

PRICE LIST – TRAILS, VENUE HIRE & PICNIC PARK - 2020

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(valid for August and September 2020)



All visitors entering Rietvlei Zoo Farm premises must wear a mask or buff at all times. All visitors must register (once-off) and sign in every time they access the facilities, so that we can do the strict Covid 19 checks and record temperatures. We are using a digital platform and ask that you take the time to adhere to these rules of entry. We thank you for your patience and understanding during these challenging times. (Strictly no more than 50 people per group.)

RIETVLEI TRAILS:

Rietvlei Trails are open daily for MTB Riding, Hiking, Walking, Running and Cross-Country from 6am to 6pm.

SPECIAL TRAILS CARD PRICE FOR AUGUST 2020 – R150 per Access Card that offers 10 entries.

From September 2020, Access Cards are R250.

A family can share an Access Card. Purchase your Access Card from the Trails Lapa & Entrance Gate.

The Trails are suitable for beginners, intermediate or advance runner, walkers, hikers or riders.

Bikes & helmets can be hired for R150. No helmet, no ride. Dogs to remain on a leash at all times.

MTB Trails options – Yellow 5km, Orange 14km, Blue 22km, Green 24km Trails.

WALK/RUN/HIKE Trails options – 5km, 10km, 15km Trails, 5.6km Sunshine Trail, 2.6km Tswana Trail, 5km parkrun Trail.

There is no Rietvlei parkrun on Saturdays until further notice. Please view www.parkrun.co.za.

Follow us on facebook and Instagram for Rietvlei Trails.

CONFERENCE HALLS – VENUE HIRE FOR BUSINESS MEETINGS ONLY

UNDER RENOVATION FOR AUG & SEPT 2020 - Regrettably: The Butterfly Hall and Bumblee Room are undergoing renovations and are not available or cannot be hired yet. The venues are self-catering. You welcome to bring your own caterers and décor.

There is a Smoking Area/Courtyard and Mens & Ladies Bathrooms.

BUTTERFLY HALL: (50 Guests maximum)

Day Use: 09h00 to 16h00 – price to be advised

This Hall is equipped with 8 round tables and 50 chairs. There are 2 extra trestle tables that can be used for catering or as presentation tables and 6 power points. Bring your own caterers, décor and utensils. This Hall includes a Kitchen Serving Area with a Fridge. No ovens provided – bring your own microwave.

BUMBLE BEE ROOM: (40 Guests maximum)

Day Use: 09h00 to 16h00 – price to be advised

This Hall is Equipped with 4 round tables and 40 chairs. There are 2 extra trestle tables that can be used for catering or as presentation tables and 3 power points. Bring your own caterers, décor and utensils. This Room has an outside small kitchen room with a fridge and 2 power points where catering can be setup. No ovens provided – bring your own microwave.

PICNIC PARK AREA:

The PICNIC PARK is open from Friday 21 August 2020. Please do not arrange groups larger than 50 people due to Covid19 regulations. You are welcome to contact the office to make enquiries and provisional bookings for the future dates in the Picnic Park. Please contact the Farm Office to make your bookings.

PICNIC PARK HOURS: Monday to Sunday - 09h00 to 17h00 for August and September.

Visitors Entrance into the Picnic Park will not be allowed after 16h30.

Day Visitor Entrance Fees: R40 per Person. Children under 24months is FREE.

For Lapa and Terrace bookings, you pay the Venue Hire Fee PLUS the Day Visitor entrance fee per person.

There are NO refunds on Venue Hire due to bad weather. PLEASE NOTE: There will be NO REFUNDS for guests that do not arrive.

There is NO MUSIC ALLOWED in the Picnic Park from January to August. MUSIC is allowed in Lapas only from September, October, November, and December, but at reasonable levels. Music is not allowed to be played from vehicles.

The Farm is closed on 25 December and 1 January, however we open on all other public holidays.

You can book and hire a Venue from a choice of various size Lapas and Terraces in the Picnic Park. All our venues are self-catering and you are welcome to bring your own food and drinks, décor and extra entertainment or team building activities. You can picnic or bring your own braai or hire a drum braai from the farm office. **Due to load shedding please ensure you have a generator for the lapas that have power.** Please complete a Booking Form when making your payment and supply the Farm office with your Guest List for your pre-paid Visitors for your Lapa booked, so that your Visitors are not charged at the Entrance when they arrive.

Free Parking is available at the Farm Entrance Parking Area OR you can park inside the Picnic Area at a cost of R50 per vehicle.

No buses or taxis allowed in the Picnic Park. Visitors are welcome to bring picnic blankets, camping chairs, tables and gazebos, as wooden benches are limited on a first-come-first-serve basis. Day Visitors can Picnic/Braai in the Picnic Park under the trees and on the lawn. Kids can feed the farmyard animals, view the birds in the bird aviary, play on the jungle gyms or go on our fun pony, tractor rides, scooter rides or train rides. Please note that rides are only available on weekends and public holidays. Pre-arranged ride tickets are available for group bookings only during the week via the farm office. Purchase Tickets from the Farm Office or Zak's Hut for Tractor Rides R20pp, Pony Rides R20pp, Swings R20pp, Steam Train Rides R20pp, Mini Zipline R20pp, Paddle Boats R25 pp, Scooters R100pp, Veggie Packs R15 per packet, 500m Zip Rider R100 (12yrs & older) and R50 (under 12 yrs). Drum braai hire is R50. SCHOOL OUTINGS: We request schools/large groups to pre-book and arrange veggie packs, tractor rides, pony rides, steam train rides or mini zipline with the office before arrival - to avoid disappointment.

VENUES FOR HIRE IN THE PICNIC PARK ARE AS FOLLOWS:

CAMEL LAPA/ GOOSE LAPA/ SWANLAPA - R600 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 1 bench and 1 trestle table, 1 drum braai **and a power point.**

FARMYARD TERRACE - R650 (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Covered Terrace - Equipped with 2 trestle tables, 30 plastic chairs, 1 drum braai **and power point.**

GOAT LAPA/ DONKEY LAPA - R700 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 1 trestle table, 15 chairs, 1 built-in braai **and a power point.**

AVIARY TERRACE – R750 PER TERRACE (excluding day Visitor Fees)

Room with Terrace - Equipped with 20 chairs, 2 wooden benches, 2 trestle tables, 1 drum braai **and power point.**

LADYBIRD LAPA / EAGLE LAPA - R800 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 2 trestle tables, 20 chairs, 1 built-in braai **and a power point.**

DUCK LAPA - R850 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 4 wooden benches, 1 built-in braai **and a power point.**

WILLOW LAPA - R850 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 4 wooden benches, 1 built-in braai **and a power point.**

PARROT TERRACE – R1000 (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Two Rooms with sliding doors opening onto veranda and small grass area. Equipped with 3 trestle tables, 30 plastic chairs, 1 drum braai **and power point.**

DRAGONFLY LAPA/ PEACOCK LAPA - R1,000 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 30 chairs, 3 trestle tables, 1 built-in braai **and a power point.**

BUDGIE TERRACE - R1,150 (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Building enclosed with veranda, kitchen/bar, fridge and water points.

Equipped with 2 trestle tables, 20 plastic chairs, 15 seater in-built seats, 1 drum braai **and power point.**

PONY LAPA - R1,250 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 6 wooden benches, 10 chairs, 2 trestle tables, 1 built-in braai **and a power point.**

MONGOOSE LAPA - R1,650 (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 8 wooden benches, 10 plastic chairs, 1 braai, 2 trestle tables and **2 power points.**

This Lapa can seats 50 people comfortably on the wooden benches.

CHAMELEON LAPA (with drop down sides) - R1,800 (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 10 wooden benches, 20 plastic chairs, 2 braais, 2 trestle tables and **2 power points.**

This Lapa can seat 50 people comfortably on the wooden benches.

BELOW LAPAS OVER THE BRIDGE BY THE LARGE PICNIC AREA (NO power points over the bridge)

OAK LAPA OR REED LAPA - R700 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees) Over the bridge in large picnic area

Equipped with 2 wooden benches and 1 drum braai (NO tables provided – you can bring your own) **NO power point.**

RIVER LAPA / DAM LAPA - R750 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees) Over the bridge in large picnic area

Equipped with 4 wooden benches, 1 built-in braai (NO tables provided – you can bring your own) **NO power point.**

BANKING DETAILS:

Defence Developments, Standard Bank - Southdale Branch 006405, Account No: 007877439.

All bookings and payments are to be made via the FARM OFFICE. Kindly email proof of payments. If paying cash, please ensure you receive a receipt from the FARM OFFICE. FULL PAYMENT IS REQUIRED ON BOOKING.

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