



SOMETIMES YOU CAN HAVE IT ALL ...

MAKAKATANA'S 3 NIGHT PACKAGE - where Bush meets Beach

Kwazulu-Natal's iSimangaliso Wetland Park is South Africa's first declared World Heritage Site and a real "undiscovered gem" of South Africa - comprising a game reserve with 5 major ecological zones teeming with wildlife, the beautiful Lake St. Lucia estuary - and one of the world's most glorious coastlines. St Lucia is the perfect spot to base yourself for a few days. With this in mind, the award winning Makakatana Bay Lodge, which is Isimangaliso's only privately-owned lodge, has designed a special 3-night Full Board package to encourage visitors to really make the most of all the area has to offer. Where else can you spot a breaching whale, a pod of dolphins, rhino and buffalo on one day trip?

Just an easy 3-hour drive from Durban, the 3-night FULL BOARD PACKAGE includes the following:

Day 1 – Day of arrival with afternoon game drive

Guided afternoon game drive departs around 4pm to explore this game sanctuary on an open game drive, spotting game such as zebra, wildebeest, buffalo and water buck, and as the sun sets, maybe even rarer nocturnal animals such as leopard, hyena and porcupine. Return to the lodge around 7pm for a delicious dinner in the boma under the stars

Day 2 Hippo Boat Cruise & Wetland Safari

After a scrumptious breakfast, head off around 9am on a game drive on the western shores before being welcomed on board Makakatana's private pontoon boat for a boat cruise. Spot birdlife (a whopping 526 species), hippo, crocodile and other wildlife on the banks of the estuary, before returning to shore for a picnic lunch under the shady trees. A leisurely game drive back to camp for 15h30 and then relax around the pool.

Day 3 Beach Bliss and Eastern Shores Safari

After breakfast, your game drive will head along the western shores, through the town of St. Lucia, to the eastern shores and the pristine coastline. Enjoy a dip in the warm Indian Ocean, take a stroll along the surf line, build sandcastles with the kids – or simply dig your toes into endless white sand on these beautiful, largely deserted beaches. A picnic lunch and game drive back to the lodge, getting back around 15h30 for afternoon tea.

Day 4 – Morning game drive and departure

Enjoy a 5am game drive before returning around 8am for breakfast and then check out.

Linger a Little Longer?

If guests book 4 nights or more the full day trip to the famous Hluhluwe-Imfolozi Big Five game reserve, 75 minutes away, is also highly recommended (or as an alternative to the beach or boat day trips) and includes brunch cooked over a 'skottle braai' a-la South African style. The Hluhluwe excursion departs at 5am and returns to the lodge for a light lunch around 2pm, and an afternoon siesta or lounge by the pool.

Rates are from R4 640 per person sharing including full board, activities and most alcoholic/soft drinks. For full details email info@ethosmarketing.co.uk. Visit <https://makakatana.com>