly to Virginia Airstrip or King Shaka Airport. Flight surcharge applies due to extra distance. Enquire with res team



2024 PACKAGE COSTS

1 MAY – 15 JUNE
11 JULY – 30 SEPTEMBER

16 JUNE – 10 JULY
SARDINE RUN

1 OCTOBER – 6 JANUARY'25

THIS IS A RECOMMENDED SELLING PRICE (RSP) - These package rates are not published or online

COUPLE	RSP	ZAR 202 500	ZAR 229 900	ZAR 274 450
2 adults	Per Person	ZAR 101 250 US\$ 5 350	ZAR 114 950 US\$ 6 050	ZAR 137 225 US\$ 7 200
FAMILY OF 4	RSP	ZAR 294 150	ZAR 335 250	ZAR 400 800
2 adults, 2 kids <16 yrs.	Per Person	ZAR 73 538 US\$ 3 850	ZAR 83 812 US\$ 4 400	ZAR 100 200 US\$ 5 250
SMALL GROUP	RSP	ZAR 360 500	ZAR 415 300	ZAR 509 150
4 adults	Per Person	ZAR 90 125 US\$ 4 750	ZAR 103 825 US\$ 5 450	ZAR 127 288 US\$ 6 700
SMALL GROUP	RSP	ZAR 545 400	ZAR 627 600	ZAR 739 750
6 adults	Per Person	ZAR 90 900 US\$ 4 800	ZAR 104 600 US\$ 5 500	ZAR 123 292 US\$ 6 500
SMALL GROUP	RSP	ZAR 673 750	ZAR 783 400	ZAR 932 050
8 adults	Per Person	ZAR 84 219 US\$ 4 450	ZAR 97 925 US\$ 5 150	ZAR 116 506 US\$ 6 150

PLEASE NOTE: These ZAR & US\$ rates are an indication and can only be confirmed at enquiry stage due to flight cost and XE fluctuations.

The total package costs include:

- 3 nights at Kwandwe
Based on a suite at Ecce (for a couple for family of 4) or Melton Manor villa for families and groups with 5 or more people. Rate is fully inclusive of all meals, soft and alcoholic drinks, safari activities and conservation fee.
- 3 nights at GweGwe
Based on a deluxe suite for couples and small groups and a family suite for family of 4. Rate is fully inclusive of all meals, soft drinks, activities and conservation fee. Alcoholic drinks, e-biking, snorkeling, scuba are extra.
- Road transfer from PLZ Gqeberha (Port Elizabeth) to Kwandwe*
- Private charter from Kwandwe to GweGwe
- Private charter from GweGwe to East London*

*Exit flight can also head to Durban. Surcharge is applied.



SEASONAL HIGHLIGHTS

1 MAY – 30 SEPTEMBER

Best time of the year for rhino conservation safari at Kwandwe. Backstage Kwandwe dates are available in September. At GweGwe you catch the Sardine Run, a marine spectacle, annually mid-June to mid-July. *Cribs clear days on safari at Kwandwe and a warm ocean for swimming at GweGwe.*

1 OCTOBER – 6 JANUARY'25

Warmer summer months bring a fabulous time to travel and the lower rainfall in this region makes this an attractive safari option when other regions are enjoying their wet season. *Vibrant bush and generally good weather at Kwandwe (days can start to get very hot) and mild ocean conditions at GweGwe.*



WILDERNESS & WILD COAST South Africa	KWANDWE		GWEGWE
	ECCA LODGE	MELTON MANOR VILLA	LODGE
CLASSICS CLASSIFICATION	PREMIER		PREMIER
IMPACT OF EACH GUEST STAY	VERY HIGH		HIGH
CHILDREN – MINIMUM AGE	ALL	ALL	ALL
FAMILY ROOMS	✓	✗	✓
EXCLUSIVE CAMP / VILLAS	✗	✓	✗
HONEYMOON OFFER	✓	✗	✗
LAND SAFARI	Day & night game drives Walking safaris		Drives, walking & biking
WATER SAFARI	Fishing on the dam		Snorkel, kayak, marine safaris
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	Family safaris. Signature bush stops with breakfast and sundowners.		Sardine run. Whale watching Birding
GET INVOLVED – CONSERVATION	Active rhino conservation with vets and field team.		✗
GET INVOLVED – COMMUNITIES	✗	✗	✓
EXPEDITION TRIPS	✓	✓	✓
WELLNESS & MASSAGE	✓	✓	✓

BOOKINGS:

ALL BOOKINGS ARE MANAGED BY CLASSIC PORTFOLIO

Rates are quoted in ZAR and are an indication.

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After 14 days a 20% non-refundable deposit is required to hold the space and charter flights.

Full payment due at 60 days

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CANCELLATION:

Confirmation - 61 days: 20% deposit forfeited

60 - 30 days: 50% fee

29 - 0 days: 100% fee

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