





**Become a  
Citizen Scientist**



**KZNSIGHTINGS**  
Supporting HIP Scientific Services

**A Hilltop Honorary  
Officer Project**

**Share your sightings** and see what others are seeing in the HIP live. Improve your Game Reserve Experience and help those people new to the park and assisting with an **Honorary Officer tracking project**  
**Become a Citizen Scientist** Supporting the **HIP scientific Services** by send your photos of lions (*preferably with brands or Collars*), Wild Dogs, Cheetahs, Leopards (*preferably side profile*), Black Rhino (*preferably with ears erect*), and Vultures (*with wing Tags*), reporting the location: accurate description or preferably GPS co-ords, date and time.

	<b>Please do not post rhino sightings on Whatsapp, as majestic as these animals are and exciting to see, It is for their protection.</b>	
<b>POST SIGHTINGS TO :</b>		
	<b>Live Reporting while in the park only: WHATSAPP GROUP:</b> Join group <b>0716730915</b> SMS us your name and surname. Then we'll add you to the group. <b>The Honorary Officer Team are tracking reports for Trends and Movements</b>	
<b>Citizen Scientist</b>	<a href="mailto:HIPSightings@gmail.com">HIPSightings@gmail.com</a> – <b>The HIP Scientific Services Team</b>	
<b>FOLLOW ON FACEBOOK OR TWITTER WHEN OUT OF PARK.</b>		
 <b>WWW</b>	Use to track when you are out the park and <b>post your pictures</b> <a href="http://www.facebook.com/pages/kznsightings">http://www.facebook.com/pages/kznsightings</a> or <a href="http://twitter.com/kznsiightings">http://twitter.com/kznsiightings</a> or <b>@kznsightings</b> or web <b>www.kznsightings.co.za</b>	

**How this works:**

- The network maybe be slow on weekdays, but keep on reporting as you are assisting with the HO Tracking Process.
- *Cell phone connectivity at the Imfolozi –Hluhluwe is poor in places, it may take time for face book and Whatsapp updates to come through. The administrator will transfer feeds as often as possible*
- Use Whatsapp for reporting, use twitter and facebook for discussions, photos etc. Groups are limited to 100 people by Whatsapp thus, when not in the park, please leave the Whatsapp and BBM groups to avoid the nuisance factor and keep admin down.
- Join twitter or like us on Face book and follow and create a list allowing you to follow up whenever you want to see what has been reported.
- Photos will not be distributed across groups to reduce data demands but will be placed on Twitter and face book so when at home the best option is one of these sites.
- **Citizen Scientists Support the HIP scientific Services: Remember to send your photos of lions preferably with brands or Collars, Wild Dogs, Cheetahs, Leopards (preferably side profile), Black Rhino (preferably with ears erect), and Vultures with wing Tags.**
- Please try and report your sightings in the following manner:

Format not required in text	Example	Options
When	10h00	(10Am)
What	4 Male lions on kill – in river bed	
Location	On the Sontuli loop ± 1 Km from picnic spot	North or south of the 21 marker, or other land marks
Where	Imfolozi (i) use behind markers	Hluhluwe (h) use behind markers
Status	Stationery (STA)	On the move (OTM) , moved off, Hunting, etc.
Quality of viewing	Visual 5/5	
Name of sender or Game Viewing Guide and company	Sharon	Pieter – Wonder Tours
Weather Conditions	Raining, Hot, Very Hot, Windy hot	

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*Most of all have fun and see as much as you can*