



# PRIVATE RESERVE

Heli Flying at Leobo





At Leobo, we spoil our guests and we encourage them to truly enjoy themselves without limits. For the ultimate high, all bookings at the Observatory will include 30 mins per day use of our Robinson R 44 helicopter with pilot.

## Helicopter Activities

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### Heli Fishing

**Min flying: 1 hr**

With 8Km of river, you can enjoy flying up the river to untouched fishing territory in – a true ‘Gone Fishing’ feel. We can drop you in to dramatic canyons where you can fish parts of the Palala River that haven’t been fished in hundreds of years; where large yellow fish and river bass are commonly caught.

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### Scenic Flights

**Min flying: 30 mins**

If you want to take it up a notch, buckle up in the helicopter and be flown around at low level over the reserve in search of our shy herd of buffalo or spotting plains game from the air. You’ll get the opportunity to see some extraordinary sights from this spectacular vantage point. Our favourite is following the river up through the gorge, climbing the mountain, and landing on the top for a sundowner. For special occasions, we love throwing a surprise party on the River Beach and landing there dramatically in the helicopter.

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### Heli-paintballing

**R 50 000 per session**

Taking paintballing to the next level, these games are fought by combatants dangling out of a helicopter whilst their targets career around the reserve on quad bikes. Shooters take aim to fire as the helicopter swoops over the tips of the tree tops to bring them closer to their targets. This guarantees the ultimate paintball experience – this is absolutely the most fun you can have!

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### Heli-kayaking

**Min flying: 30 mins**

Leobo is blessed with an 8km stretch of Palala River, beautiful scenery, and a climate made for the outdoors enthusiast, so if you're looking for action of the paddling variety, you're in for a treat. There are long, slow deep parts interspersed by rapids and depending on the rain, river levels may be high enough to get some good white water in some of the sections.

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### Heli-picnic

**Min flying: 30 mins**

There are so many beautiful places on the reserve only accessible by helicopter. Take a picnic to a remote spot along the 8km of river or fly to the top of a mountain for a sundowner.

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**Heli Sundowners**

**Min flying: 30 mins**

In Africa, sundowners hold a special place, not simply a term or a drink, but a ritual. This rite of passage is a marking of the transition from day to night – and it’s a must-do if you’re visiting Leobo! End the perfect African day enraptured by the magic of Limpopo with a sensational sundowner on top of the flat topped Tafelkop mountain. Soak in the breath taking views over the lush Palala Valley, our very own canopy over Africa!

**Heli Shopping**

**Min flying: 1 hr**

For those of you wishing to spend the day pampering and shopping, you are an hour’s flight from Johannesburg’s top shopping centres and malls. There is a wonderful range of local and global shops together with great day spas.

**Prices for Additional Flying Hours**

<b>Robinson R-44 (seats 2 pax)</b> - Helicopter based at Leobo	(30 mins)	R 7 500
	(1 hr)	R 15 000
<b>RXX-AS-350 B2 5 (seats 5 pax)**</b> - Helicopter based near Johannesburg	(30 mins)	R 15 000
	(1 hr)	R 30 000

\*\* The RXX-AS-350 Helicopter is based at Grand Central Airport, near Johannesburg. Guests will be charged for dead legs where appropriate – i.e. when transferring to the reserve, the return leg will be empty but still charged. Ground handling fees apply at OR Tambo International at R1000 per person each way.

We can also make a 6 seater Helicopter available on request

