## THE ARK



Location: Aberdare National Park	Rating: Standard
No of Rooms: 60  • 45 Twin/Double-bedded State Cabins • 5 Single-bedded State Cabins • 9 Triple-bedded State Cabins • 1 Courier (Single bedded Room – not en suite)	Access • 180 Km North from Nairobi (3 hour drive).

## **General Description**

The Ark is found deep in the Salient area of the Aberdare National Park. The Ark's design is based on the original sanctuary with access via a wooden 'gangplank'. The whole lodge is built to capitalise on game viewing with huge viewing windows or balconies on each floor. 'Cabins' are small but self-contained and all overlook waterholes. In each cabin a buzzer sounds during the night if exciting animals are spotted (there is the option for turning the buzzer off!). A ground level hide allows for stunning photography — a herd of elephant may only be a few feet away — and allows guests to enjoy the sounds (and smells!) of the visiting wildlife. Patient waiting is often rewarded by a variety of animals visiting the floodlit water hole and salt lick including elephant, rhino, lion, leopard, buffalo and bushbuck.

<ul> <li>Rooms</li> <li>En suite Rooms</li> <li>3-pin square point electricity Sockets 115-240v shaving outlets.</li> </ul>	Facilities     Restaurant     Main Bar     Lounge Bar     Bureau de Change     Gift Shop
<ul> <li>General</li> <li>Children under 7 are not allowed at The Ark.</li> <li>Credit Cards – all major credit cards are accepted.</li> <li>Access for disabled persons</li> <li>Medical Services</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Activities</li> <li>Open balconies to view the game.</li> <li>Several observation areas and game viewing platforms on each floor.</li> <li>Ground level photographic hide to watch the animals undetected.</li> <li>All night floodlit game viewing.</li> </ul>

## **Guest Comments**

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