





# FITZPATRICK'S AT JOCK

AN INTIMATE HAVEN

Accommodating small groups and families on an exclusive-use basis, Fitzpatrick's at Jock is stylishly appointed to offer the ultimate private villa experience in the heart of the Kruger National Park. Complete with its own staff compliment, dedicated ranger and private game viewing vehicle, guests can explore the 6 000 hectare private concession, known for its exhilarating Big 5 sightings and other interesting game encounters. Fitzpatrick's at Jock is child-friendly and offers a unique Eco-Explorers programme to encourage educational and recreational wildlife activities.

# ROOM CONFIGURATION

- 1 x King/ twin-bedded luxury room. This suite can sleep a maximum of 2 adults sharing with 2 children aged 11 years and younger.
- 1 x Two-Bedroomed Family Unit. This unit consists of 2 suites, each room with own bathroom facilities and entrance leading off a communal foyer, sharing a private deck and plunge pool. The suite can sleep a maximum of 4 adults and 2 children aged 11 years and younger.

# LODGE FACILITIES

- Heated rock swimming pool
- Lounge with television and library
- Second lounge with fireplace
- Indoor and outdoor dining facilities
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Exclusive private outdoor boma
- Skull garden

# **ACTIVITIES**

- Game drives
- Guided wilderness walks
- Birdwatching
- Kids Eco-Explorers programme

# ROOM FEATURES

- Private plunge pool
- En-suite bathroom, with outdoor shower
- Air conditioning
- Private minibar
- Electronic safe
- Tea and coffee making facilities
- International dial telephone
- Hairdryer
- Ceiling fan











# AT A GLANCE

#### LEDGENDARY EXPERIENCES IN THE KRUGER

Jock Safari Lodge is nestled where the Mitomeni and Biyamiti rivers flow as one, situated in the south western corner of the Kruger National Park. The lodge offers 6 000 hectares of exclusive traversing rights in an area of the park which is celebrated for its Big 5 game viewing.

# CELEBRATE THE ROMANCE AND ELEGANCE OF A BYGONE ERA

- 6 000 Hectares of exclusive traversing in the first private concession set in over 2 million hectares of Kruger National Park.
- Without the pressures from large volumes of vehicles, our guests can spend quality time at a sighting without being rushed off.
- Situated on the confluence of two rivers (Biyamiti and Mitomeni Rivers) Jock offers an additional 23km of dry riverbed traversing.
- Guided wilderness walks through the rugged Kruger bushveld with a specialist guide, view some of the oldest Bushmen rock art in South Africa (approximately 3 000years old).
- One of the top environmental concession in Kruger National Park.
- An extensive road network allowing access into the far-reaching corners that would otherwise not be available.

### **GUEST ACTIVITIES**

#### Game Drives

Interactive game drives, lasting up to 4 hours and which are guided by your game ranger in an open game viewing vehicle, take place in the tranquil moods of sunrise and sunset. You are encouraged to share any particular interests with your ranger who will try to incorporate these into your game drive. On game drives, guests will enjoy a sundowner drink at sunset and coffee/tea at sunrise. Children from 0 up to, and including 5 years, are permitted on game drives conducted within the Jock Safari Lodge concession. Children from 6 years and older are welcome on regular game drives.

#### Guided Wilderness Walks

Qualified walking guides provide the opportunity for guests to experience the excitement of approaching species on foot. No persons under the age of 13 years are permitted to join the wilderness walks. Kindly ensure to request this activity at the time of booking accommodation as nature walks are subject to the availability of qualified guides.

# **Relaxation Retreats**

Various treatments can be enjoyed at our Relaxation Retreat which is situated at the main lodge (Main Jock). Treatments can be booked prior to arrival with our Reservations team. Kindly visit our website for the latest list of treatments available.

#### Golf

Exclusive access to Leopard Creek Golf Club is available at an additional cost and can be booked with accommodation. Complimentary return transfers are included







# PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

The following times are only an indication and approximate as these may vary according to seasons and weather conditions. Both lodges - Main Jock and Fitzpatrick's - operate independently, each with a full staff compliment, chef and host. Dinner alternates between the indoor and outdoor facilities, weather permitting.

We suggest that guests arrive in time for lunch on their day of arrival so as not to miss out on any game drives during their stay. Please check with reception to reconfirm your transfers/flight departure times. Due to the rules and regulations of the Kruger National Park, no persons are allowed on any KNP roads during the period of gates being closed. Therefore guests must be at their destination by the time the gates close. Jock Safari Lodge is approximately 45 minutes from the Malelane gate and therefore we recommend that flights to/ from Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport (KMIA/ MQP) are booked to:

- arrive before 14h30 on day of arrival
- depart after 10h00 on day of departure

Times vary slightly from season to season

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TIME	ACTIVITY				
04h30/05h30	Wake up call				
05h00/06h00	Early morning refreshments served				
05h15/06h15	Depart for morning game drive				
09h00	A continental breakfast buffet and				
	(plated) hot breakfast is served				
11h00	Requested check out time				
12h00	Lunch is served until 14h30				
13h00/14h00	Recommended arrival time				
15h00/15h30	Afternoon tea				
15h30/16h00	Depart for afternoon game drive				
20h00	Predinner drinks				
20h30	Varying dinner options served on				
alternate nights					
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#### KRUGER NATIONAL PARK GATE TIMES

MONTH	OPEN	CLOSE
January	05h30	18h30
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February	05h30	18h00
March		
April	06h00	18h00
May	06h00	17h30
June	06h00	17h30
July	06h00	17h30
August	06h00	18h00
September	06h00	18h00
October	05h30	18h00
November	05h30	18h30
December	05h30	18h30







# ECO-EXPLORERS PROGRAMME

Fitzpatrick's at Jock is a 3-room stand-alone lodge offering families personal service in an intimate atmosphere. Upon arrival the host and/or ranger will discuss activity options with the family taking the family's size, children's ages and the weather into consideration. Child minding is available at an additional cost. Each child will receive a signature backpack containing small gifts, some of which they can use during their stay at Fitzpatrick's at Jock.

## ARTS, CRAFTS AND GAMES

- Play dough session
- Mini Chef's
- Arts and crafts
- Puzzles of varying sizes and difficulties covering a broad age range
- A selection of entertaining and educational children's books
- A selection of fun board games

# **OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES**

- Junior ranger training while on kiddies drive
- Night walk within the camp
- Explore the dry riverbeds looking for skulls, frogs and bugs
- Visit the Stevenson Hamilton Museum in Skukuza

#### SPECIAL NOTES

- All swimming activities must be supervised by parents at all times
- Game drives for children 5 years and younger are limited to the Jock concession. Drives typically take place after breakfast once the standard drives return to the lodge.
- Child minding is done by lodge staff and can be arranged with reservations prior to arrival at an additional cost.
- Please ensure that all children bring good walking shoes, a large hat and sunscreen.













# **DIRECTIONS**

#### FROM JOHANNESBURG

Take the N12 national road to Witbank which becomes the N4 national road. Follow the N4 through Nelspruit and Malelane. About 2 km outside Malelane, take the turn-off to enter the Kruger National Park at the Malelane Gate where an entrance fee is payable. Please have your confirmation or voucher with you. Once you enter Malelane gate, drive straight on the H3 road, for about 29km and turn left at the "Jock Safari Lodge" sign. Travel along a 3 km dirt road until you reach the lodge. Distance from Johannesburg: 3 458km.

NOTE: The camp is situated half way between Skukuza and Malelane gates, approximately 29 km (45 minutes) in both directions with only 3 km of dirt road. Due to the rules and regulations of the Kruger National Park, nobody is allowed on any Kruger National Park roads during the period of gates being closed. Therefore guests must be at their destination by the time the gates close.

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# **CO-ORDINATES**

MAIN JOCK

S25° 13' 059" E031°34'007"

FITZPATRICK'S ATJOCK

S25° 13' 490" E031°34'007"

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