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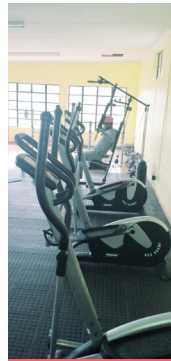
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MAYOR'S MESSAGE



Greeting to all our residents, domestic and global tourists under this year's theme "We do tourism sustainably".

I welcome u to Umzimvubu LM. Our vision moving to limitless possibilities is striving to ensure that our towns consisting of emaXesibeni (formerly Mount Ayliff) and kwaBhaca (formerly Mount Frere) become the preferred tourist destination

Enjoy the visitors guide for 2017/2018 which is meant to guide you while enjoying our towns

This is meant to cater for business and leisure tourist

Wamkelekile eMzimvubu

Hon. Mayor
Councilor P.B Mabengu



UMZIMVUBU @ A GLANCE

Umzimvubu LM is 1 of 4 Local municipalities that forms the Alfred Nzo District Municipality in the Eastern Cape.

The Municipality has a land area of 2506 square kilometres and Population of just over 220 000 people. It has 27 wards; 16 in kwaBhaca and 11 in emaXesibeni.

Umzimvubu is a prime destination to those who seek sight to heritage and historical battle sites, natural fauna and flora or breath-taking landscapes.

Play with the snow in winter and hike the natural trails including caves and waterfalls.

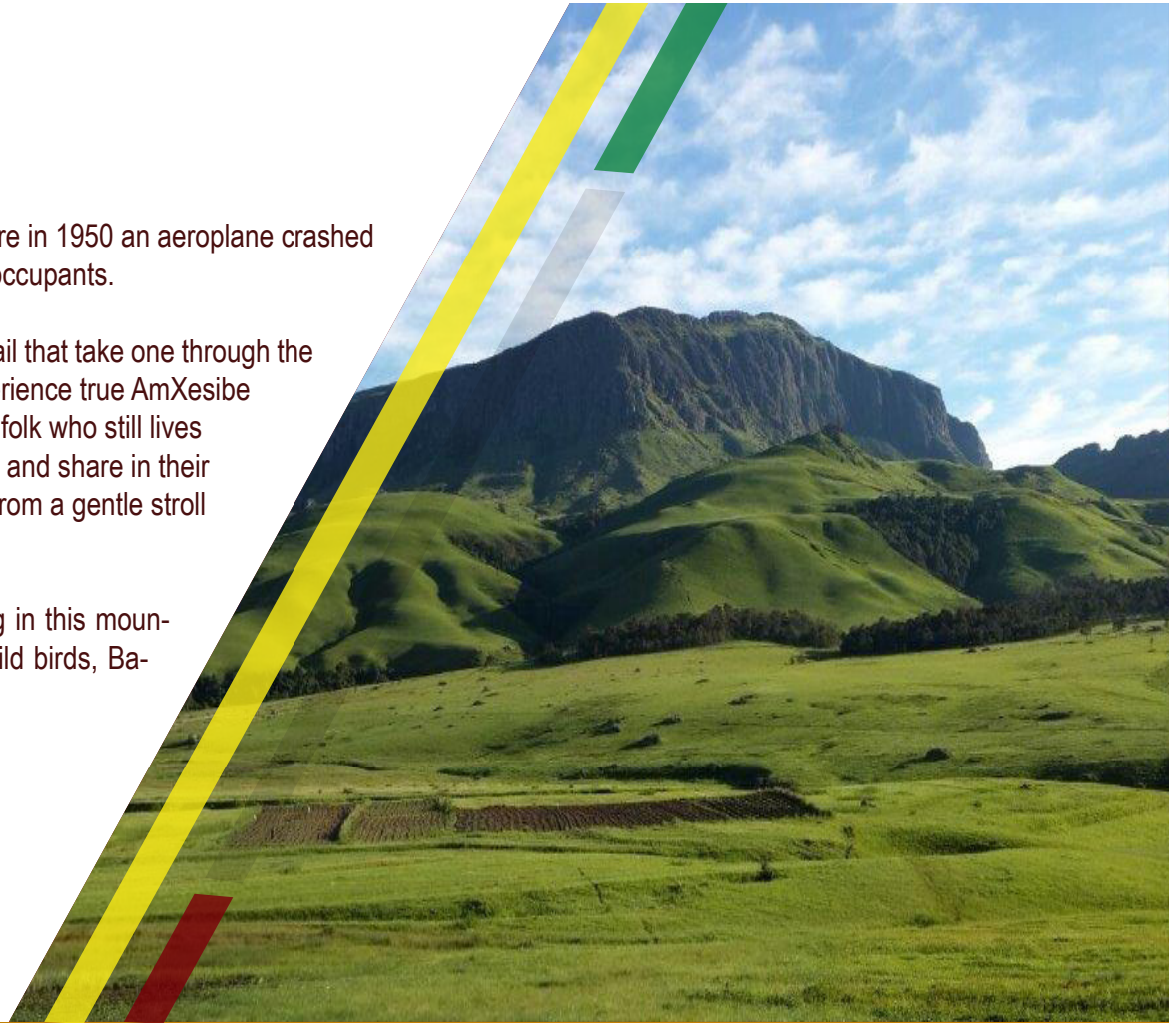
Umzimvubu has a very unique language set, arts, tradition and customs from amaXesibe, amaBhaca amaMpondo and amaHlubi that a predominant in the municipal jurisdiction.

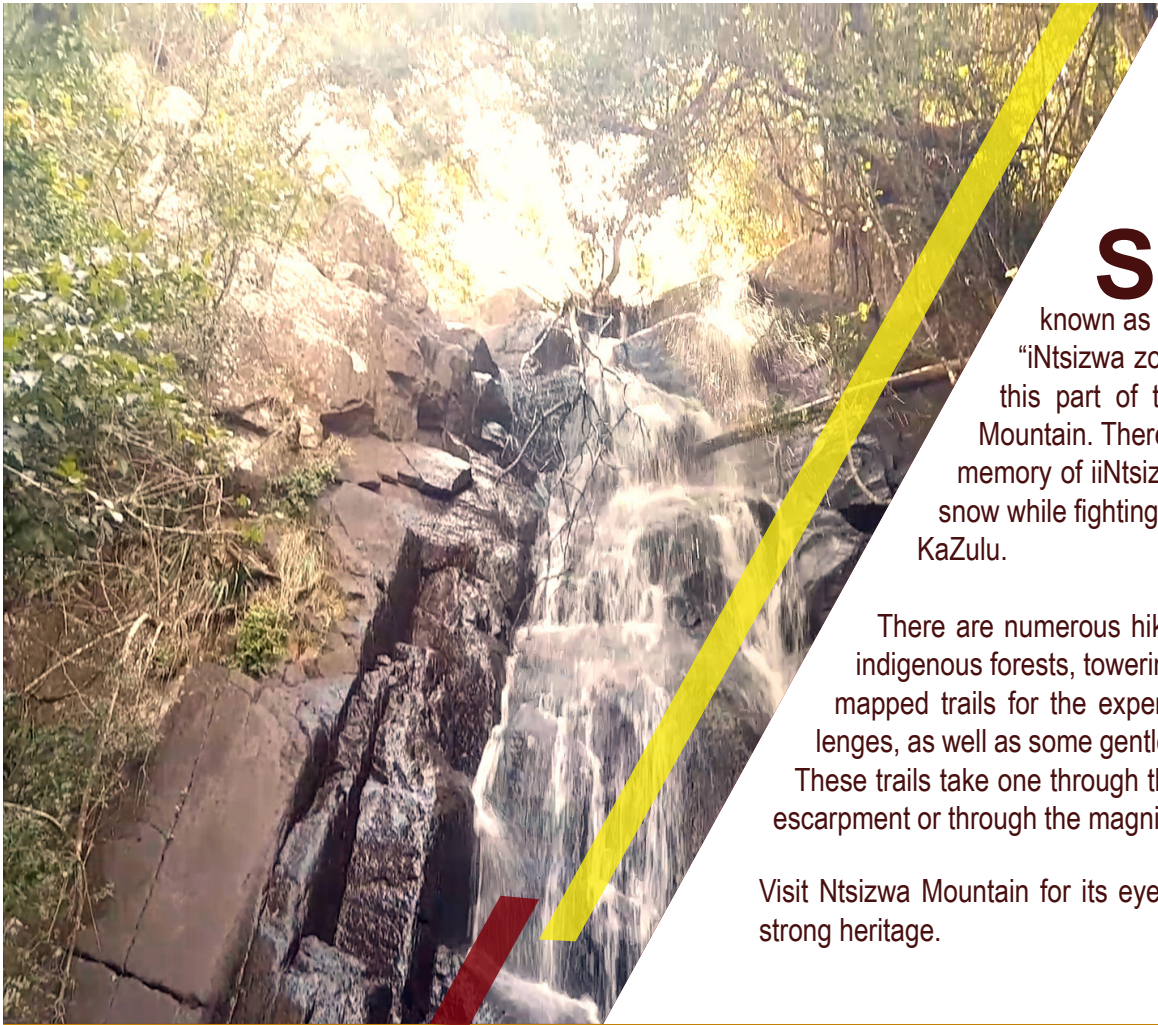
INGELE MOUNTAIN

INGELE Mountain is where in 1950 an aeroplane crashed on its peak killing all its occupants.

The mountain has hiking trail that take one through the village where you can experience true AmXesibe culture, meet with the rural folk who still lives according to their traditions and share in their daily lives. The hikes vary from a gentle stroll to a daunting trail to climb.

You can also enjoy hunting in this mountain. Species found are wild birds, Baboons and springboks





NTSIZWA MOUNTAIN

Shaka's Army was defeated on these mountains, formally known as Nunge mountain Range, "iNtsizwa zomkhosi ka Shaka" fell there; this part of the range became INtsizwa Mountain. There is a monument built in memory of iiNtsizwa who died because of the snow while fighting with King Madzikane KaZulu.

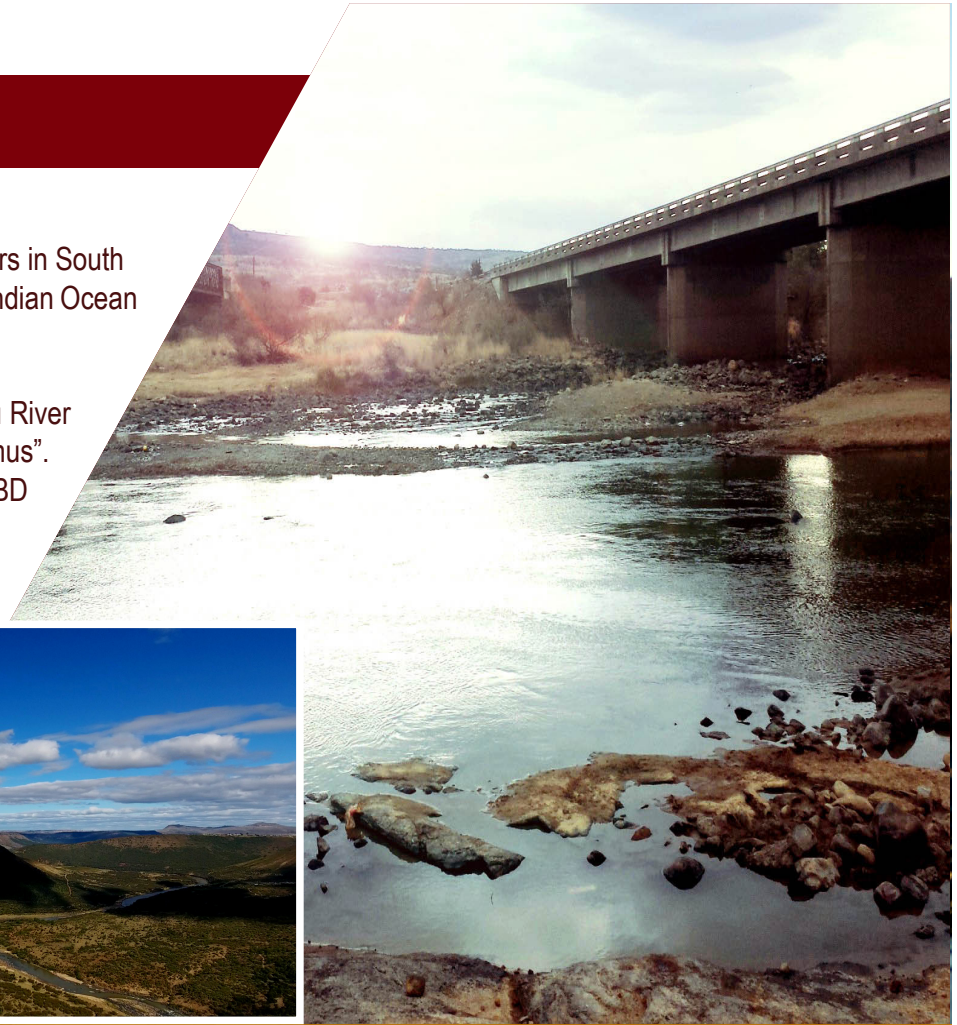
There are numerous hiking trails to explore through indigenous forests, towering waterfalls and there at are mapped trails for the experience biker with great challenges, as well as some gentle rides for the inexperienced. These trails take one through the forest, up on to grassland escarpment or through the magnificent tree plantation.

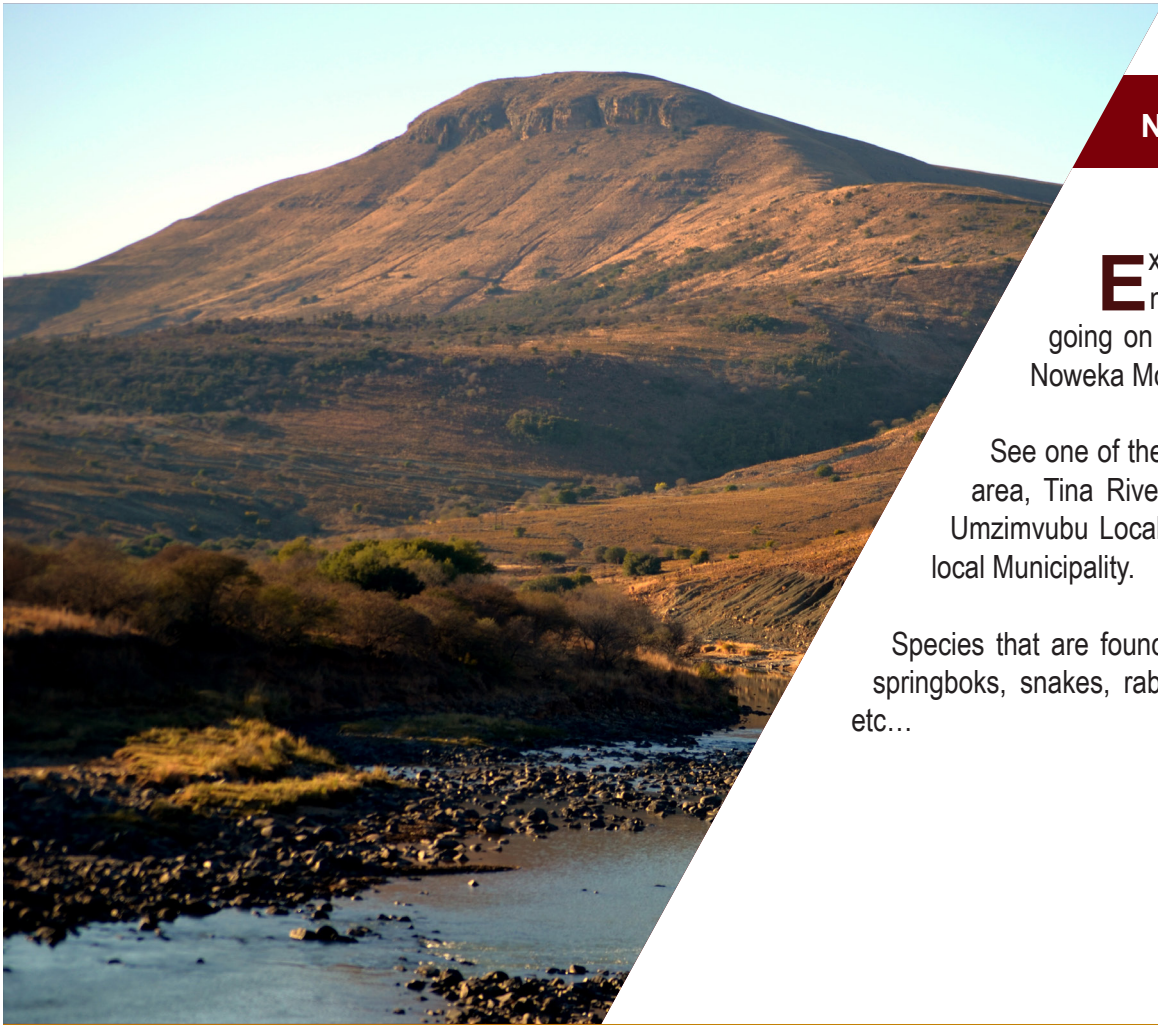
Visit Ntsizwa Mountain for its eye catching attractions and its strong heritage.

UMZIMVUBU RIVER

Umzimvubu River is one of the biggest rivers in South Africa, flowing for about 400 KM into the Indian Ocean in Port St Johns.

Its catchment area is 19, 853 KM. Umzimvubu River in isiXhosa means “home of the hippopotamus”. The River is just 15 KM away from Mt Frere CBD and 30 KM from Mt Ayliff CBD





NOWEKA MOUNTAIN

Experience the beauty of nature in these mountains by going on a spectacular horse ride on Noweka Mountain.

See one of the most beautiful Rivers in the area, Tina River that is in the boundary of Umzimvubu Local Municipality and Umhlontlo local Municipality.

Species that are found in this mountain are birds, springboks, snakes, rabbits, Imbila (Clips Springer) etc...

NTENETYANA DAM

Ntenetyana Dam is a wide dam in Ntenetyana Village and is a sole water supplier to Mount Frere Town.

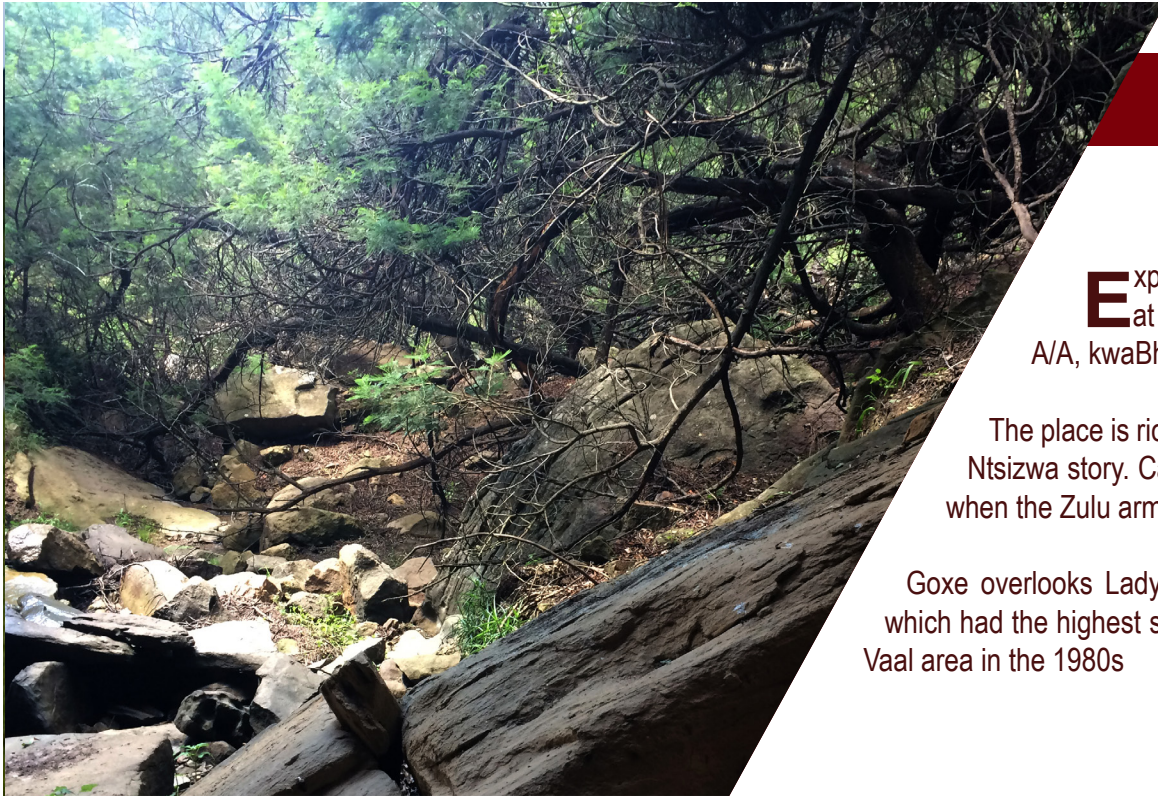
It is surrounded by Mpola Village, Godola Village, if its relaxation you need then this place would be ideal for you,. you can dine al fresco, fish or relax in your small boat in this beautiful dam.

There are exciting plans to develop the dam by adding accomodation and other tourist facilities

For more information contact the LED office at Umzimvubu Local Municipality.
039 255 8500

3D MODEL NTENETYANA DAM





GOXE CAVE

Explore the bushman caves
at Goxe location in Ngwetsheni
A/A, kwaBhaca.

The place is rich in history as it is tied to the Ntsizwa story. Cattle were hidden in the area when the Zulu army was attacking amaBhaca.

Goxe overlooks Lady Kok Mountain, a mountain which had the highest seismic activity outside of the Vaal area in the 1980s



EMAXESIBENI TOURISM AND ART CENTRE

Emaxesibeni tourism & art centre is an is a tourist information centre on the N2 between emaXesibeni and Kokstad.

At the centre you can experience anything from local arts and craft such as beadwork, weaving, sewing and pottery to traditional dancing as well as experiencing local cuisine.

The centre is also the home to the Umzimvubu tourism festival held annually in September.

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MSUKENI COMMUNITY CENTRE

Msukeni Community Centre is predominantly a craft centre situated along the N2 midway between emaXesibeni and Kokstad.

The centre boasts a variety of crafters specialising in beadwork, traditional and also has a fully equipped conference centre with its own kitchen and break away rooms. The conference is also for weddings and other similar functions.

Catering is also provided on request by local entrepreneurs

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LISOMMA LODGE

This Luxurious lodge is in the heart of AmaXesibe, boasting with exceptional service and unrivalled facilities, Lisomma lodge is ideally located few minutes from the CBD. We offer relaxation, stylishness, equanimity and privacy. It is our commitment to complement our establishment with friendly and efficient service.

We have 10 modern rooms fully equipped with DSTV and tea facility. Don't miss out on our beautiful view of Ntsizwa and Simakamaka mountains, with a beautiful blanket of snow in winter and whispering waterfalls in summer.

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DENIPEL LODGE

This gorgeous looking Bed and Breakfast is excellently located on the backdrop of the Simakamaka Mountain, just few minutes away from eMaXesibeni CBD.

We are a 3 star B&B offering guests a unique blend of graceful hospitality.

Our friendly staff will make you feel at home and provide you with the best services.

We provide comfort and peace and cater to all tastes and expectations. We have 12 rooms that are individually designed with soft furnishings in warm colours and luxurious bathtubs and/showers.

Contact : Mrs P. Giwu
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EYETHU BED & BREAKFAST

We are conveniently located in the middle of eMaXesibeni CBD, with walking distance to many amenities.

We offer 6 luxurious suites with a view of beautiful mountains of eMaXesibeni. We have DSTV/satellite television, secure parking, tea facilities and a beautiful garden.

Contact : Mrs Menyo
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083 703 9403



EMAXESIBENI TRADING FACILITY

TOMBSTONE & HIRING SERVICE

Contact : LM Mqokoyi
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GAS FILLING STATION

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RAFKHAT

Contact : Nyameka Ntonga
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LINT'S FOOD BAKERY

Contact : Lindile Mphephanduku
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PANEL BEATING

Contact : Jabangqa Giwu
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INTERNET CAFE NDAMSE

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BUTCHERY

Contact :
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AMABHACA CRAFT CENTRE AND B&B

AmaBhaca Craft Centre is situated just outside of kwaBhaca next to the newly built King Madzikane kaZulu Memorial Hospital. The centre is the home to crafters who produce various products.

This centre has distinguished itself for its pottery, bead work, grass products and the quality standoff the produce is of a high level.

Some of the services in this centre is an elegant B&B, Restaurant, Conference Centre and also serve as Tourist Information Centre for ULM.

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AFRIZONA GUEST HOUSE

Afrizona Guest house is one of kwaBhaca's Guest Houses with style and a 'cozy' atmosphere, perfect for people who want to have a sense of peacefulness and tranquillity. The establishment has 30 rooms that vary in size and setting, also has very spacious rondavels (African-style hut).

The Guest House has a conference hall that accommodates up to 300 people. Stylish dining area serves full English breakfast from 07H00 till 09H00 daily. Dinner is also available on request. We have complimentary coffee and tea in all bedrooms. Laundry is available on request.

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2ND WORLD B&B

We are ideally situated with in easy access of the kwaBhaca CBD. Our beautiful tiled en-suite bathrooms are equipped with glass door shower. All rooms have DSTV, tea/coffee making facilities and built-in wardrobes. Our rooms offer the best privacy in town, each room has its own entrance. Children are welcome in this spacious and comfortable home.

You are guaranteed to experience the peaceful atmosphere which is enchanted by our fine reputation for hospitality and exceptional cuisine.

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BCN MAKAULA HOTEL

Location is everything; BCN Makaula is situated just at the right place of town.

You can walk to every amenity offered by kwaBhaca. With 24 rooms including 3 family rooms, this hotel provides a stylish haven after the exciting hustle and bustle in and around town. We offer fully equipped conference facilities to a maximum of 80 delegates, catering service available based on your special requirements.

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BCN Makaula
Hotel

Tel: 039 255 1081

ENDULINI GUEST HOUSE



Endulini Guesthouse is a new accommodation establishment in kwaBhaca. We strive to set new standards in this town and provide accommodation of the highest standard. Our main priority is comfort, cleanliness, and outstanding service.

Step into our guesthouse and you step into a bygone era of friendly charm and hospitality.

We have 8 bedrooms and 3 self-catering units (11 in total).

All units are ensuite and have DSTV. We serve buffet breakfast and dinner every day, lunch is available on request.

Additional service include laundry, venue hire, and catering for events.

Guest return to our guest house time and time again, due to the warm South African Hospitality, friendly staff and great locality.

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ILITHA GUEST HOUSE

Our Guest House consists of 19 rooms, 9 double rooms each tastefully decorated in their own, unique style. All the rooms are ensuite. We also offer DSTV, a common lounge with a fire place, a conference room that can accommodate 20-25 people.

One of our many highlights is, in 2008 we accommodated the former President of the Country President Thabo Mbeki and Ministers for presidential Imbizo on 12-14 September. "Excellent Service" is our other name.

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IMVELO GUEST HOUSE

Imvelo guest house is conveniently located along the N2 in Mjila Location and is about 15 KM from kwaBhaca and 30 KM from emaXesibeni. We offer comfortable and stylish service. We have 7 bedrooms with ensuite bathrooms. Just off the leaving area, there is a dining room for guests to be treated to a magnificent breakfast. Lunch and Dinner is available on request.

Our Conference room which can accommodate up to 40 delegates boasts of all necessary requirement such as overhead projectors, flip charts and our efficient and skilled staff will be nearby to meet your every needs. We also offer catering services to gatherings and functions. We have a licensed bar on the premises, tastefully furnished to ensure your pleasant stay.

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INDWE B&B

We have 20 guest rooms. We have a reputation of attracting our visitors back due to the standard of our service and the homely atmosphere at Indwe.

For your convenience and privacy all rooms are ensuite, conference facility for 30 guests.



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TAPI RIVER LODGE

Tapi River lodge offers a comfortable, relaxed and stylish accommodation. We are conveniently situated off the N2, 10 KM from kwaBhaca CBD, and we are right at the famous Umzimvubu River. We have 14 ensuite rooms and the executive rooms are in a great spot to kick back with a cocktail and take in the Umzimvubu River view.

Our premises are secured and guarded by a 24 hour security guard. We look forward to having you at our haven. "It is not just a service that we offer, but also a piece of our life.

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TATENDA B&B

This elegant guesthouse is situated along the N2 highway in the town of kwaBhaca overlooking the town's craft shop, King Madzikane ka Zulu's grave (the Bhaca nation's founder) and the ultra-modern King Madzikane ka Zulu memorial hospital.



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NTSIZWA COMMUNITY PARK



MAXESIBENI LITTLE PARK



NTSIZWA COMMUNITY PARK

SERVICES RENDERED

GYMNASIUM
TENNIS COURT
SWIMMING POOL
WEDDING & CONFERENCE FACILITIES
BMX TRAILS

Contact : Lindile Dina (LED)
Tel : 039 255 8500



LITTLE RIVER PARK

SERVICES RENDERED

OUTDOOR GYM
PARTY HOSTING
KIDS ENTERTAINMENT
WEDDING VENUE
PICNICS

For all your bookings, contact
ULM Community Services
Department

Contact : Babalwa Dlangisa
Tel : 039 255 8500



UMZIMVUBU COMMERCIAL NURSERY

Spoil your loved ones and buy flowers, delivery is available to your door step.

Seedlings are also Available

Contact : Mr S Mcokombeli
Tel : 039 255 8500





ANNUAL EVENTS

FASHION SHOW

- FEBRUARY

AGRICULTURAL SHOW

- MARCH

CARREER EXPO

- MARCH

MAYORAL IMBIZO

- MAY

**ENTREPRENEURSHIP
AWARDS**

- JUNE

RATEPAYERS AWARDS

- JUNE

TOURISM FESTIVAL

- SEPTEMBER

CULTURAL FESTIVAL

- DECEMBER

CULTURAL TOURISM



SPORTS TOURISM



FASHION TOURISM

This event is held every year in February to showcase local designers

for further information contact ULM LED Department



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