THULA LODGE

Kroonstad, Free State, South Africa

Day Events Venue

09:00 – 17:00

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INDEMNITY

ASSUMPTION OF RISK & GUEST RESPONSIBILITY FORM

Venue: Thula Lodge, Kroonstad, Free State | Hours: Monday–Sunday, 09:00–17:00

Event Date: _____

Event Type: _____

Host / Booking Client: _____

Contact Number: _____

Number of Guests: _____

This form records the Host/Booking Client's acknowledgement of the venue's safety requirements and their responsibility to communicate these rules to all guests attending the event.

1. ENTRY ONTO THE PROPERTY

1.1. Guests enter and use the Thula Lodge property at their own risk, subject to applicable South African law.

1.2. Guests must exercise reasonable care for their own safety and the safety of others.

1.3. Guests must comply with warning signs, safety instructions, restricted-area notices and directions given by Thula Lodge management.

1.4. The Host/Booking Client must inform all guests of the venue rules and safety requirements.

2. SWIMMING POOL — SWIM AT OWN RISK

2.1. The swimming pool is used at the guest's own risk, subject to applicable law.

2.2. Guests must comply with all pool rules and safety instructions.

2.3. Children must be supervised by a responsible adult at all times while in or around the pool.

2.4. Running, pushing, rough play, diving in unsuitable areas and other unsafe behaviour around the pool are prohibited.

2.5. Guests must not use the pool while under the influence of alcohol or any substance that may impair their ability to swim safely.

2.6. The Host/Booking Client must ensure, as far as reasonably possible, that guests—particularly children—are appropriately supervised.

3. WILDLIFE AND ANIMAL SAFETY

3.1. All animals on the Thula Lodge property must be regarded as wild animals, regardless of their appearance or behaviour.

3.2. Guests must admire animals from a safe distance. Guests must not walk towards or approach animals.

3.3. Guests may not touch, feed, chase, tease, frighten, follow, call to or otherwise attempt to interact with animals.

3.4. Guests must remain within designated guest areas and must not enter animal enclosures or restricted areas.

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3.5. Children must be supervised by a responsible adult at all times and must not be allowed to approach animals.

3.6. Guests must not throw objects at or otherwise disturb animals.

3.7. All animal-safety signs and instructions from management must be followed.

4. HUNTER'S LODGE AND DESIGNATED GUEST AREAS

4.1. Guests must remain within the designated guest areas of Thula Lodge and the Hunter's Lodge area made available for the event.

4.2. Guests are not permitted to leave the designated area to approach, follow or view animals at closer range.

4.3. A guest who leaves the permitted area or enters a restricted or animal area contrary to the safety instructions acknowledges the increased risk and does so at their own risk, subject to applicable South African law.

4.4. Guests must never approach an animal that has moved away from a designated viewing area.

4.5. Wild animals may behave unpredictably. If an animal charges, approaches or reacts to a guest, guests must follow venue safety instructions and must not attempt to approach or provoke the animal.

4.6. The Host/Booking Client must inform guests of the boundaries and take reasonable steps to ensure that guests comply with them.

5. HOST / BOOKING CLIENT RESPONSIBILITIES

5.1. The Host/Booking Client must communicate this form and the venue rules to all guests, children's accompanying adults and service providers.

5.2. The Host/Booking Client is responsible for taking reasonable steps to ensure guests behave responsibly and follow safety instructions.

5.3. A guest who refuses to comply with safety instructions may be directed to leave a restricted area or, where reasonably necessary, the property.

6. ASSUMPTION OF RISK

6.1. I acknowledge that the property may include natural features, uneven surfaces, swimming facilities and wild animals, which may present risks.

6.2. I confirm that I have been informed of these risks and agree to take reasonable precautions and follow all safety instructions.

6.3. I understand that wild animals can behave unpredictably and that maintaining a safe distance and remaining within designated guest areas are essential.

7. INDEMNITY

7.1. To the extent permitted by South African law, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless Thula Lodge, its owners, management and employees against claims, losses, costs or expenses arising from the negligent, reckless or intentional conduct of myself or my guests, including failure to comply with these safety rules.

7.2. Nothing in this form excludes or limits liability that cannot lawfully be excluded or limited under South African law.

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8. EMERGENCIES

8.1. In an emergency, guests must immediately follow the instructions of Thula Lodge management or emergency personnel.

8.2. Management may take reasonable steps to protect guests, staff, animals and property in an emergency.

9. DECLARATION AND ACCEPTANCE

I confirm that I have read and understood this Indemnity, Assumption of Risk & Guest Responsibility Form. I agree to communicate these requirements to all guests attending my event and accept responsibility for taking reasonable steps to ensure that guests comply with Thula Lodge's rules and safety requirements.

HOST / BOOKING CLIENT

Full Name:	ID / Passport No.:
Contact Number:	Email:
Event Date:	Signature:
Date Signed:	
For Thula Lodge Management:	Management Signature:
Date:	

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO GUESTS

ENTER AT YOUR OWN RISK.
SWIM AT YOUR OWN RISK.
STAY WITHIN THE DESIGNATED GUEST AREAS.
DO NOT APPROACH THE ANIMALS.
TREAT ALL ANIMALS AS WILD ANIMALS — ADMIRE FROM A SAFE DISTANCE.