

General Information

Travel Arrangements

It is strongly recommended that clients use the services of experienced travel agents as they will be aware of which airlines allow firearms on the aircraft and will also be able to advise on the most direct route.

Please contact us for recommendations if required.

Arrival and departure to and from South Africa

A representative of Arc Africa will meet you upon arrival and will transfer you back to the airport once your hunting safari has been concluded. A trusted shuttle service is often used for large parties. Please note that a charge of \$150 per person is applicable.

You will be required to supply an in-country address to immigration officials when arriving. Be sure to have this information at hand.

Physical address:

**Portion 10 of Woodstock Farm 198
Swartruggens
2835
North West Province
South Africa**

Postal Address:

**PO Box 236
Bleskop
0292
North West Province
South Africa**

Contact Telephone Number:

083 469 7600

Rifles and Bows

For information on the most popular rifles, ammunition and bows, please refer to our website. Go to **Important Information** and click on the link for **Rifles** or **Bows**.

Importation

Please refer to our website for information regarding importation of rifles. Go to **Important Information** and click on the **Import Regulations** link.

Trophies

All raw trophies will be prepared and transported to the taxidermist of the client's choice. We will notify the client of the progress of his trophies. All services rendered for taxidermy work or export is between the client and his chosen taxidermist or exporter. Please visit our website for further information by clicking on the Taxidermy page.

VAT (Value Added Tax)

VAT is included in day rates and is not applicable for the trophy fee of trophies being exported. Should the trophies be processed in South Africa, VAT is levied at 14% on 30% of the taxidermy value as agreed between the taxidermy industry and the Receiver of Revenue.

Customs, Visas and Insurance

Customs clearance is operative at your port of entry into South Africa. South Africa requires a valid passport valid for at least 6 months after your departure date, depending on your country of origin.

Travel Insurance for personal effects, luggage and trip cancellation and Medical Insurance for medical emergencies is strongly recommended.

Health Care and Safety

South Africa has good private medical services and medical kits will be available for minor injuries.

Visitors should make sure that all personal medication is arranged for and brought along with them on the trip. It is also advised that visitors speak to their own healthcare practitioner for a list of safe day-to-day medication for minor ailments such as headaches and stomach cramps etc. that they can bring along on their visit, as pharmacies are sometimes not close to hunting camps.

Sunscreen/hats/water

Even though temperatures are not exceedingly high during the winter months, hunters are still advised to ensure they bring along adequate sun protection. We recommend a good odourless sunscreen and hat as essential.

Arc Africa will ensure that ample fresh water is always available to hunters. Please ensure you consume enough fresh water during the day, especially when outside on hunts, to prevent dehydration.

Vaccinations

Yellow fever vaccination is most important when visiting Africa. Consult your local doctor about any other vaccination requirements.

In cases where hunting takes place in Botswana, Mozambique, Zimbabwe or the Lowveld area of South Africa (Kruger Park and surrounds), the Outfitter will inform you about the risks and precautions of Malaria and whether prophylactic treatment will be required.

Proper health care is never far away but care should be taken in having the necessary vaccinations before travelling.

Weather

Daytime temperatures during the months of May to September will range between about 80 - 90°F, with evening temperatures dropping to around 40 – 50°F.

For more information visit <http://www.weathersa.co.za>

Hunting Area

Limpopo Province is named after the Limpopo River that flows across the province and is South Africa's Northernmost province.

The province borders with Botswana and Zimbabwe and spans over 125 754 km².

The Waterberg Mountain Range is one of Limpopo's biggest mountain ranges and covers 14 500 km².

Hunters will experience the province's rich biodiversity first hand – an abundance of birdlife, insects and reptiles inhabit the area. The landscape is commonly known as Bushveld and is characterised by well-grassed plains, dotted by dense clusters of trees and tall shrubs.

Communication

Hunting generally takes place in remote areas but WIFI services will be available at most hunting camps. Any emails or other messages will be conveyed if we are out or away from camp.

Electricity

220/240 Volts AC – three pin round plugs are used. Some remote camps make use of generators or 12 volt battery power. Converters are recommended for chargers and electric equipment.

Accommodation and Catering

Depending on the hunting grounds, fully serviced accommodation, cleaning service, staff services, refuse removal, washing, sanitary conveniences and catering services will be provided.

Meals include a light breakfast such as cereal, toast, fresh fruit, tea and coffee. Lunch will be a packed lunch normally eaten in the bush and might include packed

sandwiches, cheeses, biscuits, biltong and soft drinks. Dinner is a full three course meal and will often serve and include venison from the safari.

The client's dietary preference and requirements in regards to the menu will be dealt with in the documents and agreements between the outfitter and client.

Liquor

African beers and wine will be available along with a limited supply of other spirits. If you have any special requests, please let us know well in advance for us to make arrangements to purchase these on your behalf.

Method of payment and deposits

Only cash (**US Dollars or Euro**), cash transfers, or travellers cheques will be accepted and accounts must be settled before leaving camp at the end of your safari. A 50% deposit of your day fees is required to confirm your booking and the remaining 50% to be paid 30 days prior to arrival. Deposits will only be returned for cancellations which are made more than 6 months from the arrival date or at the discretion of Arc Africa Hunting Safaris. Current exchange rate will be taken into account when dealing with refunds. We hold the right to cancel the safari at any stage, in which case, the full deposit paid will be returned, also taking the current exchange rate into account. Deposits with regards to pre arranged packages, a 50% deposit of the total safari is required to confirm your booking. A discounted trophy fee will be returned for trophies not taken.

Please note that no personal cheques will be accepted.

Local currency is **Rand**.

Staff tips are at the client's discretion and are always greatly appreciated, but never expected.

Hunting trophies and guarantees

Hunting is a privilege and should never be taken for granted. We guarantee that we will do our very best to find you good representative trophies of the species you wish to hunt while on safari with Arc Africa Hunting Safaris.

We never overbook and strive to never mix company, this ensures that you enjoy a unique, professional and personal safari.

We will always endeavour to make you as comfortable as possible and that you will have a positive and unforgettable experience with us in our unique and remarkable country.

Other activities

A list of activities is available for days when a well deserved break is required, or as a treat for the non-hunters in your party.

Safaris to Kruger National Park and Pilanesberg National Park are also available for instances where you would like to combine your hunting safari with a photographic holiday. This is strongly recommended as you will experience a different side of African wildlife.

A visit to Cape Town will provide exciting experiences and we have good references for your comfort if you are looking to combine your Safari with a trip to our beautiful coastline.

Feedback

Your feedback is always welcome and will help us improve our service.

We look forward to meeting you, making memories and experiencing the thrill of the African hunt with you.