



GREEN RHINO AFRICAN TRAVEL

GREEN RHINO CLIENT ACCOLADE OF THE WEEK

Dear Janet and the Team.

Just some short feedback on our trip.

We will send you more a little later as we had the most magnificent dream adventure.

Cape Town in particular and our guide Reza from Roots Africa were a good fit for us.

Reza listened to us and showed us parts of CT that were part of the history.

He also shared his experience with us being moved to the Cape Flats at the age of seven.

We really enjoyed the Desmond and Leah Tutu museum. Reza arranged a private tour for us.

All of the tours you arranged were sights we enjoyed.

Being at the waterfront was very convenient and the apartment was perfect! Wonderful staff too.

We are so appreciative of all the work you did putting this together.

An incredibly memorable experience for all of us.

We will report back on our stay at the Victoria Falls and Hwange another time.

Thank you team!!

Joe and Luisa / USA



WE INVITE YOU TO COME AND CLIMB MT. KILIMANJARO WITH US



We have been there, done that, and got the T-Shirt!!

***“... and there, ahead, all he could see, as wide as all the world, great, high and unbelievably white in the sun, was the square top of Kilimanjaro. And then he knew that was where he was going.”
The snows of Kilimanjaro – Ernest Hemingway***



This is the team we led from the US Embassy in Pretoria where we tackled the picturesque Machame Route – one of the more difficult routes to climb.

We all made it and earned our Certificates with flying colours!
Janet and Karen –the Green Rhino Team Leaders seated in front

We have been operating quality hiking expeditions on Kilimanjaro since 1990. Our operators and guides know this mountain well, and are dedicated people with your interests at heart.

We have taken many people to Kili’s summit, boasting a higher than average success rate.

This is attributed to detailed advice from our safari consultants, particularly in terms of training and equipment to take up the mountain, combined with excellent guiding.

It’s the right mix for a successful trip
For first hand tips on best route, what to wear, training hints and much more!

Contact janet@greenrhino.co.za



VISITING CAPE TOWN IN JULY OR AUGUST?



Take note

The Table Mountain Aerial Cableway closes annually for maintenance, with the **2026 closure scheduled for Monday, July 27, to Sunday, August 9, 2026.**

Operations are set to resume on Monday, August 10, 2026, weather permitting.
During this time, the cable cars, restaurants, and shops are closed

Reopening: Monday, 10 August 2026 (weather permitting).

Whilst the cable car is closed; hikers can still hike up/down, but no facilities available on top.



So if you can take a break during these winter months, then rather opt for a nice safari somewhere.



July is the IDEAL time for safaris in South Africa



As it is the dry winter season, vegetation is sparse and animals gather around waterholes, making them easier to spot, especially in [Kruger National Park](#) and [Madikwe Game Reserve](#).
Why go on safari in July?

- **Prime Wildlife Viewing:** The lack of rain ensures animals rely on permanent water sources, simplifying sightings of the Big Five.
- **Comfortable Temperatures:** Days are typically sunny and mild, though early morning and evening game drives can be very cold, requiring warm clothing.
- **Winter specials on prices** – contact us for many winter specials which will be coming out any time soon for you to enjoy during these months
- **Lower Malaria Risk:** As the dry season, July has fewer mosquitoes compared to the summer months.

MALARIA FACTS

As of April 2026, Southern Africa has been experiencing a significant rise in malaria cases following heavy rainfall and flooding.

Key 2026 Malaria Outbreak Data (Southern Africa)

Main Malaria areas include Mpumalanga, Mozambique, Namibia, Zimbabwe

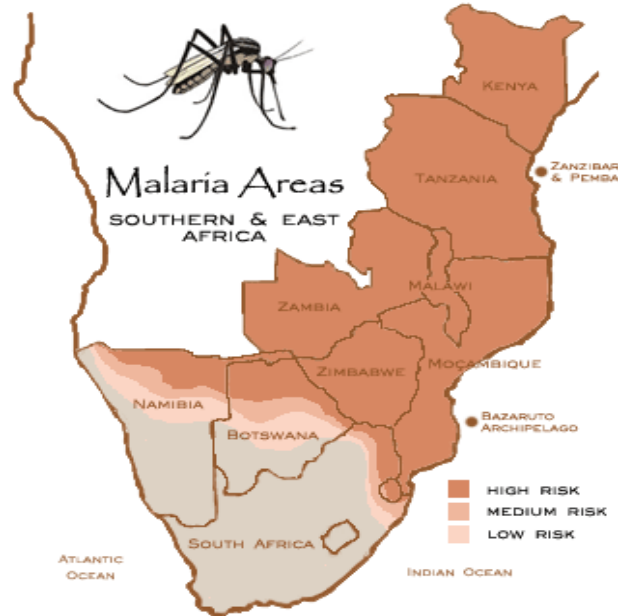
Contributing Factors

Weather Patterns: Unusually heavy rains and flooding have created ideal breeding conditions for mosquitoes, particularly in low-altitude areas.

Imported Cases: Most infections in Gauteng were acquired in high-risk areas such as Limpopo, Mpumalanga, Mozambique, Zimbabwe, and Malawi.

Vaccine Rollout: Despite rising cases, efforts are increasing to roll out malaria vaccines to reduce the high child mortality rate on the continent.

Health Warning: Authorities advise travellers returning from high-risk areas to seek immediate medical attention if experiencing symptoms such as fever, chills, headaches, or fatigue.



Therefore choose your safari areas wisely as there are a number of malaria free reserves which can offer superb Big Five Safaris like the **Waterberg, Madikwe, Welgevonden and the Pilanesberg**

And if you do visit a malaria area there are plenty of prescribed prophylactic medications you can take so contact your GP or Pharmacist or even a nearby Travel Clinic for advice.

Do not spoil your holiday by worrying unnecessarily about malaria!
As long as you take reasonable measures to minimise that likelihood, you will in fact be very unlikely to get the disease.

Well over half a million people annually visit the Kruger National Park, and official records show that less than 300 cases of malaria are contracted here each year



MADAGASCAR

WHERE NATURE SHINES

Wildlife and Beach Combo Package available for 7 nights and 8 days



Lemurs, baobabs, rainforest, desert, hiking and diving. Madagascar is a dream destination for outdoors enthusiasts – half the fun is getting to all these incredible attractions.

Madagascar is unique: 5% of all known animal and plant species can be found here.

The island's signature animal is the lemur of course, but there are many more weird and wonderful creatures:

the eerie-looking fossa (a cat-like predator), colourful and camouflaged chameleons, oddly shaped insects, vivid frogs, graceful rays and turtles, several species of sharks, and humpback whales during the winter months.

Trees and plants are just as impressive, be they the distinctively shaped baobabs, the fanning *ravinala* (travellers' palm), the hundreds of orchids or the spiny forests of the desert south.

Contact Green Rhino for some wonderful fly-in packages to this truly wonderful and exotic destination



**SOON THE WHALES WILL BE HERE ALONG THE SHORELINES
OF HERMANUS AND GANSBAAI**

WHALE SEASON OFFICIALLY OPENS ON 01 JUNE 2026

Don't miss spending a few days in these areas where you can see these mighty creatures



Hermanus should in fact be considered the official home of the Southern Right Whale, since every year during late Sept/early Oct, Hermanus hosts its annual [Whale Festival](#), which attracts over 150,000 people and when the Southern Right Whales arrive in large numbers to breed, give birth and playfully frolic in the sea.

Other species of Whales that can be viewed are Humpbacks and Bryde's Whales, as well as, African Penguins, Cape Fur Seals and if you are very lucky pods of Dolphin.

Whale watching boat trips at Hermanus will take you out to sea to get even closer to these incredible creatures.

Contact us on where to stay and how to enjoy this once in a lifetime experience. You may also like to couple your trip with a Shark Cage Dive!! Not for the faint hearted!!





THE MAGIC OF MOROCCO

Join us on our Morocco Discovery Tour



This semi-circular tour starts in Casablanca including a visit to Rabat and Fes. The tour then travels southwards to Marrakech.

Your desert experience starts as you see Berber Villages and Kasbahs on the way to Erfoud and Ouarzazate. Journey through beautiful gorges and spectacular routes. When returning to Casablanca there will be an option to experience a spectacular Sunrise over the sand dunes.

A sight not to be missed and forever remembered.



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Always at your service for any travel arrangements throughout the
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Kind regards

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