



# Merakeng Tours & Adventures Pty (Ltd)

**"Tours without limits"**

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## ITINERARY

### **7 Days Waterberg Meander Tour**

THEME: "7-DAY WATERBERG MEANDER TOUR"



#### **Description**

Embark on a captivating 7-day journey through the Waterberg Biosphere Reserve. Immerse yourself in its diverse ecosystems, encounter unique wildlife, and discover the rich cultural heritage of this UNESCO-listed gem. Limpopo province speaks of ancient lands and prehistoric treasures!

#### **Highlights**

- Visit the UNESCO Waterberg Biosphere Reserve
- Explore Bela-Bela, play golf, and unwind in warm mineral baths
- Experience a thrilling crocodile encounter at Thaba Kwena Crocodile Reserve
- Zipline through Waterberg Mountains
- Have an adventurous safari in Marakele National Park
- Enjoy a sunrise safari walk, a predator centre visit, and shopping in Thabazimbi

## **Itinerary**

### **Day 1: OR Tambo International Airport to Bela-Bela**

The group will arrive at the OR Tambo International Airport. Depart from the airport to Bela Bela, check in at Klein-Kariba Holiday Resort and view the vicinity.

Depart for a hiking trail, and then return and play a nine-hole short and miniature golf course, four-wheel motorcycle rides.

Relax in the warm mineral baths and a heated indoor pool or cold-water outdoor swimming and splash pool, supper and sleep time.

### **Day 2: Thaba Kwena Crocodile Farm - Waterberg Zipline - Zebula Estate**

Have breakfast, and then depart for Thaba Kwena Crocodile Farm, where you will encounter a massive gulch of crocodiles, a welcoming curio shop, you will find a variety of gifts and memories, and various leather products, including wallets, purses, and belts.

Depart for Waterberg Zipline Adventures, taking clients on a two-hour slide from one platform to the other in the middle of the splendid Waterberg Mountains and the Waterberg Biosphere Region-a World Heritage Site.

Depart Waterberg Zipline and then lunch and shopping in Bela-Bela, Strawberry-Khaya, a delightful farmstall and coffee shop. You can buy all sorts of goodies, including delicious homemade fare, jam, freshly baked bread and trinkets. Enjoy homemade ginger beer or lemonade accompanied by delicious cake.

Depart for Zebula Nature Reserve & Bush Lodge, check in, and view the area.

Enjoy an elephant back safari, and return to the lodge for supper.

Depart for a night safari drive and return for a stay overnight.

### **Day 3: Animal Encounter Tour**

Breakfast at 0700, depart for a guided safari walk, quad safari.

Enjoy an Animal encounter tour, cheetah interactions, lion and tiger cubs, snakes, caracal and other reptile park and then lunch.

Depart for adventure activities, clay target shooting, paintballing, archery, and then a Safari horseback safari.

Relax at the swimming pool, spas and then supper at the restaurant; relax at the restaurant and bar overnight @ Zebula Lodge.

#### **Day 4: Marakele National Park (Big 5 Park)**

Breakfast and then check out. Depart to Thabazimbi.

Tour of the town of Thabazimbi, and lunch.

Depart for Marakele National Park, The Big 5 and Small 5 Park, home to the world's largest breeding colony of Cape Vultures. Check-in, view the vicinity.

Depart for sundowner safari game drive + safari bush braai, having a meal in the bush under a galaxy of stars. The local guide will also share information about our stars and general astronomy and storytelling. Return to the lodge for showers and overnight.

#### **Day 5: Lenong/Vulture View Point Drive - Marakele Predator Centre**

At 0500 am, depart for an early morning safari guided walk for 3hrs.

Have breakfast and then depart for Lenong/Vulture View Point Drive.

After returning, check out and depart for Marakele Predator Centre

Proceed to town for lunch and shopping. Proceed to a safari Sun Set Drive.

Return for showers and dinner. Campfire, storytelling, and the overnight.

#### **Day 6: Waterberg Biosphere Hike**

Wake up and depart for a Waterberg Biosphere Day Hiking Trail with breakfast packs and backpacks.

Return to the lodge and showers, supper, camp fire and /or relax at the bar and overnight.

#### **Day 7: Departure**

0500 depart for Sunrise Drive, showers, breakfast and then depart for OR Tambo International Airport.

Lunch in Johannesburg and shopping and depart to the Airport check-in and departure.

#### **What's Included**

- A minimum of 1-2 star accommodation twin sharing (4 - 5 star may require an additional premium).
- Tour Transportation
- A licensed South African tourist guide for the extent of your stay
- Multi Award Winning Tourist Guide
- Entrance fees
- Surcharge
- Accommodation and Bookings
- Breakfasts, Lunch, and Supper
- Safari Game Drives
- Walking Trails
- Hiking Trails

- Safari Guided Walks
- Cultural Villages/Sites & Tours
- Museum Tours
- Quad Biking
- Horse Riding
- Clay target shooting
- Paintballing
- Archery
- Animal interactions
- Kwena/Crocodile Tour
- Waterberg Zipline
- Safari Bush Braai
- Pick up on day one and drop off on the last day
- Accommodation on Full Board throughout the tour
- Tour guiding throughout the tour
- Transport throughout the tour

### **What's Excluded**

- Laundry
- Conservation/Entry Fees
- Items of personal effects
- Shopping
- Spa's
- Gambling
- Alcohol
- Tipping etc.

### **What to bring**

- Medication(s)
- Backpacks
- Binoculars
- Cameras
- Reading books
- Comfortable walking shoes & Camouflaged clothes for outdoor activities
- Daypack and water bottles

- Insect repellent
- Sunblock
- Sunglasses & Hats etc

### **Know before you go**

- The Limpopo province, known as the "Great North", is an area of amazing beauty and diversity, and its people offer a unique mix of cultures. Limpopo province speaks of ancient lands and prehistoric treasures. Thabazimbi-a mountain of iron "Where Africa Begins", experience wildlife and expert interpretation as guided bush walks will enlighten you with creatures big and small. The biodiversity of the area attracts a wide variety of wildlife.
- Our staff includes well-trained and experienced guides who will share with you one of Africa's most splendid ecosystems. Thabazimbi offers a breathtaking wildlife experience. Morning, day and evening drives with safari open 4x4 vehicles bring you into close contact with wildlife as well as the other aspects of nature and allow you to leave us with an unforgettable, safer experience. Highly experienced guides will take you on foot to bring into clear focus the magic of the bush with its myriad of busy insects and splendid beauty.
- At night, Freckled and Fiery-necked Nightjars and Spotted Eagle and African Scops Owl complement the rhythm of crickets and cicadas. Surround yourself with Mother Nature at its finest during your visit, learn interesting facts about the flora and fauna of the area, and be inspired by the beauty and tranquillity that embraces you.

### **Meeting or Arrival Point & Departure Point:-**

O.R. Tambo International Airport, Kempton Park, South Africa

### **Price Details**

Adult

1 To 10      EUR 1500 Per Person

Child

1 To 10      EUR 750 Per Person

This is a private tour

- Minimum of 10 persons
- Maximum of 20 persons or more

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLY:-**

\*Please note that the tour will only be available if clients pay in advance prior the starting date.

- 1) A cash deposit or a deposit of 100% prior to the tour is applicable to book the date for all needed things and to confirm bookings and arrangements.
- 2) Pay and fax or email proof of payment to secure and guarantee booking; transfer to our business account.
- 3) Clients must be punctual and must follow company (Merakeng Tours & Adventures) orders, rules and regulations at all times.

### **CANCELLATION POLICY:-**

In the event of notification of cancellation, the following cancellation fee shall apply on the full booking:-

- More than 60 days prior to arrival: 0% cancellation fee
- More than 30 days prior to arrival: 25% cancellation fee
- More than 7 days prior to arrival: 50% cancellation fee
- Less than 7 days prior to arrival: 100% cancellation fee

**Please note that all rates or packages are quoted in Euros (€)**

Yours Authentically

**Mr. Kabelo Katlego Mothupi**

**Superb National Tourist Guide**

**Tourism Stalwart**

**Multi Award Winning Tourist Guide**

**English Tourist Guide**

**Mandarin Graduate // Mandarin Tourist Guide**

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### **BAKING DETAILS**

BANK NAME	: STANDARD BANK
BRANCH NAME	: THABAZIMBI
ELECTRONIC PAYMENT	: 051001
ACCOUNT NO	: 10 11 204 009 6
ACCOUNT HOLDER	: MERAKENG TOURS
TYPE OF ACCOUNT	: CURRENT
SWIFT CODE	: SBZAZAJJ