Zebras Crossing: One of South Africa’s top boutique bush lodges located in the beautiful malaria free Waterberg region, is an easy 2 hour drive or a short 30 minutes helicopter flight from O.R Tambo airport. It is rated one of TripAdvisors’ top destinations in the Waterberg.

The exclusivity, attention to detail and exceptionally secluded setting of Zebras Crossing means that you will experience the luxury of “having your own Game Lodge in Africa” feel. Zebras Crossing is for the discerning traveller who wants privacy and complete relaxation and who enjoys walking with Zebras, Giraffes and many African antelopes.

Accommodation consists of 6 luxury suites, each with their own en-suite bathroom with a large bath and private outdoor shower.

Facilities include Swimming pool, Outdoor Lapa, Helipad, Modimolle Aero Club for executive Jets (15 min. by road). Nearby 18 Holes Bushveld Golf Club. Activities include game drives, bush walks, relaxing by the pool and enjoying the absolute peace and tranquility of the bush.

Our friendly and professional staff look forward to welcoming you and will ensure that your stay with us is an unforgettable one.

For all reservation related enquiries please contact:

Reservations Contact tel number: +27 87 151 3810
Reservations Contact email: res@zebrascrossing.com
Reservations After hours number: +27 63 164 1783 (phone and whatsapp)

Instagram
@zebrascrossinglodge or #zebrascrossinglodge

Website
www.zebrascrossing.com

Interactive 3D website which allows guests to get a real feel of the lodge, the rooms and get up and close with the animals, all online.
Virtual tours
From www.zebrascrossing.com

- Virtual Tour (Main Lodge)
  https://my.matterport.com/showcase-beta?m=KD2iYdDvX8j
- Virtual Tour (Deluxe Double Suite)
  https://my.matterport.com/showcase-beta?m=uV7MyPAj1ED
- Virtual Tour (Deluxe Family Suite)
  https://my.matterport.com/showcase-beta?m=1SVhq6Pm11W

History
Zebras Crossing was started 20 years ago by German born Alice Zucchi who passed away in 2015. Her son York Zucchi owns it and continues to run it with his wife Tamar and lodge manager Promise Khumalo. Promise started working at the lodge 20 years ago as a bricklayer and today owns 20% of the lodge.

Positioning
The lodge started as a place where Alice could welcome her visiting Italian, German and Swiss friends where they could completely relax before their Big 5 Safari.

Zebras Crossing is ideal for:

- Families with children who want a safe space for them to unwind
- Friends organizing a getaway for a special celebration
- Guests who want a real bush getaway close to Gauteng
- Guests who are looking for a luxury bush home as a base to explore the Waterberg
- Small and exclusive team building
- Unique and small weddings
- International guests who want a place to relax for a couple of days after their long flights and enjoy the tranquility of Africa while surrounded by wildlife before continuing to their big 5 safaris

Awards
Rated 5th best lodge in the Waterberg
Accessibility

By Road
From www.zebrascrossing.com
- Self drive: 1 hour 25 easy drive from Pretoria (130km)
- Self drive: 2 hours from Johannesburg international airport (190km)
- 15 mins drive from nearby Modimolle Town (Hospital, Clicks, Checkers hyper for stocking up)
- Transfers can be organised (OR Tambo from R4 000 per couple for private transfer).

By Plane or Helicopter
- Tarred runway: Modimolle. 25 mins flight from Johannesburg.
- Helicopter landing at lodge. 35 mins from Johannesburg.

Accommodation

Overview
- 4 x luxury superior suites each with ensuite bathroom with large bathtub as well as private outdoor shower. Beds can be 2 x ¾ or setup as a double super king beds
- 2 x luxury family suites with an additional upstairs open room ideal for families with children who wish to sleep in the same room with the parents. Each suite has an ensuite bathroom with large bathtub as well as private outdoor shower. Beds can be 2 x ¾ beds or setup as a double super king beds and in upstairs loft 2 single bed for kids (up to 2 cots can be added)
- Children of any age are welcome. We have 2 baby cots available and extra children sleeping mattresses.

Superior Suites
(x 4 for up to 2 guests per suite, children can be accommodated in most of these rooms if needed)
- Separate entrance
- Large spacious suites with terrace with relaxation chairs.
- Beds can be either 2 x ¾ or 1 super king
- Welcome cards on arrival
- Spacious open cupboards with hangers
- Room safe (small safe for smaller valuables)
En-suite facilities within suites: private outdoor shower, large bath (can fit 2 people),
hand basin, toilet, mirrors, bath salts, shampoo and conditioner, body wash, hair
dryer, towels (face towels, small towels, medium towels and large towels, bath
mats and bathrobe for use).

Plug points for charging equipment
Bedside lamps
Coffee/Tea station with a selection of coffee and tea and small snacks
Fans
Block out blinds for maximum sleeping comfort
Rooms are decorated and elegant
All rooms are non-smoking (but smoking is allowed outside)

Family Suites
(x 2 for up to 4 guests per suite)

Large spacious suites with terrace with relaxation chairs.
Downstairs beds can be either 2 x ¾ or 1 super king.
Upstairs beds 2 x singles
Welcome cards on arrival
Spacious open cupboards with hangers
Room safe (small safe for smaller valuables)

En-suite facilities within suites: private outdoor shower, large bath (can fit 2 people),
hand basin, toilet, mirrors, bath salts, shampoo and conditioner, body wash, hair
dryer, towels (face towels, small towels, medium towels and large towels, bath
mats and bathrobe for use).

Plug points for charging equipment
Bedside lamps
Coffee/Tea station with a selection of coffee and tea and small snacks
Fans
Block out blinds for maximum sleeping comfort
Rooms are decorated and elegant
All rooms are non-smoking (but smoking is allowed outside)
Lodge Description

- Main building is spacious, light and airy with high roof.
- Downstairs has a big spacious open lounge, dining tables, coffee and tea station including Nespresso machine.
- 2 large terraces, 1 with a long wooden table for covered patio breakfasts/lunches and dinners. The other terrace with couches and 8 chairs for relaxation.
- Outside fireplace
- Bathroom and separate shower (for guests who for example need to checkout from their room but are staying until afternoon)
- Lodge has also an upstairs area with couches, TV and table games, free wifi access.
- Fully equipped large kitchen which is open to the guests to use (4 fridges, microwave, 2 large ovens, stoves, etc).
- Wi-Fi free access
- Toilet and shower in main lodge

Conference Room

- Large spacious and airy conference room with high roof and plenty of space for long tables and workshops or conference requiring space for creative work.
- The conference room does not have block out blinds, however, the sun does not shine into the venue and therefore all projectors work well.

Swimming pool

- Large outdoor swimming pool (depth: shallow end is 1.3m and 2m in the deep end).
- Big pool pillows for guests to enjoy in the pool to relax on.
- 8 pool loungers with towels.
- 4 large umbrellas
- Games and table tennis can be set up next to pool on demand
- Giraffes and Zebras regularly visit the area around the pool.
Water & Electricity

Water
Straight from our own boreholes, the water comes from the Waterberg mountains and is exceptionally pure and clean to drink. We often have guests who take bottles of the water home with them.

Electricity
The lodge is connected to Eskom and we have a large generator for backup that can power the whole lodge for days. Power outages are rare and usually only if there is a major storm in the area, and then only for a short period.

Activities

A typical day

- 06:00 early morning game walk (optional)
- 08:00 full breakfast on the terrace of the main lodge.
- 12:30 lunch
- 15:30 coffee and freshly baked cake
- 16:15 game drive with drinks and snacks and sundowner
- 19:30 dinner (either at Lapa under the stars or at main lodge)

Near Zebras Crossing (not included in rate)

- 4 Golf courses (closest is Koro Kreek 18 holes - ca. 20 mins drive) up to 45 mins drive to the world famous Legends Golf Course (with the 19th hole tee off reachable only via helicopter).
- Shopping in Modimolle (15 mins drive)
- Bambéléla Vervet monkey Centre (40 mins drive). Perfect for children and adults. R50 – R150 for a 1.5 hours tour.
- Crocodile farm (35 mins drive)
- Zipline adventures (35 mins drive)
- Big 5 game drives (40 mins drive and 75 mins drive)
- Horseback Safaris (20 mins drive and 45 mins drive)
- Elephant interactions (1h drive)
- Fishing “catch & release” (10 min drive)
- Day Spa (25 min drive)
Meals

Food is fresh, seasonal, changes for the needs of the guests

Full buffet breakfast with fresh bakery selection, fresh muesli cups, eggs and bacon, toast, butter, jam, orange juice, coffee, cereal for children

Lunch
Quiche, wrap, pizza or a fresh crunchy salad

Dinner
A wide variety of choices, most popular is our famous lapa braai dinner and a 3 course steak dinner, meal served with fresh bread, salad, dessert

Daily afternoon coffee and fresh cake

Sundowner and snacks on game drive

Drinks

Teas and coffees included.

Welcome drink, Juice at breakfast, sundowner/soft drink on game drive, soft drinks, house wines, local beers and house spirits are included
Children of any age are welcome.

- Babysitting is charged at R 50 per hour per babysitter (Babysitting on appointment only)
- Guests are responsible for the safety of their own children while at the lodge.
- Please do not let them run around the pool unaccompanied.
- Zebras Crossing is full of wildlife, some of which come within touching distance of the guests and therefore we kindly ask you to be mindful of your children.

Gratuities & Extras

- Tipping at own discretion: suggested guideline is R50 per guest per day.
- Extras can be settled through credit card (Visa and Mastercard only) or cash at the lodge.

Check in/out Times & Weather etc

- Check in time is 14:00. Check out 11:00.
- The Waterberg is a malaria-free area.
- Zebras Crossing is at 1.720m above sea level which means a wonderful dry air climate.

Weather

- Summer is from mid-October to end April and is characterized by beautiful blue skies, afternoon rains, warm days and a very slight breeze. Temperatures are around 30-32 degrees with low humidity making it perfect weather to relax in.

- Winter is from May to mid October and is usually between 20-23 degrees during the day, blue skies and no rain with cold nights (5 degrees). The nature is dry but beautiful. This is the perfect weather for game walks and game drives, evenings inside the lodge by the fireplace. Not ideal for pool activities.
Virtual Tours & Videos

- Giraffes Up Close https://youtu.be/aeDoBMiWttw
- Bush Braai https://youtu.be/cJm6FPlaEOc
- Meerkats https://youtu.be/nd32eXDEOGk
- Zebras Eating https://youtu.be/jPXAfax50E
- Zebras and Giraffes https://youtu.be/eeET5iSBqDs
- Zebras by Waterhole https://youtu.be/FRhC6iG9CE8
- Sundowners https://youtu.be/MgJzo27Pf_w
- Rusks and coffee https://youtu.be/G6Ods4C50tY
- Poolside high tea https://youtu.be/WtC_Nb7OLN8
- Poolside Drinks https://youtu.be/uETXTvXsbl0
- Poolside breakfast https://youtu.be/rwnx26la2t4
- Outdoor Breakfast https://youtu.be/m3pWAihQDjY
- Dinner by fire (indoor) https://youtu.be/fjdvQfN0qU
- Time Lapse midday https://youtu.be/vS13mfWNM
- Bushbed High Tea https://youtu.be/TCx6lMJsOg
- Mountain Biking VR Film https://youtu.be/gcsNNfP20vw
- About us Interview with York and Promise https://youtu.be/7WWmo9EnryA
- Zebras Aerial film https://youtu.be/KPaw9qKkI_8
- Alice’s View https://youtu.be/sorR6nBhx9I
RATES INCLUDE DEPEND ON MEAL BASIS SELECTED / RATE BOOKED AS PER ABOVE BOOKING:

**Full Board: Dinner – Bed & Breakfast – Lunch**
- Full Breakfast *(served from 07.00am to 10.00)*, Lunch, Afternoon Coffee & Cake, Dinner and Accommodation (incl. towels, linen and toiletries), use of lodge facilities, 1 afternoon Game Drive and sundowner on Game Drive. Tea and Coffee station.
- Rates are per person per night, free Wi-Fi in main lodge, secure parking and VAT.

RATES EXCLUDED:
- Premium brand spirits and wines.
- Consuming of own alcohol is not allowed at the lodge.
- Meals not included on meal package booked
- Any additional activities arranged
- Airport or hotel transfers to and from Zebras Crossing Game Reserve
- Spa treatments
- Gratuities are not included

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT:
- 50% of the applicable rate per person sharing

CHILD POLICY:
- Children 0 – 36 months: Free of charge
- Children 04 – 13 years of age: 50% of the applicable adult rate
- Children 14 years and older: Full adult per person sharing rate
ARRIVAL POLICY:

30 minutes before arriving at Zebras Crossing on the day please call Lodge Manager, Promise +27 83 6780577 to ensure that our team is at the gate to open. There is no cell phone reception on the sand road!

CANCELLATIONS/AMENDMENTS:

All cancellations must be given in writing to the hotel by e-mail: res@zebrascrossing.com. Cancellations/Amendments are subject to the following conditions:

- Cancellations made within 30 days of date of arrival 50% of fee payable.
- Cancellations made within 15 days of date of arrival 100% of fee payable.
- Full cancellation fee (100%) apply to all NO SHOW bookings

TERMS OF PAYMENT:

- 50% deposit due on confirmation of reservation
- Balance payment (50%) due 30 days prior to arrival
- Bookings made within 30 days of arrival or less will only be confirmed on 100% of balanced received.
- If you wish to pay via credit card kindly notify me in a return email and we will send a secure payment gateway link.
- Please quote the reservation folio number and surname of party as a reference when payment is processed and forward the POP to res@zebrascrossing.com

STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- No day visitors allowed.
- No own alcohol at lodge allowed.
- Our animals are wild and come close to the lodge. Guests are kindly requested to maintain a safe distance and not interact with the animals.
- No loud music allowed at the lodge (with the exception of whole lodge bookings by one group) out of respect to other guests and the peaceful environment.
- Game drives are subject to weather conditions.