

SOMERBY HUNTING SAFARI PREPARATION AND PACKING CHECKLIST

TRAVEL LIST:

- PASSPORT – PLEASE NOTE: PASSPORT APPLICATION CAN TAKE UP TO 6 MONTHS, YOUR PASSPORT NEEDS TWO CLEAN PAGES
- AIRLINE TICKET/RESERVATIONS, TRAVEL & TRIP INSURANCE
- CASH/CREDIT CARD TO USE IN STORES WHEN BUYING CURIOS – NOTIFY YOUR CREDIT CARD COMPANY THAT YOU ARE COMING TO AFRICA

CLOTHING:

Mornings and late evenings can be cool 30-40°F

It warms up fast to 60-70°F and in even 80-90°F in some months. YOU HAVE TO DRESS IN LAYERS.

Washing is done daily – bring 3/4 sets of clothes

- HUNTING SHIRTS – LONG/SHORT SLEEVES
KHAKI, CREAM, OLIVE, CAMOUFLAGE
- LOOSE FITTING PANTS OR JEANS
- SHORTS – ZIP OFF PANTS WORK VERY WELL
- UNDERWEAR
- 4 PAIRS OF SOCKS
- T-SHIRTS
- SWEATER
- 1 WARM JACKET OR FLEECE
- WATERPROOF WINDBREAKER WITH HOOD
- BALL CAP / HUNTING HAT
- VEST
- GLOVES
- SHOES - LIGHTWEIGHT COMFORTABLE SHOES TO HUNT IN – **NOT WARM HEAVY DUTY HUNTING BOOTS**
- COMFORTABLE SHOES OR SANDALS TO WEAR AROUND CAMP

GEAR:

- RIFLE AND AMMUNITION PLEASE CHECK SECTION ON RIFLE IMPORTATION
 - **AIRLINE APPROVED RIFLE CASE TO TRANSPORT RIFLE IN**
 - **SOFT GUN CASE AND GUN CLEANING KIT**
- BINOCULARS
- KNIFE – OPTIONAL
- CAMERA WITH EXTRA BATTERIES OR CHARGERS AND EXTRA MEMORY CHIPS
- ELECTRIC TRAVEL ADAPTER – South Africa uses 220volt electricity
- SMALL FLASHLIGHT

PERSONAL GEAR:

- SMALL MEDICAL KIT CONTAINING: PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION, HEADACHE MEDICATION, BAND AIDS, ALLERGY MEDICATION, DIARRHEA MEDICATION, ANTI-ITCH CREAM, LIP BALM
- INSECT REPELLANT
- SUNBLOCK
- SHAMPOO, TOOTH PASTE AND BRUSH, SHOAP, SHAVING ETC.
- WASHCLOTH
- KLEENEX/TISSUE

OTHER SUGGESTED ITEMS:

- SMALL BATTERY OPERATED ALARM CLOCK
- A JOURNAL TO JOT DOWN YOUR EXPERIENCES
- ADDRESS BOOK WITH PHONE NUMBERS AND E-MAIL ADDRESSES OF PEOPLE AT HOME THAT YOU MIGHT WANT TO CALL OR SEND PICTURES OF WHAT YOU HAVE SHOT WHILE YOU ARE IN SOUTH AFRICA.