

## **CLOTHING**



Daily laundry service is provided. It is not necessary to pack 2 weeks worth of clothes. Casual is the norm, so leave your dress clothes at home. Clothing worn in the field while hunting should be neutral in color (tan, olive, khaki, and camo) and quiet.

## **PACKING CHECKLIST**

Hunting pants	Hankerchiefs
Hunting shorts	Socks
Lightweight hunting boots	Underwear
Long sleeve hunting shirts	Sun Screen
Short sleeve hunting shirts	Sunglasses
Medium weight hunting jacket	Casual pants
Day pack/fanny pack	Casual shorts
Flashlight	Casual shirts
Soft gun case	Casual shoes
Binoculars	Wide brim hat or cap
Camera & film	Sweater/Sweatshirt
Bathing Suit	Belt
Pocket knife/Leatherman	Casual lightweight jacket
Neck pillow for plane ride	Couple of good reading books

## **FIREARMS**

We recommend you bring your own weapon(s) with which you are very familiar. Any caliber used for deer/elk is an excellent choice. You should be sighted in for a minimum of 200 yards and get in lots of practice. Any .300 caliber is recommended as African game can be very tough. (Please read the enclosed Basic Regulations and Restrictions for the issuing of a Temporary Import Permit, it is very important for the importation of your firearms.

1. Visitors bringing firearms into South Africa for hunting purposes, need to fill in a SAP 520 Temporary Import Application which can be downloaded off the SAPS website at [www.saps.gov.za](http://www.saps.gov.za) There is an excellent hunter's support group who assisted with all the necessary paperwork and apply on your behalf for a pre-authorized firearm permits (which cuts down time spent queuing at Johannesburg International Airport). They also provide a meet and greet service and are on hand to assist you at Johannesburg Airport. Their website can be viewed at [www.hunterssupport.com](http://www.hunterssupport.com)
2. No more than one firearm per calibre and 200 rounds per firearm will be permitted. No ammunition for other rifle calibres will be permitted.



3. Prohibited firearms which may NOT be imported into South Africa include:<>

- a. Any fully automatic weapon
- b. Any semi-automatic weapon
- c. Handgun/s for self-defence
- d. Weapons which fall under military categories

4. No person under the age of 21 may apply for a Temporary Import of Firearm.

### **CUSTOMS AND IMMIGRATIONS**

All travelers must have a valid passport. You must have two (2) consecutive blank pages in your passport which lie side by side when the passport is open (i.e. a left and a right hand page). You must also have six (6) months or more left on your passport before it expires. In addition, a parent traveling with children, without the other parent, will need a letter of consent from the absent parent. The letter of consent must be certified by the police.

Passengers traveling to South Africa with passports which do not comply with these requirements, will either be stopped from boarding the aircraft or risk deportation on arrival in South Africa.

### **HEALTH PRECAUTIONS**

You are advised to contact your local health department to determine what shots, immunizations, etc. you may need prior to your safari. The professional hunter who will accompany you carries a first aid kit. More sophisticated medical facilities are available within a 60 mile radius of the various hunting areas. Kikuyu Lodge Game Reserve is located in a malaria free area.

### **INSURANCE**

Personal, travel and medical insurance are the responsibility of each individual.

### **PAYMENT**

The balance of you hunt is due 30 days prior to departure. Payment can be in the form of cash, money orders, cashiers' check, credit card (a 3% surcharge will be added to all credit card payments) or personal checks. Should you incur additional expenses while you are at Kikuyu (i.e. extra animals, extended stay, tours) credit card payments will be accepted.



## **TIPPING**

The schedule below represents customary tips.

Guide           \$500 - \$800  
Tracker        \$100 - \$200  
Cook            \$100 - \$150  
Kitchen staff \$30 per member

It is suggested that your tip for the trackers/skinners be given to your Professional Hunter and the tips for the kitchen staff be given to the cook for them to disperse at the end of the hunt

## **OTHER EXPECTED COSTS**

VAT (Value Added Tax) this is a South African Government tax that is an additional cost.       Approx.(\$275.00)  
Trophy Prep Fee                   (\$125.00) total .

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## **METHODS OF PAYMENT**

Money Orders, Cashiers Checks, MasterCard, Visa or Cash

**NOTE :**     Your Client Information Sheet is Very important.

It must be received by our staff in South Africa prior to your arrival to assure that all your needs are met. Please return it to us as soon as possible in the envelope provided.

All prices are based on the rate of exchange with the U.S. Dollar as of January 1, 2012. We reserve the right to regulate prices due to currency fluctuations.