

#### **KLEIN AUS VISTA- DESERT HORSE INN**

2 km west of Aus on the B 4 (Aus / Wild Horses)

Just east of Aus, Klein Aus Vista lodge is nestled in the granite-gneiss hills with magnificent views of the landscape. This is the area where the Namib Desert begins to merge with golden grasses, where wild horses roam free and people once gathered with diamond dreams. Klein Aus Vista provides the perfect base to explore south-western Namibia, as a destination in itself or a perfect halfway stop en route from the canyon to the red dunes of Sossusvlei or vice versa.

The attractive and airy rooms are built in a style indicative of the late century farmhouse and painted a deep, rich sienna that glows alluringly in the late afternoon sunshine. Put up feet on your veranda enjoying Klein Aus calm, partake in a day or sunset drive or explore the numerous mountain-bike and walking trails that skirt the rocky hills. Here you will discover old WWI ramparts, an old Hudson motorcar riddled with bullet holes from an almost-forgotten shoot-out with diamond smugglers, viewpoints with extraordinary vistas, springbok on the plains and, if lucky, klipspringer poised on the rocky slopes. Further afield, visit the wild horses at the Garub waterhole, 20km to the west, and the old diamond mining town of Kolmanskop and Lüderitz, 100km onwards. Return in the late afternoon to Klein Aus peace. Relax on the upstairs wooden deck, around the fireplace in the cosy lounge or at the Wild Horse bar until you cannot resist the enticing supper aromas any longer. Outside the sky will be alight with streaks of sunset colour until the twinkling stars and moon appear. And with them lie the promise of a good night's sleep and the anticipation of a new day.

#### **AVAILABLE SERVICES**

• Credit Card: Visa, Master

#### **PROPERTY FACILITIES**

- 30 Rooms (21 Twin bed, 3 double bed & 6 Four Bed Rooms)
- Campsite- 2 km away
- Restaurant- Desert Kitchen on site
- Bar
- Sundeck
- Swimming Pool
- 300 MB Free Wi-Fi at public areas and rooms
- Mobile Connectivity
- Secure Parking

## **ROOM AMENITIES**

- Lounge area
- Outside veranda
- Air-condition for heating and Cooling
- Ceiling Fans
- En-suite bathrooms with showers
- Safe
- Fridge
- Tea / Coffee Facilities



#### **MEALS**

Breakfast Light Lunch Menu Dinner (buffet) and à la Carte

## **ACTIVITIES**

DESCRIPTION	DEPARTURE	DURATION
Scenic Sunset Drive (guided, min 3 persons per excursion): These late afternoon drives present an opportunity to experience the incredible scenic beauty of the Gondwana Sperrgebiet Rand Park at dusk.	afternoon	3 hours
Half Day Desert Tour (guided to Kubub, GSR Park, morning and afternoon departure, min 4 persons per excursion): Discover the delights and impressive scenery of the Succulent Karoo Desert.	Morning / Afternoon	Half day
Full Day Desert Tour (guided to Kubub, GSR Park, God's Window, min 4 persons per excursion): Discover the delights and impressive scenery of the Succulent Karoo Desert.	Morning	Full day
Hiking Trails / Mountain Bike Trails (unguided, 2-5 hrs): If you want to explore the flora and fauna of the Succulent Karoo desert on your own you have five different hiking trails to choose from. They are well marked and take you through the wildly romantic scenery of the Aus Mountains.	In your own time	2-5hrs
<b>Mountain Biking (un-guided):</b> There is a choice of different routes on well-marked trails, varying from 18km to 65km mostly single-track trails. Recommended for riders with intermediate skills. Rent dual suspension bikes	In your own time	Own time

# ATTRACTIONS IN AND IN CLOSE PROXIMITY OF THE GONDWANA SPERRGEBIET RAND PARK:

DESCRIPTION	DEPARTURE	DURATION
Day trip to Lüderitz and Kolmanskop (unguided): Lüderitz is just 120km away and the Ghost Town of Kolmanskop only 115km (tar road). Klein Aus Vista is the ideal starting point for a trip to both places. 20km from Aus, on the way to or back from Lüderitz, visit the Garub water hole where the wild horses and several other animals of the desert plains can be found. The Wild Horses of the Namib have roamed this harsh habitat since 1915 and are an experience one should not miss.	In your own time	Own time
Visiting hours Kolmanskop: Monday to Saturday: 8am-2pm, Sunday & Public Holiday: 8am-1pm Guided Tours: Monday to Saturday: 9:30am & 11am, Sunday & Public Holiday: 10am	In your own time	45-60min

# RESERVATIONS

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# **CHILD POLICY**

Children are most welcome at all our venues. Children up to 5 years old are free of charge; for children between the age of 6 and 13 years we charge 50 per cent of the B&B rate.

> **COORDINATES** S 26° 39.121 E 16° 14.608