

“MILD TO WILD” is Dimalachite’s most popular white-water rafting trip.

This trip is really great for beginners and experts. It includes the, highest grade rapid, the longest rapid and the best rapids on the Vaal river.

This trip on the Vaal river starts from Fleet-woods and has rapids like the Gaping Jaws and Paradise where you will be served with a cold-drink and you may want to learn how to surf with a “croc”.

This is followed by Dog’s leg, V-Trap and Stepping stones. Up to here it wasn’t very tactical and give you time to get into the feeling of handling the paddle and steer the raft.

Halfway we stop for a cold drink on the banks of the Vaal river.

From Bistro you will enjoy “real” white water, through Theatre (the longest rapid “800meter”) and the one and only “GATSIEN RAPID”, where you will be able to swim through the rapid, play in the Jacuzzi and relax under the watchful eyes of our experienced guides.

From here you will paddle through Lovers Lane and Knuckle Crusher down to Dimalachite, where you can open a can of the best.

Safety is always our main concern, and we would never put your lives in danger. Therefore, when the river is too high and Theatre and Gatsien rapids are getting dangerous, we rather do another stretch on the river that is safe, and where you still have some adrenalin pumping moments but also a stretch of fast running flat water where you can enjoy a swim and relax.

This stretch follow the river pass an island with Roller-coaster (a nice set of waves) on the one side, and Wally’s rapid (a few steeper drops) on the other side. So we do the stretch two times so that you can enjoy both.

Even when the river is in flood, we can still do this stretch. Non swimmers, elderly people and kids are also welcome join you on your trip.

They will be safe.

Dimalachite Team

