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Africa Golf Safari Invitational | 2016

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February 21 - 26, 2016

ZEBULA GOLF ESTATE & SPA

Bela-Bela, Waterberg, South Africa

(Only 2 hours from Johannesburg Airport)

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South Africa's biggest Golf Carnival

2nd. Africa Golf Safari Invitational, 2016

Hello and Welcome!

It feels great once again to invite Golfers from all over the world to the South Africa's ultimate week of golf and fun. The second Africa Golf Safari Invitational (AGSI) will take place from February 21-26, 2016 at the Zebula Golf Estate & Spa in Limpopo, South Africa.

For our second edition, by request, we have introduced a daily handicapping system which is based on the field average. This has proven in the past to ensure we have no run-away winners and numerous participants all in the running on the last day. Winners in both the ladies and mens division as well as the overall winners will receive fantastic prizes at the final evening Gala Dinner.

The unbeatable AGSI 2016 Package includes 5 nights accommodation, 3 rounds of Tournament Golf, Night shootout for Hole-in-One, friendly Chipping & Putting competitions, international cuisine, game drives, wildlife interaction and much more. However, more than anything else, it is a place to meet like minded people from all over the world and forge lifelong friendship. don't take our word for it - ask around!

This year, up for grabs is more than ZAR 300,000 in prizes. February is a fantastic time to be in South Africa away from the chills of northern hemisphere. After the resounding success of AGSI 2015, the event only promises to be bigger and better this time!

Scott Edkins
Tournament Director

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Golfer's Package Includes

- 5x nights luxury accommodation in Zebula Bush Lodge with breakfast daily
- 5x multi course dinners with limited drinks
- Unlimited access to Golf Practice facilities
- 3x18 hole Single Stableford Tournament at the Zebula Country Club and Elements Golf Course
- Shared Cart and Halfway House lunch
- Tournament Administration, Daily Scorecard and Leaderboard, Cart Assignment
- 5x hole Par-3 Golf, Night shoot-out with Glow-in-Dark balls and Hole-in-One on the 18th green
- Friendly Chipping and Putting contests
- Elephant Interaction and Cheetah Run
- Game drive in search of the legendary Big Five
- Welcome Reception with Traditional Entertainment, Wine Tasting and Participant's Gift
- Gala Prize Giving Ceremony with Live band and Farewell Dinner
- Return transfer from Airport and Elements GC
- All Tourism Levies and Service Fees
- 24/7 on-site support by AGSI 2016 Host Team

In my 21 years of experience, it is the second time that I have lived such a great organization for such an enormous group. I guess that the team has been working for at least one year in order to fix everything without any "quacks"

Nadine Schutte, Belgium

ZAR 17,935
pp sharing

ZAR 21,325
pp single

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Non-Golfer Package

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pp sharing

ZAR 21,325
pp single

Leisure Activities... Unlimited Fun

- 2 hour guided tour & touch experience at De Wildt Shingwedzi Cheetah and Wildlife Ranch
- 2x Game Drives with expert rangers in search of Big Five
- ZAR 500 Spa Voucher to be used anytime during the stay
- Elephant interaction (along with golfers)
- Cheetah Run and Photo Opportunities
- Clay Pigeon Shooting Experience
- Horseback Safari Adventure

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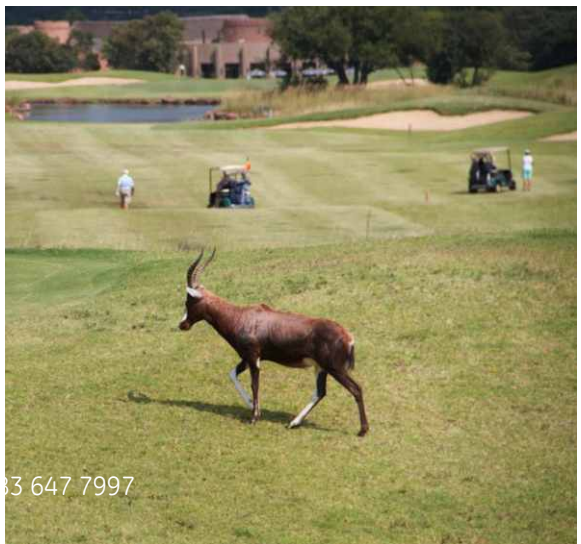
The organization was first class, food delicious and the diversity of program ensured boredom never had any chance. We're already looking to the next year's event and discovering a new location

David Murray, US



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Itinerary Schedule

Sunday Feb 21, 2016

Participants Arrival, Check-in and Registration
Optional warm-up at the Driving Range
Traditional Welcome with Wine Tasting & Supper

Monday Feb 22, 2015

Round 1 AGSI 2016 on Elements Golf Course (10h00)
Cheetah Run and Wildlife Interaction
South African BBQ with drumming session

Tuesday Feb 23, 2015

Round 2 AGSI 2016 on Zebula Golf Course (09h30)
Putting competition with ZAR 50,000 in prizes
Night golf shoot out with Hole-in-One on the 18th.

Wednesday Feb 24, 2015

Early morning game drive in search of the Big Five
5x holes on the Par-3 Mashie Course
Chipping competition with ZAR 50,000 in prizes
International cuisine with Karaoke sing-along

Thursday Feb 25, 2015

Round 3 AGSI 2016 on Zebula Golf Course (08h00)
Championship Playoff for Tournament Winner
Prize Giving Dinner Ceremony with live Band

Friday Feb 26, 2015

Transfer to JHB Airport for onward or return journey

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We all left tired of laughing after an amazing week – met wonderful people from around the globe and have made friendships which we look forward to renewing next year!!

Mark Marais, UK

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Zebula Bush Lodges

Welcome to an oasis of privacy, luxury and indulgence. A stunning and totally unique lifestyle destination. As a guest at Zebula, you can be sure to enjoy face to face animal encounters with elephants, lion and tiger cubs, while their resident cheetah take the wildlife experience to a whole new level, making this a golf and leisure destination unlike any other on the continent.

Each lodge in the five-star property is differently decorated from the rest as a mark of its singularity. Elegant and opulent African style interiors are complemented with all modern amenities, a cozy fireplace, a Jet-spa Bath, as well as an inside and outside shower. The attached balcony opens to a most inviting view of the serene and blissful Waterberg Mountain and the African bushveld. The cozy chalet rooms alternatively also overlook the charming golf course.

Zebula also offers the most stunning spa experience in its elegantly styled, six treatment-room spa that comes with snack bar, indoor heated pool, heated relaxation tubs, a complete gym and manicured outdoor; all offering sensational views of the dramatic landscape in which the estate is set. You must unwind with African style inspired dining in Zebula's main restaurant, Syringa Restaurant, as Executive Chef, Gerry Nel creates magic in the kitchen.

The Peter Matkovich-designed golf course respects the environment, following the natural contours of the terrain, a masterful symphony of indigenous bush and landscaped areas. Surprising for its bushveld location, water supply is both abundant and sustainable, ensuring that the quality of the greens is unrivalled and that playing surfaces are always top notch.

We guarantee you will be sad to leave on Feb 26th, Friday.

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Zebula Country Club

The Zebula golf course is such an organic part of the bushveld experience that one wouldn't be surprised to run into a lofty giraffe or even an amused ostrich during your 18-hole round.

The wonderful year-round climate and the judicious use of naturally occurring water practically guarantees a year round green course. The challenging yet fair course lies on rather flat terrain where wide open fairways are framed by the bushveld shrubs and dense trees.

A featured hole on the back nine is the par-five 15th, with a split fairway, but the signature hole on the layout is regarded as the par-three 8th, with a raised green sheltered by both sand and water. And don't forget to take in the magnificent views from the clubhouse terrace with a sundowner as the African sun sets over the golf course in a kaleidoscope of colors.

Elements Private Golf Reserve

Rightly acclaimed as South Africa's 'emerald of the north', the Elements Golf Course is widely regarded as among the best in the continent. Lying in a rugged, rocky valley, the quality of playing surface, is ensured by the more than adequate water reserves along the length.

Three dams come into play over its 18-hole length, attracting both your wayward shots and the wildlife. A gentle stream also appears in parts, before ending on a lake around which the course is designed.

The special guests keeping you company on course include Kudu, Impala, Blue Wildebeest, Zebra, Blesbok, Red Haartebeest and also Mountain Reedbuck. The surrounding terrain varies between natural hillsides and open plains, while the fairway itself meanders through a fertile valley of a heavily wooded terrain, indigenous vegetation and artful landscaping.

LEGEND GOLF & SAFARI RESORT ★★★★

Entabeni | Limpopo

INCLUDES

- **3x nights in Resort Rooms** with full English breakfast daily
- 3-course dinner each evening
- 2x 18 hole on **Signature GC** (green fees, shared cart & halfway house included)
- 1x 10-hole Par-3 **Tribute GC** (green fees)
- **Extreme 19th** Golf Experience with Helicopter Ride
- **2x Game Drives** in Entabeni Reserve
- Private Transfers from Zebula to Legend and to Jo'burg Airport
- All local taxes & tourism levies

Package from **ZAR 16,095 pp Sharing** • **ZAR 18,775 pp Single**

LUKIMBI SAFARI LODGE ★★★★★

Kruger NP | Mpumalanga

INCLUDES

- **3x nights** in **Standard Suite** with all meals - breakfast, lunch & dinner daily
- 1x 18 hole on **Leopard Creek GC** (green fees, shared cart & halfway house)
- **2x Safari Activities** per day
- Transfers from Zebula to JHB Airport
- Return transfers between Nelspruit Airport and Lukimbi
- All local taxes & tourism levies
- 24/7 on-call ground support

Package from **ZAR 22,159 pp Sharing** • **ZAR 27,349 pp Single**

** Excludes flight from Johannesburg to Nelspruit*

SUN CITY CASCADES ★★★★★

Pilanesberg | North West

INCLUDES

- **3x nights** in **Standard Rooms** with full English breakfast daily
- 1x 18 hole on **Gary Player CC** (green fees, and halfway house included)
- 1x 18-hole **Lost City GC** (green fees, shared cart and halfway house included)
- **Complimentary R165** Meal Voucher for Gary Player Clubhouse
- **Complimentary Draught Beer** after each round of golf
- Transfers from Zebula to Sun City and to Johannesburg Airport

Package from ZAR 10,835 pp Sharing • ZAR 14,535 pp Single

PH VICTORIA JUNCTION ★★★★

Green Point | Cape Town

INCLUDES

- **5x nights** in **Standard Room** with full English breakfast daily
- 3x 18 hole on **Erinvale GC**, **Clovelly GC** and **De Zalze GC** (green fees only)
- **6x days Car Rental** with full insurance
- Complimentary GPS, unlimited kms and additional driver charges
- Meet & assist at Cape Town Airport
- All local taxes & tourism levies
- 24/7 on-call ground support

Package from ZAR 11,390 pp Sharing • ZAR 16,000 pp Single

** Excludes flight from Johannesburg to Cape Town*

Conditions of Play

By signing the entry form or registering online, the participants acknowledge that they have understood and agreed to the Terms & Conditions below:

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1. JURISDICTION
   a. The Africa Golf Safari Invitational 2016 (AGSI 2016 or 'Tournament') shall be under the management and control of the Tournament Committee, whose decision on all matters relating to the Tournament shall be final.

2. FORMAT
   a. The Tournament will be a 54-hole Single Stableford event, where participants will compete as individuals over 3 rounds of 18-hole golf within their pre-assigned Fourballs.
   b. A draw for playing partners within each Fourball will be advised the night prior to play. Where possible groups of golfers booking together will play together for first 2 rounds after which the order of play will be determined by the leaderboard.

3. FOURBALLS
   a. The maximum handicap for men is 24 and ladies is 36. Golfers with higher handicaps must play off the maximum permitted handicap.
   b. Handicaps will be adjusted daily based on a field average. The adjustment process allows for golfers to have shots deducted and added after each round. No golfer may play off a handicap which is higher than his official handicap that he started with.
   c. All golfers must submit an official handicap certificate from an accredited golf club dated not older than January 1, 2016 at the time of registering for the Tournament with history of at least 20 most recent scores.
   d. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to authenticate the declared handicaps using internet research or directly communicating with personnel attesting the player's handicap certificate.

4. SCORING & PRIZES
   a. Finalists will be determined by the highest aggregate of individual Single Stableford points over the three Tournament Rounds.
   b. If two or more players are tied at first place on completion of all Tournament Rounds, the player with the lowest 9-hole Net Score in the Final Round wins the Tournament. If a tie still exists for first place, the Net Score from odd numbered holes in the Final Round shall determine the winner. If necessary, this will be followed by comparing Net Scores from the even numbered holes in the Final Round.
   c. Prizes will be awarded to the most successful golfers in the mens and ladies divisions. d. If two or more players are tied for a place on completion of all Tournament Rounds, the player with the lowest 9-hole Net Score in the Final Round wins the Tournament. If a tie still exists for first place, the Net Score from odd numbered holes in the Final Round shall determine the winner. If necessary, this will be followed by comparing Net Scores from the even numbered holes in the Final Round.
   e. Thereafter, if a tie still exists, the same procedure will be followed for Rounds 2 and so on until the tie for first place is broken.
   f. One completed round is sufficient to determine a winner.

5. SCORECARDS
   a. Competitors must use the Official Tournament Scorecard provided by the Tournament Committee, which must be exchanged with another player in the Flight.
   b. Scorecards must be signed by both the marker and the competitor and handed over to the Tournament Committee officials immediately on completion of the Round.
   c. Any player not handing in their completed scorecard immediately after the round, leaving the course with the scorecard, or failing to sign the scorecard shall stand for disqualification from the Tournament.

6. EQUIPMENTS
   a. All equipment used in the Tournament must be conforming to the official rules of South African Golf Association. It is the player's responsibility to ensure conformity of their equipment, failing which may lead to disqualification from the Tournament.
   b. Electronic Measuring Devices will be allowed during play, as long they measure distance only. Use of devices for any other purposes can lead to disqualification from the Tournament.
   c. To drive a motorized cart, competitors agree to possess a current driver's license and have previous experience driving a golf cart equal to a minimum of three rounds. In the event of an accident, the driver is responsible for the costs to repair the cart and any property damaged and being liable for any personal injury claims.

Tournament Rules (continued)

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7. TEE-OFF & SPECTATORS

a. Play will begin with double-tee start wherever possible and tee-times will be advised the night prior to the round.

b. Please arrive approximately 30 minutes prior to your tee-time; any player missing the announced tee-off time is subject to disqualification from the Tournament.

c. Spectators may not interfere with play or caddy for the participants and stay away from cart paths.

8. INCLEMENT WEATHER

a. Bad weather is not in itself a good reason for discontinuing play. However, a player may discontinue play if he/she believes there is danger from lighting or any other natural calamities.

b. In the event of inclement weather, the delaying or cancellation of a round will be determined by the Tournament Committee.

c. In the event of a round cancellation, the standings of the Fourballs affected will be decided using the completed tournament rounds.

d. No refunds will be made if the tournament is canceled or shortened due to weather, nature or act of God.

9. The AGSI 2016 Tournament Committee may arrange media promotion and publicity before, during and after the Championship. Competitors assent to pictures of them appearing and being used for purposes determined by the Tournament Committee.

10. The Tournament Committee may at its discretion amend or add any governing condition of the SAGC Championship.

11. All entries shall be subject to the approval of the Tournament Committee which reserves the right to refuse any entry without giving any reason for such refusal. The Tournament Committee may at its discretion, limit the number of entries accepted.

12. By signing the Indemnity Disclaimer on the tournament entry form or registering online, competitors agree to participate in the Tournament at their own risk. The Tournament Committee accepts no liability for any death, injury, property loss or damage incurred during or arising out of any aspect of the conduct of the Tournament.

HANDICAP

All players will gone through a handicap adjustment after the first round of play and after each subsequent round of play.

On completion of the days play adding together all the stable ford scores and dividing them by the number of players will determine a field average. Players within 3 points of the field average (buffer zone) will maintain their handicap.

All players who have scored more points than the field average and are above the buffer zone will lose ONE shot off their handicap for each point above the buffer zone. All players that scored less points than the field average and are below the buffer zone will be given an additional shot on handicap for every TWO points below the buffer zone.

Players than have lost shots off their handicap in Rounds 2 are able to regain the shots for round 3. No player may play of a handicap higher than their official handicap they started the tournament with.

The Tournament Committee reserves the right to change a player's handicap index or disqualify him/her from participation, if deemed necessary, without handicap adjustment. All decisions of the Tournament Committee are final.

Signature Tournament

SOUTH AFRICA GOLF CLASSIC 2015

- Classic Rooms
- Luxury Rooms
- One Bed Suites

Golfer's Package

- 5x nights in your choice of room with Breakfast daily
- 4x multi-course dinners with limited drinks
- 4x 18-holes Tournament Golf at Fancourt Outeniqua, Simola, Pinnacle Point and Fancourt Montagu
- Halfway House Lunch and shared cart/caddy as applicable on all Tournament Days
- Friendly chipping, putting and hole-in-one competition with ZAR 300,000 in prizes
- Welcome Reception, Kit and Prize Giving Dinner
- Unlimited access to Spa & practice facilities at resort
- Meet & assist at George Airport with private transfers between airport, hotel and golf courses

ZAR 17,419
pp sharing

ZAR 23,335
pp single

Fancourt Golf Resort

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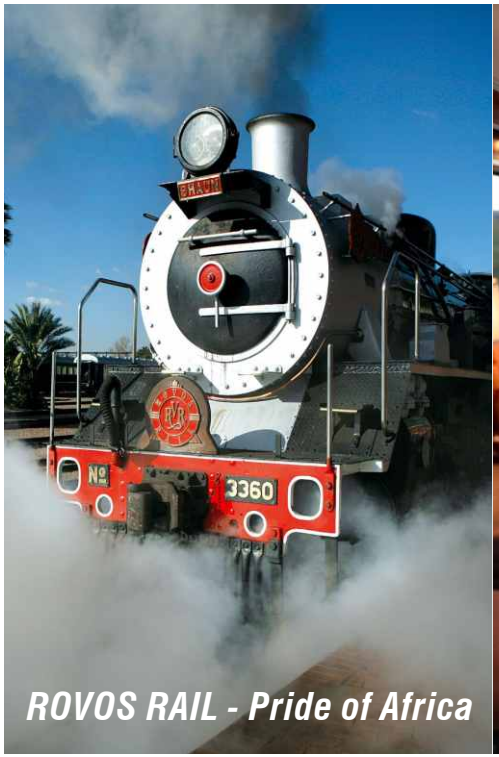

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Package Inclusions

- 6x nights suite accommodation aboard Rovos Rail
- All meals and drinks on board including liquor, wines, beer and soft beverages
- 4x 18 holes golf on Signature, Zebula, Gary Player (#3 in SA) and Leopard Creek (#2 in SA)
- All Carts, Caddies and Golfers' Lunch

  Extreme 19th Golf Experience including helicopter flight and ZAR 100,000 as Hole-in-One prize
- Cocktail Reception with Live Music, All Porterage, Steam Locomotive and Welcome Gift Pack
- Private transfers to golf courses and Tour Co-ordinator throughout the trip
- Daily fun contests and fantastic prizes
- Non-Golfer Packages & Optional Tour Extensions

Tour Departs: **April 21** & **October 29**, 2016 • Seats Available: **42**

Accommodation Options: Royal & Deluxe Suites

The wood paneled cabins are lavishly decorated with original Edwardian period fittings and has a lounge area, writing desk and private minibar. The spacious en-suite bathrooms are fitted with hot showers, hair dryers, heaters, shaver plug and full bath. 24-hour room service and your personal steward complete this epitome of luxury on wheels.

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