Kurt Safari

3 DAY BEST OF KRUGER LUXURY SAFARI

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ABOUT THE TOUR

WHAT TO EXPECT

The Kruger National Park is one of the worlds' leading nature reserves and on a 3-day safari we spend a lot of time exploring the Park. Most operators only do 3-hour morning and afternoon drives, but the KNP is vast, and Kurt Safari was one of the first operators to introduce full-day safaris on our 3-day safari tours.

This gives clients a chance to see a larger part of the Kruger and different areas, compared to short 3-hour safaris which must remain close to the camps, resulting in driving the same areas on every safari. Spending a full day in the KNP can sound tiring, but the guides stop regularly at rest camps and lookout points. The extended time increases the chances of seeing more wildlife as we traverse different grasslands and ecological zones.

Your 3 day Best of Kruger will include a Sunset / Night Safari on Day 1, A full day open vehicle safari on day 2, and a morning safari in the Kruger Park on Day 3.

80% of our clients on 3-day safaris encounter all the Big 5.

Kurt Safari makes use of Umbhaba Eco lodge and Sanbonani Hotel situated Just outside of Hazyview, These are 4-Star privately-owned quality lodges are less than 15 minutes to the Phabeni Gate - Kruger's premier wildlife area.

Departure & Return Location

06:30 AM – 06:45 AM:– Clients will be collected from lodges within a 5 km radius of the OR Tambo International Airport.

06:45 AM – 07:00 AM: Clients will be collected from the Shuttle and Bus Terminal at the OR Tambo International Airport, please see the Map below, we depart at 7:15 AM. Transport to the Airport is available via the modern Gautrain or Uber. Clients can fly directly into Skukuza Kruger National park, or Kruger Mpumalanga International Airports and be collected by your Kurt Safari Guide at no additional cost.

KEEP IT SIMPLE,
KEEP IT WILD.
- Harry Wolhuter

Price Includes

- Licensed and Professional Safari Guides
- 1 Sunset Safari / Night safari
- 1 Full-day open vehicle safari in the Kruger National Park
- 1 Half-day open vehicle morning safari in the Kruger National Park
- 2 Nights' Accommodation in Hazyview
- 2 Breakfasts, 1 lunch & 2 Dinners – as per itinerary
- 3 Days' Conservation levies & entry fees
- Transfers to and from Johannesburg OR Tambo International Airport
- Mineral waters on all drives

Price Excludes

- All Meals & Beverages not specified in Itinerary
- Items of personal nature
- Gratuities

What to Bring

- Comfortable shoes
- Warm & Rainproof Jackets
- Sun hat
- Sun Cream
- Cameras
- Personal belongings

We prefer the lodges and hotels outside of the Kruger Park as there is a bigger variety of accommodation and it is only a 10–15 minute drive to the nearest entry gate. All the accommodation venues are privately owned.

We cannot take children under 8 years old on shared safaris but please request a quote on private safaris.

Important Note

Clients flying out of OR TAMBO on the last day to please not book flights earlier than 20:00 pm for domestic flights and 21:00 pm for international flights as one cannot always guarantee on-time arrival at OR Tambo International airport.

Clients should arrive the day before their tour starts to avoid missing the shuttle to KNP, as this vehicle is not private and cannot be delayed.

3 DAY BEST OF KRUGER LUXURY SAFARI

DAY 1: Transfer from Johannesburg & Sunset / Night safari (Lunch & Dinner)

Guests will be collected from various lodges and hotels within a 5 km radius of the OR Tambo International Airport between 6:30 am and 6:45 am, and then from the OR Tambo International Airport shuttle and bus Terminal between 6:45 and 7:00 am, we depart at 7:15 am.

Clients can fly directly into Skukuza Kruger National park, or Kruger Mpumalanga International Airports and be collected by your Kurt safari Guide at no additional cost.

Please confirm with online@kurtsafari.com your pickup details the day before the tour.

Please note these are shared departures. We will travel directly to our lodge in Hazyview and arrive between 11:30 am – 12:00 pm. Guests will have time to relax, unpack and enjoy a light lunch, there after enjoy a swim or walk around the beautiful Lodge and walking trail. We depart at around 15.45 Pm for a Sunset / Night safari in the Kruger National Park before returning to the lodge at approximately 20.00 pm for a lovely dinner, and a good night's rest.

DAY 2: Full Day open vehicle safari in the Kruger National Park (Breakfast & Dinner)

All safaris start before sunrise, Mpumalanga means the place of the rising sun and is the first province in South Africa to see the sun rise. This is the best part of the day, not knowing what to expect, after a short drive to the park, we enter the park gates and your guide will have an idea of the best areas to find the wildlife including the Big 5 and plains game, this is the finest time of the day to see predators.

The Lodge will arrange breakfast packs and your guide will stop after about 3 hours for a breakfast and bathroom break and chance to get a coffee. We then continue with your safari, Kruger offers a variety of eco zones and each one has a different range of wildlife, we visit rivers and watering holes as well as plains and Bushveld regions.

We then stop for lunch at a rest camp, where this meal will be for your own account, time to do some curio shopping or enjoy a cold beer! The guide will then continue with the safari heading towards the lodge, we arrive around 15.30 – 16.00 pm, time to relax, swim and have a great dinner.

DAY 3: Morning safari and Transfer back to Johannesburg (Breakfast)

The last safari and again we depart the lodge before sunrise, we will have another packed breakfast at one of the rest camps or picnic sites. The guide will focus on animals we couldn't find on the first 2 safaris and hoping for lion and leopard as they are most active in the early mornings. The Kruger National Park has 148 mammal species and over 500 bird species. So, lots to see and photograph.

After a short breakfast and coffee stop, we will continue with the safari returning to the lodge at around 12:00 PM.

Here you say goodbye to your guide and freshen up before the journey back to Johannesburg. Clients are collected by the shuttle at around 12.30 PM, and we return to Johannesburg OR Tambo shuttle terminal and lodges within a 5 km radius, arriving between 17.00 – 18.00 pm.

TOUR INFO

PREFFERED LODGES AROUND
OR TAMBO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

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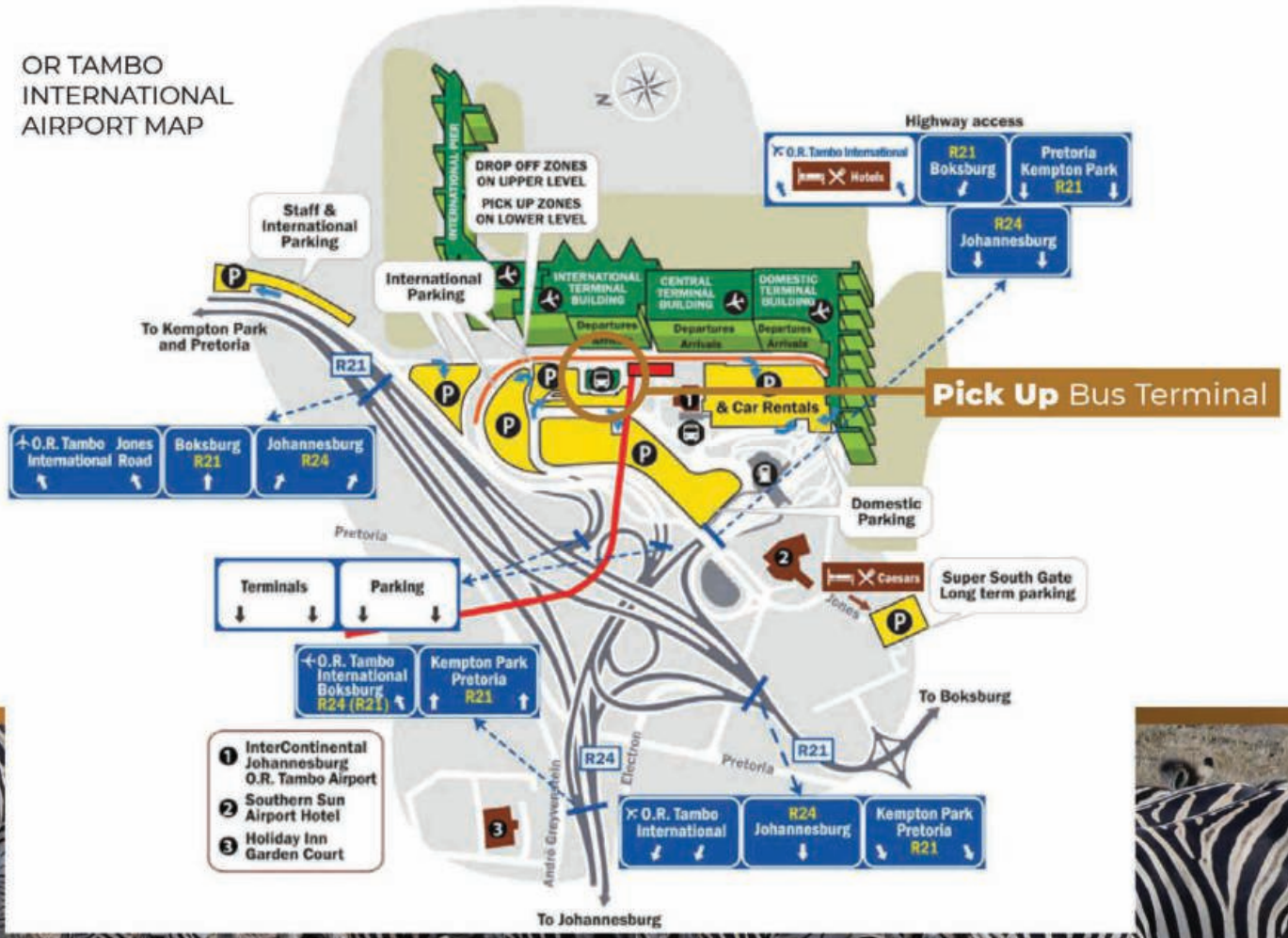
CITY LODGE
OR Tambo Airport
011 558 7600
Walking Distance

PROTEA HOTEL
OR Tambo Airport
011 977 2600
3Km Max - Uber/Taxi

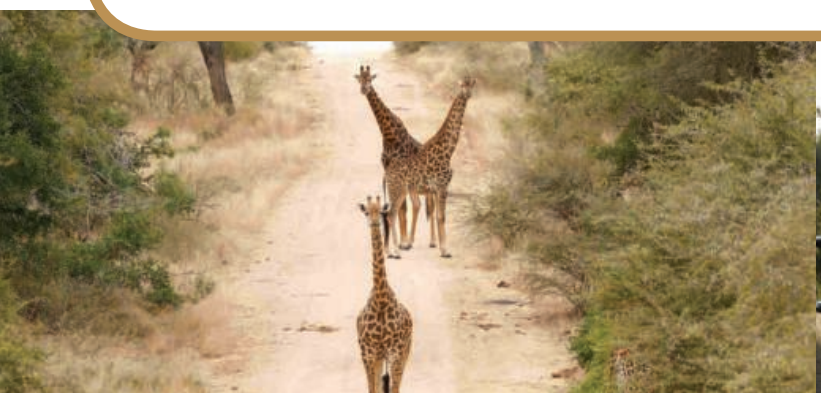
GARDEN COURT
OR Tambo Airport
011 974 5202
3Km Max - Uber/Taxi

OR TAMBO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT MAP



TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. A small single supplement is charged for single travellers.
2. All rates are quoted in South African Rand.
3. All prices are quoted in Rack rates.
4. Transfer costs and Conservation fees are included in the rates.
5. Rates are subject to change due to 3rd Party suppliers.
6. Safaris and Transfers are not private unless booked on a private basis.
7. Children 11 & under sharing with 2 adults = 75% of adult rate for private tours & 50% for shared, unless otherwise indicated.
8. Children under the age of 8 need to be booked under private departures (min 4 clients).
9. If children are 3 years or younger, all safaris will be conducted in closed air-conditioned vehicles.
10. Guests that are making use of our shuttle and flying out of O.R. Tambo International Airport on the last day are reminded not to book any flights departing earlier than 19:00 (domestic) or 20h00pm (international).
11. We do not accept any liability for guests missing flights, should they be booked to fly out on the last day.
12. Please note that we have a luggage restriction of 20Kg per person and a small piece of hand luggage.
13. Please note shuttles from Johannesburg depart at 6:45 am from the OR Tambo Bus & Shuttle Terminal and a maximum 5 km radius from the OR Tambo International Airport.
14. Please request our list of accommodation venues available in the area; all lodges include a shuttle service to and from the OR Tambo International Shuttle/Bus terminal; it is very safe and clearly marked.
15. Clients can also access the OR Tambo shuttle bus terminal from Sandton Hotels/Pretoria via the Gautrain service or Uber.
16. Clients will be collected from various accommodation venues between 06h00-06h45am; these times will be confirmed with you via your consultant when booking the tour.



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I AM PREPARED TO GO ANYWHERE **AS LONG AS IT IS FORWARD.**

- Dr David Livingstone

Get in touch

We would love to hear from you and work towards meeting all your safari requirements.

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