

# Namakwa Flower Update

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Dear All

This week we can proudly report on more flower species in bloom .

Calvinia the capital of the Hantam region is the flower viewing meca at the moment with orange Namakwa Daisies in bloom and katsterte are about to bloom in the Niewoudtville area.

Tourists could book a 4x4 excursion at Kleinzee Tourism to view the white vaalvygies, the pink and yellow voelstruisvygies, the yellow osierapuis and the yellow osierapuis and the red sand lilies.

May you all enjoy a lovely flower viewing experience in Namakwa this spring.

Date	Day	Temperature min	Temperature max	Weather conditions
07 August	Monday	4	22	Sunny
08 August	Tuesday	5	22	Sunny

09 August	Wednesday	3	23	Cloudy
10 August	Thursday	3	23	Sunny
11 August	Friday	2	18	Sunny
12 August	Saturday	-1	16	Sunny
13 August	Sunday	-1	15	Sunny
14 August	Monday	0	15	Sunny

### **Where to view flowers**

- Calvinia (town centre with daisy and sporie displays)
- Niewoudtville with katsterte on display
- Klienzee coastal area
- Along the N7 BETWEEN Garies and Kamieskroon, on the shoulder of the road, orange daisies and purple vygies,

### **Tips when watching the flowers**

- The flowers are open between 11:00 am to 15:00 pm during day time.
- The sun must be out for flowers to open
- Flowers on display are facing the sun
- The day temperature must be at least 18 degrees
- Flowers are not open on rainy or overcast days.

### **What to wear when watching flowers**

- Long pants when walking around in the field.
- Comfortable shoes

### **Advice to tourists**

- Accommodation must be booked in advance
- Most towns along the flower routes have fuel stations
- Most towns along the flower routes have registered tourist guides
- . Most towns along the flower routes have cellphone and internet reception,

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