



MOUNT CAMDEBOO

Private Game Reserve • Great Karoo

The perfect place....

Mount Camdeboo Private Game Reserve is situated just to the east of Graaff-Reinet, South Africa, in the heart of the Eastern Cape's Great Karoo, and offers an exceptional malaria-free safari experience in a region steeped in history and culture.

This 35 000 acre (14 000 hectare) property lies cupped in the palm of the "Sneeuberg" Mountain Range, the second highest range in South Africa.

It provides guests with a unique game-viewing experience due to the combination of our biomes and an altitude range of almost 8 000 feet. From the bush thickets and riverine areas to the plateau grass plains with the backdrop of the majestic mountains that make every game drive a breathtakingly beautiful experience.

There are three Cape Dutch Manors that have been meticulously restored to celebrate a fusion of traditional curves and modern open-plan living spaces. Every room has been furnished with the most luxurious textures and materials, creating a relaxed elegance that allows our guests to feel at home.

The three Manors offer a total of 12 luxurious double en-suite bedrooms, including a secluded honeymoon suite. This beautifully renovated old stone gatehouse captures the charm and romance of a bygone era.

Full-length swimming pools at each Manor cool guests in the haze of high summer, while boma dining, game drives and guided walks are an essential part of your African experience. The sheer stillness and fresh air at Mount Camdeboo is highly conducive to successful executive brain-storming. A fully equipped and dedicated Conference Centre accommodates up to 24 delegates in air-conditioned comfort.

Mount Camdeboo is the ideal Honeymoon, Family or Conference destination, offering a perfect blend of tradition and modern comforts. A visit to Mount Camdeboo will restore all of your senses and synchronise your body with the heartbeat of nature.

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FACT
SHEET





ACCOMMODATION

Camdeboo Manor is a Cape Dutch-style manor house dating from the early 1800s, with a large lounge and dining area, both with fireplaces, and leading to outdoor terraces, as well as four luxurious en-suite rooms with air-conditioning, under-floor heating and telephone. There is an African boma and a full-length swimming pool, and satellite TV is available in the lounge. The cosy **Honeymoon Suite** is situated nearby but with complete privacy in the beautifully restored old stone Gatehouse. **Courtyard Manor** dates from the late 1700s and has four luxurious suites, as well as an open plan living and dining area with a fireplace and satellite TV. There is an outdoor dining area, a full-length swimming pool and wrap-around patio. Built in the early 1900s, **Hillside Manor** is ideal for families or small groups, with its three beautifully appointed en-suite rooms, and open plan living and dining area leading to the terrace and full-length swimming pool. There is a fireplace and satellite TV in the lounge, and the lodge boasts a dedicated ranger, as well as a private game-viewing vehicle.

FACILITIES

- Fully equipped state-of-the-art Conference Centre with adjoining dining facilities, seating 24 people
- Curio Shop

ACTIVITIES

- Game drives in open-sided, canopied game-viewing vehicles
- Guided bush walks
- Star gazing
- History talks by special request
- Visit to Anglo Boer battle site and graves

Other activities in the area

- Historical tour through Graaff-Reinet
- Day trip to Nieu Bethesda to visit the famous Owl House and Fossil Education Centre
- Visit to the Valley of Desolation
- San and Khoi rock paintings
- Visit to the famous and largest Cactus Garden in the Southern Hemisphere
- Golf at the Graaff-Reinet Country Club

WILDLIFE AND CONSERVATION

Conservation
Our ethos is to protect, manage and rehabilitate the natural resources of the Mount Camdeboo Private Game Reserve for long term conservation and sustainable utilisation which includes:

- The integrated and holistic ecological management of the fauna and flora of the Reserve to ensure natural eco-system functioning



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- The restoration and management of the natural vegetation for the purpose of Karoo Veldt conservation.
- The sensitive and sustainable utilisation of natural resources as a foundation for ecotourism and wildlife.

Birds and Mammals

(for a more in-depth list please refer to the web page)

- Aardvark • Aardwolf
- African Buffalo
- African Fish Eagle • African Goshawk
- African Wildcat • Bat-eared Fox
- Black Eagle • Black-backed Jackal
- Black Wildebeest • Blesbok
- Blue Crane
- Brown-hooded Kingfisher
- Cape Clawless Otter • Cape Fox
- Cape Ground Squirrel
- Cape Mountain Zebra
- Cape Porcupine
- Caracal (Lynx) • Chacma Baboon
- Cheetah • Common Duiker • Eland
- Gemsbok (Oryx) • Giant Kingfisher
- Giraffe • Gymnogene
- Jackal Buzzard
- Klipspringer • Kori Bustard • Kudu
- Large Grey Mongoose • Martial Eagle
- Mountain Reed Buck
- Orange-throated Longclaw • Ostrich
- Pale Chanting Goshawk
- Red Hartbeest
- Rhino (White-Square lipped)
- Rock Dassie (hyrax)
- Small-spotted Genet
- Smith's Red Rock Rabbit
- Springbok
- Spring Hare • Steenbok
- Steppe Buzzard
- Suricate • Vervet Monkey • Warthog
- Water Mongoose • Yellow Mongoose

TARIFF

- Luxury full board accommodation
- Two daily game activities
- All SA beverages

Tariff excludes:

- Transfers to and from Mount Camdeboo Private Game Reserve
- Telephone calls
- Laundry service
- Gift shop purchases

WHAT TO BRING

Camera, binoculars, sturdy walking boots/shoes, hat, sunscreen, toilet-ries, personal medication, light-weight clothing (summer), warm gear/jacket/scarf/gloves (winter)

CLIMATE

Summer: hot, thundershowers, average daytime temperature 30°C
Winter: cool, sometimes snow, average daytime temperature 15°C

DIRECTIONS

Departing from Port Elizabeth, travel on the R75 which passes Uitenhage, continue on the R75 until you get to the R63 turn-off on your right to Pearson and Somerset East. Continue for 5km at which point you will see our signage followed by the turn-off on the left at the Petersburg Road, and follow the Mount Camdeboo sign posts to Reception.

TRANSFERS

Air or Road - Transfers from Port Elizabeth can be organised upon request.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE TIMES

Check in at 14h00. Check out at 11h00.

CREDIT CARDS

Visa and Master Cards are accepted

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A 25 percent deposit is required upon booking to confirm the reservation. Full pre-payment is required 30 days prior to arrival. Please note that if the deposit is not received by the required date, your reservation will be regarded as cancelled.

Cancellations:

- 25 percent of fee if cancelled less than 30 days prior to arrival
- 50 percent of fee if cancelled less than 14 days prior to arrival
- 100 percent of fee if cancelled less than 7 days prior to arrival. All refunds will be subject to a 15 percent administration fee.

Please note that only written cancellations will be accepted.



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Oct 2010 - Sep 2011

CAMDEBOO MANOR		pppn sharing	2000
HONEYMOON SUITE		pppn sharing	2000
HILLSIDE MANOR	3 Bedrooms Maximum 6 persons	pppn sharing	2000
COURTYARD MANOR	Minimum 4 persons	pppn sharing	2000
*Children aged 4 - 12 (sharing with adults, max 1 child per room)			1000

- Rates are per person per night sharing, (except Hillside Manor & Courtyard Manor "exclusive use" options), quoted in SA Rands and include VAT at 14%.
- A single supplement of 50% applies.
- Rates include: luxury accommodation, all meals, two game activities, and local South African beverages.
- Children aged 3 and under stay for free. Children aged 4 to 12 stay at 50% of the full rate and children 12 and over pay the full rate.
- Rates exclude - telephone and fax, laundry services, gratuities, curio shop purchases, and transfers to and from Mount Camdeboo Private Game Reserve.
- Rates are subject to change without prior notice.

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