

DUOM PALM

Duom palm is situated at Plot 31 in Watamu. From Malindi, go south to Gedi, turn left, past Timboni with the violet speedbumps and right on the main Watamu road. At the Krystall/ Croze sculpture turn left through the forest note No 1 baobab. Top of the hill at the nani sign turn right by the drunkard sculpture.

The house sits in original coastal forest with direct access to the sea, about a hundred metres unswept path down to one of the best and least populated beaches in Kenya. Duom Palm is by the Marine Park which contains wonderful coral gardens which are protected by a reef, therefore no sharks. Many species of coral fish can be seen if you snorkel or wear goggles as you swim. (You should get a parks pass if you go out to the reef)



Duom Palm contains three double bedrooms and several other places where guests can sleep. There is a living room, dining room, three bathrooms, a kitchen and sleepy verandah for outdoor relaxation. The pergola contains a hammock. The house, once derelict is continually being upgraded. Glass, murals and sculptures abound. The garden is now well developed; plants and trees are added all the time. (Please comment and make suggestions for further improvement, both aesthetically and for your comfort).

Remind staff to water should they forget whilst looking after you!



The house is managed by **Innocent** who also is your wonderful cook.



He will answer all your questions. Ben is the gardener.

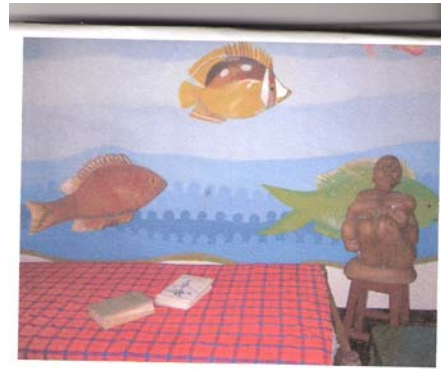
Taxi. On or before your arrival in Malindi you can contact Mr. Kariuki (0723-206814) who will take you to Plot 31. Cost is KES.1, 500/-. Make arrangements with him to collect you in time for your return flight.

Food is not provided. You can purchase all our supplies at either Mama Lucy or the Watamu Supermarket. Kariuki will stop at either or both on the way so that you can buy food, water, and other supplies. To replenish Innocent will order you a local taxi or stores will deliver.

Local fishermen bring fish, prawns, crab and lobster, fruit to the door and Innocent will advise on purchase.

Rates

Low Season KES 6,000/=, 1-6 people per night (approx. \$85) additional @ 200/= people
High season KES 9,000/= 1-6 people night (approx. \$130) additional @ 2000/= people



Services included in the above rates:

Laundry; preparation of breakfast, lunch and dinner (Please tipp Innocent KES 100/= per person per day).

Restaurants

Ocean Sport used to be the original Beach Pub, try their Sunday Lunch, but don't take dogs. Hemingways posh, Turtle bay (pizza Bar only) walk along the beach; Pilipan, a short walk across on the tarmac RD, open air looking across the Mida creek, (you take the pooch)

Activities

A glass - bottomed boat to view the coral reef and fish can be hired (phone :.....)
A dhow can take you up Mida Creek
Visit the Gedi Ruins, which includes the Kipepeo Butterfly Project
Walk in the Arabuko Sukoko Forest guided walks every Sat am. Call Nature Kenya.
There is Turtle Watch and we have nesting sites at the beach.

Mission:

The mission of Duom Palm is to offer comfortably peaceful accommodation in a creative and diverse environment while conserving and enhancing the beauty of the forest and the shore.

We try to encourage recycling for which Kitengela Glass is well known
Feel free to purchase any glass items offered for sale. And visit the Studios at Nairobi