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WELCOME TO CHITWA CHITWA A UNIQUELY AFRICAN EXPERIENCE

Originally a private family retreat, Chitwa Chitwa earned its name as an affectionate ode to the aging giraffe bull who shared the lakeside home as an extended member of the Brink family. According to the owner, Charl Brink, the majestic arrival of this regal relative was always signaled by the creaking of his old joints - and still today, his watchful essence is felt presiding over the lodge.

Much like the giraffe around which this charming tale of Chitwa Chitwa is centered, the private game lodge is magnificent and graceful in appearance, yet humble enough to evaporate into the surrounding beauty of the unspoiled bush of the Sabi Sand.

After its classic transformation into an eclectic blend of European style with African chic, Chitwa Chitwa has emerged as an exquisite balance between unbridled luxury and environmental harmony. We strive to achieve this through our ongoing efforts to maintain a holistic approach as a guest in the home of the African bush, thus ensuring the continued splendour and beauty of Chitwa Chitwa and its surrounds for generations to come.

LOCATION

Nestled in a pristine golden triangle of African fauna, the luxury lodge basks in the sun on the banks of one of the largest lakes of the exclusive 63,000 hectare Sabi Sand Private Game Reserve, which forms part of the greater Kruger National Park. This area, in turn, is incorporated into the Great Limpopo Transfrontier Park - a world-class eco-tourism destination managed to optimize benefits for the sustainable economic development of local communities and biodiversity conservation.

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31°33'35.81"E



GOWRIE GATE

BUFFELSHOEK

DJUMA



SIMBAMBILI
ELEPHANT PLAINS

ARATHUSA

CHEETAH PLAINS

INYATI

EXETER

ULUSABA

LEOPARDS

EXETER

IDUBE

SINGITA

LONDOLOZI

MALA MALA

KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

SAVANNA



NEWINGTON GATE

NOTTENS

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KIRKMAN'S KAMP

SKUKUZA AIRPORT



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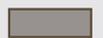
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SABI SAND
ENTRANCE GATES



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Traversing rights within the Sabi Sand



SABI SAND BORDER



CONCESSION AREA



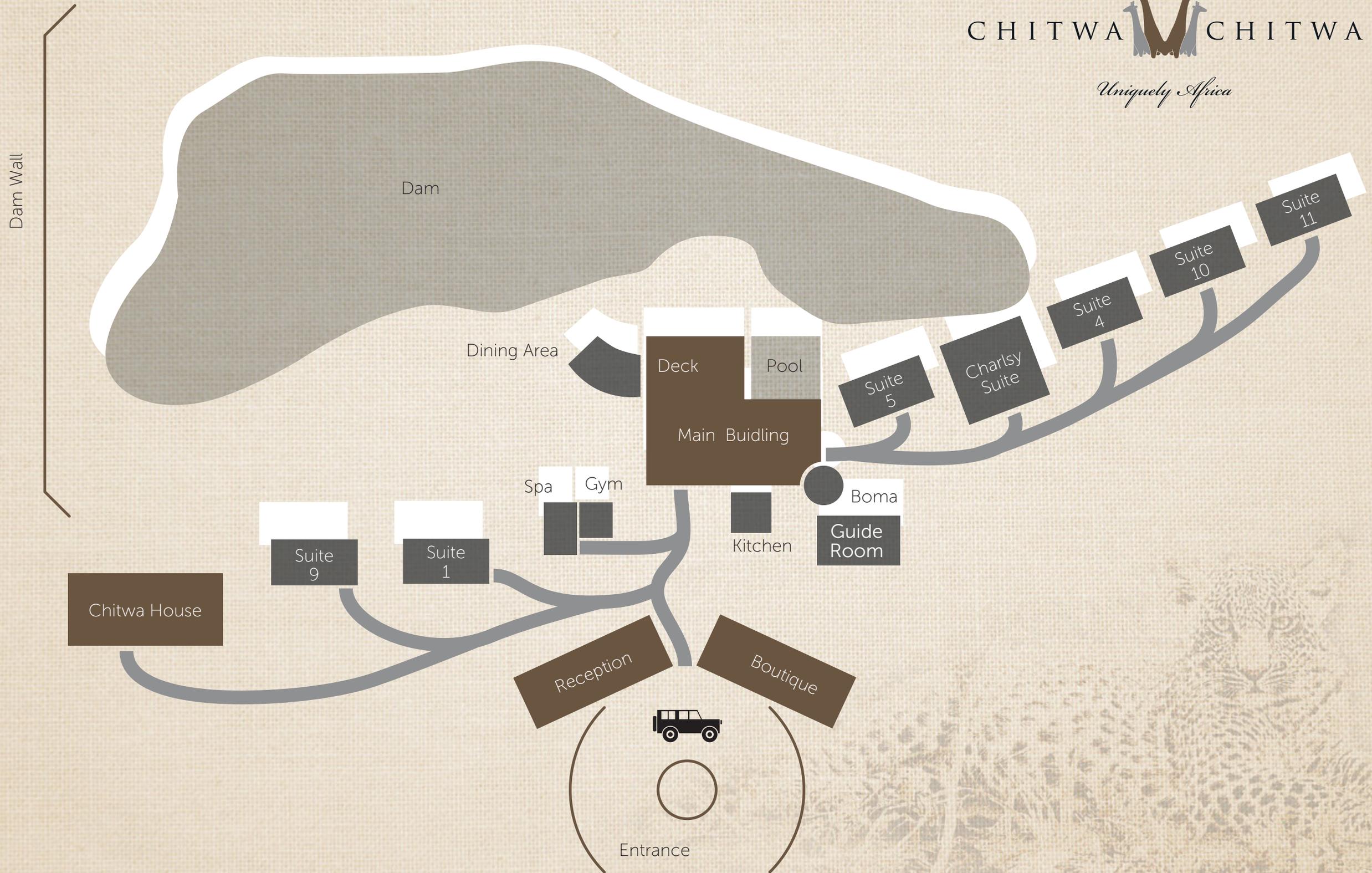
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YOUR UNIQUELY AFRICAN

Nestled in the unspoiled bush of the Sabi Sand lies a stylishly intimate game lodge – Chitwa Chitwa. Originally a private family retreat, Chitwa enjoys a place of pride on the banks of one of the largest lakes in the exclusive Sabi Sand Private Game Reserve. Allow your senses to be lured into a passionate balance of African chic and environmental harmony.

HOME FROM HOME















MAIN CENTRAL AREA

Nestling into obscurity around the largest lake in the reserve, one of Chitwa Chitwa's most endearing features is its seamless integration into the surrounding African bush through its ideal location and design. Guests can be assured of superlative game viewing from the main lounge and dining areas as they are rendered invisible to the various groups of wild animals that congregate at the waters edge in the mornings and early evenings.

SUNSET DECK

Shaded by old Knobthorn trees, our large wooden lounging deck affords unrivalled wildlife sightings of the Big Five (leopard, lion, buffalo, elephant and rhinoceros), who share the rugged bushveld with cheetah, giraffe, hippo, zebra and antelope. Spacious viewing areas strewn with comfy daybeds and a rim-flow swimming pool further enhance the feeling of being a part of the beautiful scenery, whilst creating the perfect environment to relax, unwind and absorb the sights, sounds and scents of Africa.

LIBRARY

Chitwa Chitwa's cosy library offers a large selection of books - both for reference reading and relaxation. The library is also equipped with an internet access point.

CHITWA BOUTIQUE

Our boutique shop is situated at the entrance of the lodge and displays a selection of hand-made African memorabilia created by skilled local craftsmen together with various traditional ornaments and bush-wear.







SLEETS

Great care has been taken to balance unpretentious style with complete comfort in our beautiful chalets. Each individually decorated suite has its own private plunge pool, framed by a spacious timber deck that overlooks the nearby lake - a popular drinking hole for our wealth of wildlife.

- Very spacious varying from 130 to 180 sq meters
- Opens onto a private lake-view deck with plunge pool
- Bath-tub, indoor and out door shower
- Fireplace
- Minibar
- Fan
- Hairdryer
- Coffee / Tea facility
- iPod docking station







charlsy suite





An exciting solution for families or groups of friends travelling together! The **Charlsey Suite** offers two beautifully appointed spacious en-suite rooms united by a comfortable living area. The units share a splendid deck framing a plunge pool and **ONE OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL VIEWS AT CHITWA!**

- 2 Beautifully appointed inter-leading en-suite rooms joined by a common living area
- Spacious common lake-view deck with swimming pool
- Bath-tub, indoor and out-door shower
- Fireplace
- Minibar
- Fan
- Hairdryer
- Coffee/tea facility
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chitwa house





In response to a growing demand for greater privacy and exclusive hospitality, we have created a treasured escape into unapologetic style in the form of The Chitwa House. Here, guests can enjoy a bush experience tailored to their every whim with the assistance of an experienced house butler and the enthusiasm of a dedicated ranger. Aside from the striking beauty of the African chic interior, the emphasis is on an element of familiarity as guests set the pace in their own private piece of Africa.

- 2 Beautifully appointed en-suite rooms with private decks and out-door showers
- Spacious common lounge/dining area
- Spacious common lake-view deck with swimming pool
- Private safari vehicle with guide and tracker
- Private meals
- Fully stocked mini-bar and coffee/tea facilities
- Fully equipped kitchen
- Private chef







CHITWA SAFARI



The most thrilling and eagerly-anticipated part of any stay with us is undoubtedly the Chitwa Chitwa safari experience. For over a decade, our guests have been treated to spell-binding sightings of our abundant wildlife and have left with affectionate memories of the very best of the African bush.

The experience is further enhanced by our desire to protect and sustain the local environment and improve the well-being of our resident communities. Located in the Sabi Sand which is the birthplace of sustainable wildlife tourism in southern Africa, Chitwa Chitwa is highly acclaimed for its excellent game viewing, as all hunting in the area has been abolished for decades.

As a result, the animals have grown accustomed to the presence of safari vehicles in their territory and we can boast some of the best opportunities to meet Africa's Big Five - being the five most dangerous animals to meet on foot: buffalo, elephant, rhino, leopard and lion.

Our highly qualified guides and Shangaan trackers ensure an unforgettable African safari by enriching the experience with their profound knowledge regarding this animal kingdom and its complex habitat.







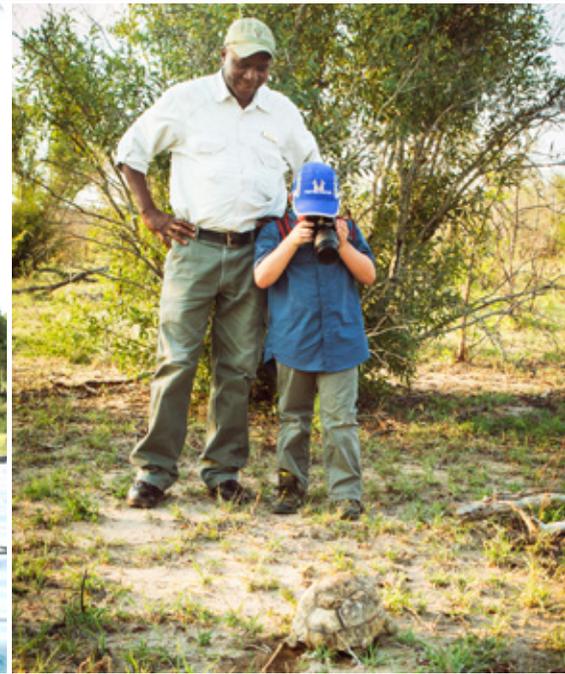
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Let the fun
be -GIN

Of all the Gin-Tons,
it's the ones that work
for walk-pale men

CHITWA CHILDREN ECO-EXPERIENCE





WELLNESS

Nothing typifies the ultimate in relaxation more than one of the oldest healing arts in the world: massage. The far-reaching benefits of massage such as stimulating circulation, removing toxins and relieving the stress and tension of everyday living can be experienced at Chitwa Chitwa with our resident masseuse.





artwork at chitwa



CULTURAL EXCURSIONS



Dixie is a small village situated close to the Gowrie Gate entrance of the Sabi Sand. Through our close associations with our neighbours and our love of the area in general, we have cultivated a unique partnership with the Dixie community in order to contribute to their general upliftment. The Cultural Village Excursion, headed by professional field guide Chris Sebuye affords the opportunity to slip unnoticed into a day in the life of the locals whilst tapping into the optimism and energy that is so much part of this little village's charm. The transfer will be in a Chitwa Chitwa open vehicle and will take about two hours from the time of departure from the lodge.







THE CHITWA CHITWA DAILY PROGRAMME

General Programme (15 September to 31 May)

- 05h00 Wake up, meet at lodge for coffee
- 05h30 Depart for a safari (game drive)
- 08h45 Head back to camp for breakfast
- 10h00 Bush walk with your ranger or alternative activities and relaxation
- 13h00 Lunch
- 16h00 Afternoon tea at lodge
- 16h30 Evening safari and sundowners
- 19h30 Head back to camp
- 20h00 Aperitifs
- 20h30 Dinner
- Night Cap

Winter Programme (1 June to 14 September)

- 06h00 Wake up, meet at lodge for coffee
- 06h30 Depart for a safari (game drive)
- 09h30 Head back to camp for breakfast
- 10h30 Leisure time where bushwalks and activities are proposed
- 13h00 Lunch
- 15h30 Afternoon tea at lodge
- 16h00 Evening safari and sundowners
- 19h00 Head back to camp
- 19h30 Aperitifs
- 20h00 Dinner
- Night Cap



2018 Rates &
Booking Information

2018 RATES

2018 RACK RATES VALID 1 JANUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 2018

LUXURY SUITE (6 SUITES)

Standard Sharing:	R 11,935.00 Per Person, Per Night
Standard Single:	R 15,565.00 Per Person, Per Night
Inclusive Sharing:	R 13,000.00 Per Person, Per Night
Inclusive Single:	R 16,940.00 Per Person, Per Night

CHARLSY SUITE - (2 INTERLEADING SUITES):

Standard Sharing:	R 12,330.00 Per Person, Per Night
Inclusive Sharing:	R 13,385.00 Per Person, Per Night

THE CHITWA HOUSE:

Exclusive Private Retreat With Two Suites Sleeping Four Guests.

Inclusive Sharing:	R 70,000.00 Per Night
Additional Adult / Child Sharing:	R 3,500.00

CHITWA CHITWA ACTIVITIES:

Dixie Shangaan Village Tour:	R 600.00
Chitwa Chitwa Signature African Massage:	R 650.00
Walking Safaris with Professional Game Ranger & Tracker	No Charge

- These Rack Rates are quoted in South African Rand (ZAR) and are inclusive of the 14% VAT
- Rates are subject to change without notice.
- A Guest Conservation Contribution of ZAR 100 plus VAT (14%) per person per day will be added upon confirmation.

STANDARD RATES INCLUDE

Luxury accommodation - all meals - soft drinks & bottled water - teas and coffees - two open vehicle safaris a day - daily walking safaris - laundry service - return transfer from the Chitwa airstrip to the lodge.

THE STANDARD RATE DOES NOT INCLUDE

Alcoholic beverages - telephone calls - purchases from the boutique, spa treatments and air and road transfers to/from the lodge.

THE INCLUSIVE RATE INCLUDES

Luxury accommodation - all meals - teas & coffees - bottled water, soft drinks, local beer and spirits - Chitwa House Wine Selection - two open vehicle safaris a day - daily walking safaris - laundry service - return transfers from the Chitwa airstrip to the lodge. The INCLUSIVE RATE does not include purchases from the boutique, spa treatments, telephone calls and air and road transfers to/from the lodge and all premium lable alcoholic beverages.

All airport taxes and applicable Sabi Sand entrance fees (R 280.00 cash per vehicle & R 120.00 per person) are for the clients own account. Rates are subject to change without notice.

Accommodation for the driver/guide is ZAR 2000,00 per night non-commissionable. This includes all meals. The inclusion of game drives will depend on the occupancy status.

Private use of safari vehicle accompanied by an expert guide is available on request and costs: ZAR 15 000 nett p /day

THE CHITWA HOUSE

The rate for The Chitwa House is inclusive of accommodation, private meals, private game drives, local beverages and laundry. When booking The Chitwa House guests are offered 4 complimentary Chitwa activities per group per stay (activities listed above). The hospitality at The Chitwa House is serviced by a private butler.

Chitwa Chitwa Check in Time 14h00
Chitwa Chitwa Check Out Time 11h00

CANCELLATION POLICY

- 20% of the total value of the booking is non-refundable in the event of a cancellation.
- 50% of booking value charged if cancellation is 45 to 30 days prior to arrival
- 100% of booking value charged if cancellations is 29 days or less prior to arrival
- All reservations, amendments or cancellations are valid only if advised and accepted in writing.

PAYMENT POLICY

- A 20% non-refundable deposit is required to confirm all direct reservations.
- The balance is required 60 days prior to arrival. Bookings made within 60 days of arrival are to be settled fully upon confirmation.
- All transfers of funds are to be made nett of any charges
- To confirm a high season booking (23 Dec 2018 - 3 Jan 2019) a 25% non-refundable deposit required on all bookings

CHILDREN POLICY

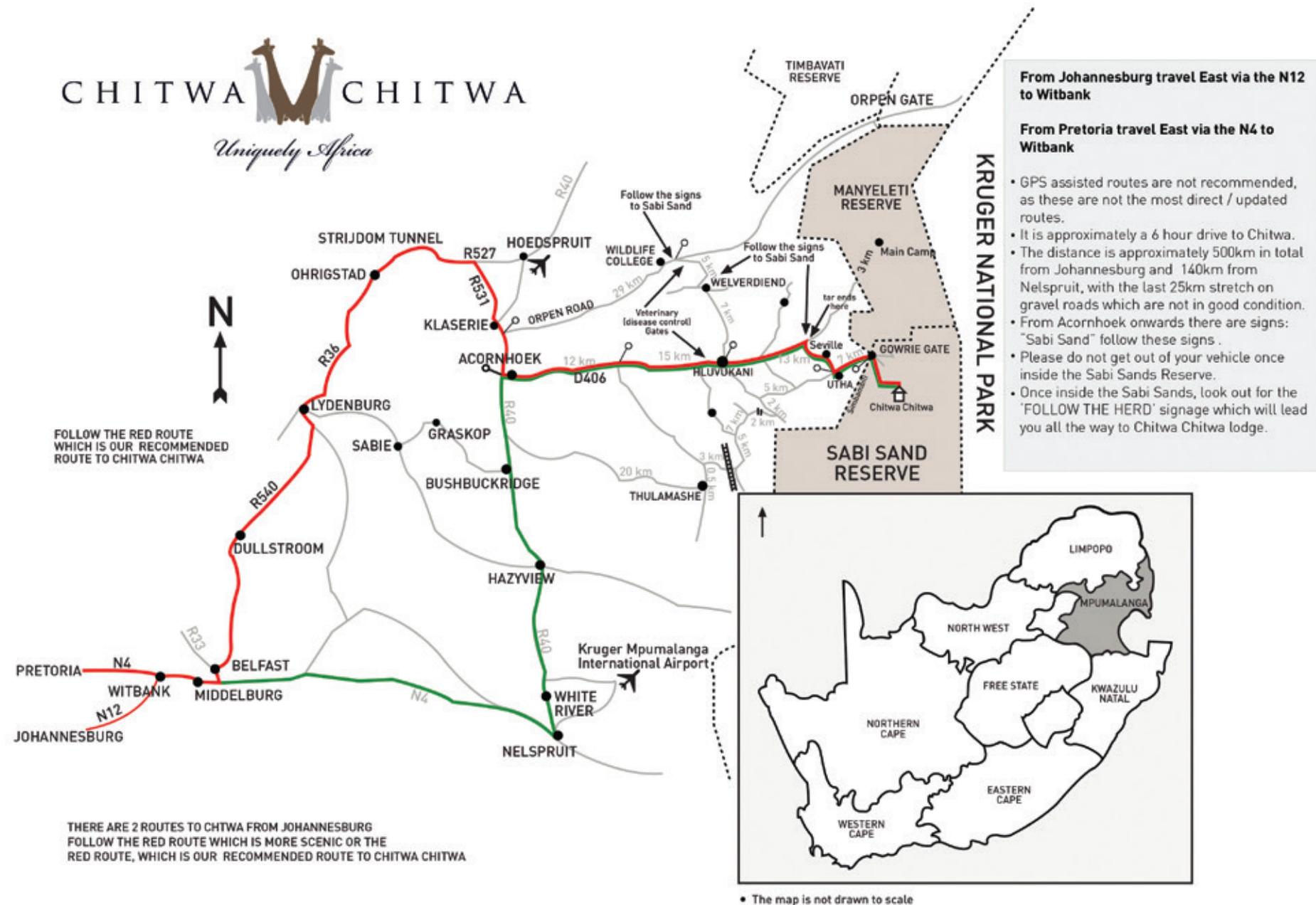
- Children who have not yet turned 3 by the date of arrival stay free of charge
- Children from the age of 3 up to their 6th birthday will be charged 25%.
- Children from the age of 6 up to their 12th birthday will be charged 50%
- Children 12 years and older sharing with adults will be charged full adult rate.
- Children under 6 will not be allowed on game drives unless parents have the sole use of the vehicle.
- Vehicle exclusivity must be pre-booked.

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GETTING TO CHITWA

BY AIR: The lodge is easily accessible by air from Oliver Tambo in Johannesburg with a flying time of approximately 1 and a half hours. Direct connecting flights are also available from Kruger International which take just over half an hour and from Eastgate Airport in Hoedspruit with 25 minutes flying time. Please refer to the detailed map on the following page.

CHARTER AIR SHUTTLE SERVICES: Provided by Federal Air, Bateleur or CessZani. Visit www.fedair.com, www.bateleurcharter.co.za or www.cezzani.co.za respectively for more information.

BY ROAD: The road transfer from Johannesburg to Chitwa Chitwa takes approximately 5 hours. The lodge is situated in the northern area of the Sabi Sand and access is via Gowrie Gate, near the Orpen Gate of the Kruger National Park. Chitwa Chitwa is a scenic three-hour drive from Nelspruit.

ROAD TRANSFERS: From the airport can be arranged by Eastgate Safaris. Visit www.eastgatesafaris.co.za for more information.



CHITWA ROAD ACCESS

Valid 1 January 2018 to 31 December 2018

We are pleased to provide road transfers to Chitwa Chitwa with Rocket Shark Adventures

From/To Kruger International (3 hours):

ZAR 2,535 per person when 1 pax travelling

ZAR 1,215 per person when 2 pax travelling

ZAR 925 per person when 3 pax travelling

ZAR 745 per person when 4 pax travelling

From/To Hoedspruit Airport (2 hours):

ZAR 1,880 per person when 1 pax travelling

ZAR 1,030 per person when 2 pax travelling

ZAR 865 per person when 3 pax travelling

ZAR 610 per person when 4 pax travelling

- These are just reference rates. Exact rates to be advised at time of booking.
- All rates are quoted per person one way nett rates
- Rates do not include pax entry fees in the Sabi Sands or Kruger National Park
- Rates do include vehicle gate fees into the reserves
- Groups larger than 6 pax will be quoted accordingly on enquiry

Chitwa Chitwa is pleased to handle the bookings and logistic organisation for flights and road transfers. Please note that these will be billed separately and payment is to be made to the chosen supplier directly.

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GETTING TO CHITWA BY AIR

Airlink operates convenient daily direct flights from Johannesburg, Durban and Cape Town to Nelspruit Kruger and from Johannesburg and Cape Town to Skukuza Airport. A unique 20 minute air-side transfer connects you onward on Airlink's Lodge Link service to the Arathusa Airstrip. From there you will enjoy a short open vehicle transfer to Chitwa Chitwa's doorstep.

Airlink links Nelspruit Kruger with Livingstone in Zambia directly permitting travellers to combine the wonders of both the Kruger Park and the Victoria Falls. It also links Nelspruit Kruger and Vilanculos (Mozambique), gateway to the Bazaruto and Benguerra Islands.

APPROXIMATE FLYING TIME:

- Durban to Nelspruit: 1 hour 15 minutes.
- Johannesburg to Nelspruit: 45 minutes
- Cape Town to Nelspruit: 2 hours 30 minutes
- Nelspruit to Livingstone: 2 hours 30 minutes

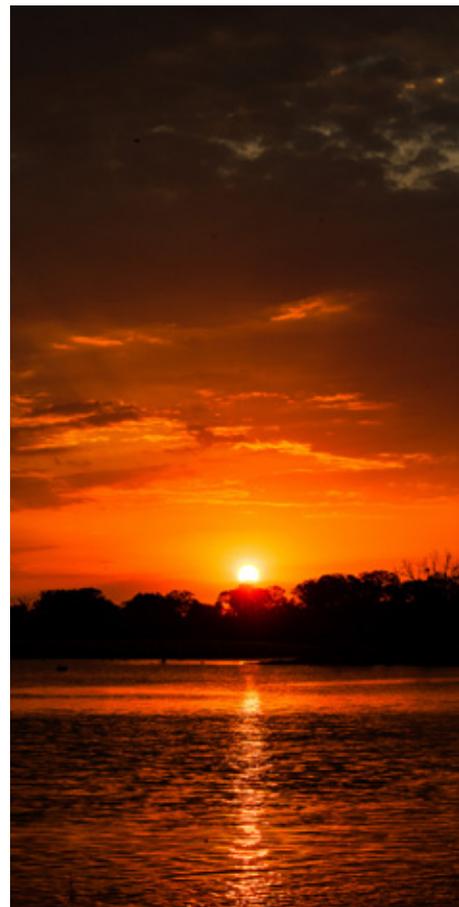
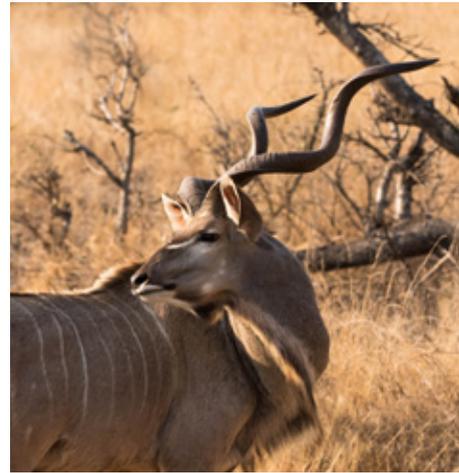
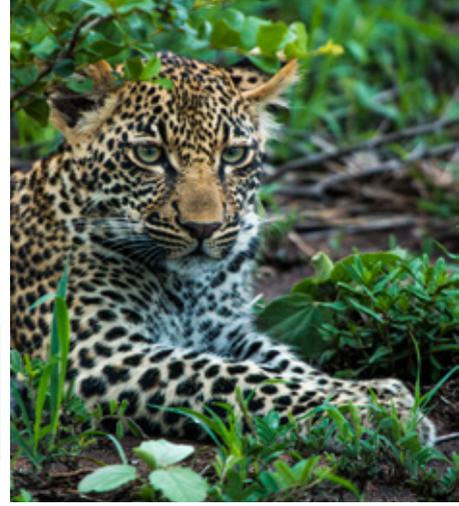
AIRLINK FLIGHTS BOOKABLE ONE WAY OR RETURN:

- From Johannesburg to Chitwa (one stop): rate starting from ZAR 3500 nett pp one way.
- From Cape Town to Chitwa (one stop): rate starting from ZAR 5800 nett pp one way.
- From Skukuza to Chitwa: rate starting from ZAR 2450 nett pp one way.
- From Kruger International to Chitwa: rate starting from ZAR 2450 nett pp one way.

BOOKINGS & AIRFARES:

Contact your tour operator, travel agent or book direct on www.flyairlink.com

Flights from Cape Town International airport to Chitwa Chitwa or from Johannesburg International airport to Chitwa Chitwa also available. Please contact Airlink or your Tour Operator for the rates.



PLEASE NOTE:
1 January 2018 - 30 September 2018

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A maximum of 20kg checked baggage is permitted. It may only be carried in a soft bag. No hard bags of any kind will be accepted for travel. A maximum of 7kg hand luggage is permitted. It may only be carried in a soft bag which must fit under the seat in front.

There are no overhead compartments for hand baggage.

Airlink flights are to be booked and paid directly.



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BOOKINGS & AIRFARES:

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FROM KRUGER INTERNATIONAL TO CHITWA:

CessZani: From/to Kruger International ZAR 2 750.00 per person nett one way. Time schedule confirmed upon booking according to flight schedule.

CessZani also connects to Chitwa from Hoedspruit (ZAR 3060.00) and can transfer between Sabi Sand lodges (approx ZAR 2080.00).

FEDERAL AIR:

FROM/TO OLIVER TAMBO

- Morning flight from Oliver Tambo departing between 10.30 and 11.30 with arrival at Chitwa between 12.00 and 13.00.
- Afternoon flight from Oliver Tambo, departing between 12.30 and 13.30 with arrival at Chitwa between 14.00 and 15.00.
- Morning flight from Chitwa departing between 11.00 and 11.30 with arrival at Oliver Tambo at about 12.30.
- Afternoon flight from Chitwa departing between 12.30 and 13.00 with arrival at Oliver Tambo at about 15.00.

Price for all above routes: ZAR 4995 per person one-way, including all applicable airport taxes and vat. Subject to change/review



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PLEASE NOTE:

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CessZani rates are applicable to a minimum of 2 pax travelling together and subject to change without notice. Rates are valid from 1 January 2018 - 31 December 2018.

When travelling with CessZani, a maximum of 20 kg of luggage per person is allowed when 2 passengers are travelling together. If more than 2 passengers travel together the restriction of 12 kg per person in soft travelling bags is applied.

A storage facility is available at KMIA which is a walk-in safe and alternatively the bags can be sent out on another flight.

A ZAR 120.00 per person Park Entry fee is to be paid directly and is not included in this rate.

Federal Air flights to and from Chitwa Chitwa (Arathusa landing strip) will be subject to landing and departure fees which will be advised at the time of booking.

Airlink flights are to be booked and paid directly. Chitwa Chitwa is pleased to handle the logistics regarding the CessZani flights or road transfers onward from Kruger International to Chitwa Chitwa. Please note that these services will be billed separately and payment is to be made directly to the chosen supplier.





2018 PACKAGES & SPECIALS

2018 EXPERIENCES PACKAGE

STAY LONGER FOR LESS

Enjoy a four night Chitwa Chitwa experience at the cost of three.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- Packages are valid from 15 January 2018 - 15 December 2018.
- Child must share suite when booking the family package.

Specials and packages not applicable to Chitwa House bookings.

TAKE THE FAMILY ON SAFARI

Enjoy Chitwa Chitwa with the whole family and set an unforgettable benchmark for your child's safari experiences.

Our family package offers full accommodation gratuity to children under the age of 12.

Children of all ages are welcome.

This special package is applicable to one child per family.



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CHITWA WEDDING EXPERIENCE 2018



Chitwa Chitwa Private Game Lodge is the ideal location for a unique and romantic African wedding with continental elegance.

Wedding Packages can be arranged to suit specific wishes and vary from an unforgettable sundowner with champagne and snacks in the middle of the bush, to an elegant reception with silver cutlery and white starched linen in our beautiful formal dining room.

ACCOMMODATION:

Chitwa Chitwa Game Lodge can accommodate 20 sharing guests in 10 rooms. (8 suites plus The Chitwa House)

VENUES:

The main deck - overlooking the dam, starlit boma and elegant indoor dining room areas are available at the Game Lodge for a reception area. Alternatively a superb Bush Reception can be arranged.

WEDDING PACKAGE INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING:

- Minister for the ceremony including the processing of all the necessary legal documents.
- Chosen wedding location at Chitwa (bush, boma, deck)
- Chitwa Chitwa staff as witnesses
- Local dancers to perform at the ceremony
- Flowers: bridal bouquet, groom's corsage – basket for table and cake arrangement
- Wedding cake – traditional 1 layer fruit wedding cake
- A bottle of champagne for the wedding couple
- A member of staff for personal assistance during the wedding preparation.
- Pressing of wedding couple garments
- Chitwa Wellness facial or signature massage for the bride

THE PACKAGE EXCLUDES:

Accommodation, photographer, make-up artist and hairdresser requirements as these can be arranged at additional costs.

NETT COSTS FOR ADDITIONAL SERVICES:

Accommodation: please consult our rates
 Photographer: from ZAR 15,000**
 Hairdresser: from ZAR 3,000
 Make-up artist: from ZAR 1,500

** This cost includes the base package of 4 hours and covers the photographer's travelling, unlimited photo's taken, post production work on all images, original photo-dvd, standard international postage of the photo-dvd.

UPON CONFIRMATION, CHITWA CHITWA REQUIRES THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO PREPARE THE WEDDING:

- Full names of wedding couple
- Full address, telephone, fax and email address of wedding couple. The minister will correspond with them directly. All documents will need to be sent to the minister at least 1 month prior to the wedding.
- Desired colour scheme – colour of dress and type of jewellery.
- Wedding cake preference – if the traditional fruit cake is preferred it needs to be communicated immediately as it needs to be baked 3 months prior to wedding
- Flower preference
- The couple's address for the period following the wedding so that photo-dvd can be couriered.

Should the wedding take place in the afternoon, we suggest that accommodation is arranged for the minister & photographer, as it's a 3 hour drive back to Nelspruit.

* Rate valid from 20 January 2018 - 20 December 2018 (excluding the month of August 2018)





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