



Luxury Namibia, Botswana & Zimbabwe Lifetime Memorable Safari Based on 12 Persons

11 July to 28 July 2022 (Namibia-USD 3983 PPS) - Add-on Botswana/Zimbabwe (USD 2013 PPS)
Tour Code MiHaORV01-PRV (Guided GROUP Tour)

The Guided Namibia tour start in WINDHOEK and end in Windhoek. Highlights: Windhoek City Centre, Etosha Wildlife, Damaraland, Sossusvlei, Desert Moon Landscape, Namib Desert, Swakopmund, Walvis Bay, Desert Moon Landscape, Naukluft Park and Savannah Bush environment.

OPTIONAL ADD-ON FROM NAMIBIA

The Guided Botswana tour start in Kasane and end in Kasane (Botswana). Highlights: Chobe Game, Victoria Falls, 4 Countries (Namibia, Botswana, Zambia, and Zimbabwe), Chobe River and Zambezi River.

TOUR Summary and Meal Plan

Abbreviations: BB = Bed and Breakfast, DBB = Dinner bed and Breakfast, FB = Full Board, FI = Fully Inclusive, SC= Self-catering, GD = Game Drive, AC = Activities					
Day #	Hotel/Lodge	Activity	CODE	Included	Excluded
1	Arebbusch Square	Airport Transfer/None	DBB	Breakfast/Dinner	Beverages
2-3	Old Traders Lodge	Refer itinerary	FB+AC	Breakfast Lunch Dinner	Beverages (Extra Activities)
4-6	Etosha Village	Open Vehicle Game Drives x2 days	DBB+GD	Packed lunch for Game Drives	Beverages
7	Mowani Mountain Camp	Himba Village	FB+AC	Himba Village Tour	Beverages
7	Mowani Mountain Camp	Damara Living Museum	AC	Damara Living Museum	Beverages
7-8	Mowani Mountain Camp	Refer itinerary	FB + AC	All meals	Beverages (Extra Activities)
9	The Delight	Spitzkoppe (NOTE: Time permitting)	AC	Entry fees included in cost	Beverages
9-10	The Delight	Refer itinerary	BB	Breakfast	Beverages
11-12	Sossusvlei Lodge	Refer itinerary	DBB+AC	Breakfast and dinner.	Beverages
13	Gocheganas	None	DBB	Breakfast and dinner	Beverages
14	Airport	Transfer. Flight to Joahannesburg Interantional Airport			
14	Tsogo SUN	None	BB	Breakfast and Dinner	Beverages
15	Airport	Transfer. Flight to BBK (Kasane)			
15/16/17	Chobe Bakwena Lodge	Refer itinerary	FB+AC	All meals	Beverages
18	Airport	Transfer. Flight to Johannesburg/destination Country			
MEAL PLAN					
Day	Lodge/Hotel	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Reason no Lunch
1	Arebbusch			1	
2	Arebbusch	1			
2	Old Traders Lodge		1	1	
3	Old Traders Lodge	1	1	1	
4	Old Traders Lodge	1			
4	Etosha Village			1	Travel Time to next destination
5	Etosha Village	1	1	1	Packed Lunch
6	Etosha Village	1	1	1	Packed Lunch
7	Etosha Village	1			
7	Mowani Mountain Camp		1	1	
8	Mowani Mountain Camp	1	1	1	
9	Mowani Mountain Camp	1			Travel Time
9	The Delight				
10	The Delight	1	1		Snacks @ Marine Cruise and
11	The Delight	1			Travel Time to next destination
11	Sossusvlei Lodge			1	Travel Time to next destination
12	Sossusvlei Lodge	1		1	Sossusvlei Dunes
13	Sossusvlei Lodge	1			Travel Time
13	Gocheganas			1	Travel Time
14	Gocheganas	1			Travel Time
14	Tsogo sun			1	Travel Time to next destination
15	Tsogo Sun	1			
15	Chobe Bakwena Lodge		1	1	
16	Chobe Bakwena Lodge	1	1	1	
17	Chobe Bakwena Lodge	1	1	1	
18	Chobe Bakwena Lodge	1			Checkout
		17	10	15	

Tour Cost – Namibia and Botswana/Zimbabwe

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NAMIBIA			
1 x Day Windhoek - Arebbusch Square (DBB)			
2 x Days Erindi - Old Traders Lodge (FB)			
3 x Days Etosha - Etosha Village (FB)			
2 x Days Damaraland - Mowani Mountain Camp (FB)			
2 x Days Swakopmund - The Delight (BB)			
2 x Day Sossusvlei - Sossusvlei Lodge (DBB)			
1 x Day Gocheganas Lodge and Spa (DBB)			
Guided Activities Park Fees Included			
Marine Cruise at Walvisbay 09h00 - 12h30, Sandwich Harbour 4x4 Tour 12h30 to 16h00			
2 x Full day Game drives Etosha, Himba Village Tour, Desert Moon Landscape, Spitzkoppe, Damara Living Museum Tour, Sossusvlei/Dead Vlei/Dune45/Big Daddy Dune/Sesriem Canyon			
Other Guided Activities available (own Account)			
SAN Bushmen Village @ Erindi			
BOTSWANA/ZIMBABWE			
3 x Chobe Bakwena (FI)			
Guided Activities Park Fees Included			
3 Activities (game drive or boat cruise) into Chobe National Park and 2 day Park Entry Fee + Victoria Falls Day Trip Zimbabwe (Unguided), Tea and Coffee, Laundry, Transfers To/From Kasane Airport/Chobe Bakwena Lodge			
SUBJECT TO EXCHANGE RATE FLUCTUATIONS (ZAR rate must be honoured)			
12 Persons- Namibia ONLY			
VEHICLE COST	GBP-Per Person	EURO-Per Person	USD-Per Person
Sprinter 17 Seat + Fuel + Insurance	432	483	586
Guide and Driver Cost	GBP	EURO	USD
Guide Fee, Accommodation, meals, All park Fees, All Activity fees, Vehicle entry fees, fuel	170	190	231
Accommodation and Activity COST - Namibia	GBP	EURO	USD
Per Person Sharing: Accommodation, Activities and Transfers	2332	2607	3,165
Per Person sharing Cost (Namibia)	2934	3280	3983
OPTIONAL ADD-ON FROM NAMIBIA			
12 Persons- SOUTH AFRICA AND ZIMBABWE ONLY (Per person sharing cost)			
Flight Windhoek to Johannesburg, Johannesburg to Kasane	GBP	EURO	USD
Flights	353	395	479
Accommodation and Activity COST - South Africa (Johannesburg)	GBP	EURO	USD
Per Person Sharing: Accommodation	72	81	98
Accommodation and Activity COST - Botswana and Zimbabwe	GBP	EURO	USD
Per Person Sharing: Accommodation, Activities and Transfers	1077	1221	1,436
TOTAL COST Zimbabwe and Botswana ONLY			USD
Total Tour Cost (Botswana and Zimbabwe)	1502	1696	2013
Per Person sharing Cost NAMIBIA/ BOTSWANA/ ZIMBABWE	4437	4976	5996

Itinerary

Day 1: Windhoek – IN:11 July, OUT:12 July 2022

Arebbusch is the ideal place to experience Windhoek at the start of your trip. Arebbusch with wide open spaces, beautiful gardens, birdlife and wildlife. Arebbusch Travel Lodge nestles in natural surroundings on the banks of the dry Arebbusch River, offering a clean, safe and family friendly environment, far from the hustle and bustle of central city life, yet minutes away from the capital's shopping centres and attractions.

Overnight Arebbusch Lodge (Square-Pool Facing) (DBB)

Note: NAD/ZAR 300 per person meal vouchers for Arebbusch A La Carte Restaurant

Day 2/3: Erindi (Otjiwarongo Area) – IN:12 July, OUT:14 July 2022

The ultimate bush luxury in an environment geared up for relaxed game viewing. Erindi comprises of 70 719 ha of pristine wilderness, and presents an amazing array of diverse landscapes. From golden savannah to dense bush with mountains, natural waterholes, grasslands and pans.

Old Traders Lodge is the perfect base for your forays into the exhilarating bush. The spacious suites have all the charm, comfort and conveniences you'd expect of a top-flight resort. Spot various game species while walking through the Camp, on the deck, or from your suite patio.

Overnight Old Traders Lodge or similar. (FB) – Superior Room

Activities Included: Guided AM and PM Game Drives in open vehicles.

Included: Accommodation, Lunch, Dinner, Breakfast, Cake Coffee & Tea, PM and AM Game drives, Tourism Levy and VAT.

Day 4/5/6: Etosha – IN:14 July, OUT:17 July 2022

A visit to the Etosha National Park is one of the highlights of travelling Namibia. Etosha, which was declared a game reserve by the German colonial administration back in 1907, covers an area of more than 22 000 square kilometres. In its centre lies a vast saltpan surrounded by grass and thorn savannah, Mopane bush land in the west and dry forest in the north-east. About two million years ago, this area was an enormous lake, fed by the Kunene River. However the lake slowly dried up because over time, the river changed its course. The Etosha National Park has a good infrastructure. Well-maintained gravel roads lead to the waterholes, where game viewing is at its best. In the three rest camps Okaukuejo, Halali and Namutoni, hotels, chalets and camping sites are available as well as restaurants, stores and swimming pools. The main entrance to the park is called the "Anderson Gate" at Okaukuejo in the south, where the park administration is also situated. The "Von Lindequist Gate" lies in the east near Namutoni. A new gate, the "Nehale lya Mpingana Gate" (King Nehale Gate) was opened at the beginning of 2003 in the north-east. The pan is just about always dry. However, in the southern parts there are have water-holes scattered throughout this area and form the basis of life for countless game. Be it a lion or an elephant, a giraffe or a zebra; almost all African animal species are represented in the huge nature reserve, approx. 22 000 square kilometres in size. There is an estimated number of 250 lions in the park, 300 rhinos, 2 500 giraffes, 6 000 zebras and more than 2 000 elephants. The dainty springbok are especially numerous, at least 20 000 of them roam the reserve. Often, they can be observed in enormous herds of several hundred animals.

Overnight at Taleni Etosha Village (DBB)

Guided activities included:

Day 5/6: 2 x Full day open vehicle game drive (lunch included)

Day 7: Himba Village Tour at Kamanjab

Day 7/8: Damaraland – IN:17 July, OUT:19 July 2022

In the heat, dust and stunning landscapes of Damaraland, there is a sanctuary – Kipwe/Mowani Mountain Camp. Dwarfed by massive ochre boulders, the camp is absorbed into the landscape, making it one with our shared history of life in this prehistoric land. Every soft curve or ragged edge frames the landscape in a different way, as if you are seeing for the first time, every time.

Guided: included:

TWO NIGHT PACKAGE Full Board (all meals) with Two Activities

Day 8: Elephant/ Nature Drive: (+-4 to 6hours in the morning, usually departing at 06h30) including drinks

Twyfelfontein, Burnt Mountain and Organ Pipes Excursion: (+-2hours in the afternoon, usually departing at 15h00) including drinks.

Day 7 or 8: Damara Living Museum

Overnight at Mowani Mountain Camp (FB)

Day 9/10: Swakopmund – IN:19 July, OUT:21 July 2022

Today's destination is the cool Atlantic Coast and the quaint town of Swakopmund.

En route to Swakopmund you will explore the Namib Desert with the rugged Kuiseb Canyon. Stop at the eerie moon landscape and marvel at the Welwitschia Mirabilis, an ancient plant endemic to the Namib Desert. En route we will explore the Namib Desert with the rugged Kuiseb Canyon, while driving along the Swakop riverbed. Take a walk through town and enjoy the mixture of colonial flair and historic architecture in Swakopmund (the historic town, the Woermannhouse, the Hohenzollernhouse, the old Magistrates Court, the historical Jail and the Jetty and the lighthouse. After arriving in Swakopmund you can explore the popular coastal resort on your own and spend time at leisure or with shopping.

Overnight The Delight Hotel. (BB)

Guided Activities included:

Day 9: Spitzkoppe activity en-route to Swakopmund

Day 10: Marine Cruise at Walvis Bay 09h00 - 12h30 (Light lunch, fresh Walvis Bay oysters, sherry, sparkling wine, water, juice & soft drinks) plus Sandwich Harbour 4x4 Tour

Day 11: Desert Moon Landscape, en-route to Sossusvlei

Day 11/12: Namib Desert (Sossusvlei) – IN:21 July, OUT:23 July 2022

Age-old camel thorn trees and unsurpassed 360 degrees views dominate the desert landscape towards the mountain-range in the distance. Fascinating Sossusvlei is one of the landscapes making the difference to the Namibian destination. Here, time stopped and you enter into the heart of the Namib Desert. Enormous pink and red dunes mixing with Granite Mountains embedded in yellow and pitch black plains where the Oryx antelope has made its kingdom. Dry white pans covered by dead trees. At Dune 45, the more energetic have the opportunity to climb to the upper ridge of the world's most photographed dune. Further along, a gradual 2.6 kilometer round-trip takes you to the well photographed "Dead Vlei". Sossusvlei is at the 'end of road' and the highlight of the day. We also visit the rugged Sesriem Canyon, where the Tsauchab River and erosion have incised a narrow gorge over the millennia. The permanent water pools at its bottom have ensured the survival of nomadic populations in pre-historic times as well as that of early European explorers and the so-called Thirstland Trekkers, in more recent centuries.

Overnight Sossusvlei Lodge (DBB)

Guided Activities Included:

Day 12: Sossusvlei/Dead Vlei/Dune45/Big Daddy Dune/Sesriem Canyon (Includes: Entrance fees to the National Park & Still Mineral Water)

Day 13: Savannah Bush – IN:23 July, OUT:24 July 2022

With 25 different wildlife species located on a 6000 hectare Nature Reserve, game drives and walking activities are welcomed as an enriching experience. Wellness facilities and treatments of a world class standard ensure a renewal of mind, body and spirit.

Wellness is a holistic approach to health that combines all aspects of physical, mental and spiritual well-being to realign mind, body and soul. It is a place where the noise of our busy lives is drowned out by the whispers of tranquility, a place where we can draw upon the strength of a healthy body and the sanctuary of our inner calm. The GocheGanas Wellness Village boasts a top of the range selection of wellness treatments, products and services. Other facilities include eleven treatment rooms with state of the art equipment such as a crystal bath, hydrotherapy bath, a Vichy shower, as well as a heated indoor pool, a cave sauna in a cathedral like masonry vault, a well-equipped fitness gym, fruit and juice bar, thus making a visit to GocheGanas Wellness Village a unique experience.

Overnight at GocheGanas Private Game Reserve and Wellness Centre (DBB)

Day 14: Flight from Windhoek to Johannesburg, Johannesburg to Kasane:24 July 2022

FLIGHT ITINERARY

1. Windhoek to Johannesburg 01h55



Airlink 4Z125, Economy

**Windhoek, Hosea Kutako International WDH Johannesburg, O.R. Tambo International JNB
13:20 - 15:15. 8kg hand baggage, 20kg**

2. Johannesburg to Kasane 01h45m



Airlink 4Z306, Economy

**Johannesburg, O.R. Tambo International JNB, Kasane BBK
11:40 - 13:25. 8kg hand baggage, 20kg**

DAY 14: Johannesburg – IN:24 July, OUT:25 July 2022

The stylish, comfortable Southern Sun O.R. Tambo International Airport hotel is conveniently located directly adjacent to Johannesburg's International Airport. Several Johannesburg's most important business facilities, commercial hubs, shopping centres and restaurants are found nearby.

Southern Sun O.R. Tambo International Airport hotel offers guests a complimentary return shuttle service from the airport to the hotel, as well as a bus service to the nearby Rhodesfield station - part of the Gautrain high-speed rapid rail transit system.

Overnight at Tsogo Sun. (DBB)

Day 15/16/17: Botswana – IN:25 July, OUT:28 July 2022

Adjacent to the Chobe River, this refined all-inclusive ecolodge outside Chobe National Park is 4 km from the Kazungula Ferry to Zambia and 13 km from Kasane Airport. Relaxed chalets with thatched roofs feature river views, mosquito nets and ceiling fans, plus indoor and open-air showers. All offer verandas with sitting areas; some are raised 3 m above ground. A family chalet has interconnecting bedrooms.

Includes:

- Accommodation, all meals, laundry, levies & taxes
- Wine, beer, cider, soft drinks, water
- Two activities per day (2-night stay = 4 x activities)
- Transfers to and from Kasane airport and to & from Zambia/Zimbabwe border
- Chobe National Park Fees
- **Guests may exchange 2 x activities for a Victoria Falls unguided day trip**

Overnight Chobe Bakwena Lodge or similar (FI)

Day 18: Airport Transfer (BBK-Kasane) – 28 July 202

Cost Valid until 31 October 2022 (Subject to exchange rate)

Inclusions and Exclusions

Included:

- 17 Seated Iveco Safari Bus + Driver/Guide + Insurance + Fuel + Driver accommodation and meals (Namibia side)
- Open game drive vehicles @ Old Traders Lodge/Etosha/ Mowani/ Sossusvlei/Botswana
- 4x4 vehicles for Sandwich Harbour @ Swakopmund
- Airport to Hotel transfer return (Johannesburg)
- Flight Windhoek (HKIA) to Johannesburg (JNB)
- Flight Johannesburg (JNB) to Kasane (BBK)
- 17 nights' accommodation in comfortable guesthouses/guest farms/tourist class lodges.
- Free Wi-Fi at all lodges
- Transfers as stated
- Meals and activities as stated
- Park Fees as stated
- 1 x Airport collection (Windhoek)

Excluded:

- Fees for nature conservation areas/park fees, unless stated
- Flights not specified/airport taxes/ Visa & Permits / Travel Insurances of any kind
- Tips & gratuities to hotel/restaurant personnel and guides
- Alcoholic and any other beverages in addition to those included above
- Any optional services/meals/activities/excursions not included/not mentioned in the itinerary
- Any expense of a personal nature such as for phone calls, laundry services, souvenirs, and similar

Terms and Conditions -Short

- 20% deposit required on acceptance.
- 6 x monthly instalments
- Full settlement of tour price 120 days prior to arrival.
- Tariffs quoted subject to change without prior notice.
- If the quotation is in ZAR (South African Rand) and it is subject to the USD/EURO/POUND/or any other currency **exchange rate**, the quoted ZAR rate must be honored.

How to pack and what to bring

Clothing

Sun hat/bush hat

Headscarf/bandana – particularly for dusty dry regions

Golf-shirts and/or T-shirts – preferably with a sleeve to protect your shoulders from the sun Long-sleeved cotton shirts

Shorts and/or skirts — really short skirts are not practical for getting in and out of game drive vehicles Long trousers/slacks, Track suit
Pajamas — lightweight for summer and warm/thermal for winter
Underwear — on game drives the roads can be bumpy and uneven so a suitable bra may be required
Socks — thermal options are recommended for the winter months
Good closed walking shoes (running/tennis shoes are fine) Sandals — preferably low heeled or flat if you are going on safari Swimming costume
Lightweight jersey or fleece in summer Light rain gear or jacket for summer months
Warm jersey or fleece plus anorak or parka in winter
Scarf, gloves and beanies/woollen hats for the cold winter months
More formal attire for your stay at prestigious city hotels or on one of the luxury trains.

Equipment/Other

Power plug requirements:

<https://www.power-plugs-sockets.com/namibia/>

<https://www.power-plugs-sockets.com/botswana/>

Good quality sunglasses, UV protected, preferably polarized. Tinted fashion glasses are not good in strong light.

If you wear contact lenses, we recommend that you bring along a pair of glasses in case you get irritation from the dust.

Personal toiletries (basic amenities are supplied by most establishments) Moisturizing cream and suntan lotion — SPF 30 or higher recommended Insect repellent for body application, e.g. Tabard, Rid, Jungle Juice, etc. Tissues/Wet Wipes

Basic medical kit (aspirins, plasters, Imodium, antiseptic cream and antihistamine cream, etc.) Malaria tablets (if applicable)

Antihistamine tablets if you suffer from any allergies Anti-nausea tablets if you suffer from motion sickness Torch

Southern African bird guide if you are a keen birder, e.g., Newman's or Sasol

Camera equipment including spare batteries, chargers, film, flash cards, memory sticks, etc. Waterproof/dustproof bag or cover for your camera

We highly recommend that you bring your own pair of binoculars for viewing both wildlife and birds.

The recommended general purpose binocular specifications are 8x40 or 10x42.

Visas, tickets, passports, money, credit cards, insurance details, etc.

NOTE 1: Bright colours and white are not advisable whilst on safari. Camouflage nothing is not recommended for travel in African countries.

NOTE 2: There may be a restriction on luggage limits on your safari — please ensure that you have the details from your agent according to your itinerary and ask your agent ahead of time if you would like details on the feasibility and costs of taking excess luggage with you on any of these restricted luggage safaris.

NOTE 3: Your own reference materials. However, we highly recommend that you do bring your own pair of binoculars in order to get the most out of your safari.