#### **Hunter hunted**

Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38

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Hunter hunted.
A lot of things happen in the world of nature which when not documented it is not easy for people to understand and believe as was the case today of a black spitting cobra fighting and overpowering a Puff adder. If one compares the sizes of the two snakes, it is not easy to magine that a cobra would emerge the winner in the fight. On a game drive today, ranger Godson who loves snakes, watched a black cobra move over some flat rock into a small pool of water where a puff adder was resting, he bit the puff adder on the side of the belly and the pain made him twist over as it struggled to move away. The cobra quickly followed and gave more poites making the puff adder twist more and more with pain. The poison from the spitting cobra was reacting faster on the Puff adder as it soon ran out of strength and died. Eventually the cobra was left trying to swallow its prey. Normally puff adders are slow to react and are not as agile as the cobras. Not many people are funs of snakes but the guests had a good spectacle from this event.
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9BkE98x6wJk

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**Animals sighted** 

Rang

## **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Aardvark Aardwolf African Civet African Elephant

### **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 5 African Wild cat Banded mongoose 50 50 Bat-eared Fox

### **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 **Black Rhinoceros** Blue Wilderbeest 200 100 300 Bohor Reedbuck

#### **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Burchell's Zebra 20 30 50 Bushbuck Cape Buffalo 10 200 210 Cape Clawless Otter

## **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Caracal Cheetah Coke's Hartebeest

## **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 25 Common Genet Common/Golden Jackal Defassa Waterbuck

### **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 5 5 Dwarf Mongoose Eland Grant's Gazelle Hippopotamus

#### **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 200 100 300 Honey Bager/Ratel Impala 100

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# **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Klipspringer Large-spotted Genet Leopard

# **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Lesser Bushbaby Lesser Kudu Lion

#### **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Maasai Giraffe 15 20 35 Olive Baboon 40 40 Oribi

Pangolin

## **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Patas Monkey Porcupine Rock Hyrax/Dassie

## **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 20 20 Serval Side-striped Jackal Silver-backed Jackal

## **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 6 Slender Mongoose Small-spotted Genet Spotted Hyena Squirrel

## **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Steenbok Striped Hyena Striped Pole Cat/Zorilla

## **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 Thick-tailed Bushbaby Thompson's Gazelle 40 40 Topi 20

#### **Hunter hunted** Written by Thursday, 31 May 2012 14:38 20 Vervet Monkey 18 18 Warthog Water Mongoose

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White-tailed Mongoose
Wild Dog

NB: \* = Same animals seen by different rangers