

Aquila is situated 170 kms from Cape Town. This **prestigious** private game reserve in the Little Karoo offers **BIG FIVE** game viewing as well as a wide range of animals and birds, virtually at your doorstep.

Your visit to Aquila will not only involve game viewing. Through the efforts of **dedicated** staff your safari becomes an educational experience on wildlife, nature and conservation of the environment.

From game drives in 4x4 safari vehicles to horseback and quad bike safaris, the Aquila Game Reserve has become an **exciting** attraction for our visiting guests from overseas.

The **malaria free** Karoo region experiences sunshine most of the year. Summers are warm to hot and dry. Winters are dry and cool. Activities such as hiking and cycling are enjoyed by visitors.

Our safari clients get to experience the **beautiful** undulating Karoo environment and overnight guests will appreciate clear star lit skies and beautiful sunrises and sunsets, while enjoying the facilities in our range of **4 star** safari chalets: Standard, Luxury or Premier.

More about our safari chalets here:

<http://www.capetown-traveladviser.com/cape-town-safari-accommodation.html>

The Aquila Game Reserve has been rated as one of the **Top 10** Best Daytrip destinations in the South African Airways magazine, 'Sawabona' and has been published in the World's 21 **favourite things** to do in Cape Town. Aquila has also been chosen as a finalist in the Western Cape area for the Imvelo Tourism awards.

Aquila will arrange **guest collection** from hotels and guest houses in Cape Town if required. The charges under 'transport provided' on the rates sheets would apply.

The charges under 'Self-drive' on the rates sheets are applicable if you provide your **own** transport to the game reserve, which would take 2-2.5 hours approx.

Directions to Aquila :



Take the N1 from Cape Town. Through the Huguenot Tunnel on the **toll road** - or alternatively over the longer **Du Toit's Kloof** mountain pass. Drive on past Worcester. 10km before Touws River turn left onto the R46 to Ceres. Entrance to Aquila is 2km further on the left.

An Aquila Day Game Drive Safari package includes the following:

- ◆ Welcome drink and light breakfast on arrival.
- ◆ 2-3 hour game drive in a 4x4 safari vehicle with experienced ranger, including snacks and drinks at lookout points and waterholes. At least one Khoi San rock art site will be visited on the game drive. Visit to ARC (Aquila Rehabilitation and Conservation centre)
- ◆ Buffet Lunch served in our restaurant overlooking the crocodile dam.
- ◆ Ostrich farm tour at nearby Karoo Ostrich Farm.
- ◆ Departure back to Cape Town at 15h30.

An Aquila Overnight Safari package includes the following:

- ◆ + - 12h00 Arrival at Aquila.
- ◆ Welcome drink and check into accommodation.
- ◆ Ostrich farm tour (lunch optional) at nearby Karoo Ostrich Farm.
- ◆ Evening game drive and Visit to ARC (Aquila Rehabilitation and Conservation centre)
- ◆ A Buffet Dinner.
- ◆ Early following morning, game drive and visit to ARC.
- ◆ Breakfast - 08h00-09h00
- ◆ 10h00 Check out of accommodation.
- ◆ Lunch - 12h15-13h15 in our restaurant, overlooking the crocodile dam.
- ◆ Departure back to Cape Town at 15h30.

Additional safari activities can be arranged: Horse safari, quad bike safari, and more.

If you need any further assistance, or when you want to make your safari **reservation** you'll find contact details at the end of this document.

Aquila Safari Options

Aquila Game Reserve Cape Town offers a **variety** of safari packages. These enable you to appreciate the experience in a way that best suits your interests and schedules.

The safari packages are offered with or without transport to the game reserve. Self-drive guests are advised to depart Cape Town at least 2.5 hours before the start of their safari, in order to arrive at the game reserve on time, because game drives begin and meals are served at **set times** daily.

Day Game Drive Options

There are five safari programs which are offered daily, starting at 08h15. Three of the programs involve jeep safari drives and the others are horse-back / quadbike and a 'Combo' which is a **combination** of jeep and horse-back safaris.

All the programs include a variety of meals and snacks, visits to the Aquila Rehabilitation and Conservation centre and an **ostrich farm**, as well as leisure time.

Check the rates sheet for itineraries.

Overnight Safari Options

These programs follow the same itinerary - as above and are based on the type of accommodation which is chosen. Standard, Luxury - which is the same as Standard but larger for families, and superior Premier accommodation. Please **check** the rates sheets for itinerary times.

Your overnight safari package could be **extended** if required.

Horse-back Safaris

Horse-back trails are available for your evening and early morning game viewing. Minimum age requirement is 16. Duration is 2 hours.

Game viewing on horseback is an **unforgettable** experience as one can get so much closer to the wildlife. It has been described as an epic experience and adventure. Picnics at our rock-pools or lookout lapas, as well as overnight mountain horseback safaris can be arranged.

Quad Bikes

For the adventurous. Minimum age requirement is 16. Duration is 2 hours.

Day-Combo safari

As the name suggests, this safari offers you a game drive and a horse-back or quad bike safari combined. You experience a three-hour game drive with one of our experienced rangers plus a two hour horse-back experience and visit our world-renowned Khoi San Bushmen rock art sites.

Leisure Activities

Guests are welcome to make use of the swimming pool facilities and bar/lounge area and are encouraged to visit our African curio shop. There is also a securely fenced **children's** adventure area where kids can have fun and enjoy a range of educational activities.

Departure for Cape Town is at 15h30 if using Aquila transport.

Please note that if you want to guarantee your safari for a specific date, it is advisable to make your reservation well in **advance** especially during the busy season.

Here are some wildlife pictures from Aquila:

<http://www.capetown-traveladviser.com/cape-town-safari-pictures.html>

Conferencing at Aquila

Our custom built conference centre can accommodate 40-80 delegates. More information here: <http://www.capetown-traveladviser.com/cape-town-safari-conferencing.html>

You are welcome to contact me with any further enquiries you may have.

Regards,

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