

camping africa

ITINERARY

A warm welcome to Southern Africa and the start of your holiday!

Your itinerary has been booked and confirmed for you as discussed. Kindly remember that should you require any assistance during your stay, or have any queries about the services booked for you, we are available to assist you and can be reached the contact numbers given below.

We wish you a very memorable holiday!

Kind Regards,

Monika Radics
Owner

Saturday – Day 1

Your car hire has been confirmed for today
4wd SCE, 2.5L Diesel Nissan Single Cab Equipped - 1 car(s) for 13 days
Pickup: Kasane, Botswana
Drop off: Kasane, Botswana

Includes: Unlimited kilometers, Airport / Hotel Transfers (Within 25kms from primary depots), 2 x Drivers (third, fourth and fifth driver charged separately), Living, kitchen & sleeping equipment, Full water tank and gas bottle(s), Standard Excess Insurance Cover ZAR 45 000 / USD 3220 excess, 14% VAT (Value Added Tax) in South Africa, 12% in Botswana and 15% in Namibia, Credit Card Fees, Emergency assistance, Fold out maps.

Additional Extras Included: GPS

Extras Payable Direct Unless Stipulated Above: Super Cover with a security deposit of ZAR 3000, eToll / Admin fees (charged on all departures or returns in / from Johannesburg), After Hours Surcharge, All claims admin fee, Traffic fine admin fee, Transfers between 25 km and 70 km from the depot, cross border documentation, Baby / Child Seat, Additional driver



Accommodation at Kubu Lodge in a Standard Room on a Bed and Breakfast basis for 1 night.

Rooms: Standard Room (ZAR) x 1

Includes:

Bed and breakfast

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Today you will embark on the following Day Tour / Activity:

Boat Cruise

Pickup: TBC

Drop off: TBC

Notes: Note National Park entry fees for own account and to be paid directly

Sunday – Day 2

Accommodation at Ihaha Camp in a Campsite on a Self-catering basis for 1 night.

Rooms: Campsite x 1

Includes:

Includes: Campsite only

Chobe National Park, which is the second largest park in Botswana, covers 10 566 square kilometers. It has one of the largest concentrations of game found on the African continent. Its uniqueness in the abundance of wildlife and the true African nature of the region, offers a safari experience of a lifetime. Ihaha is one of the three public camping grounds situated within Chobe. The other two are Savuti and Linyanti. Each of these three camp sites are equipped with toilet and shower facilities. The three camps have their own individual characters and a visit to each is recommended - however, remember that a four-wheel drive vehicle is essential. Visitors travelling through the Park should also remember that this is essentially a wilderness area and no services are available between Kasane and

Maun. Because of this it is wise to carry basic safety items such as water, food, fuel, torches, extra wheels, tools, jacks and pumps.



Monday – Day 3

Accommodation at Savuti Campsite in a Campsite on a Self-catering basis for 1 night.

Rooms: Campsite x 1

Includes:

Includes: Campsite only

Often described as one, if not the best, wildlife-viewing area in Africa today. Savuti boasts one of the highest concentrations of wildlife left on the African continent. Animals are present during all seasons, and at certain times of the year their numbers can be staggering. Lying 172 kilometers southwest of Sedudu gate, Savuti camping ground overlooks the Savuti River channel, which is currently dry. Geographically, Savuti is an area of many unknowns. One of the greatest mysteries is the Savuti Channel itself, which has over the past 100 years inexplicably dried up and recommenced its flow several times. The present dry period started in 1982. Savuti is famous for its predators, particularly its lions and spotted hyaena populations. Savuti has an excellent new camp site. The camp site has toilet and shower facilities available. Kindly remember that a four-wheel drive vehicle is essential and visitors travelling through the Park should remember that it is essentially a wilderness area and, as such, no services are available between Kasane and Maun. Because of this, it is wise to carry basic safety items such as water, food, fuel, torches, extra wheels, tools, jacks and pumps.



Tuesday – Day 4

Accommodation at Xakanaxa in a Campsite on a Self-catering basis for 1 night.

Rooms: Campsite x 1

Includes:

Includes: campsite only

Xakanaxa is a public camping ground, overlooking the edge of the Okovango Delta, in the game-rich Moremi Game Reserve. Moremi is mostly described as one of the most beautiful wildlife reserves in Africa. It combines Mopane woodland and acacia forests, floodplains and lagoons. It is the great diversity of plant and animal life that makes Moremi so well known. Xakanaxa Camp is approximately 45 kilometers from Khwai Village where very limited supply stores can be found. A short distance away, approximately 30 kilometers, from Xakanaxa Camp is an area called Hippo Pool where an abundance of these creatures are in residence. They can be viewed in comfort from an observation deck overlooking the pool.



Wednesday – Day 5

Accommodation at Thamalakane River Lodge in a Babbler Chalets on a Bed and Breakfast basis for 1 night.

Rooms: Babbler Chalets x 1

Includes:

Bed and breakfast

Thamalakane River Lodge is situated on the banks of the Thamalakane River, just 19kms from Maun and en-route to the famous Moremi Game Reserve. The rambling lodge has an idyllic setting and is committed to service excellence. The pool overlooks the river and has inviting hammocks hanging under a character gazebo with loungers positioned around the pool. The 10 individual luxury stone and thatch en-suite chalets are nestled in the shade of the riverine trees, twin and doubles are available. The spacious chalet interiors have a feature stone wall with an en-suite bathroom consisting of a shower, hand-basin and toilet. Rooms are equipped with tea and coffee making facilities, ceiling fans and mosquito nets. Rooms are well ventilated with a unique "skylight type" wall. Each chalet has a private patio with a river view.



Thursday – Day 6

Today your flight has been confirmed as follows:

Transfers: Maun - Gunns Camp (o/w)

Departing Maun Airport at (time to be confirmed the night before), Arriving Delta Airstrip.

Accommodation at Gunn's Camp in a Luxury Tent on a Fully Inclusive basis for 2 nights.

Rooms: Luxury Tent x 1

Includes:

Accommodation, Scheduled activities and Laundry, all meals, Snacks, Tea & Coffees, Local Brand Beverages (alcoholic & non-alcoholic), National park fees and all Government levies and taxes, Emergency Evacuation Cover (guests still require their own insurance), Wilderness Camping out of Gunn's Camp & Moremi Crossing: Dome tents, all the camping equipment, meals, beverages, p/fees, Wilderness Camping out of Gunn's Camp & Moremi Crossing: Dome tents, all the camping equipment, meals, beverages, p/fees

Overlooking the legendary Chiefs Island and bordering the Moremi Game Reserve, Gunn's Camp is one of the last few remaining luxury, vintage safari camps. Set under leafy palms and African Ebony to blend naturally with its unique surroundings, Gunn's Camp achieves a fine balance of comfort without isolating guests from the sights and sounds of the wilderness. The flagship accommodation offered at Gunn's Camp consists of 6 fully furnished, deluxe Kenya-style Meru tents with en-suite bathrooms featuring standalone baths and outside private showers. Set on raised platforms overlooking the delta plains Gunn's Camp is ideal for honeymooners or guests looking for a more intimate and personalized safari experience. All 6 tents are discretely set within the densely treed island ensuring privacy and tranquility. Each has been traditionally furnished with an eclectic mixture of solid wood and African furniture and offers a lounge area as well as private veranda. The accommodation area is connected to the main camp via raised wooden walkway crossing the wetlands and magically lit by a series of fairylike lanterns. Guests have access to the elevated bar, lounge and dining room, campfire Boma and swimming pool.



Saturday – Day 8

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Sunday – Day 9

Accommodation at Planet Baobab in a Public Camping (ZAR) on a Self-catering basis for 2 nights.

Rooms: Public Camping (ZAR) x 1

Includes:

Campsite only.

The average age of each tree; 4000 years and beyond, the boundless salt pans of the Makgadikgadi, a lunar landscape the size of Switzerland - these are only some of the aspects of this remarkable lodge. Thankfully, the funkiest bar in the Kalahari awaits your pleasure, a well-known watering hole for travellers of every description and the more colourful characters from Maun. At any one time, locals jostle the cross-continentals who have slogged it through the bush, and worse, to get here. Just a stone's throw from all this beer and bustle is the elephant's paddling pool. Oblivious to Guests crouching in the nearby trees, the elephants and travellers mostly ignore each other. At Planet Baobab, you can sleep in traditionally styled Bakalanga huts with en-suite showers, curl up in a Bushmen hut complete in every detail, pitch your tent, or park your 4 x 4.



Tuesday – Day 11

Accommodation at Nata Lodge in a Campsite on a Self-catering basis for 1 night.

Rooms: Campsite x 1

Includes:

Campsite and bed levy only.

Nata Lodge is well located, approximately 10km from Nata on the main Nata-Francistown road. This is on the main tourist route to Okavango Delta, Chobe National Park, Victoria Falls Zimbabwe/Zambia and the Caprivi Strip in Namibia.

An oasis set among the Mokolwane palms on the edge of the pans. It is ideally situated close to the entrance to the

Nata Sanctuary and is just off the main road, 10 km from Nata village. This is the junction to the Okavango, Chobe and Francistown areas. The Nata River delta feeds the Sua Pan in the Nata sanctuary and forms the breeding ground for a host of water birds including pelicans and flamingo in their thousands, transforming the shore line into a pink haze blending into the western sky. Nata Lodge offers guided tours in open safari vehicles into the sanctuary, not to be missed. Nata Lodge offers 22 Luxury thatched chalets built on stilts and set in rustic African style, with bathroom en-suite including indoor bath and outdoor shower and now boats air-conditioning. 10 custom designed Meru tents set on wooden decks with en-suite bathroom and outdoor showers. The campsite surroundings offer peace and tranquility with backdrop being that of the Botswana night sky. The lodge's campsite is able to accommodate 150 pax and the ablution area's are stylish with semi open showers offering hot and cold water for that true African feeling. The campsite has central electrical power banks for those requiring electricity. Socket is standard RSA 3 pin round plug 240v.



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