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EZEMVELO KWAZULU-NATAL WILDLIFE

2019

APPLICATION HUNTING PACKAGES

(for South African citizens only – Not for resale)

FOR NTININI CONTROLLED HUNTING AREA



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NATURAL RESOURCE TRADE DIVISION

2019 APPLICATION HUNTING PACKAGES FOR NTININI CONTROLLED HUNTING AREA

**NB: PLEASE FAMILIARISE YOURSELF WITH THE FOLLOWING ENCLOSED
DOCUMENTS:
APPLICATION PROCEDURES
CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND CODE OF CONDUCT**

Please note for all hunts:

- a. Maximum of **two** hunters and **two** non-hunters per package.
- b. Only 1 (one) hunt will take place at a time.
- c. All hunts are four nights – leave on morning of the fifth day.
- d. Cost per application: R50.00 each (Non – refundable).
- e. All hunts are available for local amateur hunters who are paid up members of an amateur hunting association and have been **proficiency graded**, (not “bona fide” hunting status) both in theory and practical aspects. Copies of certificates to this effect must be attached to the applications.
- f. These hunts are not for re-sale and should the applicant not take up the hunt, it will be offered to the next person on the waiting list.
- g. These are non-trophy hunts.
- h. No Quad Bikes or Recreational Vehicles will be allowed in the hunting area. Only 4 x 4 LDV’s will be allowed in the hunting area.
- i. All hunters must contact the Conservation Manager: Mr Raymond Zikhali on 082 921 5272 before arriving at the Reserve.
- j. **No cold room or skinning facilities are provided.** Hunters are requested to make their own arrangements for the cold storage of carcasses during the hunt.

DETAILS OF HUNTING PACKAGES

Mixed Hunts Number NA1

| Number | Species | Sex | Each | Total |
|--|-----------------|-------|-------|--------|
| 4 | Impala | Males | 1 650 | 6 600 |
| 2 | Blue Wildebeest | Males | 4 000 | 8 000 |
| 1 | Kudu | Male | 6 000 | 6 000 |
| 1 | Zebra | Male | 3 000 | 3 000 |
| Sub Total | | | | 23 600 |
| Accommodation | | | | 4 000 |
| Guiding Fee | | | | 600 |
| Total | | | | 28 200 |
| 50% Deposit of above total is payable on confirmation of the hunt. | | | | |

NB: Accommodation is charged at R 1 000.00 per night for a maximum of 5 people.

Mixed Hunts Number NA2

| Number | Species | Sex | Each | Total |
|--|-----------------|-------|-------|--------|
| 4 | Impala | Males | 1 650 | 6 600 |
| 1 | Blue Wildebeest | Males | 4 000 | 4 000 |
| 1 | Kudu | Male | 6 000 | 6 000 |
| 1 | Zebra | Male | 3 000 | 3 000 |
| Sub Total | | | | 19 600 |
| Accommodation | | | | 4 000 |
| Guiding Fee | | | | 600 |
| Total | | | | 24 200 |
| 50% Deposit of above total is payable on confirmation of the hunt. | | | | |

NB: Accommodation is charged at R 1 000.00 per night for a maximum of 5 people.

Mixed Hunts Number NA3

| Number | Species | Sex | Each | Total |
|--|-----------------|-------|-------|---------------|
| 4 | Impala | Males | 1 650 | 6 600 |
| 1 | Blue Wildebeest | Males | 4 000 | 4 000 |
| 1 | Kudu | Male | 6 000 | 6 000 |
| 1 | Zebra | Male | 3 000 | 3 000 |
| Sub Total | | | | 19 600 |
| Accommodation | | | | 4 000 |
| Guiding Fee | | | | 600 |
| Total | | | | 24 200 |
| 50% Deposit of above total is payable on confirmation of the hunt. | | | | |

NB: Accommodation is charged at R 1 000.00 per night for a maximum of 5 people.

Mixed Hunts Number NA4

| Number | Species | Sex | Each | Total |
|--|-----------------|-------|-------|---------------|
| 4 | Impala | Males | 1 650 | 6 600 |
| 1 | Blue Wildebeest | Males | 4 000 | 4 000 |
| 1 | Kudu | Male | 6 000 | 6 000 |
| 1 | Zebra | Male | 3 000 | 3 000 |
| Sub Total | | | | 19 600 |
| Accommodation | | | | 4 000 |
| Guiding Fee | | | | 600 |
| Total | | | | 24 200 |
| 50% Deposit of above total is payable on confirmation of the hunt. | | | | |

NB: Accommodation is charged at R 1 000.00 per night for a maximum of 5 people.

Mixed Hunts Number NA5

| Number | Species | Sex | Each | Total |
|--------|-----------------|-------|-------|--------------|
| 4 | Impala | Males | 1 650 | 6 600 |
| 1 | Blue Wildebeest | Males | 4 000 | 4 000 |

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|--|-------|------|---------------|---------------|
| 1 | Kudu | Male | 6 000 | 6 000 |
| 1 | Zebra | Male | 3 000 | 3 000 |
| | | | Sub Total | 19 600 |
| | | | Accommodation | 4 000 |
| | | | Guiding Fee | 600 |
| | | | Total | 24 200 |
| 50% Deposit of above total is payable on confirmation of the hunt. | | | | |

NB: Accommodation is charged at R 1 000.00 per night for a maximum of 5 people.

IMPORTANT NOTES

Accommodation

The hunting party is accommodated in a wooden slatted house. The house is fully furnished and has Eskom electricity and running water – both hot and cold. The kitchen has all necessary appliances, dishes, cutlery, pots and pans. There is also a fridge and chest freezer available. There are 3 bedrooms, 2 with two single beds and one with a double bed. There is also a lounge and dining room with furniture.

Hunting and Amenities

The reserve is fairly small (+-780ha) and you can get around to all the parts easily in a day if you want to. There is NO cold room available and hunters must make alternate arrangements for cold room facilities. Hunters must also carry with them knives, saws, brushes, etc. for processing their animals. No services will be provided by Reserve Management.

Getting there

Coordinates to the Reserve's main gate 28°17'22.4"S 30°56'55.3"E

Traveling from Babanango along the R68 towards Nqutu, turn right approximately 17 km outside of Babanango onto the gravel road to Vryheid. (Approximately 1 ½ km prior to reaching this point you would have passed a tar road on the left-hand side of the tar road leading to Nkandla). Driving along the gravel road to Vryheid you cross the Ntinini River and continue travel along the western bank of the river. Approximately 13 km along this road (from tar road turn off) is Ntinini hamlet, turn right at the store (not much of a store but a conspicuous blue building) and travel towards Zungeni hill in an easterly direction for approximately 3 km before reaching Ntinini Game Reserve.

When you get to the Ntinini gate you will see a thatch guard house and a wire fence gate. There is a boom which was not being. You will not find anyone at the gate. Make your way in and close the gate behind you. Follow the road into the reserve and keep an eye out for the lecture room on your left-hand side. Go past this and follow the well-used road until you get to a homestead. Someone will come out and you can notify them that you are there for hunting.

Licence Fees

Provincial Game Licence fees are not included in the packages. Hunters are requested to purchase these licences before their trip to Ntinini. Licences can be purchased from their Hunting Association or any Receiver of Revenue Office in KwaZulu-Natal. Selected sports shops and hunting associations in KwaZulu-Natal also sell these licences.

| Species | Licence Fee |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| Blue wildebeest | R12.00 |
| Common Reedbuck | R7.00 |
| Impala | R8.00 |
| Kudu | R18.00 |
| Nyala | R18.00 |
| Warthog | R7.00 |
| Zebra | R12.00 |
| Grey Duiker | R8.00 |
| Red Duiker | R24.00 |

Timetable of hunts for 2019

| Hunt Number | Dates (Four, leave on morning of 5 th day) |
|-------------|---|
| NA1 | 23 – 27 August 2019 |
| NA2 | 06 – 10 September 2019 |
| NA3 | 20 – 24 September 2019 |
| NA4 | 04 – 08 October 2019 |
| NA5 | 18 – 22 October 2019 |

PLEASE NOTE:

In the event of the above dates changing, successful applicants will be notified at least twenty-one (21) days prior to commencement of the hunt. The KwaZulu-Natal Nature Conservation Board will not be held responsible for any losses or damages occurring in the event that any date is changed as contemplated in this paragraph.



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**EZEMVELO KZN WILDLIFE: 2019 HUNTING APPLICATIONS
NTININI CONTROLLED HUNTING AREA**

NB : Please read the accompanying instructions before completing the form

GROUP LEADER

| | |
|-----------------|--|
| Surname: | |
| Initials: | |
| ID Number: | |
| Postal Address: | |
| Telephone No: | |
| Cell No: | |
| Fax No: | |
| E-mail Address: | |

COMPOSITION OF GROUP

| | Surname | Initials | ID | Hunters Association | Date of Proficiency Grading | Certificate Attached |
|----------|---------|----------|----|---------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Leader | | | | | | |
| Member 1 | | | | | | |
| Member 2 | | | | | | |
| Member 3 | | | | | | |

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR CHOICE OF HUNTS (NO MORE THAN 3 PER LEADER)

| | | |
|----------------------------------|----|--------|
| Application 1 | NA | R50.00 |
| Application 2 | NA | R50.00 |
| Application 3 | NA | R50.00 |
| Total application fees included: | | |
| Method of payment: | | |

I declare the above information to be true and correct:

| | |
|----------------------------|--|
| Signature of group leader: | |
| Date: | |

Please note:

1. Cheques to be crossed and made payable to KZN Wildlife. Postal orders are NOT accepted.
2. Banking details for direct deposits:
3. Bank: *First National Bank*
Account Name: *KZN Wildlife*
Branch code: *257355, Midlands Mall Pietermaritzburg*
Account No: *5093 5587 433*
Reference: *NRTD App Hunts*
4. If paying by direct/internet deposit, please ensure that you **attach a copy of your deposit slip as proof of payment.** Should this not be enclosed, your application will **NOT** be considered.
5. Applications can be posted or hand delivered. No faxed or e-mailed applications will be considered.
6. Closing date for applications is **1st August 2019**

7. *Post applications to Natural Resources Trade Division, EKZN Wildlife, PO Box 13053, Cascades 3202 or hand deliver to Queen Elizabeth Park, Peter Brown Drive, Pietermaritzburg, 3201*



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EZEMVELO KZN WILDLIFE
APPLICATION PROCEDURES: 2019 HUNTS

- a. Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife is offering hunting packages to South African citizens or permanent residents only.
- b. **Only hunters who are members of a recognised amateur hunting association and have been proficiency graded are entitled to apply for the hunts and proof of this grading will be required for all members of the hunting party upon confirmation of the hunt.**
- c. Only applications on the prescribed Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife Application Form, or exact Photostat copies of original size, will be accepted.
- d. **No faxed forms will be accepted or sent.**
- e. No correspondence will be entered regarding receipt of applications.
- f. Only cash, cheques and direct deposits will be accepted. **No postal orders, bank drafts or telegraphic money orders.** Should you pay by means of a direct deposit, a copy of the deposit must be attached to the application form as proof of payment.
- g. A single payment can be made for multiple applications, and all applications together with the single proof of payment must be sent in the same envelope.
- h. Application fees are non-refundable. The money received will be used to defray administrative costs and the remainder will be allocated to the running expenses of the controlled hunting areas.
- i. Application fees are R50.00 per application, **with a maximum of three applications per controlled hunting area per hunt leader.** One application form is enclosed. A maximum of three applications may be entered on this form. Each application will be treated separately, ie you may enter three applications for the same hunt, or three applications for three different hunts.
- j. Successful applicants will be determined by a simple draw system, whereby a successful applicant and five alternates are drawn. The hunt is offered to the successful applicant and if for some reason he/she is unable to take up the hunt, it will be offered to the first alternate and so on until taken.
- k. No group shall be allowed to participate in more than **one** hunt in each controlled hunting area.
- l. The substitution or addition of hunters **may** be allowed, subject to your **written application**, and provided that approval from Ezemvelo KZN Wildlife is obtained **prior to the commencement of the hunt.**

- m. Please note that should your application be successful, and you fail to pay for your hunt within the prescribed period, the package will be reallocated. The onus lies with the **team leader** to ensure that all payments are received by due date.
- n. Application fees received after the closing date will be returned to the applicant.
- o. The closing date for applications of **Thursday, 1st August 2019** is final.
- p. All applicants will be notified of the result of the draw which will be held soon thereafter.
- q. The draw will be held in the Theatre, Queen Elizabeth Park, by Ezemvelo's Internal Audit Division.
- r. Successful applicants will be notified per facsimile/e-mail within fourteen (14) days of the draw, and a registered letter will be posted within (14) days of the draw. Unsuccessful applicants will be notified per letter within twenty-one (21) days of the draw.
- s. Each package is available to a maximum of four hunters, **one of which is the leader** and the others are co-hunters.
- t. Successful applicants will be required to pay 50% of the cost of the hunt including accommodation, within fourteen (14) days of notification to confirm their acceptance. Should this payment not be received, the hunt will be offered to the next applicant drawn.
- u. Your attention is also drawn to the fact that should you not be able to take your full quota of animals as specified in your package, within the prescribed period, you will forfeit all rights to those animals as well as any monetary repayment. All hunts must be concluded on or before **31st October 2019**.

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CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND CODE OF CONDUCT
LOCAL AMATEUR HUNTING

On arrival:

On arrival the hunting party will:

1. Advise the gate staff at the entrance gate that they are hunters and are proceeding to the Reserve Manager's office.

2. Report to the Reserve Manager on the first day of the hunt, who will then arrange for the party to be accompanied by a Field Ranger.

**Please note:
No dogs are allowed in the Controlled Hunting Area or in the Reserve.
Entrance fees to the park is applicable.**

Shooting test:

After reporting to the Reserve Manager, hunters will be taken to the rifle range where:

1. They will be offered the opportunity to test and zero their rifles at 25, 50 or 100 metres.
2. They will then be required to place 3 out of 4 shots in a 150 mm square target from 100 metres, using a bench rest.

**IMPORTANT: PLEASE NOTE THAT
HUNTERS FAILING THIS TEST WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO
HUNT IN THE CONTROLLED HUNTING AREA.**

Administration:

On successful completion of the shooting test, hunters will be required to:

1. Sign a copy of these "Conditions of Entry and Code of Conduct" signifying that they will abide by them.
2. Sign a KwaZulu-Natal Nature Conservation Board Indemnity form.
3. Obtain required hunting licences from the Reserve Manager, if not already in possession of these.

Controlled Hunting Area: Conditions Applicable to Amateur Hunting:

1. A Field Ranger will be provided. The Field Ranger will act as an observer and guide to the area and will have the authority to enforce the rules and regulations of the park. The Field Rangers are not trackers, judges of trophy horns, or skimmers. Although they may volunteer help during the hunt, it cannot be demanded.
2. (a) No other staff will be provided to the hunting party, and they are therefore responsible for their own skinning, general labour and all transport and catering requirements.
(b) **A maximum of two hunters are to hunt at any one time, and they must be in the presence of a Field Ranger when hunting.**
3. When hunters enter the CHA, whether by vehicle or on foot, they **MUST** be accompanied by the Field Ranger.
4. Hunting is only permitted in the areas demarcated on the map.
5. No hunting is permitted within 200 metres of a vehicle.
6. (a) The word of the Field Ranger, or physical evidence of blood, will be taken as proof that an animal has been shot. Should the animal not be recovered within the hunting party's

allocated days, it will be classified as “wounded” and will be taken off the hunter’s allocation and considered forfeited.

- (b) In the event of a wounded animal leaving the Controlled Hunting Area, and entering the reserve, hunters will NOT be allowed to follow up the animal. The accompanying Field Ranger will immediately notify the Reserve Manager/Section Ranger who will arrange for reserve staff to follow up and locate the animal. The animal may then be destroyed if the wound is considered life threatening. Only if the animal is destroyed, will the trophy be made available to the hunter. If the wounded animal is not located within the hunting party’s allocated days, it will be considered forfeited.
7. Hunters’ vehicles will be confined to roads/tracks designated by KZN Nature Conservation Service staff. Vehicles will only be allowed off these designated roads/tracks to recover carcasses. The most direct route from the track to the carcass and back will be used and destruction of vegetation is to be avoided when driving off the tracks.
 8. No hunting will be allowed from half-an-hour after sunset and half-an-hour before sunrise.
 9. The Reserve Manager may, if he is satisfied that any member of a hunting party has
 - (a) contravened any of the provisions of the Nature Conservation Ordinance No 15 of 1974,
or
 - (b) breached any of the terms or conditions of this undertaking,
or
 - (c) contravened the local rules and regulations of Ntinini Nature Reserve,order such person to immediately leave the reserve.
 10. Any person ordered to leave the reserve shall not be entitled to take possession of any animal shot by him, nor shall he have any claim against the KZN Nature Conservation Board in respect of such animals.
 11. A hunter, shooting an animal other than one on his allocation, is liable to:
 - (a) surcharge for the animal amounting to twice the “live market value” of that particular species shot
 - (b) forfeiture of the carcass including all related by-products as well as trophy
 - (c) be charged for contravening Nature Conservation Ordinance No 15 of 1974.
 12. If any meat is contaminated by parasites or any diseases, KZN Nature Conservation Board will not be held liable.
 13. The hunt is to be completed during the period allocated.
 14. No refunds will be made if the hunting package is not hunted in full.
 15. No firewood is provided. Hunters must bring in their own firewood. The collection of firewood within the Protected Area is an offence.
 16. No quad bikes or other recreational vehicles may be used in the hunting area or reserve. Only suitable LDV’s will be allowed in the hunting area.
 17. No ice will be provided. Ice maybe purchased from the main camp and depends on availability of stocks.

On departure:

The hunting party will:

1. Before leaving the reserve on the final day of the hunt, in the company of a Field Ranger from the Hunting area, report to the Reserve Manager on the way out of the reserve.
2. Ensure that a "Hunters Return" is completed in full and signed by the Hunt Leader as proof that he/she agrees with the details and quantities of animals hunted and the period of the hunt/accommodation.

**NB: There are giraffe
present in the Controlled Hunting Areas.
At NO TIME will any shots be fired in the direction
of these species (unless specified, ie Giraffe hunt).**