

-  FIRST AID POINT
-  TOILETS
-  ARENA
-  BOAT CRUISE & TICKETS
-  KIOSKS
-  TEA GARDEN / PARK CAFE



RULES OF THE PARK

- No feeding animals
- No touching animals
- No alcohol
- No picnics
- Children to be supervised at all times
- No pets
- Only personal photos allowed, no commercial useage.

The park offers a range of options :

Educational programmes - to schools, schools visiting the park, birthday parties, functions etc.
Snake courses - FGASA Accredited
 Snake awareness lectures, Beginner Snake Course and Advanced Snake Course.

Whatever your needs - we will do our best to fulfill them.

For any enquiries you can contact :
 Ticket Office : 012 253 1162 or
 Bookings : 012 253 0195
 Fax to Mail : 086 5014 004

TIPS AND PREVENTION ON SNAKE BITES

AROUND YOUR PREMISES :

- *Trim grass, prune dense foliage & undergrowth,
- *Remove unwanted timber & pots-make good hiding places,
- *Keep branches & creepers clear of windows,
- *Fill all holes & crevices in walls & in the ground,
- *Screen ventilation openings with mesh or gratings,
- *Dispose of rubbish properly as old food attract rats - food for snakes!

OUT IN THE FIELD :

- *Leave snakes alone and stay clear if you see one,
- *Wear strong shoes or boots and long trousers(denims),
- *Do not walk barefoot during the day or night. If you must move at night, use a strong torch,
- *Keep your eyes open and watch where you step. If you are mountain climbing do not put your hands or feet where you cannot see,
- *If collecting firewood watch out for holes, burrows & logs,
- *Do not step across logs & rocks, rather step onto it,
- *If you come across a snake close by, stand perfectly still. The snake will not come and attack you. If you are a fair distance from it - retreat backwards slowly,
- *Never attempt to kill a snake in the wild. Throwing rocks or shooting them is asking for trouble,
- *Do NOT touch a seemingly dead snake. Some snakes sham death by lying on their back with their mouth open and tongue hanging out. Touch it & it will come alive very quickly,
- *Treat all snakes with respect!

Need to have a Snake identified?
 E-mail us the photos!



The Hartbeespoort Dam Snake and Animal Park is snuggled against the foot of the Magaliesberg. On the eastern shore of the dam lies this most remarkable ark, surrounded by massive walls like those of a medieval castle protecting a rare gem.

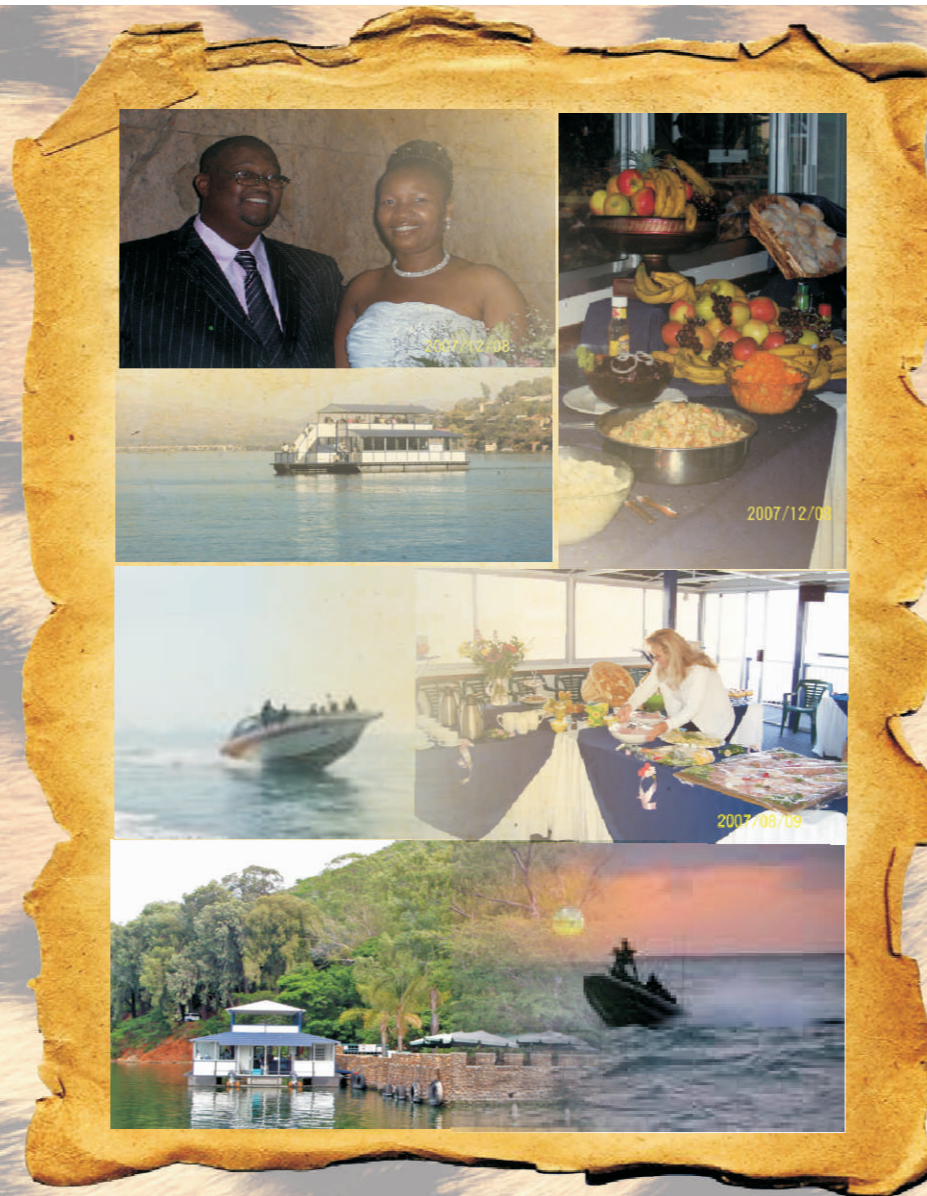


Within these walls visitors can see lions, leopard, jaguar and puma as well as chimpanzees, other primates and a large variety of other animals. The park also features the finest reptile collection in the country. Well informed staff are always eager to answer questions and pass on their knowledge



On weekends, public holidays and school holidays we have a seal and snake demonstration at 12:00 and 15:00.

Your fun visit to the Park can be rounded off with an exhilarating optional boat ride (weekends, public holidays and school holidays) on the dam on our ferry boat. The excellent food kiosk (Park Café), is situated near the edge of the dam.



WELCOME TO HARTBESPOORTDAM SNAKE & ANIMAL PARK



ADDITIONAL CRUISES

(Available on Request)

One(1), Two(2) and Three(3) hour boat cruises are available. The boat is able to seat approximately 100 people. We cater for a variety of functions i.e. conferences, corporate functions, kitchen teas, sunset cruises, weddings and birthday parties etc., from finger snacks to sit down meals and a cash bar is available.

Come and enjoy high-speed action on a rubber duck with water toys i.e. water snake etc. or a high speed cruise where 10 people can be seated.

Our vessels and skippers are SAMSA (South-African Maritime Safety Association) registered.

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