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Big five private game reserve with an emphasis on luxury and thoughtful detail. Five different regional eco-systems (biomes) and a tidal estuary. The rich diversity of landscapes offers unparalleled wildlife viewing experience. Safari Game Drives, Elephant Educational, Elephant Walk, Canoeing, Hiking and Quad Bike Riding.
043 734 3234 | www.inkwenkwezi.com | www.youtube.com/watch?v=BzX06P6ssOE

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082 938 6275 (John or Kathinka) | www.facebook.com/southerncrosscruisesandboating

**EAST LONDON MUSEUM**  CULTURE | HISTORY | FAMILY
Natural and cultural history museum, established in 1921. Exhibits include large fossil reptile skull and skeleton - Kannemeyria simocephalus; discovery of the coelacanth in 1938 - believed to have become extinct some 80 million years ago; display of area’s maritime history; trace human and animal fossil footprints found in coastal sandstone rock face (124 000 years); Hofmeyr skull (36 000 years); extensive collection of amaXhosa beadwork.
043 743 0686 | derekh@elmuseum.za.org | www.elmuseum.za.org

**MPONGO PARK**  WILDLIFE SAFARI | NATURE
3 500ha of conservation land 35km from East London - offers unique blend of luxury and wildlife experiences. With its rolling hills, river valleys and luscious surroundings, Mpongo is home to elephants, lions, buffalos, giraffes, numerous antelope and bird species.
043 742 9000/2/4 | info@mpongo.com
www.premierhotels.co.za/hotels/eastern-cape/east-london/mpongo-private-game-reserve

**FOOTPRINTS**  NATURE | CULTURE | HISTORY
In the beautiful Nahoon Point Reserve - designed in the shape of a footprint. Locally known as ‘Footprints’, this is the site at which human and animal trace fossil tracks were discovered in 1964. The sandstone at this site has been dated to 124 000 years, making the human fossil track the world’s oldest archaic human fossil footprints on the planet. An explanation of how they were formed can be viewed at the display in MBSA Coastal Education & Visitors Centre.
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Outdoor adventure and amusement venue with modern gaming and entertainment centre - where culture and adventure collide in an urban environment, catering for both local and International communities. Activities include go-karting, paintball, volleyball, quad-bikes, and abseiling.
info@driftersraceway.co.za | 043 727 5060 | www.facebook.com/DriftersRacewayThemePark

**SURFING**  WATER | SPORT
Wide choice of beach and river mouth surf breaks around East London. Excellent reef break at Nahoon for the more experienced surfer and a gentler sand break off Nahoon Corner - suitable for everyone - great place to learn to surf. Sugar Shack Surf Backpackers on Eastern Beach.
043 722 8240 | sugarsk@iafrica.com

**THE VENOM PIT AT PYTHON PARK**  FAMILY | OTHER
Outdoor, family-friendly reptile park. Watch and learn as experts handle venomous snakes and reptiles. Trained staff give tours around the park. Great party venue for children, with interactive touch farm. The Venom Pit offers training and call-outs to remove venomous or unwanted snakes in gardens, homes or places of work.
083 285 0534 (Shaun Boucher or Juan Marillier) | www.facebook.com/TheVenomPit

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**CRAFT BREWERY EXPERIENCE - EMERALDVALE**  DAY TRIP | OTHER
True Wild Coast hospitality family business popular with locals and visitors for its incredible ales and specialty beers. Brew tour of the workings of the microbrewery and how the beer finds its way from the keg to the glass.
043 738 5397 | 073 078 9688 | www.emeraldvale.co.za
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MARINE | WILDLIFE | ADRENalin | NATURE | CULTURE | HISTORY | FOOD | NIGHTLIFE | FAMILY
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Dubbed “The Friendly N6” because of the hospitality of the local people, this route offers natural history, trout fishing, 4x4 trails, a taste of farm life, meetings with living legends, and the pure bliss of driving around the mountain heights.

ON THE WARTRAIL HORSE TRAILS AND DAY RIDES NATURE
Get to the top of Senqu’s highest peaks, through picturesque valleys and rivers, to historical bushman paintings and massive sandstone features – on horseback. Groups of riders with any level of experience. Stay in self-catering, fully catered or cave-to-cave catered accommodation. Day rides, tailor-made group rides and annual rides in March and December for experienced cross-country riders. Kimberly and Peter Frost | 083 578 7033 | onthewartrail@gmail.com

22 ROCK ART NATURE | CULTURE | FAMILY
The quaint village of Rhodes, situated in one of the most remote parts of South Africa, has many rock art sites within close proximity, some of which are open to the public. Painted by the San who lived and hunted in these mountains hundreds of years ago, the art is still in good condition. Viewings are on private property – contact Rhodes Information Centre. 045 971 9003 | contact@rhodesinfo.co.za | www.rhodesinfo.co.za

23 MOUNTAIN BIKING ADRENALIN | NATURE | FAMILY
This great mountain bike country. Some of the many bike routes include:
- Rhodes - Maartenshoek/Table Hill - Rhodes
- Rhodes - Donkerhoek/Glass Nevin - Maartenshoek - Rhodes
- Rhodes - Donkerhoek/Clontarf - Bokspruit - Rhodes
- Wartrail Loop: Rhodes - Carlisleshoek/Tiffindell - Volunteershoek/Wartrail-Mosheshesford - Rhodes
- The Grandfather: Rhodes- Naudesnek/Cairntoul/Tenahead/Tiffendell/Carlisleshoek -Rhodes
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24 MOUNTAIN PASSES WILDLIFE SAFARI | ADRENALIN | NATURE | FAMILY
A spectacular place to put your 4 x 4 to the test .The following routes are recommended:
- Naude’s Nek - The highest mountain pass in South Africa.
- Joubert’s Pass - The third highest mountain pass in South Africa.
- Volunteershoek - Up to Tiffindell Ski Resort and the highest point in the Cape.
- Carlisleshoek - And down the other side to the historical Rhodes Village
- Lundean’s Nek - A scenic route to the Lesotho border post at Telebridge.
- Bastervoetpad - Challenging driving and incredible views of the valleys below.
- Barkly Pass - The only tarred pass – but the views are worth it!
- Otto Du Plessis - A wild and unspoiled pass with excellent birding.
- Karringmelkspruit - Tar, between Lady Grey and New England turnoff on the R58.
- Kraai River - Tar, between the New England turnoff and Barkly East.
- Eschapsberg - Very rough - between the R393 and R396.
045 971 9003 | contact@rhodesinfo.co.za | www.rhodesinfo.co.za

25 BIRDING WILDLIFE SAFARI | NATURE | FAMILY
The village of Rhodes and the surrounding areas: +/-230 bird species recorded including the Black Stork, Bearded Vulture, Black Harrier, Mountain Pipit, Yellow-breasted Pipit, Ground Woodpecker and the Drakensberg Rockjumper.
045 971 9003 | contact@rhodesinfo.co.za | www.rhodesinfo.co.za

26 ALPINE FLOWERS WILDLIFE SAFARI | NATURE | FAMILY
The montane grassland is host to alpine and sub alpine species with best displays experienced at higher altitudes from November to April. Tiffindell usually puts on a good show in early December and Naudesnek is at its best in February. Guided tours can be arranged.
045 971 9003 | contact@rhodesinfo.co.za | www.rhodesinfo.co.za

27 CAMINO ROUTE WILDLIFE SAFARI | ADRENALIN | NATURE | FAMILY
The original Camino walk is 3 days/4 nights - can be extended (20kms per day). Hearty farm meals for dinner, full breakfasts, snack packs for lunch and overnight stays on local farm houses included in pricing.
On the longer walk, Tiffindell Alpine Resort is included, with the option to walk Ben McDhui (highest mountain in the Cape Province) and down into Wartrail/New England valley on the other side of Rhodes.
045 971 9003 | contact@rhodesinfo.co.za | www.rhodesinfo.co.za

28 TIFFINDELL ALPINE SKI RESORT ADRENALIN | FOOD | FAMILY
Established in 1993, Tiffendell is an alpine resort for all seasons. Skiing at Tiffendell has no off-season, as when its not snowing, snow is manufactured. High altitude hiking, mountain biking, grass skiing, mountain boarding, photography, rock art, birding, some of SA’s best fly fishing, quad biking, and the famous “8 Passes” route for motorcyclists and 4x4’s. The Ski Resort has ski lifts, a restaurant, ski shop and ski school.
045 971 9003 | contact@rhodesinfo.co.za | www.rhodesinfo.co.za | www.tiffindell.co.za

29 COMMUNITY ARTS EXPERIENCE CULTURE | FAMILY
Sterkspruit Community Art Centre - an NPO and cultural hub, is home to many local artists, community groups and a meeting place where people come together to experience the performing arts. The Art Centre seeks to promote African Arts and Culture.
072 422 4753 | 060 331 9502 | www.scac.org.za

30 FLY FISHING FRESH WATERS SPORT
The Rhodes, Barkly East area has amazing fly fishing opportunities with +/-150km of mountain steams available to anglers - Bell River, Kraai River, Bokspruit, Riflespruit, Sterkspoort, Kloppershoekspruit, Vloeikraalspruit and Langkloof River. Many of the pristine rivers and streams originate 9 000 to 10 000ft above sea level. www.linecasters.co.za/freshwater/index | www.wildtrout.co.za
The Karoo Heartland’s rugged and intense beauty is dominated by vast, flat plains, rocky mountains, and the biggest assortment of succulents in the world. This beautiful area, subject to red dust, thorny acacias, stunted vegetation, aloes, windmills, sheep and the odd Angora goat, boasts some of the quaintest towns in the country.

**Karoo Fossils**

A treasure trove of ancient fossils - many of the farms in the Graaff-Reinet and Nieu Bethesda area have collections found in the veld. Take a day trip to Wellwood Farm and Ganora Guest Farm to view displays of amazing specimens found over 20 years. 049-8924248 | www.graaffreinet.co.za

A 1hr guided fossil trail to the riverbed where the fossil evidence for the story being told in the Kitching Fossil Exploration Centre is found. Note: fossils are protected by law and may not be collected or traded. 081 475 4095 | fossilsafaril@gmail.com

**The Owl House**

A National Heritage Site, The Owl House and Camelyard represent South Africa’s foremost example of the outsider art of internationally recognised artist, Helen Martins. Having lived a troubled and challenging life, she transformed an ordinary Karoo home to a place of light and colour with a fantasy garden of sculptures made from concrete and ground glass. 049 841 1733 | admin@theowlhouse.co.za | www.theowlhouse.co.za


**Karoo Food Experience**

Take a Karoo Cuisine trip to enjoy all the treats the Karoo has to offer - Karoo lamb, potjiekos, melkkoes; a typical Karoo Braai under the stars on one of the many farm stays; delectable carrot cake in Cradock. Stop off in Graaff-Reinet for gin beer and wine tasting opportunities. A coffee shop in Nieu-Bethesda offers the best coffee under the Sneeuberg. Chantelle The Tour Guide | 071 670 4747 | www.karooheartland.com

**Graaff Reinet**

Over 220 national monuments; beautiful white washed Karoo Cottages and Victorian homes in Aberdeen Nieu-Bethesda and surrounding farmsteads; the Camdeboo National Park - home to 43 mammal species, over 250 bird species, and some 330 plant species; game drives, hiking trails, a 4x4 trail; fishing at the Nqweba Dam; or a Karoo Hot Air Balloon trip. Graaff-Reinet Tourism | 049 892 4248 | www.graaffreinet.co.za

**Kuzuko Lodge**

Kuzuko Lodge rests on a hill overlooking the Kaboega plains and Winterberg Mountains. Twenty-four chalets offer guests awe-inspiring views of a big five reserve, a watering hole and the plains of the African Klein Karoo. Game drives, evening cosmic safaris, nature walks, cheetah interaction - the Kuzuko Foundation for Wildlife Rehabilitation preserves Africa’s wildlife legacy. Kuzuko@legacyhotels.co.za | www.kuzuko.com

**Ganora Excursions**

A guided informative walk to view Bushman and Khoi paintings, rock engravings and The James Kitching Fossil Centre. A museum, a medicinal plant tour and a game rehabilitation programme add to the offerings of Ganora. Stay overnight at Ganora farmstead, built in the mid 1700’s, and converted into three star guest lodge. 049 841 1302 | 082 698 0029 | info@ganora.co.za | www.ganora.co.za

www.youtube.com/watch?v=kcBd03JtvIk | www.youtube.com/watch?v=duXelm6ghlU

**Karoo Pred-a-Tours / Cat Conservation Trust**

Karoo Pred-a-tours offers Game drives and night walks on the 3 440ha game farm - Clifton. Also a tour of the small cat enclosures, with 4 of the smaller wild cat species in Southern Africa - blackfooted cat, African wild cat, serval and caracal. These cats will rarely be seen in the wild. There is no direct interaction between the public and the cats. Marion Holmes | 082 868 1936 | info@karoocons.org | www.karoocons.org

**Leisure Cycling Trails**

Five different 5-day leisure cycling trails, all on a network of dirt/district roads - 6 cyclists min. per trail. (max 14). Trailing vehicle and guides with each group. Rated by Sunday Times Travel (14.01.2018) as one of 15 Great Cycle Adventures globally on the “must do” list. David Southey | 011 489 5411 | 082 453 6357 | dsouthey@isec.co.za | www.gkcycle.co.za

www.youtube.com/watch?v=time_continue=5&v=VWPY0ot9_oA

**The Valley of Desolation Sunset Tour**

Hauntingly beautiful geological formations with spectacular 120m high columns of ancient eroded volcanic rock that stand sentinel over the plains of Camdeboo. Kudu, Cape mountain zebra, mountain reedbuck and the majestic Verreaux’s eagle with 2m wingspan. Overnight in the rustic Waaihoek Hut with outdoor shower and loo with a view! 049 892 3978 | 027 823 3986 | karooconnections@intekom.co.za | www.karooconnections.co.za

https://karooconnections.co.za/tours/valley

**Mountain Zebra National Park**

28 000 hectares of wildlife including Cape mountain zebra, aardwolf, Cape buffalo, cheetah, blue crane, black rhino and Denham’s bustard. www.sanparks.co.za/parks/mountain_zebra
The Kouga Rout incorporates the towns of Humansdorp, Patensie and Hankie in the Gamtoos Valley, the Langkloof Valley, the Baviaanskloof Wilderness area and the coastal towns of Oyster Bay, St Francis Bay and Jeffrey’s Bay. Enjoy activities from beach horse rides and hiking to calamari tasting and golf.

**HORSE BACK RIDING - OYSTER BAY**

Nature | Family
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Two tours, 10 am and 3 pm, catering for beginners and advanced riders. No fitness level specifically needed but know your own body’s limitations.

**BAVIAANS CAMINO & COASTAL CHOKKA TRAIL**

Adrenaline | Nature
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The north-south route of the Baviaans Camino lends itself to novice horse riders accompanying hikers, supported by two vehicles. Overnight in farmhouses or tents. Starts in the Klein Karoo, traverses the Baviaanskloof Mountain Range into the Baviaanskloof, and continues through the Kouga Mountain Range towards the coast. 75km over 4 days and 5 nights. The Chokka Trail is a 62km slackpacking holiday between Oyster Bay, St Francis Bay and Cape St Francis. The best possible way to see and experience just how beautiful the greater St Francis is on foot, at your own pace and with overnight accommodation at guesthouses and a resort.
Esti Stewart 073 825 0835 | www.baviaanscamino.com | info@chokkatrail.co.za | www.chokkatrail.co.za

**GAMTOOS TOURISM EXPERIENCES**

Culture | History | Other
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Sarah Baartman Grave: The gravesite of a Khoi-San woman, laid to rest outside a town in the Kouga region. She spent a tragic and lonely life as an “object of display” in Europe during the 18th and 19th centuries. Magnificent views of the Gamtoos floodplain. Bergvenster is a window in the hill overlooking Gamtoos valley from both sides. Phillips Tunnel and graves: A 240m tunnel that took 15 months to complete in August 1844. It was in use from 1845 to 1970. The graves are behind the old “Phillip Manse” beside the railway line.
Gamtoos Tourism | www.gamtoos.net

**SEASIDE OPEN WOODFIRE EATING EXPERIENCE**

Food | Family
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An unforgettable feast cooked over open wood fires on the edge of the ocean - unbeatable seafood and traditional South African food. Tables and chairs are in the sea sand on the ocean’s edge. It's a whole different feet-in-the-sand dining experience. Great for families.
Walskipper 042 292 0005 | wals@intecom.co.za | www.walskipper.co.za

**QUAD BIKING**

Adrenaline | Nature
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Quad and off-road bike rides in the fabulous Kabeljous valley, visiting the zipline, watergat and cliff dive. Ride alongside a game farm and view giraffe, buffalo, zebra and other wildlife.
072 227 8333 | jbayquads@aol.com | www.jbayquadadventures.com

**GREATERT ST FRANCIS EXPERIENCE**

Water | Nature | History | Food | Family
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Experience Port St Francis at the eastern most point of Africa, enjoy calamari tasting and explore the St Francis Canals on a barge. Option to extend the experience to include an Eco Sea Cruise (about 5 - 7 hrs).
St Francis Tourism 042 294 0076 | Hantie vd Westhuizen 083 294 2211
office@stfrancistourism.co.za | www.stfrancistourism.co.za

**EXPERIENCE PABALA - GAMTOOS RIVER**

Marine | Wildlife | Water | Nature | Culture
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Kayaking; Nature Reserve and Baviaans bird watching photo safari, sunset drive, game viewing; hiking trail, deep sea fishing charters, fresh water fishing in private dams and fishing charters on the Gamtoos River.
082 650 2730 / 082 508 7762 / 042 296 2950 | info@pabalagamefarm.co.za
http://pabalaprivatenaturereserve.co.za
https://www.facebook.com/Pabalagf
https://secure.activitybridge.com/book

**SKYDIVE EXPERIENCE**

Adrenaline
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A scenic 20 minute plane ride over Jeffreys bay, followed by the rush and excitement from jumping out of an aircraft a 9 000ft. 30 seconds freefall at 200kph and a 5 minute parachute ride. Experienced instructors with a minimum of 1000 skydives.
Skydive Jeffreys Bay 072 266 22150 | info@skydivejeffreysbay.co.za | www.skydivejeffreysbay.co.za

**SHELL MUSEUM**

Culture | History
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The Charlotte Kritzinger Shell Museum is a fantastic family attraction in Jeffrey’s Bay. The museum is home to more than 600 different kinds of shells, including the cowry, paper nautilus, baby jam tarts, and a new species of cone, making it one of the largest shell collections in South Africa. Don’t miss the annual Shell Festival held in September.
082 852 4056 | petro.meyer@telkomsa.net | www.showme.co.za/jeffreys-bay/tourism/shell-museum

**A DAY UP THE KROMME RIVER**

Water | Nature
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Based in the canal system of St Francis Bay, the luxury River Break barge, cruises the canals, Kromme and Geelhout River. Spot a variety of buck species as well as the ever-present fish eagle en route to the farm. A traditional South African braai with all the trimmings is served at lunchtime.
Anita 042 298 0054 | seals@iafrica.com | www.capesfrancis.co.za

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**EXPERIENCE 41 - 50**
Here the Addo Elephant National Park stretches from the Karoo region north of the Zuurberg Mountain Range to the coast and islands of Algoa Bay. This is one of the most biologically diverse areas in the world, with five of the country's seven biomes. It has one of most densely populated elephant herds in the world and is home to the locally endemic flightless dung beetle.

ADDOWILDLIFE ECO TOUR AND SAFARI WILDLIFE
Addo wildlife guides take you on a tour of the nature reserve situated on the banks of Sundays River. Learn about unique Eastern Cape plants and trees; view the reserves prolific wildlife; enjoy a scrumptious meal and refreshments at the boma on the bank of the river.
reservations@addowildlifeco.za | Addowildlife.com

CITRUS FARM AND GAME EXPERIENCE WILDLIFE SAFARI | NATUREY | FAMILY
A citrus farm and game viewing experience - sable and buffalo, giraffe, warthog, monkeys, birds and many antelope species to view. Includes a stop in the mountain where drinks and snacks are served in a traditional hut.
Kududu Guest House 042 234 0177 | marinda@kududu.co.za | anri@kududu.co.za | www.kududu.co.za

ADDONATIONAL PARK MARINE SAFARI | WILDLIFE SAFARI
The only Big 7 game reserve in the world. View the largest density of African Elephants on the planet, Cape buffalo, leopard, black rhino, lion as well as great white shark and seasonal southern right whale in the marine section.
041 582 2575

DOUBLE ZIPLINE AND GIANT SWING ADRENAVIN
The highest, longest and fastest double zip line in South Africa, and the only giant swing of its kind in this country. No age restrictions but strict weight restrictions: 20-120kg zip line / 20-130kg giant swing. Moderate fitness required for the 500m hike to the zip line departure tower.
info@adrenalinaddo.co.za | www.adrenalinaddo.co.za

ADDO HORSE TRAIL NATURE
Addo Horse Trails depart from Addo Main Camp in a big game area.
Morning ride: 08h30. Afternoon ride: 14h00. Both 2hrs, maximum 7 and minimum 1.
042 233 8600 | addoenquiries@sanparks.org
https://www.sanparks.org/parks/addo/tourism/activities/horse_trails

ADDOCRUises & SAND SLEDDING (SUNDAYS RIVER FERRY) WATER | NATURE | FAMILY
5 km from Addo Elephant National Park. River cruise and sand sledding/boarding - safe for all ages. Weather dependant.
info@addocruises.co.za | www.addocruises.co.za | www.addocruises.activitar.com
www.youtube.com/watch?v=SJgnvnewN44

BOAT CRUISES PORT ELIZABETH & ADDO MARINE
071 185 6565 | book@sundaze.co.za | www.sundaze.co.za

WATERSKI, WAKEBOARDING & WAKE SNAKE WATER
Sundays River Adventures. Caters for fun, sun, adrenalin and outdoors entertainment - sandboarding, water skiing, wakeboarding, tubing, boogy boarding, private river cruises, personalised tours, team building, business tours, international tourists and anyone looking for some fun in the sun.
071 185 6565 | book@sundaze.co.za | www.sundaze.co.za

ATASTE OF AFRICA - RESTAURANT & COFFEE SHOP FOOD
A Taste of Africa is a South African Restaurant and Coffee shop based on the banks of the Sundays River, just outside the Addo Elephant National Park in a small town called Colchester. We have great food and fun people. Serving up local favorites including weekly and monthly specials to change up the menu.
071 185 6565 | book@sundaze.co.za | www.sundaze.co.za

DANIELLE Cheetah PROJECT CONSERVATION
Daniell Cheetah Project offers a unique educational Predator Tour by trained tour guides. This is a 1hr guided educational tour to see and learn more about our animals, their conservation status and our efforts. Guests will be given the opportunity to visit a cheetah inside the cheetah’s enclosure.
www.daniellcheetahproject.org
This route explores the spectacular strip of coastline between Port Elizabeth and East London where you travel via coastal towns and hamlets like Colchester, Alexandria, Kenton on Sea, Port Alfred and Kids Beach. The route’s major attraction is its magnificent sandy coastline with many rivers, resorts and activities along the way.

**SIBUYA GAME RESERVE WILDLIFE**
Sibuya offers a variety of day trips hosted by a professional guide. A leisurely cruise up the Kariega River followed by a 3hr game drive and a delicious cold buffet lunch on the banks of the river. A full day option with a cruise, two game drives and lunch; a cruise up the river followed by lunch in one of the camps. A slow cruise back to Kenton-on-Sea.
046 6481040 | res2@sibuya.co.za

**BEACH HORSE RIDING AT PORT ALFRED OR KENTON-ON-SEA NATURE**
THREE SISTERS HORSE TRAILS - 15km outside of Port Alfred on the R72. Adventurous horse riding and hiking trails down steep game dunes onto secluded beaches, and through shady dune forests with stunning views out to sea. BEACHCOMBERS HORSE TRAILS - riding along golden beaches, exploring the many coves, dune fields and rivers along the way. WILDLIFE SAFARI - experience the thrill of galloping alongside herds of eland, giraffe and zebra!
Jono | 0832813322 | www.beachcomberhorsetrails.co.za | Jann Webb | 082 645 6345 | 3sistershorsetrails@gmail.com | www.threesistershorsetrails.co.za

**GOLFING - TWO ICONIC GOLF COURSES SPORT**
The Royal Port Alfred Golf Club’s undulating course snakes its way through thickets of pristine coastal forest and over hilly dunes in true links tradition. Panoramic views from many of the fairways. Resident wildlife includes bushbuck, springbok, impala, blesbok, fallow deer, duiker, giant tortoises and abundant birdlife. The magnificent Gary Player championship 18-hole golf course at Fish River Golf Resort incorporates bent grass greens and unique challenges presented by the natural landscape.
Royal Port Alfred Golf Course: 046 624 4796 | Fish River Resort: 040 676 1101

**WILDLIFE SAFARI DAY TRIP | KENTON-ON-SEA**
Boutique hotel and spa experience in a wildlife reserve overlooking the Indian Ocean. Visit for a day and enjoy a superb meal and game drive, or stay overnight and enjoy this exquisite environment.
reservations@oceanareserve.com | www.oceanareserve.com
www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bb5GNCDBty6s|t=2

**SHIPWRECK HIKING AND CANOE TRAIL WATER | NATURE**
The Kleinemonde West River Canoe Trail is situated 15km from Port Alfred on the East London side of the R72. Experience the beauty of the river and magnificent bird and wildlife while you paddle in our comfortable canoes to Lily Pad overnight hut - an easy ±6km paddle followed by a ±3km hike with your backpacks to ‘Lily Pad’ overnight hut, rustic but comfortable.
Dave Marais | 082 393 0647 | 046 675 1321 | adrift@mweb.co.za | www.shipwreckhiking.co.za

**PRISTINE BEACH EXPERIENCE FAMILY**
The Sunshine Coast stretches from iconic Woody Cape in the West to the Great Fish River in the east. Over 100km of pristine and unspoilt coastline featuring majestic dunes, coves, rocky bays, stretches of golden sand, 10 rivers, ideal for water sports, paddling, canoeing, or just relaxing.
Sunshine Coast Tourism | 046 624 1235 | tourism@sunshinecoasttourism.co.za
www.sunshinecoasttourism.co.za

**5 MUSEUMS HISTORICAL TOUR HISTORY | CULTURE**
The Sunshine Coast has a rich tapestry of history, dating back to 1488, when Bartholomew Dias erected a padrone at Kwaaihoek. History expands to the 100-year frontier war, 1820 settlers and modern political struggles. Visit the 5 Museums of the Sunshine Coast for a unique experience area.
Sunshine Coast Tourism | 046 624 1235 | www.sunshinecoasttourism.co.za

**SURF LIKE A PRO WATER | SPORT**
Shaka Surf School and surf camp is based in Port Alfred but operates in Kenton during holiday seasons. The forest surf camp boasts an up cycled treehouse - hired as a private unit or a dormitory that can sleep six. The surf camp is on the edge of an ancient dune forest and boasts its own hiking trail and half pipe skateboard ramp. Surfing road trips.
Dave MacGregor | 082 335 4764 | dave@livewirenews.co.za
www.sunshinecoasttourism.co.za/listing/shaka-surf-school
Tsitsikamma Adventure Route stretches from the Bloukrans River in the west to the Tsitsikamma River in the east, is bordered on the north by the imposing Tsitsikamma Mountains and in the south by the Indian Ocean. Tsitsikamma is a Khoi word meaning “place of abundant or sparkling water”.

**HIGHEST COMMERCIAL BUNGY IN THE WORLD  ADRENALIN**

The view from Africa's highest bridge captures all the majesty and tranquility of the Bloukrans River valley. But there is nothing tranquil about throwing yourself more than 200 metres down towards the river below. Recognised as the 'highest bungy from a bridge' in the world, Bloukrans Bungy uses pendulum bungy technology to ensure the smoothest, most comfortable bungy jump possible. Jumpers are secured in a full-body harness combined with an ankle connection.

042 281 1458 | 071 109 6872 | 071 248 5959 | book@faceadrenalin.com | www.faceadrenalin.com

www.youtube.com/watch?v=cg7-NrrCNWw

**TREE TOP CANOPY TOUR – ZIPLINE EXPERIENCE  ADRENALIN**

A Canopy Tour takes you on an unforgettable adventure as you zipline from one platform to the next along a series of steel cables set amongst magnificent natural surroundings. Safe for almost all ages (recommended age group is between 7 - 70). Canopy Tours are enjoyed by nature lovers, families, thrill seekers and corporate team building or conference groups.

042 281 1836 | www.stormsriver.com | www.canopytour.co.za

**KAYAK AND LILO  WATER | NATURE | FAMILY**

Kayak across the ocean & under the Storms River suspension bridge; paddle up the Storms River Mouth; lilo deeper up the Storms River Gorge; leap off the overhangs of cliff walls of the gorge into deep pools. The kayak and lilo experience can be enjoyed by the whole family. The lilo trip is our most popular and most recommended by locals and international tourists alike.

073 130 0689 | bookings@untouchedadventures.com | www.untouchedadventures.com

www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kxagat2Zsjw

**BEER TASTING AT TSITSIKAMMA MICRO BREWERY  OTHER**

An old building on the village main road has been converted into a brewery and tasting room. All beers are brewed according to the 1487 German Reinheitsgebot (purity law): using only barley, hops and water. Our ingredients are carefully selected and the water is from our own well. Our tasting room also showcases products from 5 other Craft Breweries, a choice of more than 30 beers; and most importantly - has an off-sales license! Alcohol is not for sale to person under 18.

info@tsitsikammamicrobrewery.co.za | www.tsitsikammamicrobrewery.co.za

**THEMED RESTAURANT / ‘MUSEUM’  FOOD**

Marilyn’s 60’s Diner situated in Storms River Village, in the heart of Tsitsikamma, is a great landmark for a trip down memory lane - Cadillacs and Chevys, neon rimmed signage, 50 and 60’s decor, and Elvis and Marilyn memorabilia. Like the classic diner of the movies this restaurant serves everything from breakfast, cakes and milkshake numbers to All American Cocktails, burgers, steak and diner style desserts.

info@marilyns60sdiner.co.za | www.marilyns60sdiner.co.za

**SEGWAY TOUR  ADVENTURE | NATURE | FAMILY**

Discover the Storm River Village and the Tsitsikamma Forest on a Segway. The guided tour takes you around the cool pine forest, indigenous forest over the historical Witteklip Bridge into the local township and to the grand 1000 year old Tsitsikamma BIG tree. An experience not to be missed!

www.segwayfun.co.za/tsitsikamma-segway-tours

**TSITSIKAMMA CANOPY TOUR  ADVENTURE | NATURE**

Discovering the Tsitsikamma rain forest on a canopy tour is a one of a kind experience. At 30 metres above the ground, explorers slide from platform to platform along a steel cable.

www.stormsriver.com/canopy_tour_tree_top_tour_stormsriver_tsitsikamma_garden_route

**BUNGY  ADRENALIN**

At 217 metres, the Bloukrans Bridge is the world’s highest bungy jumping bridge. Overlooking the Bloukrans River valley, the spectacular view captures the magnificence and tranquillity of the vicinity. But the jump off the bridge gets your Adrenalin pumping and makes it an experience you’ll never forget.

www.faceadrenalin.com

**TSITSIKAMMA NATIONAL PARK  NATURE**

Top five sights include: Dolphins and porpoises, African Black Oystercatcher, Knysna Lourie, Cape Clawless Otter and Blue Duiker.

www.nature-reserve.co.za/tsitsikamma-coastal-national-park

**PROTEA TOUR  NATURE**

Visit the Regyne Protea Farm for tea and learn everything there is to know about this beautiful flower.

www.facebook.com/pages/Regyne-Protea-Farm
The Wild Coast stretches from East London all the way north to Port Edward, the region is home to some of the most beautiful coastal scenery in the world. It is a place of steep green hills atop which sit clusters of traditional Xhosa mud huts; a land of windswept cliffs, deserted white-beaches, forests, untamable waves and numerous shipwrecks.

WILD COAST
A HEALING AND CULTURAL EXPERIENCE
Amapondo Backpackers organises tours to the Isinuka valley where visitors can experience the cultural healing site. Isinuka Sulphur Springs and Mud Caves, located just out of the coastal town of Port St Johns, Eastern Cape is a traditional healing site the Pondo people. Clays form an integral part of African cultural wellbeing and is applied in varied forms of traditional rituals, cosmetics and medical practices to treat an array of ailments and diseases. 083 315 3103 | 081 257 4504 | info@amapondo.co.za | www.amapondo.co.za/adventure-tours

PORT ST JOHNS EXPERIENCE
Port St. Johns boasts some of the most beautiful natural scenery in South Africa with a 270 km long coastline. It lies at the mouth of the Mzimvubu River that flows through an impressive gorge (“Gates of St John”) into an estuary on the Indian Ocean. Experience the following: Bululo Waterfall Hike, Cape Hermes Lighthouse, Isinuka Mudcaves, Blowhole & The Gap Hike, Silaka Nature Reserve, Poenskop Beach, First Beach, Second Beach, Umzimbvuvu River Fishing, Eagles Nest Hike, Bululo Dam and Double Falls.

SARDINE RUN
Offshore Africa Port St John’s Sardine Run ocean safari. The annual sardine run occurs along the Wild coast from mid-June until late July. Photographic opportunities and in-water experiences. Scuba divers require an Open Water qualification and excellent buoyancy control. Snorkelers MUST be comfortable in deep water. All in-water users MUST be comfortable to encounter sharks. A moderate fitness level required for 7hr activity.

KOB INN BEACH RESORT FAMILY EXPERIENCE
Where a family has the opportunity to do things as a family – hiking, horse riding, canoeing, fat biking or just chilling.

A CHINTSA EAST HORSE RIDE ON THE BEACH
“People who say there is no heaven on earth have clearly never been on a horse.” The wonderful beaches and bush trails of the Wild Coast are best explored on the back of a Chintsa Horse.

UMNGAZI PONDO PEDAL ADRENALIN
An exciting annual (mid June) fully supported three-day mountain bike race on the Wild Coast. The route includes animal paths and carefully crafted single tracks, joined by district roads that are sometimes more suited to a bicycle than a car! Entry fee includes four nights and all meals at Umngazi River Bungalows & Spa, as well as a donation to Umngazi’s local community upliftment projects.

Nelson Mandela Museum
The Transkei is the esteemed birth place to many leaders of the Apartheid Revolution – the most recognised of them being Nelson Mandela. It is fitting that along the splendid Wild Coast, a Nelson Mandela Museum, endorsed by the icon himself, adds a rich experience of heritage to your to-do list.

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Georgie Dickerson 043 738 5141 | georgie@cintsahorses.co.za
This route traverses the area that was the scene of nine Frontier Wars between the British and the Xhosa and the meeting place of five great cultures, San, Khoi-Khoi, Dutch, Xhosa and British. Frontier Country, in its natural state is one of the most diverse regions on earth. Much of the pristine indigenous flora and fauna is still very accessible, making for breathtaking views, experiences and memories.

GAME VIEWING IN FRONTIER COUNTRY  NATURE | WILDLIFE
KWANTU | BLAAUWKRAUNITZ | SHAMWARI | AMAKHALA | BUCKLANDS | KAMALA | KWANDWE
BUSHMAN SANDS | GREAT FISH RIVER | LALIBELA | THOMAS BAINES | PUMBA

NATIONAL ARTS FESTIVAL  CULTURE
The biggest annual celebration of arts on the African continent in the town of Grahamstown. The event takes place in July and comprises a programme of drama, dance, physical theatre, comedy, opera, music, jazz, visual art, exhibitions, film, student theatre, street theatre, lectures, craft fair, workshops, city and historic tours and children’s entertainment.
www.nationalartsfestival.co.za

ALBANY AND OBSERVATORY MUSEUM  HISTORY | CULTURE
The Albany Museum, established in 1855 and located in Grahamstown, is the second oldest museum in South Africa. The Observatory Museum houses one of only two Victorian Cameras Obscura in the world - the other is in Bath (England) - with a magical mirror that reflects the town onto a large circular table.
Open: Mon - Fri 09h00 to 16h30 | Closed: weekends and public holidays.
albanymuseum@ru.ac.za | www.albanymuseum.blogspot.com

BATHURST COUNTRY FAIR  ENTERTAINMENT
Taking place annually in August, the Fair attractions include: wine tastings, the Culinary Challenge, town criers, live music and entertainment, upmarket exhibitors, Bathurst Noo Pet show, craft beers, Hooves and Wheels parade, the Village Idiots, Mr & Mrs Universe beauty pageant, pineapple throwing competition, waitron race, distilleries, alpacas, historical tours buskers stage.
www.bathurstcountryfair.co.za

PIG AND WHISTLE  FOOD
Stop by the historic Pig and Whistle Inn while in Bathurst. This Inn has been providing hospitality for over 180 years and is home to the oldest continuously licensed pub in South Africa!
www.facebook.com/ThePigbathurst
This route stretches from Adelaide in the west to Stutterheim in the east, with the majestic Amatola Mountains standing as a clear beacon on the horizon. Visit an area steeped in Xhosa culture and Settler history. Activities in the area include trout fishing, canoeing, bass fishing, mountain biking, archery and abseiling.

**AMATHOLE MOUNTAINS**

**MDANTSANE TOWNSHIP TOUR**  
CULTURE  
Guided tours to experience the day-to-day life of the second largest township in South Africa. Mdantsane, also known as the Boxing Mecca of South Africa, is home to boxing world champions like Happyboy Mgxaji, Welcome Ncita and Vuyani Bungu. Taste Umqombhothi, home-brewed African beer and get to know the locals in a tavern while listening to live music.  
Imonti Tours - Veliile | 083 487 8975 | info@imontitours.co.za

**STUTTERHEIM ENGINE MUSEUM**  
HISTORY  
Established in 1995, the Stutterheim Engine Museum displays 120 engines from 1903 to 1990. It is believed to have one of the largest collections of restored stationary engines in the world. Visit the museum to learn about the development and advancement of engines as well as the history the engines on display.  
043 683 1507

**CULTURAL VILLAGE - CATA**  
CULTURE  
Learn to speak isiXhosa on a week-long home stay with a traditional Xhosa family. Visit the Cata Cultural Village to discover the culture of warmth and hospitality and experience the traditional way of life through food, customs, rituals, song and dance. Overnight at the Cata Chalets, 120km from East London. Mountain biking, bird watching and hiking.  
www.catal.org.za

**STEVE BIKO MUSEUM**  
HISTORY  
Steve Bantu Biko, an anti-apartheid activist in the 1960s and 1970s, founded the Black Consciousness Movement which empowered and mobilised the urban population. He died, while in police custody, at the age of 30. The Steve Biko Museum in Ginsberg, near King William’s Town, pays tribute to the Black Consciousness Movement.  
043 605 6700 | tourism@sbf.org.za

**HOGSBACK WATERFALL, HIKING, ECO SHRINE**  
NATURE | ADVENTURE  
The little village of Hogsback, surrounded by scenic mountains, is often covered by a blanket of snow during winter.