



NEWSLETTER

With OppiPanne only 8 weeks away, we wanted to ensure that you guys are up to date with all planning, arrangements and have sufficient information to make informed decisions.

The festival format will work as follows :

Thursday 8 Aug : The festival area will open at 15:00, all tents (Beer, wine & Gin) will be open, alongside the two restaurants, coffee shop, activities and all other suppliers.

From 17:00 there will be a massive beer tent music evening, hiding a few surprises... The bar and festival area closes at 00:00

Friday 9 Aug : The festival area will be open from 08:00 for breakfast, coffee and activities. The music will start early (around 10:30), with a wide range of music shows, highlighted by **Deon Meiring, Tasché, Zaan Sonnekus, Steve Umculo, Corrazerwas, Die Heuwels Fantasties** and many more..

Saturday 10 Aug : A full last day kicks off at 07:00 in the beer tent with the Springboks vs Aus on the big screen, followed by the local marimbas, consisting of school kids from the greater MAUN area. Music shows in the beer tent will continue until 14:30, before moving to the Main stage at 16:30 for the final evening, highlighted by Liza Nel, Herman Kleinhans, Die Piesagskille, Ricus Nel and Juan Boucher.

The party will continue in the beer tent until 00:00.

TICKETS :

Please ensure that you print each ticket, to be scanned at the festival entrance to get your matching wristband for your festival entry.


No one will be allowed in the festival area without their wristband.

*A festival ticket includes self camping in the allocated camping area





IMPORTANT INFORMATION



SELF CAMPING : Each ticket holder is entitled to self camp in the allocated camping area (don't stress, it is a massive demarcated area).

- The festival provides an ablution (**toilets and hot showers**) facility, allocated in a centralised area.
- Please consider other guests and the environment by taking short showers, **once a day**. *Remember we have to remove all water and waste from the festival zone.
- *Please don't NO2 in the field area around your own camp...*
- All solar solutions for electricity will be welcomed, but we regret that no generators are allowed, noise and environmental impact being the restrictions.
- **PLEASE** bring a braai or ground plate for fires, each camp area needs to be in the same condition when you depart.
- Don't leave your surplus wood, broken equipment or rubbish behind.
- Please consider other guests with noise

BIKES & E- BIKES



No bikes will be allowed at the festival this year (this includes festival management), the additional dust and safety concern is to much of a liability to the outcome of the festival.

The local **POLICE** will be in control of this.

DIRECTIONS:

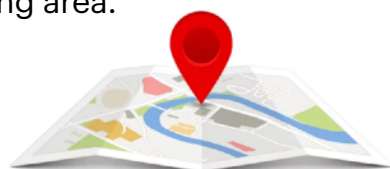
The festival is located approximately 29km South West of Nata.

From Nata, head West on the A3 to Maun, 10km outside Nata, you will see an OPPIPANNE turnoff, heading South. There will be direction boards placed along the 19km two-track all the way to the festival.

1km from the festival there will be a gate to check and scan your tickets (for your wrist bands) and will direct you to the self camping area.

**Other alternative routes have been closed.*

GPS - 20,29919° S, 26,04900° E





GENERAL INFORMATION



WHATSAPP GROUP: Please join the whats app community **HERE** to stay on top of regular updates and info coming in the following weeks.



WOOD : There will be a wood station allocated in NATA town, it will be close to the Engen garage, where the local community will also sell curios and arts & crafts.



ICE & WATER : At the festival area, there will be an ice vendor, open from 15:00 on Thursday. Drinking water will also be available at the festival area.



MEAT : The meat vendor will also be located in the festival area and available from Thursday 15:00

Please see info for pre-orders on the menu.

**South African guests, please remember that you can't bring your own meat through the border.*

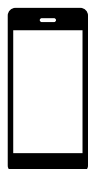


**Bull & Camp
Prys Lys**

Besoek ons OppiPanne Stalletjie vir biltong, droewors & Chilll bites

RUMP	500 G	P 100
SIRLOIN	500 G	P 80
RIBEYE	500 G	P 80
BOEREWORS	1 KG	P 100
MINCE	1 KG	P 90
ONTBYT WORS	500 G	P 60
PATTIES	4 x 180 G	P 70

Slegs op bestelling beskikbaar
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WIFI & Cellphone reception : There will be no WIFI available as no system can accommodate 2500+ guests without congestion and crashing.

We advise all guests to get a MASCOM simcard on their way to the festival, Palapye & Francistown are best located to stop.

**Mascom is the only network that has 4G at the festival*



Medical : As with previous years, we will have medical staff stationed at the festival area, but guests are advised to bring a MEDICAL kit along with essential medicine. Check with your medical aid about cross cover, alternatively please look at <http://www.okavangorescue.com/patronage.php> for a cover option.

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HELICOPTER RIDES : As with previous years, you will be able to PRE-book your helicopter flip to ensure you get the time slot you prefer. They will be operational from Thursday 16:00 to Sunday 09:00

Please contact Helicopter Horizons : safaris@helicopterhorizons.com



FOOD VENDORS : This year we will have Spur and RocoMamas as the two anchor restaurants, providing breakfast, lunch and dinner options.



SPUR
STEAK RANCHES

The **main bar** will supply all your beer and cider needs, along with brandy, rum, soft drinks and various other options.

Two **specialised bars** will be Simonsvlei wine and Okavango Gin.



2024 ARTISTS



**RICUS NEL | DIE PIESANGSKILLE | TASCHÈ | PEDRO BARBOSA | ZAAAN SONNEKUS
JUAN BOUCHER | DIE HEUWELS FANTASTIES | HERMAN KLEINHANS**

DEON MEIRIING | RYNO VELVET | STEVE UMCULO | THE KICKSTANDS | LIZA NEL | CORRAZERWAS | TANNER WAREHAM



CAMPING CHAIRS :

Please remember your camping chairs for the shows on the MainStage, there will be a lot of seating available in and around the bar tents, but camping chairs can help you create your own group area in one of the many shaded areas.



BORDER POSTS :

The favoured Border Posts in the past years has been Stock Poort and Martin's Drift, please keep in mind that Stock Poort Is a non-commercial border post, so you won't have trucks present there.



**DZOMBO
FUELS**

Remember to go past Dzombo Fuel station in Ellisras for an OppiPanne goodie bag, amazing lunch- and snack options, cheaper fuel and an OppiPanne Merch shop.



OWN AIRCRAFT :

Guests flying into the festival, please join the OppiPanne Flights WHATSAPP GROUP :

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/CsZPY6m7TemHLMblQcgHwk>

NEXT NEWSLETTER

In the weeks following this newsletter, we will share another document with additional information and special info highlighting :

- **Payment systems at the festival**
- **A detailed site- and directions map**
- **Final arrival details for people flying in with their own aircrafts**
- **Available merch for sale**
- **Program for the shows at the festival**



NOTICE



**NO WEAPONS
ALLOWED**

This notice serves as a warning:
festival goers attend the festival at their own risk.

Any injuries, theft or damage will be the
liability of the festival-goer him- / herself.



NO PETS ALLOWED

The organisers, service providers and workers
are indemnified of this.



**NO DRUGS
ALLOWED**

Please act responsibly and look after each other, we
are far from civilisation and extra medical help.



**OWN DRINKS
NOT ALLOWED**



**BEWARE OF
WILD ANIMALS**

Please note that the area is open with wild animals
that move freely here, especially lions and elephants.



**DRINK A LOT OF
WATER**