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Hunting Rules – Mooipan and Zyferbult

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As an overall principle, Mooipan adheres and fully subscribes to the definition of “Responsible hunting” as follows:

- 1. The firearm that the hunter uses, must be legally owned and suitable for the species to be hunted;**
- 2. The hunting methods and techniques used by the hunter, must be legal and appropriate for the terrain and current conditions during the hunt and the species that is hunted;**
- 3. The hunter must have respect for the life of the animal by killing it as quickly and effectively as possible;**
- 4. The hunter must only kill what he/she can use or what is deemed necessary for conservation and/or game management in general; and**
- 5. The hunter must act as the custodian of the environment and his prey as if he/she was personally responsible for the well-being and conservation thereof.**

The following more specific rules and guidelines apply to hunting at Mooipan:

1. The Deposit is payable on making the reservation. If we do not receive a deposit the booking will be cancelled automatically. The deposit is not refundable in the event of cancellations.
2. The full balance of the account must be settled on the day of departure.
3. A hunter is defined as a person who, during the time of his/her visit to Mooipan, at any time walks through the veld with the intention of shooting, whether or not he/she is successful. Hunting fees are payable for the full period of the visit, regardless of the number of days actually engaged in hunting.
4. Daily fees and game prices are according to the price list supplied. A daily fee refers to an overnight fee and the total accommodation cost will be calculated according to the number of nights spent on the ranch.
5. No daily fees are payable for children of 12 years or younger.
6. Unless otherwise agreed with the farm management, the minimum number of hunters is 4, for a minimum period of 3 hunting days.



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7. Game not appearing on the list, may not be hunted. If game in this category is hunted by accident, an amount equal to the delivered replacement value thereof will be charged. The final decision and responsibility regarding species selection, gender and trophy quality rests with the hunter. A hunting guide is not a hunter and the judgment and responsibility regarding when to take a shot rests with the hunter.
8. If game is hunted from herds, hunters are requested to take reasonable precautions not to hit more than one animal. In order to avoid wounding animals, hunters are encouraged to use a broadside shoulder shot. Head and neck shots are discouraged because of the higher risk of wounding the animal.
9. Hunting is mostly done on foot, but under specific circumstances and with prior agreement from the owners/partners, hunting from hides and the use of vehicles to track animals will be allowed.
10. Bow hunting is not catered for on Mooipan.
11. The service of a professional hunter (PH) is available by prior arrangement. Unless you are an established hunter, we recommend that you consider using a PH – a lot can be learnt that way.
12. Hunting after sunset and at night is not allowed, unless it is under the direct supervision of the owners or a professional hunter designated by them. Any shot fired at an animal after sunset will be regarded as a hit and the full price of animal will be payable in full regardless of shot outcome. Hunters will, at all times, be accompanied by a hunting guide in the veld. The decision whether an animal has been hit lies with the hunting guide. Hunters must, if they question the guide's judgment or if the wounded animal's tracks are lost, mark the spot and call the farm foreman/chief hunting guide, Moses Mokoena.
13. Portable rifle rests for aiming purposes are available from Moses, and their use is encouraged where a natural rifle rest is not available. Guides cannot be expected to use their shoulders to rest the rifle on while firing.



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14. Wounded animals will be regarded as hunted and the full price is payable. The decision whether or not an animal has been wounded lies with the chief hunting guide, Moses Mokoena, but in the instance of an unresolved dispute, the matter can be referred to the owners. In the event of a wounded animal, the hunt will be interrupted and the animal tracked until found and relieved of further suffering.
15. Guides are also available to help loading and unloading game, skinning, basic meat processing and trophy preparation. However, hunters are encouraged to be involved in these activities themselves and to supervise. Clear instructions must be given beforehand regarding the skinning and preparation of trophies, shoulder mountings, flat skins, sawing of skulls, etc.
16. Although the owners will take all reasonable precautions to ensure that meat, skins and trophies leave the farm intact, they do not accept any responsibility for them. Hunters must make arrangements to personally remove their trophies and meat from the farm at the end of their visit. The owners/partners will not be responsible to transport skins or trophies.
17. No shots may be fired in the vicinity of the lodges and camps. Target shooting and clay-pigeon shooting should take place at the shooting range.
18. Sighting of firearms must be done at the suitably equipped shooting range. Shooting at trees is not allowed.
19. Hunting weapons must be chosen carefully in accordance with the abilities of the hunter and the type of game to be hunted. Small calibers such as 243 are discouraged for game larger than impala. A minimum caliber of .375 is recommended for eland and gemsbok.
20. Rules regarding firearm safety must be obeyed at all times. No hunting weapon with a round of ammunition in the chamber is allowed in or near the lodges or hunting vehicles. Before shooting at animals, the hunter must make sure of having identified the target positively and that the hunting guide or fellow hunters are not endangered by the planned shot. The barrel of the rifle may never be aimed towards a human, or towards animals at which the hunter is not planning to fire. Hunters must keep the rifle in the "safe" position at all times and until just prior to firing.



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21. Hunting by children under the age of 10 years is not allowed. Older children are permitted to hunt but must be accompanied by an adult who takes full responsibility for the child's actions. Children who hunt pay daily fees on the same basis as adults.
22. The supply of firewood is limited in the interest of general farm/nature conservation. Hunters are requested to use the wood supply sparingly.
23. The directors do not accept any responsibility for any damage or injuries that any visitors might sustain during a visit to Mooipan and Zyferbult. An indemnity form is required to be completed, signed upon arriving at the farm. In the event of such indemnity form not being signed upon the hunter arriving on the farm premises, Mooipan Properties will assume that such indemnity has indeed been agreed to by virtue of such arrival, and will not exempt a hunter from full responsibility for his actions while hunting.