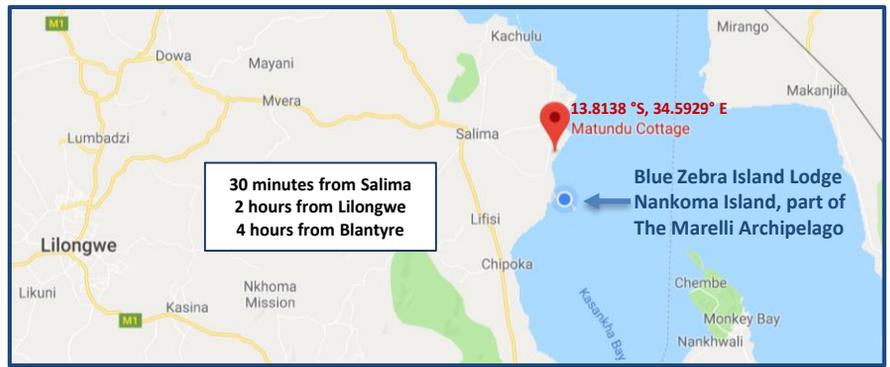




*Nankoma Island, Lake Malawi National Park*  
Latitude: 13degree, 54min, 8 sec  
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## DIRECTIONS TO MATUNDU COLLECTION POINT



Drive through **Salima Town**, towards **Senga Bay**. In approximately 12km you cross a narrow steel bridge. Shortly after, there's a right turn with a signpost for Blue Zebra (and many other lodges incl. Matundu Cottage, Red Zebra, Wheel house). Turn right here and continue down the tar road for approx. 1.5km at which point there is a fairly sharp left hand bend in the road. Take the next right onto the dirt road (Blue Zebra, Sliver Sand & Rbm signpost). You will notice a long wall running along the right hand side of the road (game sanctuary area). Do not take the right hand turn at the end of the fence/wall, continue straight as signposted. Before Kachirenji village take a left turn (sign with the Blue Zebra logo). Soon after you will take another left again following the Blue Zebra/Matundu Cottage signage until you reach the entrance on your right. If you arrive early, there is a garden bar where you can relax while you wait for the boat. We advise having cash on you if you wish to purchase beverages from them directly.

## SCHEDULED BOAT TRANSFERS:

**Matundu Cottage to Blue Zebra:** 12:00 (with an additional 16:00 boat on Friday's)

**Blue Zebra to Matundu Cottage:** 11:00 (with an additional 15:00 boat on Sunday's)

When arriving 12:00 on Friday/Saturday and departing 15:00 on Sunday, room check-out remains 10:30 and additional lunch charges apply. Off-schedule boat transfers may be arranged in advance (additional charge). For safety reasons, boat transfers will not be possible after dark. If you arrive late, the boat will come back for you upon availability as an off-scheduled boat transfer (additional charge).

## WHERE CAN I LEAVE MY CAR?

There is secure parking at Matundu Cottage. All fees are covered by Blue Zebra Island Lodge.

## BOAT TRANSFER:

We have two boats: 6.2 meter and an 8.5 meter long RIBs.

Both equipped with life jackets, communication systems and experienced crew.

The transfer takes about 15 - 20 minutes.

## LOGISTICS:

You will walk through water to climb in and out of the boat. We recommend suitable clothing (shorts, swimming costumes, sandals/flip flops). There is a bathroom at Matundu Cottage where you can change if needed.

There is a stairway from Matundu Cottage to the beach. Our staff will assist with your luggage from your car to the boat. Elderly/less mobile guests must be prepared to be lifted by staff onto the boat.

Please ensure electronic equipment is packed safely and handled separately by the crew. Water can occasionally splash into the boat and in rainy season there is a chance of doing transfers during downpours. Precautions are taken to keep smaller valuables/electronics in a compartment. There is a waterproof cover for bags, but waterproof luggage is advisable. The boat will not make the transfer if the captain feels that weather conditions are not safe.

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