

Red Earth Kabini

As close to silence as you can get



About **Us**

Driven by a passion for responsible tourism, Red Earth Kabini is a charming resort nestled on the shores of the Kabini backwaters, close to the Nagarhole National Park.

We are a pet-friendly resort, open to all our four-legged friends.



Nagarhole **National Park**

The Kabini river divides 2 major wildlife reserves, Nagarhole and Bandipur.

These are connected to the Mudumallai forests in Tamil Nadu and Wayanad Wildlife Reserve in Kerala, creating a contiguous forest belt of 6,500sq km.

Nagarhole National Park is one of the few forest reserves that remain open even during the monsoon season.



Nagarhole **National Park**

Perennial water bodies and numerous species of bamboo attract elephants to Kabini.

Their dung attracts insects, birds, and small animals which in turn attracts the big cats.

The well protected forests of Kabini has tigers, leopards and black panthers and is one of the few forests where abundant feed leads to an overlap of the territory of the big cats.



Nagarhole **National Park**

Other Animal Sightings

Indian Gaur, Bear, Peacock, Sambar, Spotted Deer, Malabar Squirrel, Crocodile, Barking Deer.

Birds

The 250 different species of birds at Kabini include both migratory and native birds - Great Black Woodpecker, Indian Pitta, Green Imperial Pigeon, Hornbill, Peacock, Woodpecker, Owls and Eagles.



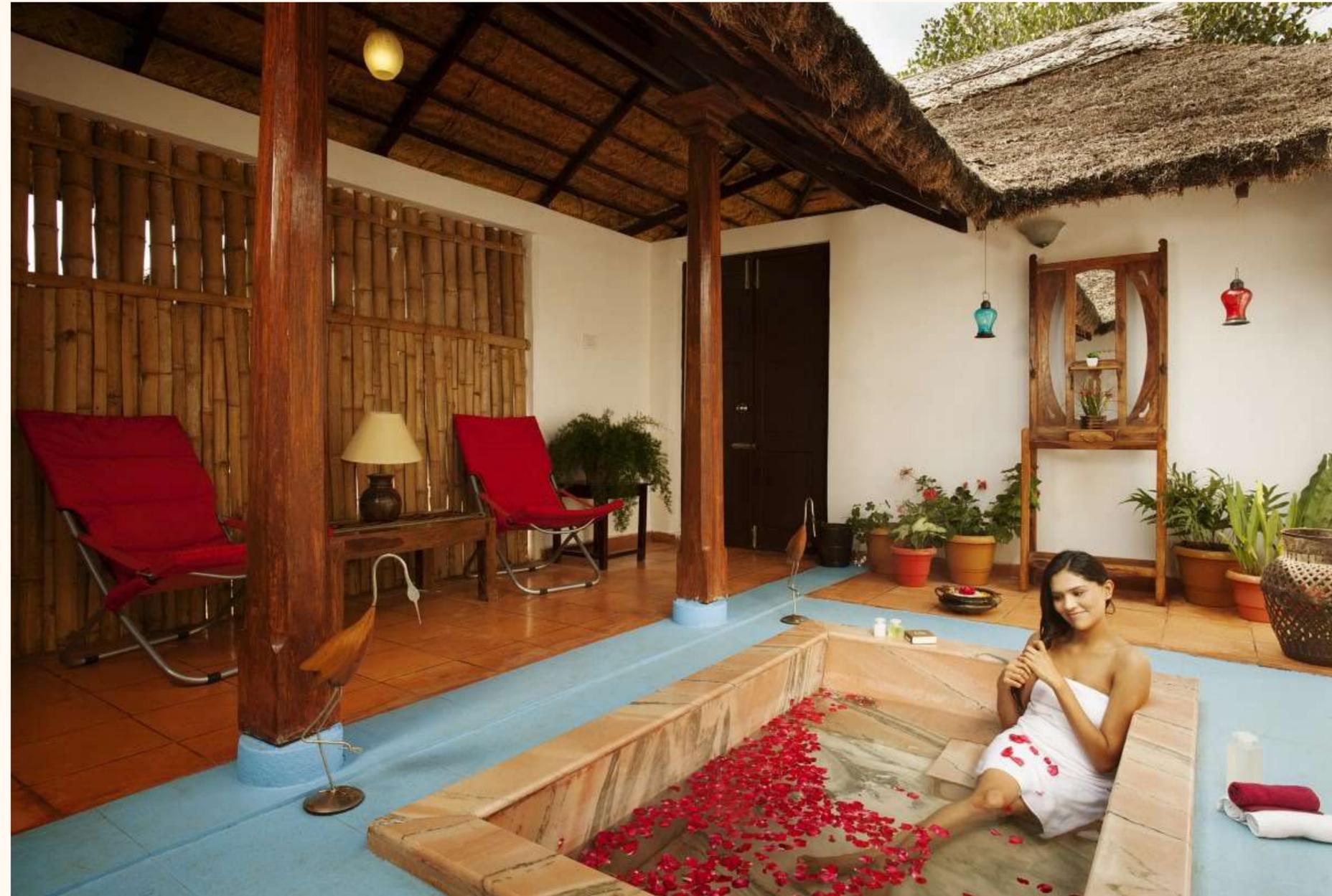
The **Resort**

Red Earth Kabini has twenty luxurious air-conditioned cottages set amidst a secluded natural world.

The cottages come with a private open to the sky Jacuzzi.

All cottages are constructed with the rammed earth technique – in which mud which is excavated from the site is used for construction with minimum use of cement and steel.

Handmade Attangudi tiles are used for flooring.



Responsible **Tourism**

The Red Earth garden is a riot of colours with a plethora of fruit and flowering trees. We do not use any pesticides making it a haven for birds, bees and butterflies.

All the water consumed within the property is treated in our STP plants, going back to water our gardens.

All the waste is segregated – the organic waste is given to a local piggery owner while the rest is composted and recycled where possible.

We avoid plastic bottles and guests are offered well-treated water in glass bottles.

Water is heated through solar power and energy-efficient bulbs are used throughout the property.



Support to the Local **Community**

Over 95 % of our staff are local villagers who have been trained in hospitality.

All the food is sourced fresh from the villages around the resort to promote the local economy and reduce our carbon footprint.

We have adopted two schools in the vicinity where regular health camps and cleaning drives are conducted.

We support the Nilgiris Wayanad Tribal Welfare Society and the Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement, organisations involved in the field of health, education and community development.



Facilities

Poshini Restaurant

We serve food which is fresh from the farm and homely.

Wetlands Bar

An island bar situated on a water body within the property.

Wonkey Monkey Cafe

Located on one end of the property in a deck overlooking the vast water expanse of the Kabini Backwaters.



Facilities

Zvaasthi Spa

We offer holistic western and eastern relaxation therapies, involving only natural and organic products.

Mukti Gift Shop

Our gift shop stocks products handmade by local women.

Samarya

Our conference hall can seat 60 people theatre style, doubling up as an movie hall.



Facilities

Swimming Pool



Reading Room

Music Room

Games Room



Experiences

Wildlife Safari

We are located only 8kms away from the Dommangatte Gate of the Nagarhole National Park.

The 2 other safari gates - Udboor (operated by JLR) and the Nagarhole Main Gate are easily accessible from our resort, giving our guests the distinct advantage of 3 different safari experiences.

Our wildlife safari is conducted by trained and certified naturalists (one of whom is from the Kadu Kuruba Tribe).



Experiences

Chorus Walk

Cycling around the Kabini Backwaters

Speedboat Ride

Coracle Ride

Picnics on the shores of the Kabini Dam

Romantic Candle light Dinners

Private Barbecue

Cultural Evenings with Tribal Music and Dance



Exploring **Kabini**

Balle Elephant Camp

Gyudmed - Buddhist Monastery and Tantric University in Gurupura

1600 year old Shiva temple

Day trips to Mysore, Coorg and Wayanad



How to **Get Here**

By Air

Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru is the nearest Airport, about 250 kms away.

By Train

The nearest railway station is Mysore, about 63 kms away

By Bus

Kabini is well connected by KSRTC buses to all neighbouring cities including Bengaluru.



Thank **You**

