

ROUTE MAP TO MARIEVALE BIRD SANCTUARY

REFERENCE POINTS: A = Turn off the R42 Road to Marievale Bird Sanctuary

Co ordinates of A: 26 23 03.48S, 28 30 37.06 E

B = Parking area at Administrative Centre and Challets

Co ordinates of B: 26 22 47.25 S, 28 30 27.70 E

C = Picnic Area

From Johannesburg via N17: Exit N17 in Springs area at Wit Road, turn south to Nigel on M63, this road joins R550 at Nigel, take R42 out of Nigel, immediately after crossing over the Blesbokspruit turn left off the R42 into the Marievale Bird Sanctuary at Point A. A Security Check point, the Administration Centre, Conference Facility and Challets are at Point B. The Picnic Area at Point C is accessed by travelling past Point B along a gravel track northward for a distance of approximately 2.5 km, from here the Picnic area can be seen in a grove of trees.

Alternative from Johannesburg: Continue on the N17 after the Wit road exit and exit at Point D, Co ordinates 26 19 10.63 S 28 35 26.66 E, turn right onto R42 and proceed to Point A, see above.