

2 Day Luxury Pilanesberg Safari

📍 Pilanesberg, Moses Kotane Local Municipality, Bojanala Platinum District Municipality, North West, South Africa



Embark on an unforgettable **Luxury Pilanesberg Safari**, designed to offer you the ultimate 5-star experience. Over 2 days and 1 night, immerse yourself in the breathtaking wilderness of Pilanesberg National Park, staying at the exclusive Black Rhino Lodge in the park's North Western region. Spanning 55,000 hectares of malaria-free wilderness, Pilanesberg is a sanctuary for the Big 5 and a diverse array of bird and animal species.

This luxury safari perfectly blends relaxation, thrilling wildlife encounters, and exceptional cuisine, making it ideal for travelers with limited time in Johannesburg who seek an authentic South African safari experience.

What to Expect on Your Luxury Pilanesberg Safari

Our **Luxury Pilanesberg Safari** is designed for those seeking an exclusive and stress-free adventure. We handle all the details, so you can fully unwind and enjoy your time in the wild. This package includes all meals, three open-air game drives, round-trip transfers from Johannesburg, and 5-star accommodations.

About the Black Rhino Game Lodge

More than just a luxury lodge, the **Black Rhino Game Lodge** offers an authentic South African safari experience, deeply rooted in respect for local culture and a commitment to wildlife conservation. This 2-day safari promises not only a magical stay but also the opportunity for close-up encounters with the wildlife, guided by our expert rangers.

The Accommodations

Your stay at the Black Rhino Game Lodge includes accommodation in the Standard Rooms, which can be configured with a double bed or two single beds based on your preferences. Each room is equipped with individual air conditioning, an en-suite bathroom with shower, satellite TV, direct-dial telephones, electric shaving points, a coffee machine, a hairdryer, international multi-plugs, and electronic safes for your valuables.

The Game Drives

Our highly experienced rangers, certified by the Field Guide Association of South Africa, will lead you on three 3-hour game drives in open-air vehicles. The best times for spotting wildlife are early morning and late afternoon/evening, ensuring you have the best chance to see the Pilanesberg's diverse fauna. During these game drives, you'll explore the rich biodiversity of Pilanesberg, home to the Big 5—lion, leopard, African buffalo, rhino, and elephant—as well as over 360 bird species and many other animals. Keep an eye out for zebra, giraffe, hippo, wildebeest, crocodile, and the majestic Fish Eagle as you traverse this stunning landscape.

Tour Facts

Language:

English

Duration:

2

Tour Type:

continuous

Tour Itinerary

Day 1 :

Travel day. Our luxury Pilanesberg safari leaves from Johannesburg at 06H00. Your host for the duration of the tour will meet you at your hotel. We then take the 2.5 hour drive through to the **Pilanesberg** with a stop for refreshments along the way at a traditional 'boer' restaurant where you can get a taste of the local coffee.

We aim to be at the **Pilanesberg National Park** by 9am. After a quick stretch of the legs, we will embark on the first game drive of the tour. The drive will take us into the heart of the **Pilanesberg** where you will get the chance to see a lot of the wildlife that live in the reserve.

The game drive concludes at about 12:30pm. We then enjoy a scrumptious buffet lunch before we check into the Black Rhino Game Lodge. We should have you settled in your room by 2pm. The next game drive is scheduled from 4:30pm until 7:30pm. So you have the afternoon to relax by the pool or enjoy the lodges many lounges and terraces.

Day 2 :

We have an early game drive scheduled. The best time to view the animals of the **Pilanesberg** is in the early morning. Wake up call is at 5:30am-ready to go at 6:30am. We will travel to the western part of the **Pilanesberg** to take discover the different terrain and landscape formations while we search for the leopards, lions, African Buffalo and rhinos that frequent this part of the reserve.

We should be back at the Lodge by 9:30am where you will get to enjoy a scrumptious buffet breakfast on the terrace that overlooks the **Pilanesberg**. Check out is at 11am. We will then take the 2.5 hour drive back to Johannesburg with a stop enroute at the Hartbeespoort Dam. We should have you back in your hotel by 3pm.