

Goibib Mountain Lodge

Region: Karas (South of Keetmanshoop)

Category: Lodge

Rooms: 7 Rooms • 5 Campsites

Website: www.goibibmountainlodge.com



Goibib Mountain Lodge is just off the main B1 road



Oryx might be seen during a drive around Goibib

In Brief

Goibib Mountain Lodge is an easily accessible hideaway in the Great Karas Mountains in Southern Namibia.

Our comfortable accommodation, warm hospitality, tasty traditional meals and ideal location enable you to experience the very essence of Namibia and its people. Here, you will not be pursued by the 'Big Five' or chased by stampeding herds . . . Instead you may peacefully view many species of antelope and other wildlife of the veld.

We invite you to experience our world!



Comfortable and spacious bedroom



A sparkling swimming pool with views of the mountains

Overview

Goibib Mountain Lodge is a tranquil hideaway in the heart of the Great Karas Mountains in Southern Namibia, and an extremely easy drive from either north or south along the Windhoek to Cape Town main road.

Simply take the B1 and drive until you see the sign on the west side of the road, between Grunau and Keetmanshoop!

Rather than being pursued by the Big Five or chased by stampeding herds of animals, bring your camera and capture all things great and small - macro-photography brings the little things to light - or explore the night life with fluorescent light and discover the nocturnal world around us.

The Lodge has much to offer but for Guests with the time, and wishing to explore the local region there is also much to explore within a relatively short distance from the Lodge - mostly within a two hour drive.

Goibib Mountain Lodge offers its guests a *dream come true* holiday with the time to peacefully view many species of antelope and other wildlife that inhabit the veld. The peace and tranquility is enthralling and guests quickly realise that this is pristine nature at its finest. An added bonus is that the region is malaria-free.





The Dining Room



Fish River Canyon - the most spectacular day-trip

Accommodation and Facilities

Goibib Mountain Lodge is a substantial building. Our accommodation consists of seven spacious rooms, furnished to a high standard and fitted with all the comforts of home, allowing Guests to relax and recuperate.

- ◆ **Seven Spacious En-Suite Rooms:** en-suite shower facilities, air-conditioning, television with local and satellite channels, mini-bar, built-in safe for valuables, coffee/tea station and wireless internet connection. Rooms are serviced daily. Optional services: laundry, shoe-polishing and baby-sitting.
- ◆ **New Campsite:** we are more than happy to set up your camp (tent, stretcher and bedding) for your comfort.
- ◆ **Caravans are welcome at the Campsite.** Our proximity to the road makes this an ideal location for caravans.
- ◆ **Complimentary on-site Car-Parking** is available for all Guests.
- ◆ **Lodge Facilities** include a bar and a sparkling swimming pool and terrace. The Lodge library includes reference books on African birds and wildlife, plus a good collection of fiction titles.
- ◆ **Self-Drive Expeditions:** delicious picnic hampers, with all kinds of goodies, are available on request for day-long excursions around the Lodge or further afield.
- ◆ **Dining at Goibib:** buffet-style meals are enjoyed in the dining room or on the terrace. Breakfast is continental style or full English. For dinner we prepare Namibian-inspired feasts including game, venison, poultry or fish with vegetables or salad. On warmer evenings, guests may opt for a braai (barbecue) in the boma. We cater for vegetarian or alternative dietary requirements if notified in advance.

Our meals are renowned for satisfying hungry bellies. Enjoy!

Driving Directions

Goibib Mountain Lodge is situated on west side of the B1 black-top main road which runs from Windhoek to Cape Town.

From Windhoek: Goibib is 112 km south of Keetmanshoop.

From South Africa: Goibib is 48 km north of Grunau.

Lodge Co-ordinates: -27.330744, 18.570303

S 27° 19' 50.68" E 018° 34' 13.09"

- Restaurant
- Bar
- Wi-Fi
- TV

- Swimming Pool
- Air Conditioning
- Birding

- Campsites
- Credit Cards welcome
- Laundry Service

Activities

A range of activities is available at the Lodge and we are always happy to offer advice to our guests to assist them if they wish to explore places of interest further afield.

- ◆ **Nature Drives** in the vicinity of the Lodge are our most popular activities using 4x4 vehicles, in the company of our experienced and knowledgeable drivers/guides.
- ◆ **Sunrise Nature Drive:** Witness a spectacular Namibian sunrise as the land comes to life again. A game-viewing adventure lasting one to two hours, followed by a scrumptious outdoor breakfast.
- ◆ **Sundowner Nature Drive:** This 2-3 hour drive allows for unhurried wildlife watching and concludes with the magnificent Namibian sunset. We may glimpse emerging nocturnal animal life as night falls on the way back to the Lodge for dinner.
- ◆ **Self-guided hiking:** Guests are welcome to explore the scenic beauty of the Lodge at their own pace to seek out local flora and fauna. Birding enthusiasts will be enthralled by the huge variety of bird species in the area. We have a useful selection of bird identification books in our library.
- ◆ **Mountain-bikes** are available for the more energetic to explore the area at a slightly faster pace.
- ◆ **Star-gazing:** Our un-polluted skies are brilliantly clear at night. This makes exploring the night sky with one of our telescopes a truly absorbing and rewarding pastime.
- ◆ **Further afield:** Within a 2 hour drive from Goibib, there are several significant places of interest, including:
Fish River Canyon, Africa's largest canyon is second in scale only to the Grand Canyon in USA. Easily accessible by car and offering fabulous views, this is an experience not to be missed.
The Giants' Playground is a remarkable landscape resembling huge toy bricks stacked on one another.
Quiver Tree Forest is best seen in June and July for its amazing displays of yellow flowers.
Brukaros Volcanic Crater is spectacular despite being extinct.
Ai-Ais Hot Springs are what they say, but are closed from November to February due to extreme temperatures. During the rest of the year, however, a visit is well worthwhile - for the spectacular drive, as much as for the resort itself.

Please ask at the Lodge for more information about these and other places of interest in the region.



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