

Dinaka Game Reserve is situated in a picturesque valley in the Waterberg Mountains, 230km (145 miles) north of Johannesburg, South Africa's largest city.

Enjoy being the only group in our exclusive lodge, while hunting on this magnificent 8000ha (20000 acre) privately owned Game Reserve.

Dinaka's diverse habitat is home to 20+ species of antelope, Buffalo, Leopard, White Rhino, Giraffe, Hippopotamus, Burchell Zebra, Mountain Zebra, Warthog, Baboon, Bushpig, Small Predators, Game Birds and many more.

2011

Lanny Taylor with White Blesbok, 51 1/8"
- will rank #6 in SCI record book



DINAKA GAME RESERVE

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A big Thank You to all our clients for your continuous support and friendship. Even if it is merely by word of mouth, we appreciate it!

The trophy hunting activity at Dinaka is still not as prosperous as it used to be prior to 2009. Although fewer guests, we now have the opportunity to really enjoy each visitor.

We know how many choices you have on where to go and what to do, especially when it comes to family time. We will therefore go out of our way to ensure a most memorable hunting trip of the highest quality.

Live Sales

Though trophy hunting is experiencing a tough economic climate, the live sale of quality breeding stock on rare game is still escalating. For reference we will share some of the record prices for the past year with you: Golden Wildebeest R1,2m (approx US\$150 000), Black Impala R240 000 (US\$ 30 000), 50" Buffalo Bull R18m (US\$ 2 300 000), Buffalo Cow R4.7m (US\$590 000), Livingston Eland bull R800 000 (US\$ 100 000), Sable bull R2.8m (US\$350 000) and many more.



Buffalo

With so much emphasis on enhancing the gene pools of the game, the successes in continuously breeding game with better horn potential paid off. As a result more quality game is becoming available at reasonable prices, for the hunting market.

At Dinaka we can now offer you Sable bulls to hunt during 2012 in a price range of \$6450 - \$8450 for 35"-41" bulls. Buffalo bulls, ranging between 34"-39" will also be available at \$8 000 - \$10 000 trophy fee. The buffalo hunting at Dinaka is always a very hard hunt and should not be planned for less than 7 days.



Golden Wildebeest

Ben Norris booked a hunt for him and his dad, **Dave** in 2004. Back then they were already planning a return trip with Ben's younger brother, **Jake** for a graduation gift. They visited us in June for a 12-day trip which overflowed with joy and laughter. Dave turned from serious in 2004 to quite the comedian. The 3 hunters took turns to hunt on different days, enabling them to stay together as one hunting party and to share in each other's accomplishments. The leopard activity had all of them excited for a future leopard hunt. With so many top quality trophies, Dave convinced Johan to start putting the hunting pictures on Facebook. We are really not as active (or knowledgeable) on Facebook as we should be, but let us know to include you in the group to view the pictures. As always we were sad to see them leave, but look forward to having them all back with us.

Dave Norris

White Blesbok	17 7/8"
Bushbuck	14 7/8"
Kudu	52 3/8"
Nyala	24 2/8"
Tsessebe	13 2/8"



Dave Norris: Bushbuck



Dave Norris: Kudu.



Dave Norris: Tsessebe.

Thank you so much for such a stay at Dinaka! Everything was absolutely perfect. To have this time together here at Dinaka was an experience we will remember always. Everything from accommodation, food, hospitality & hunting was first class!!

WE WILL BE BACK!

Dave Norris, MA, June 2011



Jake Norris: Springbuck.



Jake Norris: Waterbuck.

Jake Norris

Blesbok	16 2/8"
Blesbok – White	16 6/8"
Impala	22 3/8"
Springbok	11"
Warthog	11 2/16"
Waterbuck	26 6/8"
Blue Wildebeest	27 1/8"



Jake Norris & Dave Norris: White Blesbuck.

This has been an amazing trip in every aspect, from the food, rooming, hospitality and of course the hunting. Thank you so much for everything you provided. We will start planning the return trip as soon as possible.
Jake Norris



Jake Norris: Bluewildebeest.



Ben Norris: Eland.



Ben Norris: White Blesbuck. If entered will rank # 9 in SCI record book 50 5/8".

Ben Norris

Blesbok – White	18 6/8"
Bushbuck	14 6/8"
Bushpig	6 7/16"
Eland	32 4/8"
Red Hartbeest	4/8"
Nyala	24 1/2"
Warthog	11 8/16"
Waterbuck	29 4/8"
Blue Wildebeest	27 4/8"



Ben Norris: Bushpig.



Ben Norris: Waterbuck.

For the second time at Dinaka, this trip has proved to be all I hoped for & more!! I couldn't have had a better time and very sad to leave. I can't wait to bring my family back soon & once again come home to Dinaka.
Ben Norris, AL, June 2011



Scott Canon, his parents Craig & Judy Canon, together with his lovely children, Elizabeth and Rett visited us in July for 8 days. They were joined by friends Jay Thompson & Christa Harker. Having families at Dinaka is what we do best. The entire group went elephant back riding one morning, while Scott continued the hunt. Judy never missed a beat and supported, husband, son and grandchildren on all their ventures. Christa was Jay's personal photographer, while they combined their hunt with some side trips. We hope you find a good enough reason to be back sooner than later.



Scott Canon: Baboon.



Scott Canon: Bushpig.

Scott Canon	
Baboon	
Bushpig	5 ⁴ / ₈ "
Waterbuck	26 ⁶ / ₈ "

Fantastic Family Adventure!
Scott, Elizabeth and Rett Canon
Dallas, TX, July 2011



Craig Canon: Kudu.



Craig Canon: Warthog.

Craig Canon	
Kudu	49 ³ / ₈ "
Warthog	12"
Burchell Zebra	

Wow! We loved every minute. Fabulous place, family & hospitality. We would love to see you in Dallas!
Craig & Judy Canon
Dallas, TX, July 2011



Elizabeth Canon: Blesbuck.



Elizabeth Canon: Impala.

Elizabeth Canon	
Blesbok	16 ¹ / ₈ "
Impala	23 ⁷ / ₈ "
Blue wildebeest	26 ⁴ / ₈ "



Rett Canon: Nyala.

Rett Canon

Impala	23"
Nyala	26 ⁷ / ₈ "
Burchell Zebra	



Rett Canon: Burchell Zebra.



Jay Thompson: Blesbuck.

Jay Thompson

Baboon		Bluewildebeest	27 ⁵ / ₈ "
Blesbok	17 ⁵ / ₈ "	Burchell Zebra	
Impala	21 ⁴ / ₈ "		
Kudu	50 ¹ / ₈ "		
Warthog	13"		



Jay Thompson: Kudu.

To the entire Dinaka Family
 We are leaving South Africa with life - long memories and new friends. Thank you for a fabulous experience - we loved every minute! We would like to return your hospitality the next time you are in Dallas!
Jay Thompson & Christa Harker
 Dallas, TX, July 2011



Jay Thompson: Warthog.



Jay Thompson: Bluewildebeest.

Tom Bastien was our much admired "leopard hunter" for 2011. All our other hunters were so excited for him, because of the exceptional activity of huge males on various leopard baits prior to Tom's arrival. Good activity proceeded throughout his hunt, but wrong time on the wrong day in the wrong blind. We had various trail cameras out which took magnificent footage of the various leopards. Amongst all the other nightlife, Tom saw some younger leopards and females, which he rightfully declined. What should have been a done deal, turned out to be 14 long nights in the blind. We even commented that it was the first time on a leopard hunt that the wind was perfect to sit every single night of the hunt. It is always sad when a hunter works so hard for an animal, just to see the opportunity evading him. Tom will be back and we are pleased to know that he did not give up! Even though the outcome was not as we all wished for, it is always nice having you at Dinaka!



Tom Bastien: Honey Badger.

Tom Bastien

Honey Badger

Civet



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Lanny & Lorrie Taylor, were one of the very few couples who booked with us without a friends referral. This trip was added to an already booked family trip to Namibia and was specially for Lorrie to enjoy her passion in life - horseback riding. While Lorrie was thrilled spending every morning and afternoon of their 6 days riding between all the wildlife on Dinaka, Lanny enjoyed the opportunity to hunt some of the animals which evaded him through his many hunting trips. We know Lorrie will be back to enjoy some more horseback riding in our breathtaking valleys. Lanny, you need to come back and try for a bigger white blesbok!



Lanny Taylor: Honey Badger.

Lanny Taylor

- Black Backed Jackal
- Blesbok - White 19 2/8"
- Bushpig 6"
- Honey Badger



Lanny Taylor: Jackal.

We really loved being here. Wonderful views, food, horseback riding and hunting. Thank you so much for the hospitality & great accommodation.

Lanny & Lorrie Taylor
CA, August 2011

Dinaka Donation

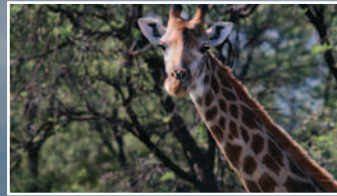
The Dinaka donation to SCI will again comprise of a horse back safari. Experiencing Dinaka on Horseback is an adventure not-to-be-missed. What makes this donation so valuable is that this will be a custom made trip, compared to the general group based trips.

5-night African horseback adventure for four people

Enjoy the thrill of riding next to rhino and giraffe or galloping with wildebeest on well-loved and responsive horses on the 20,000-acre Dinaka Game Reserve. All-inclusive of professionally guided riding activities, accommodations at the Dinaka Lodge in comfortable suites, meals and beverages. This will be an exclusive, custom-made trip where the riding ability of the least experienced rider will determine the pace. Hunting and other activities may also be added per donor's price list. Trip needs to be taken before April 2013, during available dates. Not included are transfers from/to Johannesburg airport and gratuities. Additional riders of your own party, up to a total of ten, can be accommodated at \$2,160 per person. For more information, contact Nadien Bosch at dinaka@global.co.za.

We will again exhibit at the Safari Club International Convention in Las Vegas from 1-4 February, booth #1422. This year we settled for a single booth, which was available closer to the entrance, rather than a double booth hidden in the back.





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.





Let us spoil you with delicious home cooked food, fine South African wines and unsurpassed hospitality



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Freshly prepared game dishes are the centre piece of most of our meals, complimented by a daily variety of fresh fruit and vegetables

