

1. RECOMMENDED PLANTING LIST¹

This appendix lists both recommended plants and plants that are not permitted at Klein Slangkop.

Plants not listed must be approved by the appointed Environmental Auditor before being purchased to plant.

A NEW COMMENT FROM THE LATEST ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT - Also of concern is that the extensive list detailing plant species, recommended for Estate homeowners, does not differentiate between local varieties and forms of widely distributed species. For example, the local form of *Helichrysum teretifolium* is a small, cushion-forming bush. A form of this same species, which comes from the Eastern Cape, is a rather rampant plant that has the potential to smother areas. Along the road verge to the west of the main open conservation area, some are some swathes covered with this rampant, Eastern Cape form of *H. teretifolium*.

Where possible, homeowners and landscapers should be encouraged to source and plant locally-indigenous, local forms of recommended species. This is particularly important where these forms are planted in areas that converge with conservation areas.

2.1 Klein Slangkop Endemic

SPECIFIC NAME	COMMON NAME	DESCRIPTION
Aizoon paniculatum	'Pink Spekvygie'	Low perennial shrub 15-50cm with bright magenta flowers July-Oct. Widespread from Namaqualand to Cape Point. Grows in loose sand right down to the beach. Sun.
Amellus asteroides		Low shrublet 20-40cm. Prolific blue-mauve daisy flowers Spring-Autumn. Occasional on coastal dunes, Clanwilliam to Peninsula. Very tough, likes Sun & good drainage.
Arctotheca populifolia	'Sea Pumpkin'	Mat-forming ground cover on coastal dunes S.W.Cape to Moz. Yellow daisy flowers anytime. Leaves & stems wooly-white. Good sand stabilizer pioneer. Sun.
Aspalathus hispida		Small leaved shrub to 1m. with pale yellow to creamy white pea flowers with violet keel, honey-scented. Widespread through coastal fynbos and renosterbos.
Carpobrotus acinaciformis	'Sour fig'	Mat-like succulent perennial. Flowers rose-purple. Flowering time August - October. Found on coastal sand, Peninsula to P. E. Edible fruit, stabilizes banks and sand.
Cassine maritima (Robsonodendron)	'Bastard Saffron, Lepelhout'	Large shrub or tree 3-5m. Scented cream flower clusters Jan-June. Purple-black fruit for birds. Widespread from Peninsula to Tvl. Tolerate coastal conditions.
Chasmanthe aethiopica	'Suurkanolpypie'	Vigorous bulb. Dark orange flowers with yellow markings on 70cm-tall stalk May-Sept. Briefly deciduous in Summer. Mainly coastal from Peninsula to Kei Mouth. Sun/Semishade.
Chionanthus foveolatus	'Fine-leaved Ironwood'	Slow growing, very tough tree 5m+ Dark glossy foliage & scented flowers Autumn to Spring. Wind resistant. Widespread from coastal scrub to high altitude. Peninsula – Mozambique
Chironia baccifera	'Christmas Berry'	Bushy shrublet 20-80cm. Bright pink Gentianaceae flowers Spring-Summer. Berries for birds. Sun. Widespread. S.W.Cape-Natal.
Chondropetalum tectorum	'Dakriet, Thatching Grass'	Very tough 1m. Restio (Grasses of Fynbos) Attractive accent plant. From marshes & seeps throughout fynbos region. Drought resistant, tolerates most soil types. Sun.
Chrysanthemoides incana	'Bietou'	Prostrate grey shrub 1-3m. from coastal dunes, inland sandy slopes Namibia to Bredasdorp. Sun. Yellow daisies any time. Very tough, salt winds. Berries for birds.
Chrysanthemoides monilifera	'Bietou'	Rampant shrub or small tree 2-3m. Masses of yellow daisy flowers mainly Autumn-Winter. Black berries for birds. Tough pioneer on dunes. Sun. Hack back if necessary. Good windbreak, pioneer plant.
Chrysocoma coma-aurea		Low shrublet 50cm. Covered in yellow button flowers Summer. Sun. Grows in beach sand, anywhere sunny. Tough. Peninsula to Caledon.

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<i>Cliffortia obcordata</i>		Common shrub Peninsula -Stellenbosch with small flat leaves, insignificant flowers. Grows to 1.3m. Sun.
<i>Colpoon compressum</i> (Osyris)	'Cape Sumach'	Tough bushy tree 3-4m. common on coastal dunes from S.W.Cape to Moz. Fleshy red to black fruit relished by birds. Sun-Semi shade.
<i>Commelina africana</i>	'Wandering Jew'	Scrambling perennial ground cover, usually near streams S.W.Cape to Natal. Yellow to orange flowers. Nov-June. Sun-Shade.
<i>Conicosia pugioniformis</i>	'Vetkousie'	Sprawling perennial with large yellow vygie flowers with strange scent Sept-Oct. Widespread in deep coastal sand Richtersveld to P.E>
<i>Cotyledon orbiculata</i>	'Pig's Ears, Varkoorblaar'	1m. shrub with coral-pink & green or yellow hanging bell flowers any time. Leaves used as poultice for wounds & warts. Widespread in S.A. Very tough.
<i>Cyanchum africanum</i>	'Klimop, Bobbejaantou'	Small climber in coastal sand with brown & white flowers June to November. Milky latex (Asclepiadaceae) Widespread Namaqualand to P.E.
<i>Dasispermum suffruticosum</i>	'Duine Seldery'	Parsley-like perennial with white flowers August to April, widespread on coastal dunes from Saldanha to Kwazulu.
<i>Dimorphotheca pluvialis</i>	'Reenblommetjie, Cape Daisy'	Seeding annual ground cover with white daisy flowers, purple underneath and black centres. Widespread in coastal sand from Namibia to Riversdale.
<i>Dipogon lignosus</i>	'Wilde Ertjie, Bosklimop'	Beautiful herbaceous vine with pink-magenta pea flowers year round. Fast-growing,tough and attractive. Coastal bush or forest. S.W. - E. Cape
<i>Ehrharta villosa</i>	'Pypgras'	Perennial grass up to 1.5m widespread on coastal dunes St. Helena Bay to P.E. Good for stabilizing dunes.
<i>Eriocephalus racemosus</i>	'Kapokkie'	Shrub to 1,3m. Flowers white July - September. Found in the dunes and sandy coastal slopes Piketberg to Humansdorp. Fluffy seeds used by birds for nests. Very tough. Sun.
<i>Euclea racemosa</i>	'Sea Guarri'	Shrub or tree 1-6m. Flowers cream, small Dec - June. Found in coastal dune scrub and low coastal forest. Bark is grey, smooth. Slow, tough. Berries for birds.
<i>Euryops abrotanifolius</i>	'Geel Margriet'	Erect shrub to 1m. Large yellow daisy flowers May to December. Common on sandy or rocky slopes in S.W.Cape. Very tough. Prune for more bushy growth.
<i>Ferraria crispa</i>	'Spinnekopblom, Krulletjie'	Geophyte from Lambert's Bay to Mossel Bay & Karroo. Brown speckled flowers with ruffled yellow margins and unpleasant smell - fly pollinated. Endemic.
<i>Gazania krebsiana</i>	'Gousblom, Botterblom'	Clump-forming perennial with bright orange to red daisy flowers Spring-Summer. Widespread throughout Southern & Tropical Africa. Self-seeding. Sun. Coastal conditions.
<i>Geranium incanum album</i>	'Horlosies, Vrouebossie'	Fast spreading groundcover. Attractive, delicate foliage with masses of white to pale mauve flowers in Spring. Coastal areas, Very tough. Peninsula to Tropical Africa.
<i>Gladiolus cunonius</i>	'Lepelblom'	Geophyte (Bulb) with bright red flowers, green below, spoon-shaped upper petal, from September to November. Coastal sand from Saldanha to Knysna.
<i>Haemanthus coccineus</i>	'April Fool, Blood Flower'	Deciduous bulb with scarlet brush-like flowers Feb-April, followed by long tongue-like leaves. Widespread from Namibia to E.Cape coastal scrub & lower slopes. Poisonous bulb.
<i>Hebenstreitia dentata</i>	'Katstert, Slakblom'	Perennial ground cover or shrublet 5-50cm. Flowers white with orange markings, scented, from July to Oct. From Namaqualand to Peninsula, sandy soil.
<i>Helichrysum teretifolium</i>		Much branched ericoid shrublet. Height up to 30cm. Flowers cream or rosy July to December. Found on coastal slopes from Cape Peninsula to Port Elizabeth.
<i>Hermannia pinnata</i>	'Kwasblaar Kruippoproos'	Sprawling shrublet 15-30cm. with perfumed orange-yellow bell flowers in Spring. From sandy flats of Cape Peninsula. Sun. Very tough.
<i>Ischyrolepis eleocharis</i>		Low growing dioecious, caespitose restio to 40cm. from coastal, usually alkaline slopes from Peninsula to P.E.
<i>Jordaniella dubia</i>	'Helder Kruij Vygie'	Creeping succulent up to 30cm. Flowers bright Yellow May to September. Found on sand dunes or limestone from Lambert's to Mossel Bay. Sun.
<i>Knowltonia capensis</i>	'Katjiedrielaar'	Foliage plant for deep shade. 0,5m. Flowers late winter, delicate creamy green, then black berries to attract birds. Common in Peninsula, under Milkwoods at coast. Very tough. Medicinal - rheumatism & flu.

Lachenalia sp.	'Viooltjie'	A large genus of indigenous bulbs belonging to the Lily family, producing only two leaves each year, flowering in winter, dormant in summer. This species has mauve flowers. Good container plant. Sun.
Leonotis leonurus	'Wilde Dagga, Duiwelstabak'	Very tough perennial bush 1-2m. Orange flowers any time- cut back for more. Attracts Sunbirds. Widespread in S.A. Sun or semi-shade. Self-seeding pioneer species.
Leucadendron coniferum	'Duinegeelbos'	Shrub or small bushy tree 2-4m. Involucral leaves bright yellow in August and Sept. Coastal sand. Widespread in S.W.Cape. Good fast-growing windbreak.
Lycium afrum	'Bokdoring, Kraal Honey Thorn'	Thorny shrub to 3m. with deep purple Solanaceae flowers (Tomato family) July-Sept. Lambert's Bay to Uitenhage. Dry, stony habitats.
Maurocena frangularia	'Hottentot's Cherry'	Shrub or small tree to 3m. in coastal bush S.W.Cape only. Good windbreak, takes salt winds. Attractive new red foliage. (Celastraceae)
Maytenus lucida	'Cape Maytenus'	Dense low bush 0.6-1.2m. Small greenish flowers in Spring, followed by brown berries for birdies. Very tough, from coastal bush, Malmesbury to Bredasdorp.
Metalasia muricata	'Blombos'	Very tough grey-green shrub 1-2m. Profuse scented white flowers Autumn-Spring. Widespread in S.A. Tolerates any soil, coastal conditions. Sun.
Microloma sagittatum	'Bokhorinkies'	Slender climber to 1m+ with green-tipped red flowers June to October. Namaqualand to Willowmore. No latex.
Moraea fugax	'Soet Uintjie'	Common geophyte with large scented blue, white or yellow 'Iris' flowers August to October. From Namaqualand to Mossel Bay. Edible corms important food source for Strandlopers!
Nylandtia spinosa	'Skilpadbessie, Tortoise Berry'	Spiny spreading shrub 1-2m. Purple-mauve flowers April to Oct. Masses of red berries in Summer for birds & tortoises. S.W.-E.Cape sand. Sun. Very tough. Tolerates coastal gardens.
Olea exasperata	'Coast Olive, Basterolienhout'	Shrub or small bushy tree from S.W. to E.Cape coastal bush. White flowers in Spring followed by berries for birds. One of the toughest. Good coastal windbreak.
Osteospermum fruticosum	'Rankmargriet'	Spreading to prostrate perennial. Flowers PURPLE June to September. Found in coastal areas from Peninsula to Port Elizabeth.
Othobium bracteolatum	'Skaapbostee, Swawelbos'	Erect, spreading leafy shrublet 30-100cm. Dark blue pea flowers June-Jan. Coastal dunes, sandy slopes. Peninsula to P.E.
Othonna arborescens	'Bobbejaankool'	Low semi-succulent shrub 20-60cm. with yellow daisy flowers April-Sept. Grows on coastal dunes and rocky sites from S.W. to S.E.Cape. Sun. Very, very tough!
Passerina corymbosa	'Besembos, Gannabos'	Ericoid shrub up to 3m. Widespread in Fynbos to Natal. Very tough. Reddish flowers Sept-Nov. Sun.
Passerina ericoides	'Christmas Berry, Dronkbessie'	Willowy 1m. shrub endemic to coastal sands from Blouberg to Hermanus. Insignificant flowers but fleshy red fruits attract birds. Grows in beach sand.
Pelargonium capitatum	Rose Scented Pelargonium?	Soft, sprawling shrublet 20-120cm. Pink flowers anytime, mainly spring. From coastal areas Saldanha to Kwazulu, and W.Australia. Sun. Very tough. Cut back when necessary.
Pentaschistis pallida		Tufted or matted perennial grass to 40cm., sometimes rolled leaves with stalked glands. Widespread from Namaqualand to E.Cape.
Phylica ericoides		Small-leaved shrublet, 25-90cm. White flowers in dense heads all year. Tough. Dunes, coastal. Widespread from Peninsula - S.Tropical Africa.
Phylica stipularis	'Hondegessig'	Much-branched fynbos shrub 50-90cm. Small heads of white flowers late winter to spring. Sandy flats and lower slopes Clanwilliam to Knysna.
Podalyria sericea	'Silver Sweetpea Bush'	Shrub 0,5-1m. for sun. Beautiful foliage, pink pea flowers in spring, followed by silver pods. Good for flower arrangements. Strandveld to E.Cape.
Protea scolymocephala	'Skollie'	Small shrub to 1m. Flowers open cream to green from July-Nov. Sandy flats Strandveld to Peninsula. Tolerates alkaline soil, coastal conditions.
Pterocelastrus tricuspidatus	'Cherrywood, Utwina'	Small bushy tree to 4m. Dense clusters of small whitish flowers from May-Nov. Orange fruits. Found in dune scrub and forest from Cape west coast to Mpumalanga. Slow-growing, very tough. Good screen.

<i>Rhus crenata</i>	'Dune Crow-berry'	Shrub or multi-stemmed tree 3 - 5m. Flowers cream, small, April, berries for birds. Found on coastal dunes from Peninsula to Port Elizabeth. Prune to any shape. Good windbreak, hedge.
<i>Rhus glauca</i>	'Blue Kuni-bush'	Bushy shrub or small tree 1-3m. Small greenish-white flowers May-Oct. Berries attract birds. Coastal dunes or bush Piketberg to P.E. Sun-Semishade. Grey-green foliage.
<i>Rhus laevigata</i> (<i>R.mucronata</i>)	'Duinetaaibos'	Dense shrub or bushy tree to 4m. on coastal dunes S.W.Cape to S.Natal. Very tough, good windbreak. Berries attract birds.
<i>Rhus lucida</i>	'Glossy Taaibos'	Shrub or small tree. 3-5m in height with a wide spread. Small yellow/white flowers Aug-Oct. Berries for birds. Coastal bush. Wood is hard, tough and durable. Bark from roots and branches was used for tanning.
<i>Rhynchosia ferulifolia</i>	'Vaal-Ertjie'	Low ground cover to 10cm. with yellow pea flowers Sept - January. Piketberg to Humansdorp.
<i>Ruschia macowanii</i>	'Vygie'	Shrublet to 30cm. Coastal, flowers mauve August to October. Sun. Malmesbury to Bredasdorp.
<i>Salvia africana lutea</i> (<i>S.aurea</i>)	'Bruinsalie, Strandsalie'	Aromatic shrub from 1.5-2m. Flowers brownish orange from June-Dec. Very hardy coastal shrub. Good windbreak pioneer plant. Medicinal, antiseptic, as are most Sage family.
<i>Salvia lanceolata</i>	'Pienk Salie'	Much branched coastal shrub 0,8-2m. Flowers dull pink with persistent bracts. Sept-June West coast Strandveld-S.Cape fynbos. Sun.
<i>Scabiosa africana</i>	'Koringblom, Pincushion'	Up to 1m. perennial from Peninsula with large pastel blue or pink flowers in Spring - Summer. Sun/Semishade. Tough. Tolerate coastal conditions.
<i>Scirpus nodosus</i>	'Vleibiesie'	Rigid stems to 1m. Spikelets in dense, brown heads. Flowering time December - March. Found in coastal areas from Peninsula to Port Elizabeth. Drought & Bog tolerant.
<i>Senecio arenarius</i>	'Hongerblom'	Low self-seeding annual or biennial 15-40cm. Flowers purple daisies with yellow centres in Spring. Widespread from Namibia to Bredasdorp. Tolerates coastal conditions. Sun-Semishade.
<i>Senecio elegans</i>	'Veld Cineraria'	Robust annual up to 50cm. Profuse magenta flowers with yellow centres Sept-Nov. Occurs on coastal sand throughout the Cape Province. Self-seeding. Sun-Semishade.
<i>Sideroxylon inerme</i>	'White Milkwood'	Dense, gnarled tree to 5-8m. White aromatic flowers & black fruits for your parrots and hornbills. Protected species. Peninsula to Tropical Africa. Sand dunes or coastal bush. Feed & water for faster growth.
<i>Solanum afrum</i> (<i>quadrangulare</i>)		Scrambling shrub to 2m. Purple flowers Dec-April. Widespread on coastal flats Peninsula to P.E. Prefers damp places. Sun-Semishade.
<i>Staavia radiata</i>	'Altydbos'	Shrublet to 60cm. coppicing from woody caudex. Minute leaves and tiny pink flowers in compact heads surrounded by white petal-like bracts Sept-Dec. Endemic to coastal sand Malmesbury to Gouritz river.
<i>Stoebe plumosa</i>	'Slangbos'	Bushy shrub 0,3-1,2m. from E.Cape to Angola. Silver granular foliage for accent. Tolerates wind, drought & salt. Sun. Keep pruned.
<i>Sutera hispida</i>		Spreading shrublet 20-40cm. with masses of white, occasionally mauve flowers most of the year. Widespread throughout Fynbos, into E.Cape & Karroo. Sun-Semishade.
<i>Tarchonanthus camphoratus</i>	'Camphor Bush'	Small bush or tree 4-9m. withstands salt wind and drought. Sprays of white flowers in autumn. Fluffy seed kapok used by birds for nests. Good windbreak. Widespread in sub-Saharan
<i>Tetragonia decumbens</i>	'Klappiesbrak'	Prostrate ground cover or low shrub from beach dunes Namibia to E.Cape. Incredibly tough, may need control. Good for stabilizing sand. Sun. Yellow flowers (Aizoaceae) and winged fruits.
<i>Tetragonia fruticosa</i>	'Kinkelbossie'	Low ground cover or small shrub from Namaqualand to E.Cape. Incredibly tough, may need control. Good for stabilizing sand. Sun. Yellow flowers (Aizoaceae) and winged fruits.
<i>Thamnochortus spicigerus</i>	'Restio'	1,5m. clump-forming Restio grass. Rounded arching habit for feature plant. Coastal areas Malmesbury to Knysna. Very tough. Sun.
<i>Thesium capitatum</i>	'Groenbasbossie'	Low shrublet to 30cm. with small triangular overlapping leaves and clusters of white flowers most of the year. Fynbos endemic from Malmesbury to Humansdorp.

Trachyandra divaricata	'Duine Kool'	Geophyte with much-branched inflorescence of scented white flowers July-Sept. Widespread in coastal dunes from Namaqualand to Port Alfred.
Trachyandra tabularis	'Lang Kool'	Geophyte with linear, terete foliage (smooth & cylindrical) with white to pink Aloe-family flowers in Spring. Common on & below cliffs, Peninsula to Caledon. Tolerates coastal conditions.
Tylecodon paniculatus	'Botterboom'	Stout succulent perennial with tubular greenish to orange flowers Nov-Dec. Namibia to E.Cape.
Wiborgia obcordata	'Skraal Korrelertjie'	1.5 - 3m grey leaved willowy shrub with racemes of yellow pea flowers Aug - Oct. Bokkeveld to Mossel Bay. Sandy flats & slopes.
Zantedeschia aethiopica	'Arum Lily'	Attractive white spathe - not flower!, those are on the central yellow spike. Winter-Spring. Sun or semi-shade. Luxuriant foliage. Tuberous perennial. 0,6 - 1m. Damp places. S.W. Cape.
Zygophyllum flexuosum	'Maerbos, Spekbos'	Spreading 1m. shrub with yellow flowers July-Oct. Widespread in S.W.Cape on coastal dunes and lower mountain slopes. Sun. Very tough, tolerates beach conditions.

