# Nkomazi

PRIVATE GAME RESERVE

BY

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# BOULDERS SELF-CATERING LODGE AT NKOMAZI PRIVATE GAME RESERVE BY NEWMARK

Boulders – set on Nkomazi Private Game Reserve's 15 000 hectares of malaria-free land – invites guests to enjoy the beauty of towering mountains, broad river valleys and impressive grasslands, coupled with all the laid-back comforts of "home-style" accommodation. This family-friendly safari destination hosts a diverse ecosystem that supports both Highveld and Lowveld game species and abundant birdlife, offering exceptional sighting and photography opportunities.

## ACCOMMODATION

Boulders is a standalone self-catering house that guests can book exclusively for a six-day stay, for up to eight adults. It is a private retreat, set in the centre of the reserve and framed by panoramic views of Nkomazi's rugged land. Here, guests will be met with spacious living areas, a rustic, farm-style aesthetic, and generous indoor and outdoor facilities that equip guests to enjoy their bush vacation at their pace and in their way.

Boulders includes a fully equipped kitchen, two king rooms with en-suite bathrooms and two twin rooms with a shared bathroom. The yard features rolling lawns, a private swimming pool with deck chairs and an umbrella,  two bomas for exclusive use, each with a fire pit and a barbeque, and fencing which allows guests to enjoy this outdoor space.

## SERVICES & FACILITIES

- Wi-Fi throughout the house
- Private swimming pool
- Fully-equipped kitchen
- King and twin beds with luxury linen
- Bathrobes and slippers
- International adaptors
- Secure safe
- Secure parking at the lodge's entrance
- Complimentary welcome refreshment on arrival
- Housekeeping offered twice daily
- Picnics available when booked in advance

## GAME DRIVES

Nkomazi Private Game Reserve offers incredible game-viewing opportunities, with four of the Big Five – lion, cape buffalo, leopard and elephant – as well as a wide variety of antelope, giraffe, zebra, cheetah and other species. Nkomazi is also a birder's paradise. Guests can expect to take in the beauty of towering mountains, broad river valleys and impressive grasslands, while spotting diverse creatures of land and sky, and gleaning insights from our expert birding guides.

We offer two three-hour game drives per day — one early morning and one in the afternoon.

## DAILY SCHEDULE:

**Summer**

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| 4:45 | Wake-up call |
| 5:30 | Game drive departs |
| 10:00 | Depart from lodge (for departure guests) |
| 15:00 | Arrive at lodge (for arrival guests) |
| 16:30 | Game drive departs |

**Winter**

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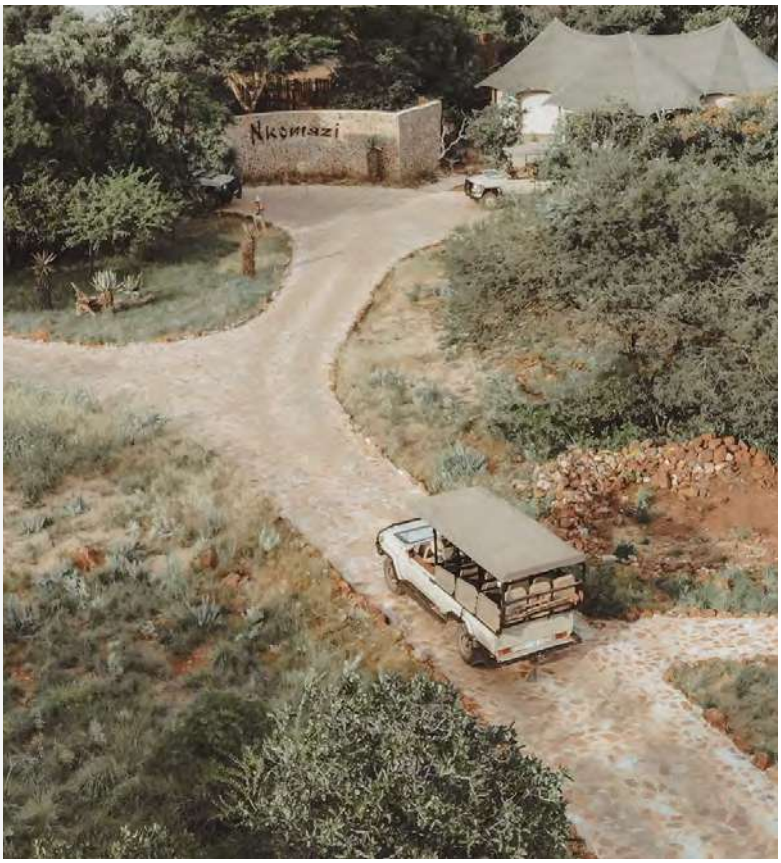
| 6:15 | Wake-up call |
| 6:45 | Game drive departs |
| 10:00 | Depart from lodge (for departure guests) |
| 15:00 | Arrive at lodge (for arrival guests) |
| 15:30 | Game drive departs |

**NOTE:** The daily schedule is adjusted seasonally according to lodge management and guides' discretion and depending on seasonal and weather changes. The months noted per season are merely a guideline and may change without prior notice.



# EXPERIENCES

## CATCH-AND-RELEASE FISHING

An incredible 30 km of the Komati River winds its way through Nkomazi Private Game Reserve, creating excellent fishing opportunities for guests to enjoy. This activity is offered on a catch-and-release basis. It is subject to weather and river conditions.

Rangers are available to offer basic tuition and guidance, if required, so people at all levels of experience can enjoy this fun add-on activity. The best time of year for this experience is during the months of spring and summer.

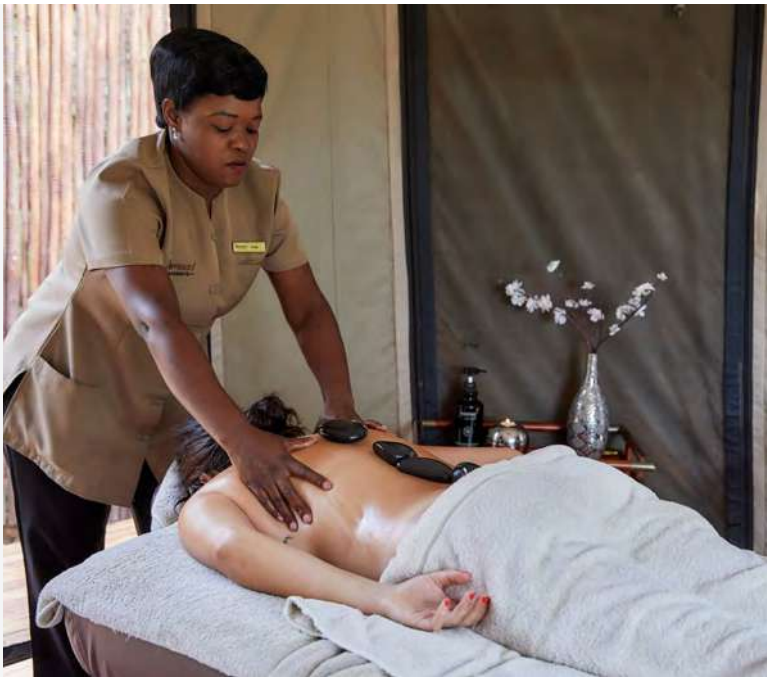
The experience takes about 90 minutes and is available at an extra cost.

## RIVERSIDE RETREAT SPA

The Riverside Spa at Nkomazi offers a variety of restorative treatments that guests can add onto their stay.

The Komati River Rapids treatment, including a full-body scrub, full-body wrap and a hot-stone back massage, offers the ideal way to unwind after early-morning game drives. In addition to massages and scrubs, the spa offers a variety of grooming treatments, such as facials, pedicures and manicures.

**Please note:** Treatments need to be booked in advance to ensure availability. Bookings can be made and transport arranged via reception ahead of guests' visits by emailing r**eservations@newmarkhotels.com.**



More information is available via Newmark's reservations team or a receptionist at Nkomazi Private Game Reserve.

## WEDDINGS

Nkomazi boasts spectacular African surroundings – a dream-like setting – for intimate weddings.

For more information,
please contact r**eservations@newmarkhotels.com.**

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT TIMES

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| **Check in** | 14H00 |
| **Check out** | 10H00 |

These times are adjusted seasonally

## CONTACT

**Reservations**
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Email: reservations@newmarkhotels.com

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## LOCATION

**Physical Address:**
Nkomazi Private Game Reserve
On the Tjakastad Road
eManzana
Mpumalanga
South Africa
1190

**Postal Address:**
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**GPS Co-ordinates:**
-25.994584468527936,
30.75878066174896

**Distances:**
26 km from Emanzana
80 km from Mbabane, Swaziland
118 km from Nelspruit
311 km from Johannesburg

## CHILD POLICY

- Children of all ages are welcome, but parents are responsible for their supervision.
- The full rate is payable for children 12 years and older.
- Children must be seven years or older to go on game drives.
- Children must be 16 years or older to go on guided nature walks.

# LOCALITY

## TEMPERATURE

**Average day temperatures:**

**Summer (October - April / May)**
Hot, occasional thunder showers
Average daytime temperature: 30°C

**Winter (April / May - September)**
Cool, sometimes snow on the mountains
Average daytime temperature: 15°C

## CURRENCY

Rand
Visa and Mastercard accepted.

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Guests must hold an international passport or South African ID.

## ELECTRICITY

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International adaptors are available.

## SUGGESTED PACKING LIST

- Light-weight clothing
- Swimwear
- Warm clothing, including items such as a jacket, scarf and beanie
- Waterfront jacketHat
- Hat
- Sunblock
- Sunglasses
- Insect repellent
- Small flashlight
- Binoculars
- Camera

## HEALTH

Nkomazi Private Game Reserve is classified as a malaria-free area. It is, however, recommended that guests contact their local travel clinic for advice on the necessary precautionary measures for visits to this region.

## ABOUT MPUMALANGA

Mpumalanga, which means “place where the sun rises”, is situated on the eastern side of South Africa and is one of the country’s nine provinces. It is home to a diverse range of fauna and flora which makes it a remarkable destination. World-famous attractions such as the Kruger National Park, Pilgrim’s Rest, the Blyde River Canyon and God’s Window are all located in this region.

The province is divided longitudinally into the Highveld, on the west, and the Lowveld, on the right. The Highveld is typically cooler than the Lowveld and experiences frosty winters whereas the Lowveld region has a subtropical climate, with milder winters. Summer brings rainfall and refreshing thunderstorms to the region.

Learn more about Mpumalanga **here.**