

DINAKA GAME RESERVE BUSH TALK



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Thumbs up to all our clients!! You are simply the best!!

Thank you over and over again for your support and friendship. Your understanding and appreciation for every staff member's efforts, will make us wear out the words "Thank You". Your encouragement will ensure that Dinaka remains one of Africa's finest hunting reserves.

Ed Luzader from Illinois was one of our very first hunters, starting off in 1993. He hunted a great collection of fine trophies and since then returned several times with hunting friends. This time, Ed succeeded in hunting a magnificent Roan Antelope. We shared some great times relaxing after the hunt in Cape Town and surrounding areas with Ed and his friend **Dee Sortino**. Ed, we sure look forward to the next time you will be visiting us at Dinaka.

Ed Luzader:
Southern Roan 28"

Dinaka rifle used:
Ruger .30.06

When God smiled after he created the world, surely he was looking at Dinaka! What an absolutely wonderful time we can't wait to return & share in paradise again!

*Thank you!
Dee Sortino & Ed Luzader
IL, USA
April 2007*



Ed Luzader: Roan

Mike and Jody, with son **Josh** and **Nica Underwood** from Bakersfield, CA hunted with us in April for a week. They booked with us on recommendation from friends, Vince and Toni Smith. This chain from Bakersfield was started by Larry and Ann Madgett who made a couple of trips. As with the rest, we thoroughly enjoyed sharing in the hunting ventures of this family. Josh also utilized the opportunity to take some cull animals. It did not take Nica and Jody long to participate as hunters. Well done to all of you!!! Mike, we hope you finish the house soon enough for all of you to return.



Mike Underwood: Blesbok

Mike Underwood:
Blesbok 17 6/8"
Impala 21 6/8"
Kudu 53 4/8"
Warthog 10 4/16"
Warthog 12 4/16"
Wildebeest - Blue 26"

Baboon
Zebra - Mountain
Jackal



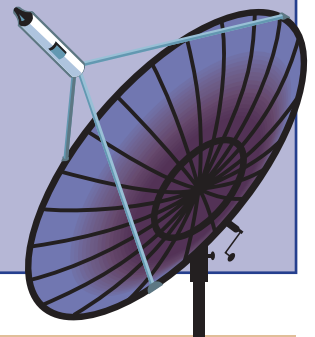
Jody Underwood: Impala

Jody Underwood:
Impala 21 4/8"
Rifle used:
Winchester 375 H&H mag
Winchester 270 WSM

Internet

Our Bushtalk 2005, 2006 and 2007 are posted on our website www.dinaka.co.za

We do realize that many people still prefer the printed matter and will continue with this for the short term. After all, the client is King!



Legislation

Not only will the South African fire-arm legislation keep all of us behind desks for longer hours, but so will new legislation regarding the "Threatened or Protected Species" (TOPS) act. This is not something that will affect you, provided that you deal with a reputable outfitter who keeps his paperwork up to date. For the outfitter this act requires numerous registration procedures and of course paying more and more license fees. Hunting no longer begins and ends in the bush. Be assured that at Dinaka we spend part of the rates you pay on adequate office administration.





Josh Underwood: Waterbuck

We can't say thank you enough for the incredible experience you've given us. This trip turned out to be everything we expected, and then some. Your game reserve is beautiful, as are your facilities; and your warm staff and gracious hospitality made us feel at home. We all feel blessed to have had the opportunity to come here and know, God willing, can't wait to return! Thank you! **Dankiel Gracias!**
Mike, Jody & Nica Underwood
CA, USA
April 2007



Nica Underwood: Impala

Josh Underwood:

Blesbok	15 3/8"	Warthog	8 10/16"
Blesbok	14 7/8"	Warthog	10 6/16"
Impala	23 3/8"	Waterbuck	26 4/8"
Kudu	47 4/8"	Wildebeest - Blue	27 6/8"

Nica Underwood:

Impala	22"
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Rifle used:

Winchester 270 WSM

Tony Raso returned to Dinaka with fellow hunters and friends, merely to enjoy the great camaraderie for a week at Dinaka. He thought of introducing friends to the splendor of Dinaka, just to walk away with the biggest price A 60" kudu!! **Steve Southwell** brought his 77- year old dad with. **Don Southwell** was truly committed and not even the troubles of bringing an oxygen machine could discourage him from joining a great group of hunters. With so many fine experiences Don, Steve and Tony can

start their own talk show – but not for the light hearted! Friend **Zane Gryczko** and colleague **Steve Szybowicz** with his brother-in-law **William Culpepper** joined the group. We never had a dull moment and everybody had a hunt to be proud off. Steve, being an observer had the opportunity to take great pictures and share in a "once-in-a-life-time" experience. We need a reminder of all the jokes and are ready for your return trip!



Tony Raso: Kudu

Took 3 good friends on my second trip. I could recommend Dinaka to anyone, for the best experience without hesitation.
Tony Raso
IL, USA
May 2007

First time to Africa and Dinaka. First class hunt, camp, wonderful food and people. Hope to return soon. Thank you for a very good time.
Steve Southwell
IL, USA
May 2007

Tony Raso:

Kudu	60"	Rifle used:	Weatherby, 30-378
Waterbuck	25 2/8"		Browning, 25.06
Zebra - Burchell			

Steve Southwell:

Blesbok	15 6/8"
Hartebeest - Red	19 3/8"
Impala	22 7/8"
Kudu	46 7/8"
Warthog	11 4/16"
Wildebeest - Blue	29"
Zebra - Burchell	



Steve Southwell: Warthog

Rifle used: Weatherby, 30-378



Don Southwell: Blesbok

Don Southwell:

Blesbok	16 3/8"
Impala	22 4/8"
Kudu	44"
Warthog	11 10/16"
Wildebeest - Blue	26"

Rifle used:
 Ruger, 338

Fantastic, Spectacular!
Donald L. Southwell
IL, USA
May 2007



Zane Gryczko: Nyala

Zane Gryczko:

Hartebeest - Red	20 3/8"
Impala	20 4/8"
Kudu	46 7/8"
Nyala	25 7/8"
Warthog	11 12/16"
Wildebeest - Blue	27 7/8"

Rifle used:

Kimber, 325 WSM
 Browning, 270 WSM

Can't find the words to say thanks for the best time I had.
Zane Gryczko
IL, USA
May 2007

Non-hunter. Beautiful sights, great animals, excellent camp and food was fantastic! Great job!
Steve Szybowicz
IL, USA
May 2007



William Culpepper: Blue Wildebeest

William Culpepper:

Impala	21 6/8"
Kudu	47"
Wildebeest - Blue	29 4/8"
Jackal	

Rifle used:
 Weatherby, 7mm Mag
 Thompson, 280 Rem

Excellent Hunt. First class
William Lloyd Culpepper
AL, USA
May 2007

FAQ's – Frequently Asked Questions

We have a special section on our website covering FAQ's to assist with the practical matters of planning a trip. However, when prospective clients do comparative "shopping", they often ask:

"What differentiate you from your competition?"

- Conservation orientated hunting-take-off-limits of existing self sustained herds.
- Unsurpassed game viewing – variety and numbers – from your bedroom window, on foot or vehicle.
- Superior family destination with a variety of activities.
- Lodge exclusivity – only one party in camp at a time.
- Guests are personally attended to by the owners of the hunting outfit, who are also the owners of the reserve.
- The majority of staff working at Dinaka has been here for generations, ensuring commitment to the well being of every client.
- You can therefore rely upon;
 - True representation,
 - Continuous quality trophies,
 - Utilization of top notch equipment and vehicles,
 - Access to immediate back up service and equipment,
 - Energetic and highly skilled home based staff.

At Dinaka, we are big enough to accommodate you, yet small enough to appreciate you!

Weather

This season we experienced some of the hottest and coldest extremes. The cold weather froze up trees and plants, not to mention the little bit of vegetation left after the drought. For the first time ever, we had to embark on an extensive supplemental feeding program to pull the animals through. This paid off and we were blessed with fabulous rains for the early spring. This sure

helped for the vegetation to recover. Lots of mountain streams are already running and Dinaka is once again a paradise. Please watch weather conditions closely when packing for your trip. It seems as if we can no longer predict our weather based on previous seasons.

Ricky and Gena Davis had a great first African hunt. They worked hard climbing mountains and struggling through river reeds for days – all in quest for Ricky's buffalo. This did not keep them from bagging an excellent variety and quality of other trophies too,

all in just 10-days. Thank you for the special way in which you acknowledged everybody's contribution. We sure shared some memorable days and cannot wait to have you back with us!



Ricky Davis: Buffalo



Gena Davis: Tsessebe

Ricky Davis:

Buffalo	38" sci109
Bushbuck	15 2/8"
Kudu	53"
Warthog	12 4/16"
Baboon	
Zebra - Burchell	
Jackal	

Rifle used:

Kleinguenther 300
Winchester

Gena Davis:

Blesbok	17 6/8"
Hartebeest - Red	20 2/8"
Impala	22 3/8"
Kudu	55 6/8"
Springbok	11"
Steenbok	4 2/8"
Tsessebe	13 5/8"
Warthog	12 2/16"
Warthog	12 4/16"
Waterbuck	26 6/8"
Wildebeest - Blue	26 2/8"
Zebra - Mountain	

Rifle used:

7mm-08



Gena Davis: Springbok



Ricky Davis: Bushbuck,

Nadien & Johan, family and staff. We can't say enough to tell how wonderful this trip as been. Everyone worked very hard to make our trip enjoyable. We are all blessed by God – You have such a beautiful place here and we have been blessed to have had the opportunity to experience it. We feel we have found new friends also. Our home will always be open to you and your family if you ever are in Florida and would like to visit. May God bless you all with many blessings from above.

Ricky & Gena Davis
FL, USA
May 2007

Dave Collis accompanied clients and friends **Brad & Melissa Cole** and **Ray & Linda Fulford** on their first hunt to Africa. 12 days passed much quicker than anybody anticipated. This was supposed to be Ray's "5-animal-hunt", but he could not let Brad have all the fun. Though Ray passed up on a "Ham-slam", Brad achieved his own "slams". Brad is one of the few hunters to successfully hunted 3 of the little ones, as well as 3 spiral horn antelope on one trip. Both hunters had some sparetime and joined the ladies on an Elephant Back riding excursion. Melissa and

Linda also enjoyed a shopping day. Although Melissa and Linda did not join the hunters on all the hunting excursions, they had a fine time doing their own photo safaris on some days. They kept a close eye on a new born baby hippo whose mother had to protect him from the bull hippo. All the action was witnessed from the lodge's patios. Brad, may you never forget that you are hooked on Dinaka. Look forward to sharing more memories with you.



Brad Cole: Duiker



Brad Cole: Steenbok



Brad Cole: Klipspringer

Brad Cole:

Blesbok	17 ³ / ₈ "
Bushbuck	13 ⁴ / ₈ "
Duiker	4"
Eland	33"
Hartebeest - Red	21 ⁵ / ₈ "
Impala	20 ⁴ / ₈ "
Klipspringer	4"
Kudu	52 ¹ / ₈ "
Steenbok	4"
Warthog	12 ¹⁰ / ₁₆ "
Waterbuck	25 ³ / ₈ "
Wildebeest - Blue	30"
Zebra - Burchell	

First class people, organization and hunt. Thank you all for a wonderful and unforgettable experience.
Brad & Melissa Cole
Georgia, USA
May 2007

Rifle used:

Browning 300



Linda & Ray Fulford: Warthog

Ray Fulford:

Blesbok	16 ³ / ₈ "
Bushbuck	4 ² / ₈ "
Duiker	3 ⁵ / ₈ "
Hartebeest - Red	22"
Impala	20 ² / ₈ "
Klipspringer	4 ² / ₈ "
Kudu	49 ⁴ / ₈ "
Warthog	13"
Waterbuck	24 ² / ₈ "
Wildebeest - Blue	27 ⁴ / ₈ "
Jackal	

Rifle used:

Browning 300

What a great trip. The hunting, food, new friends and beautiful facilities. Add all this to a beautiful valley and it couldn't have been better. We will always remember this time with you. God bless.

Ray & Linda Fulford
Georgia, USA
May 2007

John & Vernice Mayhill, Terry & Mindy Widner and Mike Huelster booked an 8-day hunting trip to Dinaka during the Dallas convention of '06. Lots of planning went into this excursion. Everybody had the opportunity to bag some great trophies. Terry managed to bag all 4 spiral horns at Dinaka. Sharing time

with good friends in the hunting field is always one of life's best moments. Vernice was the avid photographer and Mindy also got to hunt some. We shared in some great experiences. Look forward to having you back with us in 2011.



John Mayhill: Waterbuck

John Mayhill:

Blesbok	17 1/8"
Bushbuck	15"
Impala	22 2/8"
Kudu	50 3/8"
Springbok	11"
Warthog	11 6/16"
Waterbuck	28"
Wildebeest - Blue	28 6/8"
Jackal	

Rifle used:

300 Remington Ultra Mag
338 Remington Ultra Mag



Mike Huelster: Red Hartebeest

Mike Huelster:

Baboon	
Bushpig	6 14/16"
Hartebeest - Red	22 2/8"
Kudu	47 2/8"
Warthog	10 4/8"
Warthog	11 10/16"
Wildebeest - Blue	25"
Jackal	

Rifle used:

ParkerHale LTD 300 Win Mag

First time to Africa, but not the last. You have a 1st class operation. If you make it to New Mexico stop by for awhile. Thanks you for all the great memories & trophies.

John & Vernice Mayhill
New Mexico, USA
June 2007

A few lines can't begin to describe my trip!!! Food - fun - staff EXCELLENT!!!

Outstanding guide, great place to visit and hunt!!! I'll tell everyone about my trip from now on. I'll be back!!

Michael L. Huelster
TX, USA
June 2007



Mindy Widner: Impala

Mindy Widner:

Impala	24"
Springbok	10 4/8"
Warthog	9"
Warthog	11 2/16"

Rifle used:

Winchester 270
Weatherby 300 Mag



Terry Widner: Gemsbok

Terry Widner:

Bushbuck	14 5/8"
Eland	29 6/8"
Gemsbok	37 4/8"
Impala	21"
Kudu	51 2/8"
Nyala	27 6/8"
Wildebeest - Blue	24"

Our dreams have come true here at Dinaka; beautiful trophies, extraordinary hunting, pictures, meals. We feel like we have made great new friends, visit us any time. This Africa experience will never leave us, memories run abundant. Thank you and God bless.

Terry & Mindy Widner
TX, USA
June 2007

Dave and Connie Collis, accompanied clients **Jeff and Barbara Quinn** for an 8-day hunting trip. Jeff and Barbara preceded the hunt with a cultural tour of Johannesburg, Pretoria and surrounding areas. Jeff is an avid bird hunter and utilized the opportunity to hunt a good collection of Dinaka game birds. As we are not a bird hunting operation and not equipped to deal with the various aspects, Jeff decided to swim after birds in near freezing waters. He only opted for this as he knew Barbara was there to save him! Dave's brother, **Mike & Pat Collis** did not pass

up on the opportunity to visit Dinaka 2 years in a row. Mike stalked Eland for days – Pat kept up with them climbing mountains and covered large tracts of land. The quest was a very old bull with a broken horn: The challenge was the hunt and not a measuring tape. Mike, your sportsmanship is surely admirable. Jeff, Barbara, Dave and Connie all took a tour to Kruger National Park after the hunt. Your visit will be remembered for a long time and we look very much forward to having you back at Dinaka.



Jeff Quinn: Egyptian Goose



Helmeted Guineafowl



Knob-billed Duck



Spurwing Goose



White-faced Duck

Jeff Quinn:

Hartebeest – Red	20 4/8"
Impala	20 5/8"
Kudu	49 5/8"
Nyala	25 7/8"
Warthog	9 10/16"
Waterbuck	26 3/8"
Wildebeest - Blue	27 2/8"

- Knob-billed Duck
- Spurwing Goose
- Egyptian Goose
- White-faced Duck
- Helmeted Guinea fowl

Rifle used:

30-06
257 Roberts

Dinaka will have a special place in our hearts forever! Thank you for an incredible introduction to the wonders of Africa – you could not have made our stay more enjoyable.
Barbara Quinn

Dinaka was truly the trip of our lifetime. We have been to many places in our 35 years together but none felt more like home and yet had all the excitement of visiting a new place and a hunt that was really remarkable. To that you add the warmth and graciousness of you, Johan, Jaco, Dinique, the PH's and all your employees and you have an incredible experience that is rarely duplicated in today's world. It was hard to leave South Africa but it will be easy to return
Jeff Quinn
CA, USA
July 2007

Mike Collis:

Blesbok	Bait
Bushpig	6 6/16"
Eland	30 3/8"
Hartebeest - Red	22"
Steenbok	4 3/8"

Rifle used:

Kimber 8400 Montana
300 Win Mag



Dave Collis: Bushpig

The best vacation ever! The most challenging hunts great company and incredible food! Wonderful hosts and service that keeps us wanting to come back for more South African experiences!
Mike & Pat Collis
FL, USA
July 2007

It just gets better and better, thanks, the food the beauty and the company!!
Dave & Connie Collis
NM, USA
July 2007

Tommy Arnim needed much persuasion to book a leopard hunt, without his family joining him. Fortunately friends **Paul Mc-Sween, Win DuBose** and brother **Cecil Arnim** did not give Tommy a chance to back out. The 4 hunters all arrived together, but Tommy stayed a while longer to make the most of his 14-days. Unfortunately the leopards did not pass through for a while and we were all disappointed. They did have a brief sighting of some leopard in daylight, but the alertness of the leopard did not give

Tommy a reasonable opportunity. Paul on the other hand had a very rewarding buffalo hunt. Johannes's ability to track the buffalo over large territories completed Paul's experience. Following the buffalo through mountain valleys, they finally caught up with them, passing through some reeds. Both Win and Cecil had a very successful hunt – but the best part was sharing this experience with friends. You broke the ice and now we look forward to having you here with your families.



Cecil Arnim: Burchell Zebra

Cecil Arnim:

Blesbok	15 3/8"
Impala	22"
Kudu	48"
Warthog	10 12/16"
Zebra – Burchell	

Dinaka Rifle used:

Krico 7x57

An outstanding hunt and great hospitality. Thank you for a great hunting experience.
Cecil H. Arnim
TX, USA
July 2007



Win DuBose: Blue Wildebeest

Win DuBose:	
Impala	20"
Kudu	56 2/8"
Warthog	10 8/16"
Wildebeest - Blue	31 4/8"
Zebra - Burchell	

Not a better time in my life. Great hosts, food, friends and ranch - All top drawer!! Win DuBose TX, USA July 2007

Dinaka Rifle used:

Brno 7x57



Paul McSween: Buffalo

Paul McSween:	
Blesbok	15 5/8"
Buffalo	38 4/8" SCI103
Impala	23 2/8"
Jackal	
Kudu	48 2/8"
Warthog	10 12/16"
Waterbuck	28"

What a fantastic trip. This has been an experience of a life time. Wonderful people and hospitality - Outstanding ranch and South African hunting! Thank you Nadien & Johan!
Paul McSween
 TX, USA
 July 2007

Rifle used:

.416 Rigby
 .300H&H Mag



Paul McSween: Waterbuck



Tommy Arnim: Bushbuck

Tommy Arnim:	
Bushbuck	14 6/8"
Kudu	52 5/8"
Zebra - Burchell	
Swainsons Francolin x 2	
Shelly's Francolin x 2	

This has been another outstanding trip to Dinaka! What a wonderful experience and an outstanding hunt! Thanks to great hosts Nadien & Johan for their friendship and hospitality.
Tommy Arnim
 TX, USA
 July 2007

Dinaka Rifle used:

Ruger 30.06

A Magnificent old rhino cow, a new hunter, an adventurous hunter and a most experienced hunter. This is how we will remember hunters **Carissa, David** and **Bill Backman**. Thank you for entrusting us not only to complete a Big 5, but for creating new memories for you. We shared so many special moments; from running after ducks, collecting rare trophies like Black Impala, introducing a new African hunter and hunting a very old rhino cow. Glad we could save her for you for the past 10 years and that she will sure be appreciated. We hope to be able to share in some more of your hunting adventures.



Bill Backman: Black Impala

Bill Backman:	
Bushbuck	14"
Impala - Black	20"
Kudu	53 4/8"
Warthog	12 4/16"
Honey Badger	
Spurwing Geese x 2	

Dinaka Rifle used:

Ruger 30.06

Great to be back. Another wonderful hunt with my son and granddaughter. Everything was very well done and all 3 of us thoroughly enjoyed ourselves the entire time. Thanks again for all your kindness.

Bill Backman
 IN, USA
 July 2007



Carissa Backman: Blesbok

Carissa Backman:

Blesbok 17"
 Kudu 47 4/8"
 Wildebeest - Blue 23"
 Zebra - Burchell

It was a great first time to Africa. Thank you for all you have shown me and taught me also. I will be back.
 Carissa Backman
 IN, USA
 July 2007

Dinaka Rifle used:
 Krico 7x57



David Backman: Rhino

David Backman:

Bushbuck 15"
 Bushpig 5 5/16"
 Nyala 26 2/8"
 Rhino 33 4/8"
 Warthog 9 7/16"
 Warthog 10 2/16"
 Honey Badger
 Ostrich
 Zebra Burchell
 Zebra Mountain x 2
 Spurwing geese x 2



David Backman: Honey Badger

Dinaka Rifle used:
 Remington .416
 Ruger 30.06



David Backman: Mountain Zebra

Words can't explain the experience I've had. The rhino for my Big 5 and the other nice animals, plus hospitality and made new friends!
 David Backman
 FL, USA
 July 2007

Bill Taylor, Jennifer and sons **Chris & Daniel**, hunted with us in June for a week. Bill & Jennifer hunted with us in 1998 with Bill's dad - Ed and Linda Taylor. This trip was specially planned to introduce Chris and Daniel to an African hunting trip. We all celebrated Daniel's 13th Birthday Party. Hope to see you without another 9 years passing by.



Bill Taylor: Reedbuck

Bill Taylor:

Nyala 25 4/8"
 Reedbuck - Common 12 2/8"
 Springbok 10 5/8"
 Tsessebe 12 3/8"

Dinaka Rifle used:
 Ruger 30.06



Chris Taylor: Warthog

Chris Taylor:

Blesbok 16 6/8"
 Impala 21"
 Warthog 12 4/16"
 Wildebeest - Blue 25 3/8"

Dinaka Rifle used:
 Bruno 7x57



Daniel Taylor: Impala

Daniel Taylor:

Blesbok 16 6/8"
 Impala 23"
 Wildebeest - Blue 25 4/8"

Dinaka Rifle used:
 Krico 7x57

What a wonderful 2nd trip to Dinaka. Every thing was just perfect. The changes you made to the lodge have turned wonderful place to a 5 star accommodation. You think of every thing and create a perfect vacation for hunters & non-hunters alike. The weather couldn't have been better for June hunt. Thank you so much, we will be back!!
 Jennifer Abraham, Bill Taylor & Chris & Daniel Taylor
 CA, USA
 June 2007

Mark & Dianna Metzger became very deer friends through their numerous hunting trips to Dinaka. This trip was specially planned to share Dinaka with their entire family. Although daughters Jessica and Nicole joined them on previous safaris, Melissa, the grand children and sons-in-laws never had the privilege. Dianna, who shared Mark's previous trips as a companion, decided to take the hunting to heart. Under the guidance of the Professional Hunter and the Veterinarian, Dianna darted 2 rhino which were earmarked for live sales. A proper veterinarian analysis is always important for prospective buyers. Dianna did a great job and the entire family participated.



Mark Metzger: Caracal

Mark Metzger:
 Caracal
 Wildebeest – Blue
 Spurwing Geese x 2
 Swainsons Francolin x 2
 Guinea Fowl x 2

Dinaka Rifle used:
 Ruger 30.06

Our first trip was 7 years ago. Never did I imagine we would return. You gave me an experience I will always treasure. I know it was work to have all of us in and as always you surpassed my expectations!!
Dianna & Mark Metzger
 OH, USA
 August 2007

Christine, Mark's sister shared in more than just the hunting.

You made my trip wonderful - the details, the patience, the conversations (I liked those the best!). You made me feel right at home and made the holiday so memorable!
Christine Metzger
 OH, USA
 August 2007



Dianna Metzger: Rhino

Dianna Metzger:
 Rhino Dart 30 1/4"
 Rhino Dart 23 1/2"

Brian Vaughan, Jessica's husband also ventured into the hunting field. Not sure if the hunting addiction got hold of them yet, but the memories sure did.



Brian Vaughn: Blue Wildebeest

Brian Vaughn
 Impala 20 4/8"
 Wildebeest – Blue cull

Dinaka Rifle used:
 Ruger 30.06

Once in a life time experience (times 3!). We will cherish every moment!
Brain Vaughan & Jessica Metzger
 OH, USA
 August 2007

Mark and Dianna brought numerous scholastic items to distribute amongst the children in the village school, by means of the SCI "blue bag" program. They bought each kid a backpack, pencil case, scissors, pencils and various other items to make school in the bush easier for the teachers. We all take so much for granted, that we never realized for many children this was their first new item to possess. Both Brian and Christine gathered some medical and first aid supplies from their hospitals which were also given to the school as well as a local Aids clinic and hospital. Mark also had this group shoot a couple of cull wildebeest to have the meat processed and donated to the orphanage as well as the Aids hospice. Your kindness went a long way and made a huge difference to many people's life's.



Our youngest American guests had her 1st Birthday Party at Dinaka. Adam and Nicole did a great job keeping baby Ada ready and going for all the adventures they shared at Dinaka. From darting a rhino, game viewing and climbing the mountain to view the estimated 400 year old ruins. Nicole also had the opportunity to do the elephant back riding with her mom and sisters.

Thank you so much for the wonderful trip! You made bringing Ada so easy and gave her a birthday we will never forget! Thanks for everything!
Nicole, Adam & Ada



David Hoffer and **Melissa** did it all! They got their South African engagement diamond, could not quit shooting and shared all the family action with their kids – **Hunter, Alexis** and **Brittanny**. Hunter, age 7 and Brittanny, age 13 also had the opportunity to

shoot an impala each. David got to hunt 3 spiral horn animals during his first trip and Melissa did as well on her introductory trip. Cannot wait to plan your next adventure!



David Hoffer: Eland

David Hoffer:

Bushbuck	13 ⁷ / ₈ "
Eland	37 ⁷ / ₈ "
Kudu	53 ⁷ / ₈ "
Warthog	11 ¹⁰ / ₁₆ "
Warthog	11 ⁶ / ₁₆ "
Blue Wildebeest	



Melissa Metzger: Red Hartebeest

Melissa Metzger:

Hartebeest – Red	22 ² / ₈ "
Wildebeest – Blue	
Zebra – Burchell	

Dinaka Rifle used:

Brno 7x57



Brittany: Impala

Brittany: Impala

Impala	21 ² / ₈ "
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Dinaka Rifle used:

Krico 7x57



Hunter: Impala

Hunter: Impala

Impala	18 ⁷ / ₈ "
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Dinaka Rifle used:

Remington .223

"For every experience you have in life not only does it touch you, you touch your experience" Thanks for an amazing experience. See you soon!

David Hoffer, Melissa Metzger, Brittany, Hunter & Alexis
OH, USA
August 2007

We will again exhibit at the following conventions in America and hope to see you at our booth

Dallas Safari Club at the Market Centre from 10 - 13 January 2008, booth #243.

Safari Club International in Reno from 23 - 26 January 2008, booth #1272 & 1274.



Gun Legislation

You will need to comply with South African legislation in order to receive a temporary import license for your firearms. We strongly recommend an advance application and will assist you with the necessary.

PROCEDURE FOR TEMPORARY IMPORTATION

You will need all of the following documentation.

- SAPS 520 complete sections D, E1 - E25.4 and G, I and J in black ink. (page 6 must be signed twice, both at end of section I and again section J) Obtain this document from www.hunterssupport.com
- Authorization for Hunters Support to act on your behalf. Obtain this document from www.hunterssupport.com
- Invitation from outfitter (We will provide, but need all details like species interested in hunting and your preferred rifles to be used.)
- Acceptance of Hunting Package. Obtain this document from www.hunterssupport.com
- Copy of Passport – Notarized. Your passport must be valid 4 months after departure and have 2 free pages.
- Copy of Flight Itinerary as per your travel agent or a copy of your tickets.
- Road transport details - we will provide. Just provide the alternative details for the "photo" part of the trip.
- Proof of ownership
US 4457 – Notarized, for USA citizens - this is the most important document! Obtain this document by visiting your nearest Custom House with your firearms and passport.
Export documentation, for citizens of other countries than USA or UK.
Firearm licenses, for citizens of other countries.

Should you choose to apply upon arrival, you will still need all the above documentation, except of course the Authorization form of Hunter's Support. Should you apply on site (not in advance) – you should not sign section J of

the SAPS 520 in advance, but only in front of the police officer at the firearm office at the JHB airport.

Additional regulations:

- Firearms must bear the manufacturer's serial number or any other mark by which the firearm can be identified. The identification number must be stamped and the mark affixed in the prescribed manner on the barrel or the frame of the firearm. If marked the frame, barrel or action should be marked with the same serial number.
- The applicant must be 21 years or over.
- Please note that NO firearms will be held for safekeeping by the SAPS. If a client brings in a prohibited firearm, brings in more than what is allowed, or lacks the necessary documentation and his request for a temporary permit is denied, the involved firearms must be exported immediately by the client or voluntarily surrendered to the State.

The following are not allowed for the temporary importation of firearms: (refer to www.hunterssupport.com and compare with www.professionalthunters.co.za)

- Any fully automatic weapon.
- Any semi-automatic rifle, semi-automatic shotgun or pump-action shotgun. (A semi-automatic shotgun or/ and a pump-action shotgun may be allowed only if you apply, at least 30 days in advance before arrival, through the Central Firearms Register with motivational letters.)
- More than one rifle of the same caliber.
- More than 200 rounds of ammunition of a certain caliber.
- Handguns for self-defense. A Handgun specifically manufactured for hunting, may be licensed. However, this will require a 30-day advance application, accompanied by motivational letters, as well as a letter from the manufacturer.

The above information can also be found on our website www.dinaka.co.za. This should only be seen as a guideline. We did our best to summarize and convey the information as accurately as possible and although we undertake to update the Dinaka website as frequently as needed, we do not take responsibility for any information listed or unlisted in these documents.

Dinaka Horseback Adventure, by Saddlebag Safari's

Experiencing Dinaka on Horse Back is an experience not to be missed by the avid equestrian. The Dinaka donation for 2008 will be a truly custom made trip and completely exclusive to the buyer's guests.



SCI donation

Value US\$ 9000 Enjoy the thrill of riding next to rhino and giraffe or galloping with wildebeest on well loved and responsive horses, all this and more on the 20,000 acre Dinaka Game Reserve. This 5-night trip for 4 guests is all inclusive of professionally guided riding activities, accommodations at the Dinaka Lodge in comfortable suites with a full, private bath, meals and beverages. This will be an exclusive, custom made trip. Trip needs to be taken

before April 2009, during available dates. Riding ability of the least experienced rider, will determine the pace. Not included are transfers to/from Johannesburg airport. Additional riders of your own party, up to a total of 8 can be accommodated at \$2050 per person. For more information, contact Nadien Bosch at: dinaka@global.co.za or visit www.dinaka.co.za.



Lodge Features

- 3 deluxe bedrooms emphasizing space and comfort, each with its separate bathroom.
- The above includes a wheelchair accessible bedroom.
- 2 standard en-suite bedrooms, totaling 5 bedrooms with 13 beds.
- All rooms have their individual porches allowing you to enjoy the spectacular view from both inside and outside your bedroom.
- A main hosting area comprising of:
 - a bar area and work station for that ever important picture printing and CD writing.
 - a separate dining area with its own fireplace and lounge.
 - an enclosed television-room to provide additional entertainment for families with younger kids. Hunters can now watch their video footage at the end of the day and even catch up on world news.
 - a self help 24 hour coffee and snack bar including the refreshment fridge.
 - the patio of patio's – providing an exquisite view over miles of the Waterberg and Little Sandriver valley.
- A heated (on request) splash pool.
- A kitchen, providing hearty game meals complimented by seasonal fruits and vegetables, daily home made breads and mouth watering desserts.



The Dinaka Team wishes you a Merry Christmas and a prosperous 2007!



The Dinaka team is comprised of 24 full time employees, who live on the property. Some have been working for the family for 30 years and labor turnover is limited. Our staff loves this place as much as we do. Each and every member's experience and dedication will always ensure a most memorable trip for all our clients. We have a team of professional hunters and rangers, a skinning and butchery team, mechanics and maintenance guys, as well as the girls who take such good care of the guests at the lodge. We focus on advanced training for staff and it has paid off.