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SAFARIS

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Free Range Safaris



2022

INTRODUCTION

Looking back at 2020 and 2021...

To say that the past two years were unpredictable is probably an understatement. However, as 2021 draws to an end I have to say thank you to Mpumalanga Parks and Tourism, in particular Mr. Riaan de Lange, the Timbavati Private Nature Reserve as well as the Mozambican authorities for allowing us to transfer our 2020 quota to the 2021 Safari season.

The successes of the past few years have been built on the support of so many individuals, to mention everyone may be close to impossible. I would like to thank each client who postponed a Safari to either 2021 or 2022 and those who had the confidence in us not to cancel. Furthermore, I believe that the particular caliber of clients we are honored to host, are invaluable cornerstones of the success of GSS. I am forever grateful to our returning clients who are indeed a great blessing and support.

My sincere gratitude goes out to every client; past, present and future.

I am humbly looking forward to be at your service many more years; always with a mind and heart open to nature.

Best,
Graham

AWARDS

"Uncle Stevie" award 2004

"Uncle Stevie" award 2007

The prestigious "Uncle Stevie" award is based on trophy quality.
Professional Hunter of the year 2018



TRACKERS



THE MEN THAT MAKES THINGS HAPPEN, KAUNDA, STEVEN, AMOS & ALBERT.
THANK YOU GUYS FOR YOUR HARD WORK AND FOR
TAKING SUCH GOOD CARE OF OUR CLIENTS

PROFESSIONAL Hunters



ARMAND THERON



CHRIS VAN STADEN



TODD LUTMAN

SOUTH AFRICA

World heritage status / Largest Government Reserve /
Transfrontier Park

Songimvelo Nature Reserve & Mahushe Shongwe Nature Reserve

Songimvelo Nature Reserve is South Africa's largest Provincial Nature Reserve and forms part of the Songimvelo-Malolotja Transfrontier Conservation area, a peace park located south of Baberton, in the south-eastern part of the Mpumalanga Province on the South African - Swaziland border.

The incredible beauty of its range of mountains, which forms one of the oldest regions on Earth, with incredible volcanic and sedimentary rocks, examples of which are exceeded only by those found in Greenland. Rolling hills, hidden valleys, wide open plains and forest ravines support an incredible diversity of wildlife, plants and habitats. Along the valley floor winds the Komati River, after which it flows into Swaziland and to the Indian Ocean.

The grassy plains of Songimvelo Nature Reserve are home to herds Buffalo, Blesbok, Blue Wildebeest, Eland, Impala, Red Hartebeest and Zebra whilst within the wooded and hillside areas one will find Bushbuck, Giraffe, Kudu, Mountain Reedbuck and Elephant. There are also numbers of White Rhino on the Reserve.



SONGIMVELO NATURE RESERVE



MICHAEL JUSTICE AND SHAWN LUCAS ON SONGIMVELO - OCTOBER 2021



DAVE ROESLER - WATERBUCK



DAVE ROESLER - KUDU

SOUTH AFRICA

SAFARI RATES (in USD)

TROPHY FEES

Baboon	\$ 375.00
Black-backed Jackal	\$ 370.00
Black Wildebeest	\$ 1 950.00
Blesbok (Common)	\$ 950.00
Blesbok (White)	\$ 1 670.00
Blue Wildebeest	\$ 1 950.00
Bontebok	\$ 3 900.00
Bushbuck (Cape)	\$ 1 800.00
Bushbuck (Limpopo)	\$ 2 850.00
Bushpig	\$ 1 875.00
Caracal	\$ 2 500.00
Duiker (Common)	\$ 650.00
Duiker (Blue)	\$ 2 000.00
Duiker (Red)	\$ 2 500.00
Eland (Cape)	\$ 3 950.00
Eland (Livingstone)	\$ 4 250.00
Gemsbok	\$ 1 850.00
Giraffe	\$ 4 350.00
Grysbok (Cape)	\$ 2 000.00
Grysbok (Sharpe's)	\$ 1 800.00
Impala	\$ 700.00
Klipspringer	\$ 2 200.00
Kudu (E-Cape)	\$ 3 500.00
Kudu (Southern Greater)	\$ 4 250.00
Lechwe	\$ 4 300.00
Nyala	\$ 3 950.00
Oribi	\$ 3 000.00
Red Hartebeest	\$ 1 900.00
Reedbuck (Common)	\$ 1 750.00
Reedbuck (Mountain)	\$ 1 650.00
Springbok (Black)	\$ 1 850.00
Springbok (Copper)	\$ 2 950.00
Springbok (Typical)*	\$ 785.00
Springbok (White)	\$ 1 850.00
Steenbok	\$ 750.00
Tsessebe	\$ 4 250.00
Vaal Rhebok	\$ 3 675.00
Warthog	\$ 750.00
Waterbuck	\$ 3 750.00
Zebra (Burchell's)	\$ 1 950.00
Zebra (Hartmann's)	\$ 3 600.00

SAFARI DAILY RATES

1 Hunter / 1 Professional Hunter	\$ 550 / day
2 Hunters / 1 Professional Hunter	\$ 450 / day
Observer	\$ 300 / day
Arrival day	\$ 350 / person

SAFARI RATES INCLUDE

- Services of an experienced, fully licensed Professional Hunter and field staff.
- Fully equipped Safari vehicle for each Professional Hunter.
- Accommodation and all meals in fully equipped and staffed tented Safari camp or thatched Safari lodge for the duration of your Safari.
- All field preparation of trophies.
- Daily laundry in camp.

DAILY RATES EXCLUDE

- Trophy fees on all animals taken or wounded.
- License fees where required.
- Government taxes on daily rates and animals not exported.
- Accommodation prior to and after your Safari.
- Gratuities to staff and Professional Hunter.
- Alcoholic beverages.

HUNTING CONDITIONS

Trophy hunting is available year round in South Africa, although our summer months (November through February) tend to be very hot, these months offer very good hunting, but one has to keep in mind this is also our rainy season. We usually start hunting in April and things tend to slow down towards the end of October. (June/July is our two coldest winter months) It is hard to say when is the best time to come over on Safari, species and the area where the hunt will take place has the most impact as to when to conduct the Safari. Please contact me personally and we can discuss this very important aspect of your Safari. Due to the vastness of all our areas, the locating of game is done by travelling in a Land Cruiser Safari vehicle from where all hunting is done on foot.

Please visit our website regarding information on caliber and ammunition selection, Liability and Insurance as well as licenses and permits.

All our Safari camps offer accommodation of the highest standard, whether in our traditional tented or thatched Safari camps. These camps are comfortable and safe and we will cater to each guest's individual needs. All rooms are private and have en-suite bathrooms, with hot and cold running water and flush toilets.

Camp staff will ensure that bathrooms are cleaned, rooms are tidy and laundry is done daily. GSS caters for specific dietary requirements where possible. Prior to your arrival, one will be required to fill in our **Dietary Information Form** to indicate your specific meal and beverage preferences. At GSS we will make sure each and every guest's specific needs are taken into account and are well taken care of.



ROBERT RUTHERFORD - KUDU



MICHAEL JUSTICE - KUDU



WYATT HASSEL - KUDU



**GRAHAM & ROBERT RUTHERFORD
SCOUTING FOR BUSHBUCK - SONGIMVELO**



**BRENT JASPER - HUNTING
MOUNTAIN REEDBUCK - SONGIMVELO**

TIMBAVATI & KLASERIE

Private Nature Reserves

(Mpumalanga province, South Africa)

The associated reserves is an association of privately owned nature reserves bordering on the Greater park, collectively they present 444 789 acres of land dedicated to conservation. In June 1993 in recognition of the importance of the area, the fences between the Greater Park and the associated reserves were removed to encourage natural wildlife migration.

Man's incursions into this part of the Lowveld have always been temporary and brief, from early Stone Age down to the early 20th century. In point of fact, large tracts of land in the northern portion of the Lowveld were never permanently settled by man. The lands now comprising the Reserves were barely touched, and are still only lightly inhabited.

This part of South Africa's bushveld region may therefore be regarded as truly unspoiled and deserves recognition as genuine wild land, as opposed to the "restored" and "restocked" lands commonly found elsewhere.

The terrain is undulating with altitudes varying between 980ft and 1640ft above sea level. The area is characterized as 'savanna bushveld' with 6 different landscape types, the most prevalent being acacia and open woodland with Mopani scrub in the northern parts. With natural watering holes and riverbeds in combination with the favorable terrain it is the perfect habitat that attracts a huge variety of game that includes Elephant, White and Black Rhino, Buffalo, Zebra, Blue Wildebeest, Kudu, Impala, Giraffe, Waterbuck, Warthog and some smaller antelope. These in turn attract a number of predators, such as Lion, Leopard, Cheetah, Wild Dogs and Hyena, which makes this a popular choice for a 'real' African wildlife experience.

In essence Savanna is classified as a vegetation type consisting of both a tree and grass layer with complex interactions between these two structural layers.

Graham Sales Safaris offers exceptional hunting in the Timbavati and Klaserie Private Nature Reserves. Clients will experience a total free range hunt with a classic African tented camp in the Timbavati and thatched Safari camp in the Klaserie. It is definitely one of the best and premier dangerous game hunting concessions in Africa today where one can see numerous Elephant and around 2,000 - 3,000 Buffalo in a seven day hunt.

THE FOLLOWING SPECIES ARE AVAILABLE ON QUOTA.

Buffalo Bulls	Bulls are categorized for conservation and management purposes. Please contact us for details.
Buffalo Cows	Only old cows older than 10 years of age may be hunted.
Elephant	Bulls are categorized as follow for conservation and management purposes: 30lb Bull (tusk weight per side) 40lb Bull (tusk weight per side) 55lb Bull (tusk weight per side)
Hippo	It is recommended that only adult or past-prime Hippo bulls be considered for hunting.
Hyena	
Plains game	Blue Wildebeest, Giraffe, Kudu, Impala, Warthog, Waterbuck, Zebra

Please contact our offices for a detailed quotation on hunting any of the above-mentioned species. Please note that permits are allocated 18-24 months in advance.



GRAHAM, KAUNDA, STEVEN, AMOS AND ALBERT
SPOTTED HYENA TAKEN IN THE TIMBAVATI



TIMBAVATI PRIVATE NATURE RESERVE



JOHN RUTHERFORD - BUFFALO



DEBBIE ROCKAFELLOW - KUDU



GRAHAM - BUFFALO TAKEN IN THE TIMBAVATI PRIVATE NATURE RESERVE



DEBBIE ROCKAFELLOW - WATERBUCK



ON OUR WAY BACK TO CAMP - TIMBAVATI PRIVATE NATURE RESERVE



BRIAN ROCKAFELLOW - BUFFALO COW



SHAWN LUCAS - BUFFALO COW



DR. VAN GREUNEN - BUFFALO

TSHIPISE Reserve

(North eastern Limpopo province, South Africa)

The reserve is privately managed and owned since 1974 by a family who are passionate for wild Africa and its wildlife and who are pioneers in the South African conservation industry. The reserve is in excess of 55 000 acres of continuous wild Africa which is home to four of Africa's Big 5 (Buffalo, Elephant, Leopard and White Rhino) and it is carefully managed to ensure that the reserve maintains its natural ecological integrity. With Mopane and Acacia shrub, huge mountains, massive Baobab trees, dry riverbeds and some open plains areas and with more than 8 000 head of African game this is without a doubt one of Southern Africa's prime conservation areas. Our thatched Safari camp is designed for privacy and comprises of 5 double rooms, all with on suite bathrooms, electricity and all necessary amenities. Our guests will enjoy 5 star cuisine either in the central dining area or around the campfire at night. Our camp also offers a beautifully appointed open lounge area where one can relax after a hard days hunting (WiFi available) We also offer exceptional bow hunting with permanent bow blinds that are large enough to hold up to 5 people. Blinds are strategically built at watering holes with shooting distances that range between 5-25 yards.



HAROLD MEYERS - ELEPHANT # 6



HAROLD MEYERS - ELEPHANT # 7



BRENT & JENNIFER JASPER



GERRIT KROON - ELAND



ZIRK SPRUYT - ELAND



LEE FAW - HARTMANN'S ZEBRA



BRENT JASPER - KUDU



LOUIS ODENDAAL - ELAND



BRENT JASPER - GEMSBOK



LEE FAW - WATERBUCK



ZIRK SPRUYT - KUDU



WYATT HASSEL - NYALA



LEE FAW - SABLE



JEFF BREI - SABLE



LEE FAW - ROAN ANTELOPE

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SONGIMVELO Donations

Graham Sales Safaris & Life Form Taxidermy donates wheelchairs to disabled community members in the Songimvelo region.

Kenneth Eugene Behring started "Wheelchair Foundation" in early 90s Distributed Wheelchairs for free across the globe. We volunteered to assist in distribution to the need in order to help more people receiving wheelchairs.

Mr. Behring died on 25 June 2019, but his legacy are being kept alive through his company BGEF (Behring Global Education Foundation).

Graham Sales Safaris & Life-Form Taxidermy plays a very small part in his dream to help less fortunate people in need of a wheelchair.



MOZAMBIQUE

Graham Sales Safaris - Marangira - Northern Mozambique

- It's not far-fetched to state that northern Mozambique may become the most sought after Safari destination in Africa -

We hunt 988 000 acres in pristine wilderness in the Niassa province - North- western Mozambique. The area is situated north of the small town, Marrupa and south of Block C - Niassa Reserve. The concession is flanked on the left by the Ruambeze and on the west by Lureco rivers. The main habitat is Miombo woodland with some open Savannah areas, seasonal wetlands and riverine forests along the many water courses, rivers and streams. The landscape is scattered with spectacular rock formations and mountains, many of them have thickets of montane forest growing in the narrow gullies that extend up the smooth - sided rock faces. The magnificent scenery combined with the vastness of the area, abundance of game and pristine nature makes this without a doubt one of Africa's last great wilderness areas.

Our Marangira area is home to prolific wildlife, including Elephants and more than 60 of the critically endangered African Wild Dog, Leopard in abundance, Lions and Hyenas are common with big numbers of Buffalo, Roosevelt Sable, Lichtenstein Hartebeest and Livingstone Eland including three endemic species, Crowshey's Zebra, Johnston's Impala and Niassa Wildebeest.

"Personally I cannot believe or it will be hard to imagine an area with a higher population of Leopard, Roosevelt Sable, Buffalo and Livingstone Eland than this specific block". **In general, exceptional trophy quality goes hand in hand with high populations of game.**

The hunting season starts in June and ends in November - personally we prefer the months towards the end of the season (September / October / November) for the following reasons; most of the tall grass has been burnt and new fresh grass is coming out which not only attracts game but one's visibility is much better; the area does have a lot of water but some temporary watering holes have dried up so game is more concentrated.

TYPICAL HUNTING DAY

We always wake up very early each morning, have a preferred breakfast and leave camp before sunrise.

If Leopard is the priority specie, I strongly believe that one should focus on Leopard only. One will shoot bait animals while looking for new bait locations while checking existing baits. Once one is successful on the Leopard one can start to focus on Buffalo and all other species. (I'm not saying we will not take a desired trophy animal if the opportunity present itself but one has to focus on Leopard before one goes looking for some other specie and the Leopard hunt does not get the necessary attention that it requires)

If Leopard is not the preferred or priority specie one will look for fresh Buffalo or Eland tracks to follow, most other plains game species are being spot from the back of the hunting vehicle from where a stalk is planned. (One might spend a few nights in one of our fly camps all depending on the desired specie)

We will have a packed lunch with us and will take some time during mid - day to have a meal and relax down in a riverbed or somewhere in the shade.

After lunch we will carry on hunting and slowly work our way back to camp. Due to the size of the area we usually get back to camp after sunset.

Back in camp one will take a hot shower, change into comfortable clothes and relax around the campfire, before having a warm dinner and a good night's rest.

LOGISTICS

On the international flight one will arrive in Johannesburg from where one can take a connecting flight to Pemba in Mozambique.

From Pemba one will take a private charter flight straight to Marangira that leaves one with a 40 minute drive to hunting camp.

One can also take a connecting flight to Lichinga from where it is a 5 hour drive to camp.



MOZAMBIQUE

Graham Sales Safaris - Savé - Southern Mozambique

Please refer to map on previous page

The area consists of 250 000 acres of private land with the Savé River (a 1-mile wide river), splitting the area into two blocks, 150 000 and a 100 000-acres respectively. The area shares a common open boundary with the world renowned Gonarezhou National Park for 16 miles with an abundance of game moving in and out of the Park. The area is mostly open savannah with huge trees and visibility in most places are up to 300 yards.

There are currently two camps Cinzine Camp, north of the Savé River and Border Camp, which is located on the southern bank of the Savé River. Cinzine is a tented camp, each tent with en-suite bathroom facilities. From a 300 foot cliff, the camp overlooks the Savé River running through flood plains with the Gonarezhou National Park in the distance. Border camp is an old border post, revamped into a camp also with en-suite bathrooms but nestled in the corner where Mozambique and Zimbabwe meet on the Savé River. Buffalo hunting is by mostly done by scouting for fresh buffalo tracks and following them. Best times of the year are from June to September although you can hunt up to end of November. The latter months high temperatures force one to hunt from 4am to 11am and then again from 4pm. Buffalo sizes have up to now been above 40" with the average being 42".

We get the following species on quota due to sustainable quantity: Elephant, Lion, Leopard, Buffalo, Crocodile, Hippo, Livingstone Eland, Kudu, Sable, Zebra, Blue Wildebeest, Roan antelope, Impala, Suni, Common Reedbuck, Nyala, Blue Duiker, Warthog, Bushpig, Common Duiker, Steenbuck and Waterbuck. The sounds of Hyena, Hippo, Lion, Elephant and Leopard often echo through the camp at night with the days being filled with the cry of the Fish Eagles.

We normally collect clients from Johannesburg and overnight in Tshipise or Punda Maria (inside Kruger National Park), splitting the trip into two, with a 350 mile and a 100-mile leg. It's paved road up to Pafuri (South Africa - Mozambique) border and from there a dirt track for the next 100 miles. The 100 miles follows the Park border for 75 miles and the last 25 miles runs through the hunting area, taking approximately 5 hours in total. A commercial flight to Xai - Xai in Mozambique has been introduced during 2021. From Xai - Xai to camp is a 350 mile drive.

SAFARI RATES INCLUDE

- Experienced Professional Hunter, field and camp staff.
- Safari style accommodation, daily meals, bottled water and soft drinks during your contracted Safari.
- Daily laundry while in main camp.
- Fully equipped 4 x 4 Safari vehicle per Professional Hunter.
- Field preparation of trophies.
- Government concession fees, community and conservation levies.

DAILY RATES EXCLUDE

- Species license and trophy fees.
- Accommodation before and after the contracted Safari where needed.
- Air charters if required and immigration and / or custom fees.
- Leopard and Lion baits.
- Hunting permit \$350.
- Firearm permit \$450 / firearm.
- Packaging and transportation of trophies \$750.
- Gratuities to staff and Professional Hunter.

Marangira - North:

- Road transfer from Lichinga to hunting camp and back \$1250. (if a charter flight is not preferred)

Savé River - South:

- Road transfer from Johannesburg to camp and back (one night sleepover) \$1400.

NOTES

- License fees subject to change as these are controlled by the Mozambiquan Government.
- To ensure quota availability, all desired species must be reserved well in advance.
- US Citizens / Passport holders need a VISA to enter Mozambique.
- We suggest our clients to use the services of our "Meet & Greet" company based in Mozambique to assist with firearms and VISAS.

SAFARI RATES (in USD)

Species	Marangira	Savé	Rate
	Northern Mozambique	Southern Mozambique	
Buffalo	12 days	8 days	\$ 14 800
Elephant		14 days	\$ 44 800
Leopard	15 days	15 days	\$ 27 500
Leopard / Buffalo	16 days	16 days	\$ 39 750
Lion / Buffalo	18 days	18 days	\$ 74 000
Lion / Leopard / Buffalo	21 days	21 days	\$ 102 000
Non hunting guests			\$ 450 / day

TROPHY FEES

Species	License fee	Trophy fee	Marangira	Savé
			Northern Mozambique	Southern Mozambique
Baboon - Chackma	\$ 100	\$ 250	✗	✓
Baboon - Yellow	\$ 100	\$ 250	✓	✗
Buffalo	\$ 1 200	\$ 3 500	✓	✓
Bushbuck	\$ 400	\$ 1 450	✗	✓
Bushbuck - Chobe	\$ 350	\$ 1 850	✗	✓
Bushpig	\$ 250	\$ 850	✓	✓
Crocodile	\$ 2 000	\$ 4 250	✗	✓
Duiker - Common	\$ 250	\$ 950	✓	✓
Eland - Livingstone	\$ 1 400	\$ 3 450	✓	✓
Elephant	\$10 000	\$22 000	✓	✓
Grysbok	\$ 300	\$ 1 800	✗	✓
Hartebeest - Lichtenstein	\$ 800	\$ 2 450	✓	✗
Hyena - Spotted	\$ 500	\$ 3 500	✓	✓
Impala - Southern	\$ 300	\$ 650	✗	✓
Impala - Johnston's	\$ 400	\$ 850	✓	✗
Kudu - Southern Greater	\$ 1 200	\$ 3 200	✓	✓
Leopard	\$ 3 000	\$ 6 000	✓	✓
Lion	\$ 6 000	\$ 9 850	✓	✓
Nyala	\$ 1 050	\$ 3 950	✗	✓
Hippo	\$ 1 050	\$ 9 500	✗	✓
Reedbuck - Common	\$ 400	\$ 1 250	✓	✗
Sable - Roosevelt	\$ 1 400	\$ 4 250	✓	✗
Steenbok	\$ 300	\$ 450	✗	✓
Wildebeest - Blue	\$ 850	\$ 2 000	✗	✓
Wildebeest - Niassa	\$ 1 200	\$ 3 250	✓	✗
Waterbuck	\$ 800	\$ 3 500	✓	✓
Warthog	\$ 300	\$ 580	✓	✓
Zebra - Burchell's	\$ 1 000	\$ 2 850	✗	✓
Zebra - Boehm's	\$ 1 200	\$ 2 950	✓	✗



DR. DON WENNER - BUFFALO



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