

PICNIC PARK & VENUE HIRE – PRICE LIST 2018

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PICNIC PARK AREA - ACCESS TIMES:

PICNIC PARK September to December Hours: Mon to Thurs - 09h00–17h00 | Fri to Sun - 09h00–18h00.

PICNIC PARK January to August Hours: Mon to Sun - 09h00-17h00.

We are closed 25 December and 1 January.

Visitors Entrance will not be allowed into the Picnic Park after 16h00.

PICNIC PARK DAY VISITORS - ENTRANCE FEES:

Entrance Fees: R30 per Person. Children under 24months is FREE.

Parking is available at Farm Main Entrance Area OR you can park in the Picnic Area at an extra R50 per vehicle. No buses or taxis allowed in the Picnic Area. 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 area 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 or train rides. Please note that rides are only available on weekends/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 Cart Rides R10pp, Pony Rides R10pp, Steam Train Rides R15pp, Mini Zipline R10pp, Veggie Packs R10 per packet. Bee Edu-talk R10pp. Drum braai hire is R50.

RIETVLEI TRAILS – ENTRANCE FEES: (Mountain Bike, Walking, Running, Hiking and Cross-Country)

CYCLISTS: R30 per Adult Cyclist, R20 per Child Cyclist.

RIETVLEI TRAILS: Walkers / Runners / Hikers - R20 per person.

Purchase your Rietvlei Trails Access Card (discounted rate) from the farm office during the week or from the Rietvlei Trails Lapa on weekends/public holidays. View the Rietvlei Trails Facebook page to see monthly Trails Events and weekly Time Trials.

VENUE HIRE – RULES & PRICES OF LAPAS & TERRACES AND HALLS: FULL PAYMENT IS REQUIRED ON BOOKING OF VENUES

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 Area from January to September. MUSIC is allowed in October, November and December.

Venue Hire Bookings must be made with the FARM OFFICE. 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. All the Lapas, Terraces and Halls are self-catering. You are welcome to bring your own caterers and décor, extra gazebos, marquees, chairs and tables, jumping castles and entertainment activities. Please notify your guests to leave the premises in a clean and orderly manner - use the bins provided. 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.

VENUE HIRE: For your party or event, you can book and hire a venue from a choice of various size Lapas and Terraces in the picnic area or Halls at the entrance. 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.

CAMEL LAPA/ GOOSE LAPA/ SWAN LAPA

R450 PER (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

FARMYARD TERRACE

R500 (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

OAK LAPA / REED LAPA (Over the bridge in large picnic area)

R550 (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 3 wooden benches and 1 x drum braai (NO tables provided – you can bring your own) NO power point

GOAT LAPA/ DONKEY LAPA

R550 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

RIVER LAPA / DAM LAPA (Over the bridge in large picnic area)

R600 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

LADYBIRD LAPA / EAGLE LAPA / PEACOCK LAPA

R650 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

DUCK LAPA

R650 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

AVIARY TERRACE

R650 PER TERRACE (excluding day Visitor Fees)

Room with Terrace - Equipped with 20 chairs, 2 wooden benches, 2 trestle tables with a fridge, 1 braai and power point

WILLOW LAPA

R700 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

PARROT TERRACE – (Two Rooms with sliding doors opening onto veranda with a fridge)

R800 PER TERRACE (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 3 trestle tables, 30 plastic chairs, 1 x drum braai and power point

DRAGONFLY LAPA

R850 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

PONY LAPA

R1000 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

MONGOOSE LAPA

R1,250 PER LAPA (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

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

This Lapa can seat 80 people comfortably on the wooden benches. This Lapa can seat up to 100 people with extra chairs, tables and gazebos.

CHAMELEON LAPA (with drop down sides)

R1,500 PER LAPA (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 80 people comfortably on the wooden benches.

This Lapa can seat up to 120 people with extra chairs, tables and gazebos.

BUDGIE TERRACE – Building enclosed with veranda, kitchen/bar, fridge and water points

R1,000 PER TERRACE (excluding Day Visitor Fees)

Equipped with 2 trestle tables, 20 plastic chairs, 20 sitter in-built seats, 1 x drum braai and power point

DAY AND NIGHT VENUES FOR HIRE: FULL PAYMENT IS REQUIRED ON BOOKING HALLS

FOR EVENING USE: R1, 000 Refundable Breakage Deposit is required over and above the Booking fee (for night bookings only).

The Breakage Deposit will be refunded and paid back within 10 days after the event had taken place, once the venue has been checked for damages/breakages. Should you require extra tables or chairs at a cost, please arrange with the farm office. R150 per hour will be charge for set up before time of Hire. All the Lapas, Terraces and Halls are self-catering. You are welcome to bring your own caterers and décor, extra chairs and tables, jumping castles and entertainment activities. **The facility will be closed and locked up strictly at 24h00 (not negotiable).**

BUTTERFLY CONFERENCE HALL: (Seats up to 120 Guests maximum)

Day Use: 09h00 to 17h00 – R3,500 OR Evening Use: 18h00 to 24h00 – R4,000

Full Day & Evening Use: 09h00 to 24h00 – R6,000

These prices include up to 120 Guests. R30 per person will be charged for extra Guests. This Hall is equipped with 12 round tables, 120 chairs, 2 trestle tables and 3 power points. Guest list must be provided to the office before arrival. Bring your own caterers, décor and utensils. This Hall includes a Kitchen Serving Area (no ovens provided), Smoking Area/Court Yard, Mens & Ladies Bathrooms. Bar Area located by the Court Yard can be hired for an extra R400.

BUMBLE BEE ROOM: (Seats up to 50 Guests maximum)

Day Use 09h00 to 17h00 – R2,000 OR Evening Use: 18h00 to 24h00 – R3,000

Full Day & Evening use: 09h00 to 24h00 - R4,000

These prices include up to 50 Guests. R30 per person will be charged for extra Guests. This Hall is Equipped with 5 round tables and 50 chairs.

Guest list must be provided to the office before arrival. You can use your own caterers, décor and utensils. This venue includes a Smoking Area and Mens & Ladies Bathrooms.

SPECIALISED EVENT AREA, FUNDRAISING EVENTS AND RIETVLEI TRAILS EVENTS:

Rietvlei Zoo Farm has a specialised large Event Area that can be hired for special sports, corporate or fundraising events. The Event Area is capable of hosting up to 4000 people and can be customized to suit your Event needs.

The Event Area consists of a large grass area with three lapas (aloe, rock and parkrun lapa), an open stage and ladies and gents toilets. Each event/function hosted in this area is quoted separately.

ALOE / ROCK LAPA (In the Event area next to Rietvlei Trails Lapa)

Equipped with 3 wooden benches and 1 x drum braai (NO tables provided – you can bring your own) **Main Power Point between the two lapas.**

PARKRUN LAPA (Located in the Event area just past the Rietvlei Trails and Oak/Aloe Lapa)

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

STAGE AREA (Located next the Rietvlei Trail Lapa) Stage has its own power point

Book your CROSS-COUNTRY EVENT with the Trails Manager.

Enquiries: Rietvlei Trails Manager Shawn Mackrell on 082 490 0819 or Rietvlei Farm Office/Events Manager Angel Radebe 079 041 1488.

AFFORDABLE ACCOMMODATION: BUSH CAMP – RONDAWELS & HALL: (Sleeps 60 people)

R100 per person per night – Minimum 25 people and maximum 60 people. Time IN: 12H00 - Time OUT: 10H00.

Campsite includes: 6 Rondawels with Bunk Beds and mattresses, Separate Ablutions for Gents and Ladies, Hall with 60 chairs and 6 tables, Eating Room, Kitchen with Fridge and Deep Freeze, Electric stove and Coal Oven. (Coal and Wood not supplied). You supply your own: Catering, Food, Drinks, Cutlery, Crockery, Glassware, Pots, Kitchenware, Bedding/Sleeping Bags, Toiletries.

BANKING DETAILS: Defence Developments CC, 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. Reference for payments: VENUE NAME & DATE OF EVENT.**