

Olifantsbos Cottage Rules

1. You are entering the Table Mountain National Park and are subject to the conditions set in the National Environmental Management: Protected Areas Act (57/2003).
2. We ask that all guests manage their activities to retain the quiet and peaceful ambiance of the site and the Park.
3. Although a cleaning service is provided, we ask guests to respect the environment, keep the site clean and wash their own dishes.
4. Please ensure that the access boom is kept closed and locked at all times.
5. **Baboons frequent the area and can be dangerous. Baboons should not be fed or disturbed in any way. Please keep all doors and windows closed for your own safety.**
6. Leave footprints and take only pictures.
7. **Emergency number 021 780 9100 and 086 1106 417.**
8. Please report all fires and emergencies without delay.
9. In the unlikely event of an emergency please take note of the emergency evacuation plan posted in the lounge area. Staff will assist all guests during the emergency.
10. If any abuse or deliberate damage of SANParks property occurs the client will be expected to pay for the losses.
11. Check-in time for accommodation:
 - **Winter** (April to September): 14h00 – 17h00
 - **Summer** (October to March): 14h00 – 18h00
12. Accommodation must be vacated **before 10h00**. The keys are to be handed in at the Buffelsfontein visitor Centre before 10h30 on day of departure.
13. Keys to be collected at the Buffelsfontein Visitor's Centre before 17h00 in winter and 18h00 in summer on day of arrival. You will be asked to produce proof of reservation prior to the keys being handed over. Please have this available to hand over on request. Buffelsfontein Visitor Centre is located about 13.5 kilometres into the park from the gate.
14. No late entry/check in after the park operating hours. Should you arrive after the closure of the check in times as listed above you will be obligated to find alternative accommodation elsewhere without being entitled to a refund.
All accommodation and conservation fees to be paid prior to arrival.
15. Extra charges apply for the use of the Annex at the Cottage.
16. All members of the party need to arrive at the same time.
17. No guests will be allowed to drive through the park after sunset.
18. No day visitors or guests are allowed at any of the accommodation.
19. All guests are required to pay a daily conservation fee, per person, per day for the whole duration of their stay.

- If you have a valid Wild Card the persons that are loaded onto the Wild Card as members do not have to pay the daily conservation fees.
 - My Green Card cannot be used for entry into the park by accommodation guests.
 - Entrance fees are not included in the accommodation price. Note Conservation fees increase each year on the 1st of November.
 - You will be asked to produce proof of reservation when entering at the gate so please have it available on entry.
20. Advertised prices are subject to change without prior notice.
21. Gate Operating Times:
- **Summer** (1 October to 31 March): 06h00 – 18h00 (Exit by sunset)
 - **Winter** (1 April to 30 September): 07h00 – 17h00
 - No Entry and Exit is allowed after the above Park operating hours.
 - May change without notice. Please check prior to arrival.
22. Please do not play loud music and disturb the tranquil peaceful environment.
23. Alcohol consumption is at your discretion however unruly behaviour will not be tolerated.
24. The coastal zone in front of the cottage forms part of the Table Mountain National Park Marine Protected Area and is a no take zone. No removal of any marine life is allowed: However fishing, and tag and release is permitted.
25. Olifantsbos cottage is not surrounded by a fence and it is not patrolled at night by a security guard.
26. Regrettably no wood is allowed to be brought in the Park due to the Polyphagous Shot Hole Borer Beetle. We ask that all guests bring charcoal along to braai with.
We do not supply matches or charcoal.

Accommodation

1. Self-catering accommodation: Max of 12 persons per night.
2. The rate advertised is a base rate and covers the first four people; after that an additional adult or child rate is charged.
3. All linen is provided.

Main House: sleeps 6

- 3 rooms: main bedroom with queen bed, 2 rooms with 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ beds in each.
- Open-plan kitchen with all utensils supplied.
- All appliances are run on gas and or solar.
- **Lights are run on solar power, and any other use of this power source will result in the batteries for the system running flat.**

- Dining area Lounge with jet master.
- Combination bathroom and toilet with bath and shower.
- Do not flush any foreign objects down the toilet.
- Veranda area with built in braai.
- Wheelchair friendly boardwalk connecting house to the beach.

Annex: sleeps 6

- 2 rooms: 1 small room with 2 single beds and 4 single beds in the big room adjacent.
- Bathroom with shower and separate toilet: shared by x6
- Preparation area (not fully equipped kitchen).
- Boma area.
- There is an outside shower.
- Water is supplied by means of tanks situated at the back of the buildings. We therefore ask guests to use water sparingly.
- To save water and electricity towels will only be replaced on request or after three consecutive nights.
- Smoking strictly limited to the outside veranda.
- The beach is shared with day visitors walking the shipwreck trail.

Bookings

Bookings can be made at the Buffelsfontein Visitor Centre:

- Telephone: 021 780 9204
- Office Hours (Monday to Fridays): 09h00 – 16h00

Reservations can also be made through:

- Telephone: 021 712 7471
- Office Hours (Monday to Friday): 08h00 – 16h00

Queries

- Telephone: 021 780 9100
- Email: musa.singo@sanparks.org

Thank you!

Table Mountain National Park Management Team