



# INTAKA ISLAND EDUCATIONAL BIRTHDAY PARTIES



Mom and dad bring the kids along to celebrate their birthday soaking up the sights and sounds of nature! Set up your party in our Lapa at the heart of Intaka Island and let our guides take the little ones to explore the Island and canals of Century City.



## What does a birthday party include?

You will be given exclusive use of the Educational Lapa for the duration of the birthday party. We are happy if you want to decorate the venue a little – but please keep in mind we are a nature reserve! In the Lapa you can entertain all the mums and dads, whilst our field ranger takes the children on their activity of your choice. You are welcome to bring your own party packs, cake etc – but should you require a bit of help, we will put you in contact with our catering team.

The order in which you do the activities can vary according to your preferences, but we found the following format most popular:

- Parents arrive and set up
- Intaka reception directs guests to Lapa
- Welcome and activity
- Cake and presents time!
- Boat Ride (optional)



These options take approximately 1.5hrs and all adults are welcome to enjoy the Lapa.

What do the activities involve?

Component	Content
Treasure hunt	With the help of a map, children will be required to collect peices of a puzzle hidden around the Island. Once the puzzle has been successfully completed, the will find the hidden treasure. (treasure will need to be provided by yourselves)
Island tour	Our experienced rangers will take the children on a journey around the island sharing its stories and pointing out all the key plants and animals.
Bird watching	Our experienced rangers will introduce the children to perhaps their first bird watching experience. This will include taking them around and going over the basics of bird identification.
Boat ride (optional at an additional cost of R30 p/child)	This activity takes the children onto the canals of Century City and a journey around Intaka island on one of our ferries. These ferries are covered so is rain and busy child resistant! We have an extra staff member on board to assist with learners and two adults of the party group can join free of charge. Should you feel more comfortable with lifejack ets – these can be found under the seats of the boat. Our skippers will gladly assist!



## How much does it cost?

A basic fee of R600 that includes the Lapa and free access to all parents. Please note additional entertainment such as face painters, clowns, etc. will need to be organised by yourselves.

A maximum of 40 guests in total are allowed.



## What happens if it rains?

Intaka Island is an outdoor adventure – and adventure doesn't stop for some bad weather! If on the big day the weather is exceptionally bad, we may opt to postpone to another day, but there is ample shelter and activities can be adjusted to minimise playing the rain. Should you however chose to cancel, our usual cancellation policy applies.





## How do I make a booking?

- 1) Make sure you have read the Terms and Conditions below – as this contains important information for you and your event
- 2) Call Melissa our administrator on 021 552 6889. Alternatively you can email her on [Melissa@intaka.co.za](mailto:Melissa@intaka.co.za) with the information below and she will be in contact with you:  
Name and contact details  
Date and time that you would prefer  
Age and number of children
- 3) You will be issued with a quotation and completed booking form – please sign and return immediately and we will provisionally book the date for 7 days.
- 4) Hereafter you will be issued with an invoice and a 50% deposit is required to secure your booking.
- 5) Full payment is required on or before the day of the event.



## What happens if I need to cancel my booking?

Please notify the Administrator immediately and take note of the following:

- If you cancel 14 days before the event you will be refunded all payments received
- If the cancellation falls within 14 days of the event you will not be required to pay the full amount, but will forfeit the 50% deposit.
- If the cancellation takes place within 7 days of the event you will still be required to pay the full amount.



## The nitty gritty (terms and conditions)

- If you chose to decorate the venue, management reserves the right to prohibit any décor that it deems a risk to the natural ecosystem. If unsure do not hesitate to contact us and clarify.
- Décor and food may be delivered to Intaka and stored overnight on the day before the event.
- During setup there may be some public in the area, but we shall ensure exclusive use of the Lapa 30 minutes prior to the event.
- Intaka will do basic clean and set up before and after, we request that you conduct a basic clean up after the event and leave all rubbish in the bins provided.
- At all times keep conservation principles in mind
- The Lapa and Intaka Island is a non-smoking facility.
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Supervision of the children remains the responsibility of the host parents at all times, except for the designated activities undertaken by the Intaka Field Rangers.

- Intaka Island do possess a second launch boat – but this boat is not for hire as it will ensure that our regular ferry ride operations continue to the general public.
- The function holder will be responsible and liable for any damage or loss caused to the venue and its surrounds during the hire of the venue, which includes all sub-contractors hired for the function.
- Management has the right to impose any terms and conditions in addition to those contained herein, as it deems necessary, in order to ensure inter alia of the rights of other visitors to Intaka Island and neighbours of Intaka Island are respected.
- Use of music is limited and subject to management approval

