

# SELF DRIVE DIRECTIONS

## Ngala Safari Lodge

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#### RECOMMENDED ROUTE TO &BEYOND NGALA SAFARI LODGE

#### FROM JOHANNESBURG TO NGALA SAFARI LODGE

- Take the N12/N4 through eMalahleni (Witbank), then later left onto the R540 to eMakhazeni (Belfast) opposite the Engen Fuel Station.
- In eMakhazeni (Belfast), turn right towards Dullstroom and Mashishing (Lydenburg).
- In Mashishing (Lydenburg) look out for the information boards directing you to the R36 to Ohrigstad.
- Follow the signs to R36 Ohrigstad, Hoedspruit or Tzaneen. It is marked 47km to Ohrigstad as you leave Mashishing. Stay on the R36. Pass through Ohrigstad, later over the beautiful Abel Erasmus Pass through the JG Strydom tunnel, following the signs to Hoedspruit.
- Once you have passed the Tzaneen turn-off but before Hoedspruit, turn right onto the R531 to Klaserie/ Acornhoek/ Orpen. Travel approximately 30km to reach the R40.
- You will pass under a railway bridge and join the R40. A few kilometres after this, turn left at the Orpen sign. Take this road for about 40km.
- You will reach a boomed gate at the entrance to the Kruger National Park. If asked, inform the guards that you are going to Ngala Safari Lodge there is no vehicle entrance fee.
- Conservation fees do apply for the national park and should have been prepaid to the lodge. The exact fee can be confirmed at the time of reservation.
- Continue straight along the tar road until the road splits into a 'V' there is a sign pointing to the left that says "Ngala Tented Camp". Take this dirt road, at the hut, keep right until you see Ngala Tented Camp in front of you and there will be a sign pointing to the right saying "Ngala Safari Lodge".
- You will cross the Timbavati River over a cement crossing. After the crossing, keep left at the "Ngala Safari Lodge" sign.
- Follow the road for about 7.8km through a series of small dips until you reach a large four-way crossing with a sign for "Ngala Safari Lodge" as well as a large radio tower on your right-hand side, continue straight for about 5.5km.
- You will see a sign that says "Ngala Safari Lodge" pointing right.
- Go right here and follow the signs all the way to reception.

#### FROM NELSPRUIT TO NGALA SAFARI LODGE

- Take the R40 towards White River.
- Pass through White River and continue to Hazyview, past Bushbuckridge and on to Acornhoek. At the traffic lights in Acornhoek, go straight towards Klaserie. A few kilometres further along the R40, take the right turn at the sign marked Orpen. Follow this road for about 40km.
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#### FROM HOEDSPRUIT AIRPORT TO NGALA SAFARI LODGE

- Exit the Hoedspruit Airport (Eastgate Airport) and turn right onto Argyle Road towards the R40. At the T-juntion, turn left on the R40 (Klaserie Road) and carry on straight till you get to the next T-Junction.
- At this T-Junction you will turn left again (remaining on the R40). About 2km after this left turn you will see a sign marked Orpen;
- Turn Left at this sign and then follow this road for about 40km.
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#### DISTANCE CHART

Johannesburg/Ngala Safari Lodge
Nelspruit / Ngala Safari Lodge
Hoedspruit/ Ngala Safari Lodge
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86 km /2 hour

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

&Beyond Ngala Safari Lodge is accessed through the Orpen Gate of Kruger National Park.

We do not recommend the use of a GPS navigator to &Beyond Ngala Safari Lodge.

The GPS co-ordinates for the Orpen Road turn off from the R40 are S24°33'17.50'; E31°02'18.00' These co-ordinates will not take you the lodge. We only recommend the use of a GPS on all main roads only. GPS maps do not generally feature most dirt roads and thus we advise that you please take to follow suggested travel directions provided at all times during your journey to our lodges. Should you require assistance, kindly call the lodge on +27 87 655 1416/7 or alternatively Ngala Tented Camp on +27 10 040 8072.

Please note, South Africa's vast road network is one of the largest and most interconnected in the sub-Saharan region, meaning roads are well-used and extremely busy. When travelling to &Beyond Ngala Private Game Reserve, please drive with caution and be aware of other drivers and vehicles/trucks on the road as well as poor road conditions and pothole deterioration in some areas. Please allow for additional travel time to the reserve, and remember to take regular pit stops.

Please be aware, as you approach the lodge that you are in a wilderness area where predators and high- profile game roam freely. Do not leave your car for any reason. Please adhere to the speed limits within the reserve at all times.

It is suggested that you call Ngala Safari Lodge as you pass through the Orpen Gate so that we can prepare for your arrival and also respond in the unlikely event that you have vehicle trouble. Mobile phone signal is poor inside the reserve.

Wherever possible and available, we do provide covered parking for guest vehicles. However, we cannot be held responsible for theft, loss or damage whilst vehicles are parked on our premises.

As you will be entering reserves with wild animals, and driving over gravel roads, &Beyond recommends you take appropriate insurance cover and consider excess-waiver cover.

### CONTACT DETAILS

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