

### THE BEST 4 X 4 TRAILS BY FAR....

#### SCENIC DRIVES IN THE AREA

##### SELF-DRIVE:

##### Dangershoek:

The drive over Lundean's Nek into the old Transkei and up the valley of Dangershoek is particularly beautiful. It is recommended that only high clearance 2wd vehicles & 4x4 attempt this as the condition of the road varies from good to bad from time to time. There is a spaza shop at Dangershoek for cooldrinks etc, so take along your own sandwiches. There is the option of continuing further up to Nomlengabana (past the Catholic Church in Dangershoek) but this route is bakkie or 4x4 only. The scenery is dramatic mountain cliffs, rivers & rural Transkei life. The river you follow is the border between Lesotho & South Africa.

##### Tiffindell:

Tiffindell is 30km from Reedsdell. A stunning 5km drive up Volunteers Hoek Pass gets you to the 'top of the world' where you travel another 15km to get Tiffindell Ski Resort. The Resort offers drinks & food from their restaurant in the summer months & you are most welcome as a day visitor. The dams & rivers on Tiffindell are Wild Trout Waters and a permit to fish can be sought at the Tiffindell Reception. Other summer activities include mountain biking, hiking to Ben McDhui peak (3001m) and the spectacular Telle Falls (6-hour hike). The alpine wildflowers are a sight to behold, especially in February & March. Your drive can continue to the top of Naude's Nek via Cairntoul Police Station (1-hour), on to Rhodes – directly from Tiffindell (45 mins) or via Cairntoul (1½ hours), or turn around for home.

##### Rhodes:

Rhodes can be accessed through Mosheshesford (1-hour) or over the mountain via Tiffindell (2-hours). Rhodes is a quaint Victorian-era village with some lovely historic buildings. Three restaurants (Walkerbouts Inn, Rhodes Hotel & Rubicon Restaurant) service the village, as well

as 2 general dealers, a petrol station, two art galleries and an antique shop.