

Cicada Resort, Kabini – Karnataka



Cottage At Cicada Resort Kabini



Luxury Safari Resort On Kabini Lake Near Nagarhole

About Cicada Resort

Cicada – Kabini is located in a village called **Karapura**, near **Nagarhole (Rajiv Gandhi National Park)** and the famous **Kabini Lake**. The resort is strategically located on the banks of the magnificent **Kabini River** and serves as a wonderful gallery for viewing wildlife.



Cottage Interior At Cicada Resort Kabini

Rooms

Inspired by a vision of operating world-class wildlife resorts near key wildlife sanctuaries in **India**, **Cicada** offers tastefully-decorated rooms with all the modern amenities. Each looking out into the expansive river and the forests of **Nagarhole** and **Bandipur** beyond.



Swimming Pool At Cicada Resort

Dining

A restaurant serves vegetarian and non-vegetarian buffets. There is a well-stocked bar.

Facilities

You can look forward to a gym and swimming pool. There is an activity/information centre with plenty of reading material on wildlife in the region.

Wildlife Safari's At Nagarhole National Park

The **Kabini River** runs between **Bandipur** and **Nagarahole**, two of the richest National Parks at the foothills of the **Western Ghats** in **Southern India**. These forests cover around 1500 sq. km (580 sq. miles) and are a mix of tropical moist and dry deciduous types.

The region around **Kabini River** supports tree species like **Teak**, **Mathi**, **Dindla**, **Sandalwood**, **Rosewood** and many more along with **Bamboo** and other grasses. The fauna boasts more than 300 species of birds, including the endemic **Malabar Trogon** and **Malabar Pied Hornbill**, the **Crested Hawk-Eagle**.

There is an impressive assemblage of herbivores like the **Asiatic Elephant**, the **Gaur (Indian Bison)** and the **Sambar**, which results in a high density of prey in this region. This in turn, supports a large and thriving population of predators like the **Tiger** (incidentally, the **Nagarahole** region is said to have the highest density of **Tigers** in **India**), the **Leopard** and the **Indian Wild Dog**.



Al Fresco Dining At Cicada Resort



Family Suite At Cicada Resort



Jungle Hare And Tiger At Nagarhole

The backwaters of the **Kabini Lake** are now an important perennial water source where one can witness the largest and most spectacular congregations of **Asiatic Elephants** during peak summers.

Land or water safaris (by jeep and boat) into the tourism zone of the National Park are conducted twice a day. A qualified naturalist will accompany you on every trip to help you interpret the exotic flora and fauna of the region.

Joy rides in the forest on elephant-back are also offered during morning safaris.

Safaris (by jeep and boat) are subject to permission from the **Karnataka Forest Department**. Please note that safaris are primarily governed and controlled by the **Forest Department** and are subject to change or even cancellation from time to time.

Hotel Website: <http://www.cicadaresorts.com/kabini.html>

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