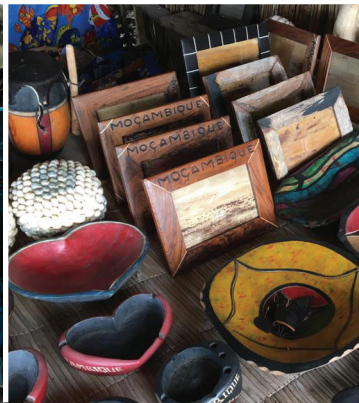


MASSINGA BEACH SUPPORTS RESPONSIBLE TOURISM

We believe in preserving our natural environment and supporting our local communities as much as possible. As a result, we have implemented the following sustainable practises.



■ VEGETABLE GARDEN:

We grow our own vegetables and herbs in our garden, and these are used by the lodge and the staff. Compost for fertilising the garden is made from our kitchen waste.

■ A DAY IN THE LIFE:

Experience a day in the life of a local resident and join one of our staff members who will take you on a tour of the community where you will meet the many friendly people who live here. We believe in community upliftment and employ our staff from this community, as well as the Inhambane community at large.

■ CULTURAL TOUR:

Let us take you on a cultural tour of the area where you will visit the local market and see the many beautiful traditional Capulana fabrics on offer. You can even purchase some fresh produce to take back to Massinga Beach where our chef will use these as part of the ingredients to cook a traditional meal especially for you.

■ BAMBOO STRAWS:

We have moved away from the use of plastic straws and support a local initiative making bamboo straws that are carved from the reeds in the area.

■ WATER UNDERGROUND:

Water Underground, an American NGO, does amazing work in the community by drilling boreholes and providing access to clean water through a central well. Without this well, local women would have to walk over long distances each day to fetch water from the closest available source and many times, this water is not safe for consumption. Massinga Beach provides accommodation to the staff of Water Underground throughout their stays.

■ CURIO SHOP:

Our on-site curio shop is run by a local craftmaker and stocks wooden mementos, some of which can be made to our guests' requirements. All profits go directly to the craftmaker himself.

■ LOCALLY SOURCED PRODUCE:

We support our local communities and source fresh produce for our daily menus from them as much as possible.

■ EDUCATION:

Massinga beach supported a local school by building a much-needed classroom. We have also facilitated stationery drives and can organise a visit to the school for any guests who would also like to donate any stationery or other school supplies.

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