



Adventure to **ST LUCIA & THE DRAGON**

Experience an unforgettable adventure through the unspoiled beauty of the Kruger National Park, St Lucia and the majestic Drakensberg Mountains.



Tour Information



Depart: Pretoria

End: Pretoria

Type: Luxury bus transport & lodge accommodation

Reference: STL7

2027 Tour Price:

Double (per person): R40 500

Single (per person): R47 000

Dates:

STL7/1: Thurs. 8 April – Sat. 17 April

STL7/2: Tue. 1 June – Thurs. 10 June

Included:

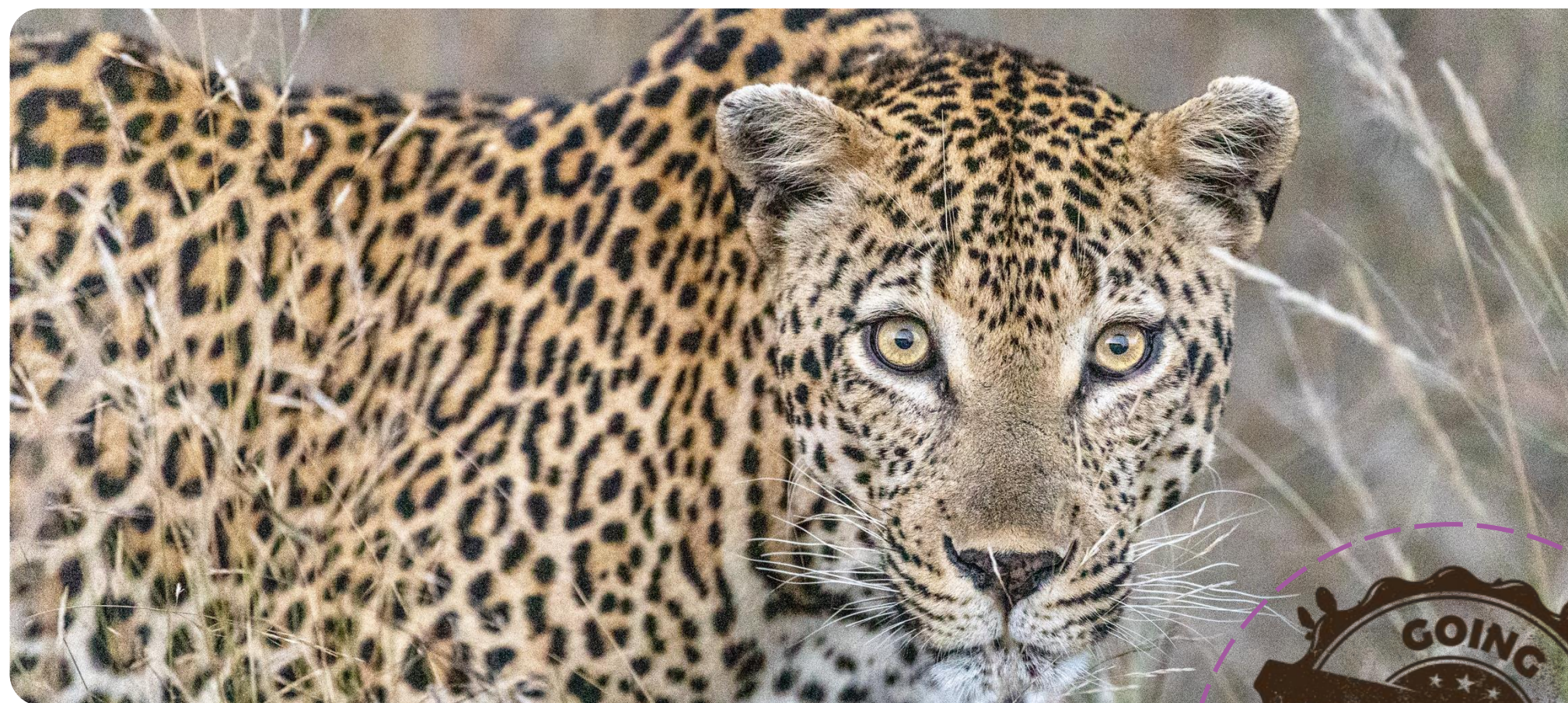
9 nights accommodation
Registered tour guide
Bus transport
Entrance fees as indicated
Meals as indicated

Excluded:

Lunch
Tips
Drinks

Your passport must be valid for at least SIX (6) months or longer after return date.

Deposit of R6 500 (per person) is payable 14 days after booking confirmation. Balance to be paid 60 days before tour starts.



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10-day journey through the Kruger, Eswatini, St Lucia and the Drakensberge

DAY 1: We kindly ask that everyone be ready by 04:30 so that we can depart by 05:00. From Town Lodge – Menlo Park. We travel via Nelspruit to Malelane, where we'll enjoy an afternoon game drive in the Kruger National Park. Upon our return, we will stay for 2 nights at Rio Vista Lodge.

Included: Dinner

DAY 2: After a delicious breakfast, we'll spend the day in the Kruger National Park. We'll stop at various rest camps along the way to stretch our legs in between all the game viewing.

Included: Breakfast & dinner

DAY 3: Our next stop is in the Kingdom of Eswatini. After departing from Malelane, we cross the border into Eswatini. From there, we head to Hlane Royal National Park, where we'll also spend the night.

Included: Breakfast & dinner

Entrance fee included: Hlane Royal National Park

DAY 4: After a lovely breakfast, we return to South Africa and head to Ezulwini Game Lodge, located just outside Hluhluwe, where we will overnight.

Included: Breakfast & dinner

DAY 5: After a fantastic time at Ezulwini Game Lodge, we travel to St Lucia, where we'll spend the next three nights. If time permits, we'll drive through Hluhluwe-iMfolozi on the way. At sunset, we'll enjoy a group boat cruise to view the many crocodiles and hippos in the wetlands.

Included: Breakfast & dinner

Entrance fee included: Hluhluwe-iMfolozi

Activity included: Boat cruise





DAY 6: One of the highlights of the tour awaits – the iSimangaliso Wetland Park and Cape Vidal. After breakfast, we set off to explore the park, its wildlife, exceptional birdlife and beautiful coastline.

Included: Breakfast & dinner

Entrance fee included: iSimangaliso

DAY 7: Today, our tour members can enjoy a day of rest in St Lucia – either relax at the lodge or take part in other activities (a list of available activities will be provided).

Included: Breakfast & dinner



Please note that all entrance fees as indicated below daily descriptions, are included in the price.

DAY 8: After another breakfast, we head to the land of the Dragon. The mighty Drakensberg Mountains, with their mountain passes and breathtaking scenery, are truly a sight to behold. We will spend the next two nights at Hlalanathi in the Northern Drakensberg.

Included: Breakfast & dinner

DAY 9: Today we visit the Royal Natal National Park.

Included: Breakfast & dinner

Entrance included: Royal Natal National Park

DAY 10: For the last time on our tour, we enjoy a delicious breakfast together before making our way back to Pretoria. We travel via the Sterkfontein Dam and Harrismith, arriving back at Town Lodge – Menlo Park in the afternoon.

Included: Breakfast





Important to note

Single supplement is available in a very limited number due to the number of rooms available. Please contact our office via email info@namakwatoere.com or phone +27 (0) 27 219 1633 to confirm if we have space available before a single booking is made.

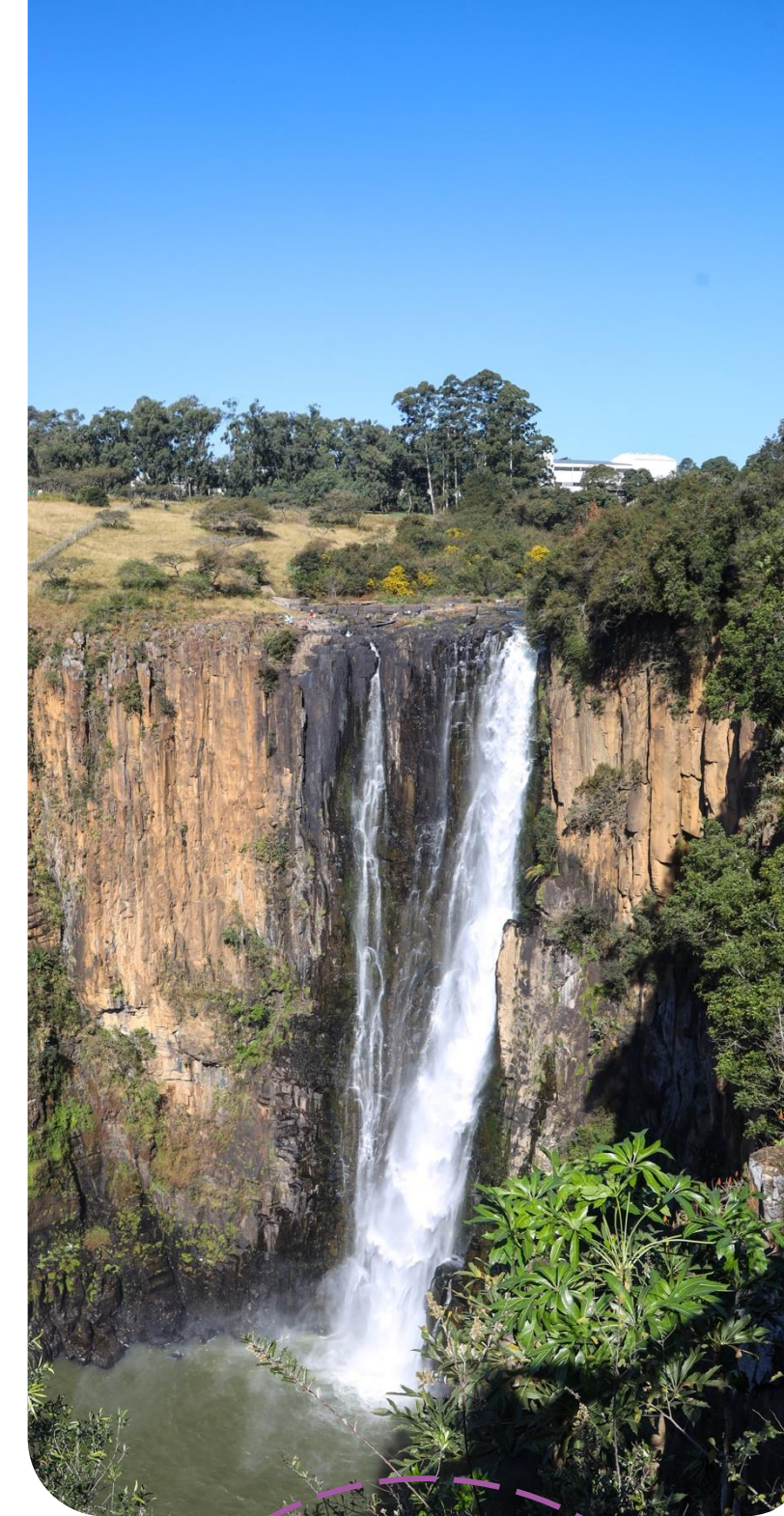
Single bookings can always be changed to a double/twin booking if you decide to bring a friend/partner along. A full refund will be made for the difference between sharing and single in case full payment has been received. No administrative fees will be charged.

When booking a flight from our end destination, please consult the office via email or phone to make sure that you do not book a flight (or other transport arrangements) too early.

We are happy to assist with flight bookings as well as payment of the flights – the cost is R250 per person for bank charges and administration fee. These flights will be booked after we have received your deposit. The cost of the flights, along with the R200 per person, is also payable immediately after the booking has been completed and you have received your flight ticket. Please note that we do not receive flights at a discounted rate, so you are welcome to book all flights yourself if you prefer.

Your passport must be valid for at least SIX (6) months or longer after return date.

At Namakwa Tours, we do our utmost to follow the tour itinerary as closely as possible. However, should unforeseen circumstances arise, we may adjust the program as needed. Our guests' best interests are always our top priority, and our goal is to provide them with an unforgettable holiday experience.





Road conditions and infrastructure

Roads in and throughout South-Africa and Eswatini are often in poor condition, which makes it hard on our vehicles. We take great pride in our bus and ensure it is serviced regularly and is in a good condition, but breakdowns do happen. Some of the roads we travel on are long, full of dust and not exactly smooth sailing. This means that the travel time indicated is just a rough guide and dependant on various factors that are not always in our control. We know that it can be tough, but the destinations at the end of the day are extra-ordinary!



Medical & Health Information

Travelers, old and young are required to be in good health to participate fully on this trip. We expect all travelers to read carefully through the program and asses you on the stress of activities mentioned in the day-to-day program. If in the opinion of our tour guide or leader, any traveler is unable to participate in activities or on the rest of the tour; they reserve the right to exclude them from the activity or tour at any stage, without refund. The appropriate documentation will be provided for travel insurance. All clients should consult their doctor or medical professional on information regarding vaccinations and anti-malaria medication requirements before departure. We recommend that you carry your own small first aid kit containing personal required medication and an extra pair of reading glasses. Rehydration salt, motion sickness tablets and diarrhea blockers are also advisable to have on hand.



Travel Insurance

We strongly recommend that you take out travel insurance for your tour. We work with TIC (Travel Insurance Consultants) and you are welcome to contact our office for a quotation.

Drinking Water

As a rule, we consider all tap water to be not suitable for human consumption, as it may contain different levels of minerals or bacteria than the water your stomach is used to at home. Your body may not be use to this, and it can cause illness. It will upset your stomach and it will spoil the rest of your trip. Many of the accommodation facilities we use provide guests with safe drinking water and bottled water is readily available throughout the trip. Please make sure to bring along a water bottle to fill up during the tour.



Why travel with Namaqua Tours?

- We are a family business and have been in the tour industry since 1985.
- Our tour guides are the most competent, helpful and the friendliest guides that you will ever find.
- Each tour member's personal needs will be met by our trained personnel.
- There is no rushed tour program. Our bus driver is also on holiday and not under any pressure, therefore you can always feel safe and relaxed.

What happens if Namaqua Tours cancels a tour?

- The tour will only take place for a minimum of 10 people.
- Namaqua Tours undertakes, as far as possible, not to cancel any tour. In the unlikely event that a tour is cancelled, we are willing to transfer all funds you have already paid to another tour of your choice or to the following year (excluding the non-refundable deposit and bank fees).



How do I book a tour?

- When you have decided to book one of our tours, complete the application form and e-mail it to our office at info@namakwatoere.com. A link to the online application form is also available.
- You will receive a tour reference number along with Namaqua Tours' banking details. Please ensure that this reference number is entered under 'beneficiary reference'.
- After we received the booking, we will do the necessary arrangements as indicated on your form.



Hotel accommodation before and after the tour

Town Lodge – Menlo Park – Pretoria – Depart 05:00

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Single Room: R2 095

Double/Twin Room: R2 330

Breakfast: Full breakfast included (07:00-10:00) – breakfast packs available on request

Lunch & dinner: Available on request

Shuttle service: From R600 per shuttle

Parking: Free

WiFi: Free

Tel: (012) 348 2711



All accommodation must be booked through Namakwa Tours' office to qualify for the rates as indicated.

Flights: Contact us for prices and schedules.

Travel Insurance: Contact us for a quote.

Please contact our office for the booking form or to request the online booking form.



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