

Elephant Rock Safari Lodge: Directions

Directions from JOHANNESBURG:

Head for DURBAN on the N3.

Once you have entered KwaZulu Natal via Van Reenen, look out for the Ladysmith Toll off-ramp and go through it. This is at the bottom of Van Reenen's Pass.

Continue straight on R103 to Ladysmith.

When you arrive in Ladysmith, drive straight through – you will be on the road called HARRISMITH STREET. Look out for the following landmarks on this road: BP Petrol / Gas Station on the left, then a set of traffic lights. Carry on straight, a Caltex Petrol / Gas station on your left.

At the 3-way intersection, keep right until you get to the next set of traffic lights (Landmark: SHELL Petrol / Gas station on the right – Police station on the left).

Go straight over at the traffic lights and turn left at the next 4 way stop, You are now in LYELL STREET.

Travel straight up this street until you exit the town.

(Landmark: CALTEX Petrol / Gas Station and MAXI'S Restaurant on the left)

At set of traffic lights – carry on straight.

Distance from Caltex / Maxi's to N11+D45 intersection = 10.9km

On the outskirts of Ladysmith you will find another set of traffic lights at a 4 way intersection – travel straight – in the direction of NEWCASTLE.

Continue for + - 10 km. You will see the brown NAMBITI sign on the left as well as a small sign which reads D45.

Turn Right onto the D45 Road (Gravel Rd). Follow for 10.3km.

At the T-Junction turn right, travel alongside the game fence for 2 km until you reach our gate and thatched guard –house.

Road Directions ex Durban / Pietermaritzburg to Nambiti Private Game Reserve:

Travel on the N3 through Mooi River Toll Gate, past Escourt to Ladysmith (direction Harrismith / Johannesburg).

(Approx. 30 minutes drive to the turn off from the Toll Gate)

After Escourt; take the Bergville / Colenso R74 (R103) off-ramp / exit 194, turn right at the top of the off ramp and travel past Colenso towards Ladysmith / Newcastle.

(Approx. 30 minutes drive to Ladysmith)

Cross the bridge (Klip River, also known as First Wagon Bridge) into Ladysmith and continue following the directions for the N11 to Newcastle (look out for the following land marks: Marks Tyres on left, Game on left and Kentucky Fried Chicken on left).

At the traffic light intersection with the Caltex Petrol Station on the left, continue straight over the railway bridge and past TFS on the left and under another railway bridge.

At the next traffic lights continue straight (N11) towards Newcastle. Travel for +- 10km and look out for the brown NAMBITI sign on the left and a small sign reading "D45". This sign is also on the left of the N11.

Turn right off the N11 onto the D45 Road (a gravel road) and travel for 10,3km. Go past ALOE CREEK (on the right). At the Y junction turn right (onto the D46), and travel for 2 km until you reach the entrance to Nambiti Private Game Reserve (Electric Gate and Thatched Gate-house).

(Approx. 25 minutes to the reserve from the N11)

Our gate guard will direct you to the undercover parking area where our ranger will meet you and transfer you to the lodge.

Please note that Cellphone reception in this area is erratic.