

The Fowlds family began wool farming in 1926 and, since joining the Amakhala Game Reserve as a 3-star lodge, has converted the old shed into a beautiful lodge, a short walk up from the manor house.

Each room is en-suite with direct access to the wrap-around verandah with views of the beautiful garden and pool below. Shearers Lodge has been converted and furnished with a contemporary feel, juxtaposed with the old foundations of our sheep shearing shed. Each of the suites can accommodate two adults and our special family suite has a sleeper couch used as an extra bed - perfect for a family safari. Tea and coffee making facilities are available in all rooms. Enjoy a cup of coffee on the patio in the morning sunshine.

Shearers Lodge rates include dinner, bed and breakfast. Savour a quiet moment in the dim stillness of the 19th-century stone chapel. Enjoy some tea in the shade of the veranda. Sit late into the night in the convivial stone-walled cellar bar. Game drives are available at an additional cost, subject to availability where informative professional guides take guests on game drives, walks and river cruises, through the scenic wilderness that is Amakhala Game Reserve, to observe the wide diversity of creatures that make this land their home. From elephants to porcupines; from rhino to lion and springbuck, all are protected with passion.

Shearer's offers an ideal base from which to explore the surrounding areas of the Eastern Cape. Addo Elephant National Park lies just 30 kms away; the 1820 Settlers Monument in historical Grahamstown just a 30 minute drive along the N2 highway, and the Born Free Predator Rehabilitation Centre is 10 minutes from the Leeuwenbosch gate. The beautiful beaches of Kenton-on-Sea and Port Alfred are also easily accessed for a day on the beach.

Room configurations:

Room type	Number of rooms	Bed configuration	Max occupancy	Max adults
Double Room	1	King	2	2
Twin Room	2	Twin beds	2	2
Family Suite	1	King plus 2 sofa beds	4	3