



RATES FOR 2013

PUBLIC RATES	2013
Double (twin beds) with full board pppd	R1500
Single with full board pppd	R1850

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Mopane Bush Lodge, a tranquil bush retreat graded a 4* luxury lodge, of African Renaissance design, nestles in the Mopane bushveld. It is situated on Mapesu Nature Reserve, a 6000-hectare game farm in the Limpopo Valley, adjacent to the Mapungubwe National Park. The **eight** secluded thatched chalets are situated each in their own kraal with en-suite bathroom, exclusive verandah and additional out door shower. It is the ideal setting for a really comfortable bush experience.

It is an ideal stopover between Tuli in Botswana and South Africa, particularly Kruger National Park and the Tzaneen area. Also as part of the Pearls of Limpopo Heritage and Wildlife tour around the Limpopo Province.

Facilities:

- It is a safe environment for walking, cycling, birding and driving in the bush. The Reserve is home to many species of game and birds, and a variety of trees and shrubs, some of which are endemic to the area.
- Rates include all taxes, meals and guided drives or walks on Mapesu Nature Reserve. Drinks, laundry and gratuities are not included.
- Experience the magic of dinner in the boma seated around the fire under the brilliant southern night skies.
- On a warm valley day, cool off in the sparkling pool with waterfall and martini seat beside the bar.
- The spacious bedrooms are designed for a relaxed stay in luxurious comfort. There is a tea/coffee station in every room.
- One chalet is wheel chair friendly.
- Due to the seclusion of the chalets, they are not ideally suited to accommodate young children. Children under 12 the rate is half price and under 2 years free.
- There are many activities to do in the surrounding areas – please see the information below.

Payment terms & conditions:

- A deposit of 50% is required in order to confirm your reservation.
- The remaining 50% is to be paid 7 days prior to the date of arrival.
- Method of payment: Bank transfer, bank guaranteed cheque, cash or credit card (Visa or MasterCard only).
- Cancellation fee: A 10% administration fee of the full account will be levied on any cancellation. If the reservation is cancelled less than 7 days before visit, the entire deposit will be forfeited.

• **Banking details:**

Bank: Nedbank

Branch: Sandown

Account number: 1933 186542

Swift code: NEDS ZAJJ

Branch Code: 193305,

Account name: Mopane Bush Lodge

ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE FROM MOPANE BUSH LODGE

Rates per person	With a Mopane Bush Lodge guide ** (minimum of 2 people)
Mapungubwe World Heritage Site visit	R350
Mapungubwe National Park drive	R300
Mapungubwe Sunset Drive	R375
Mapungubwe West – Maloutswa Hide visit	R335
Guided Morning Walk in National Park	R465
Birding at Den Staat	R270
San Rock Art guided tour	R250

**transport in 4x4 open game viewer or transfer vehicle as appropriate

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- **Mapungubwe National Park** - A new National Park with spectacular views of the Limpopo River, dramatic scenery and spectacular sandstone cliffs, elephants and other wildlife
- **Mapungubwe World Heritage Site** – A tour to Mapungubwe Hill, the site of the first African Kingdom which reached its climax in the 13th Century, predating Great Zimbabwe.
- **Mapungubwe National Park – Sunset Drive** in the park by SAN Parks guides.
- A visit to the **Maloutswa Hide** in the National Park, where game viewing is good, including elephants
- **Special Limpopo San Rock art** – a guided tour complete with interpretation.
- A 3 hour **Morning Walk in the National Park** by led SAN Parks guides.
- Go **birding** in one of South Africa's best birding areas with about 400 species to identify.

Conditions:

- Activities should be booked and paid for when the reservation is made to ensure availability, whether using MBL guides or self-drive. Bookings on arrival are subject to availability.
- Maps and directions are available at reception if the self-drive option is selected.
- Refreshments are included on all of the activities.

Information:

- **Arrival & Departure:** Check in is from 15h00 and check out is by 10h00 unless otherwise arranged.
- **Meals:** Any special dietary requirements can be catered for if informed with the reservation.
- **Malaria:** We are very low risk area being situated on the edge of a malaria area. However for summer anti malarial prophylactics should be considered. A physician or travel clinic should be consulted.
- **Water:** We have our own purification plant, but bottled water can be purchased.
- **Plug Points:** 230v 50 Hz plus a 110v 50Hz shaver plug in each bathroom
- **Suggested Items to be packed:** Comfortable walking shoes, swimming costumes, sun hats, sunglasses, sunscreen, cameras and binoculars.
- **Climate:** Summer -> -lightweight clothing and swimming costumes, warm clothing for game drives. Winter -> light clothing for daytime, warm clothing for evening and very warm insulated jackets for game drives. In South Africa the average number of sunshine hours is amongst the highest in the world. Where Mopane Bush Lodge is situated, we receive a summer rainfall but despite the occasional shower, the average daytime temperature between October and April is frequently above 30° C / 86° F. When the sun sets, it cools down to approximately 20° C / 68° F. Winters are mild with daytime temperatures normally above 20° C / 68° F while overnight temperatures rarely go below 10° C / 50° F.

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