

WHAT WE OFFER



Venue hire per person for weddings of 60 people or less

R 400 per person (Including VAT)



Venue hire per person for weddings of 61 people or more

R 350 per person (Including VAT)



Venue Hire Includes The Following:

Tables (Includes DJ & Buffet and Cake Table)

Choice of Black or White Table Cloths

Cake Knife

Chairs

Choice of Black or White Chair Covers

Choice of Black or White Linen Napkins

Crockery

Full Cutlery Set

Glasses

Easel for Guest Names

Cash Bar

Non-Alcoholic Fruit Juice

Tea & Coffee Buffet (Before Or End Of Reception)

Three Course Menus (To Be Confirmed By Bridal Couple)

Runners to set up buffet and clear plates and glasses

Complimentary Honeymoon Suite for the Bridal Couple

Secure Parking

Generator at No Extra Cost (In case of power failures)



Bridal Couple's Responsibility (Not Included In The Venue Hire Price)

Draping

Décor

Flowers

Fairy Lights

Cake

Dress

Accommodation

(See Rates)

Minister

Tie Backs for Chairs

Overlays and Runners

Waiters – If drinks orders are taken from table or plated menu option is chosen

Dj/Music

Videographer/Photographer

Extra Lighting

Beverages

4x4 Vehicle and Ranger for Photograph's, including A Bottle of Champagne

(R 1000)

Chapel Hire

(R 1000)

Red Carpet Hire

(R 300)

Horse & Carriage Hire

(R 1 500)

Canapés

(See Menu)

RECEPTION & VENUES



Patio

The patio looks out onto the beautiful rock feature pool and the spectacular surroundings of the farm.

The patio is a lovely option for smaller breakfast type weddings and can easily seat between 25 - 30 guests.

The patio can also be used to keep guests entertained whilst the bridal party is having photographs taken, with canapés and cocktails, or a tea and coffee buffet set up as well as your wedding cake, this can be done either before or after the reception, depending on the bridal couples wishes.

(Please remember that we include one tea and coffee buffet set up with your booking.)



Main House

The main house is a great option for a small and private wedding and can seat between 30 to 40 guests, depending on your layout.

The house sleeps 10 people and has a lovely entertainment area with a bar and an open patio half of which is undercover, the other half of which open to the African sky.



Main Hall

The Main air conditioned Hall can seat up to 130 guests with space for a dance floor. The Main Hall opens up with concertina doors into a smaller hall which is perfect for a buffet setup and for guests to go and help themselves without space becoming an issue. This large "L-Shaped" thatched hall is versatile with concerting doors allowing for smaller functions in one of the two rooms or opening it up to create one large entertainment area.



BOMA

This venue is perfect for the bridal couple seeking something a little less traditional.

The Boma has an ethnic, African intimate feel to it and can seat up to 130 people.

If The Boma is chosen by the bridal couple, only the buffet option can be used.

ACTIVITIES AT RAIN FARM GAME AND LODGE



Game Drives

We have a variety amount of plains game, anything from giraffe to zebra roaming around the farm.

We offer game drives at R 120 per adult and R 60 per child under the age of 12 which includes light refreshments and snacks along the drive.

For the early birds, our morning drive leaves at 7:30 am and for the late risers, an afternoon drive leaves at 3:30 pm

Drives are roughly 1 ½ to 2 hours long.



Adventurous Walks

For those who prefer to view the game on foot, we offer a guided trail walk at R 120 per adult and R 60 per child which includes light refreshments and snacks along the walk at a scenic spot beside the Umhlali River

The morning walk leaves at 7:30 am and the afternoon walk leaves at 3:30 pm

Walks are roughly 1 ½ to 2 hours long.



Horse Trails

For the horse lovers, we offer a breath taking trail ride at R 180 per person around the farm which is 1 ½ to 2 hours, depending on your riding experience.



Bass Fishing

Available to all accommodated guests.

There is no charge for bass fishing but please note that guests do need to bring their own rods, no barbed hooks may be used and guests need to bring their own tackle. Please also advise a staff member on duty, should any tackle get lost in or around the dams as this is harmful to bird and animal life.



Putt Putt

A lovely challenging mini golf course awaits the guests at the main lodge. A deposit for the putters and balls is required to play a game and will be refunded after the game if no loss or damage to the items is incurred.



Bird Watching

"Rain Farm Game and Lodge" have many different and exquisite bird species, so feel free to bring along your binoculars and spot our feathery friends.



Wellness Spa

Come and enjoy a little pampering before the big day.

See spa price list and remember that bookings are essential



Gym

Guests are welcome to flex their muscles in the gym or sweat it out in the infrared sauna.



Bar with pool table and DSTV

Our fully stocked bar is open for guests to enjoy a drink and a game of pool or simply sit back and watch the game.

Accommodation



Luxury Tented Camps

We have six luxury tented camps that are magically tucked between the trees and overlook the Umhlali River and can accommodate up to 2 guests each

Kindly note that the tents can only be taken at the dinner, bed and breakfast option, no self catering



Waterbuck

Uniquely situated and stilted on the dam, this timber cabin soaks of the tranquility of the beautiful farm surroundings and can accommodate up to 4 guests each



Wildebeest

A great option for family groups, the thatched rondaval has a lovely open loft room which sleeps four guests and two bedrooms downstairs each sleeping two with two bathrooms



Zebra

Zebra is the honeymoon suite and has been made extra special to ensure that the bride and groom will enjoy the magic ambiance it has to offer, with its very own Jacuzzi, fireplace, plasma screen TV, full DSTV, an enchanting outdoor shower as well as a rock feature bath with shower indoors



Duiker, Warthog, Ostrich

The three adjacent farmhouse complexes are ideally situated in front of the river, making for a peaceful experience.

Duiker can accommodate 2 guests

Warthog can accommodate 4 guests

Ostrich can accommodate 6 guests



Giraffe

Also known as the main farm house complex, giraffe is truly home away from home. This beautiful house boasts spectacular views of the farm surroundings.

Giraffe has 5 bedrooms, one of which is also a stunning honeymoon suite, with its very own Jacuzzi

Giraffe can accommodate up to 10 guests



The Bar

*"Rain Farm Game and Lodge" holds a full liquor license and comprehensive stock of liquor.
Special requests can be organized in advance.*

Guests are welcome to bring along their own local wines at a corkage charge of R.30 per bottle.

*Last rounds are served at 23:30h and the venue strictly closes at 24:00h, unless otherwise arranged and compensated for.
A cash bar or tab system can be organized and must be paid in advance.*



Contract

I/We _____ have read and understood the terms and conditions for hiring "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" as a venue as laid out in the information stated

I/We, the undersigned, hereby accept these terms and conditions. I/We confirm our booking at "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" for the _____ day of the _____ month of the year _____

Full Names: _____ & _____

Contact Number: _____

Email Address: _____

No of Guests: _____

Total price per head quote: _____

Date of Function: _____

Breakage Deposit: R 1000

Total Deposit Paid: _____

Signature: _____

Please email or fax this page together with the proof of payment of deposit

BANKING DETAILS

FNB

Rain Farm Game and Lodge

Branch: RMB Private Bank

Branch Code: 260 252

Acc No: 62242733253

Acc Type: Cheque Account

(Please use your name and date of function as a reference)



Terms & Conditions

Should you decide on "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" as a venue for your special day, a booking can be made depending on availability. The requested date will be held as a provisional booking for 14 working days; thereafter will be cancelled without further notice.

A 35% deposit is required to secure the venue and must be paid in full 14 days after.

A refundable breakage deposit of R1000 is charged in quote for wedding for 60 guests or less and R1 500 for 61 guests or more and will be returned to you no later than 7 days after function, according to breakages or any additional guests who arrived at the wedding.

Payment of deposit will automatically confirm that all terms and conditions set out by "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" are noted and accepted by you and the cancellation policy will be enforced.

Please note that we work on a first come, first serve basis.

Balance of account as well as confirmation of number of guests is due one month prior to the event. Please note that no refunds will be made if the numbers of guests decrease after this time.

A 50% refund of your deposit will only be granted once we have received your cancellation in writing no later than six months prior to booked function date. Cancellation thereafter will forfeit a refund of deposit

Hire of venue is until 24h00, at such time the function must come to an end. Every hour thereafter will be charged at R1500.00 per hour.

All functions booked on a public holiday, a Sunday or over a long weekend will be charged a surcharge of R2000.00

All prices are subject to change without prior notice.

All extra decoration not supplied by Rain Farm Game and Lodge must be removed by 7:00am the morning following your function at your own cost.

Secure parking is available for guests.

The dining hall can seat up to a maximum of 130 guests with a dance floor and buffet table.

No outside catering is permitted at "Rain Farm Game and Lodge."

Any extra food left over from a buffet is the property of "Rain Farm Game Lodge" as we provide 30% extra food for buffets.

No unnatural products may be used to shower the bride.

Please note that you will be held liable for any losses, damages or injuries incurred by yourselves or any of your guests, whilst on your premises and these costs will be taken from the securing deposit.

"Rain Farm Game and Lodge" does not accept liability for loss or damage to any item or property of customers.

"Rain Farm Game and Lodge" reserves the right to hold more than one function per day. Should you desire that only your function be held the day or should you wish to close "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" for your exclusive use, then an agreeable fee will be levied.

Whilst it is tradition to be fashionably late for your wedding, please be advised that we allow a maximum of half an hour for this tradition. Thereafter, "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" reserves the right to postpone the ceremony or make changes to accommodate any other function or guests that have arrived timeously. Furthermore, no liability will be held by "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" owners, management or staff should food be spoiled due to tardiness.

All accommodation (sleeps 48 guests including the bridal couple) must be fully booked and paid for with your initial deposit. We would be happy to let out any accommodation on your behalf should you not be able to fill all beds

"Rain Farm Game and Lodge" only supplies 1 towel per person, if more towels are required, arrangements can be made at an additional charge per towel. Towel changes are done every second day and linen changes are done every third day.

Please note that water systems tend to be temperamental and "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" will not be held responsible, but will do our best to rectify any unforeseen circumstances.

Unfortunately, no alcohol may be brought onto the premises as "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" is a licensed venue, corkage will be charged at R30.00 per bottle for all local wines and champagnes.

Licensed bar available for cash or tab. If tab, we require a deposit 14 days prior to function. Once deposit value has been reached we will revert to cash bar if no further deposit has been put forward.

Choice of food to be served must be confirmed 30 days prior to function.

If client wishes to use candles, etc, any burns or damages to cloths etc, made by them will be charged to the client.

The Boma and Main Hall are STRICTLY non-smoking areas. Should damage result from cigarettes the client will be charged accordingly.

All guests and companies entering "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" on your behalf must abide by the rules and regulations of the reserve.

The client shall not be entitled to assign the booking to any third party to utilize the company's facilities without "Rain Farm Game and Lodges prior written approval".

Due to reasons beyond your control, "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" reserves the right to cancel any function.

Any items left behind after the function is not the responsibility of "Rain Farm Game and Lodge," please allocate a person from the bridal party to be responsible for the collection of items. Any items left, must be collected within a week after the date of function, thereafter, items will become the property of "Rain Farm Game and Lodge" or be disposed of. Please note collection of items, Monday – Sunday is between 7am and 4pm by arrangement only.

"Rain Farm Game and Lodge" reserves the right of admission at all times.

Agreement to changes of the above conditions will only be valid if in writing by both parties. Interest will be charged at prime, as charged by FNB at the applicable time, plus 2% per month or part thereof for any amounts outstanding.