

SHIRAZI BAY & FUNZI ISLAND'S SAND BANK DAY TRIP



Experience a tropical paradise where the warm clear waters of the Indian Ocean lap peacefully on to the most beautiful sandbank in Kenya.

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Day Trips | Camping | Accommodation | Event Gardens

Overview

Shirazi Bay is located on the ocean creek front near Shirazi village. It is 30-40 minutes drive from Ukunda/Diani, along the Lunga-Lunga highway, followed by a 5 minute turnoff to the property. Advance booking for all services is required.

On our grounds is the ruins of an ancient Islamic shrine dating back to 11th century AD when explorers from Shiraz in Persia came on shore. Finding an oasis of natural beauty and living amenities, they settled, naming the area Shirazi. Their influence over the centuries resulted in the Shirazi tribe who are today found in Kenya, Tanzania, Somalia, Mozambique and Comoros.

Funzi Island is a 15 minute boat ride from Shirazi. Its stunning sandbank comes up for several hours a day and has shallow pools within it that are safe for non-swimmers and children.

Visit to Shirazi Bay

Self service visit, use of swimming pool, dining facilities and kayaking for all ages.

Self Service Day Trips

Exclusive hire of a captained 8-seater motorized boat.

Trip	Price
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funzi Island's Sandbank Optional Sunshade + Cushions 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Onwards to Funzi Island 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Onwards to Ramisi River Estuary 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fishing/Exploring, Per Hour 	

Full Service Day Trip

Arrive at Shirazi Bay and enjoy the gardens and swimming pool before embarking by boat to Funzi Island's sandbank for a few hours swimming or lazing under the cushioned sunshade. Depending on the tidal patterns, lunch may be before or after.

Age	Trip + Ala Carte	Trip + Set Menu
Adults 18+		
Teens 13 - 18		
Children 4 - 12		
Toddlers 0 - 3		

The set menu lunch is served at Shirazi Bay while ala carte is from restaurants on Funzi Island. Menus will be shared prior.

Refreshments

Soft drinks (water, juice, sodas) are included. Feel free to bring your own alcoholic drinks. We will provide you with an iced cooler box for them.

What to bring

You will be wading in shallow water, so trousers and dresses are not recommended. Carry a hat, sandals and sunscreen.



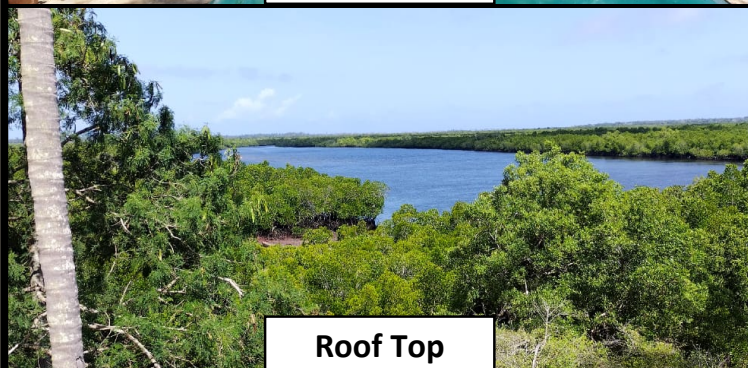
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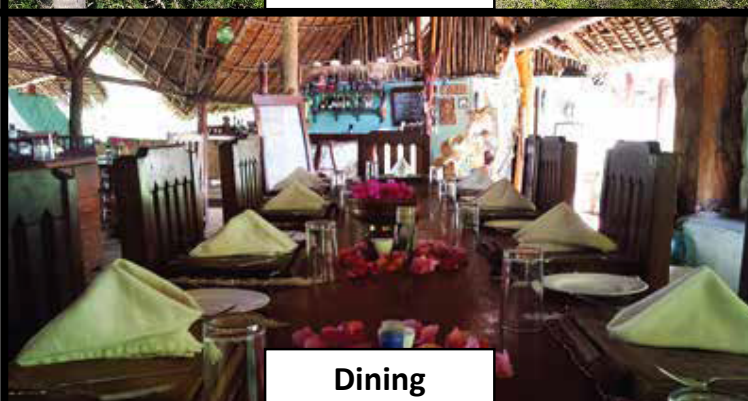
Villa



Grounds



Roof Top



Dining



Seafood



Ramisi River Boat Trip



Sandbank