

7 Days – Etosha, Swakopmund & Naankuse Guided Safaris

Day 1 Arrival to Namibia, Hosea Kutako International airport to Windhoek

Today upon your arrival your respective guide and the representative of our Company People's Tours and Safaris will welcome you to Namibia Land of the Brave. Before he transfers you to Windhoek to your accommodation your guide will brief you in shot about your 12 days' safari. He will transfer you to your first accommodation to Windhoek Town Lodge. Light lunch is had at one of the small cozy small café in town. After freshening up from the long flight your guide will advise you the time he will meet you at the main area and to take you on City Tour to explore Windhoek the capital city of Namibia. However, he will take you to most important historical areas. Dinner is at one of the famous restaurants in town.

City Tour:

If times allows, you spend the day exploring Windhoek. You visit the Christ Church (Christuskirche), the National Museum and the Alte Feste or take the opportunity to go shopping in One of the modern malls. And don't forget to try a typical Namibia dish, Kapana or biltong, before returning to your temporary home at the end of an exciting day.



Overnight at: Elegant Guesthouse

Meal Basis: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner + City Tour

Day 2

Windhoek to Etosha National Park

Departing after breakfast you continue your journey north to Etosha National Park. We make a short stop for essential supplies in the small town of Otjwarongo before continuing to Etosha National Park.

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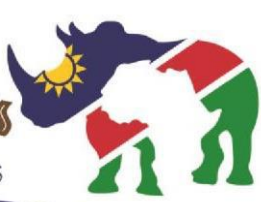
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After setting up your campsite you will head out into Etosha in search of big game. Elephant, rhino, giraffe and the big cats are often seen in this area. You also look for the smaller species, several types of antelope and gazelle abound, zebra are common and the bird life can be spectacular.

All visitors must be back in camp at sunset, but the 'game show' doesn't stop when the sun goes down. Assessable on foot and only a short walk from your campsite, Okaukuejo is justly famous for its flood lit waterhole where you are afforded the chance to see all of Etosha's treasures. Big cats, elephant and the whole spectrum of smaller game, but in particular, this is our best chance of getting up close to a black rhino. Namibia is the last stronghold of these critically endangered creatures but here, at Okaukuejo, they are regular visitors.



Overnight at: Okaukuejo Waterhole Chalets
Day 3

Meal Basis: Lunch, Dinner, Breakfast + PM Nature drive
Etosha National Park

You have the whole day to explore Etosha National Park from your private safari vehicle and we want to make the most of it. The park gates open at sunrise and after a quick cup of coffee and a snack we will aim to be on our way as the sun horizon. Early morning is usually a productive time for game viewing, since many predators are active mostly in the morning hours. If we are lucky then you will spot some of the hunting or done and busy with their prey, they catch for the day.



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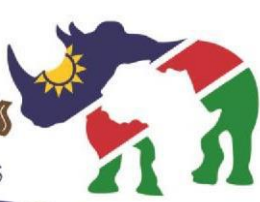
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Etosha is a desert landscape and water is the most scarce natural resource. There are however numerous waterholes here, both natural and man-made, and our game driving technique is to take you on a breath taking drive. Morning hours is the best time to see many animals at the waterholes. During the day the temperature of the heat at times going high and then it's also very rare to find the animals at the waterholes.

Lunch is had en route at one of the famous picnic spots. Which is secure and fenced off. After having nice light lunch. You will continue with your game viewing drive and keeping a sharp lookout for game as you drive back to Okaukuejo, and arrive back at our campsite just before sunset and in time for the best hour of the day at Okaukuejo waterhole You return to the camp and your guide will start preparing dinner whilst you refreshing and be at your leisure.

Overnight at: Okaukuejo Resort Waterhole Chalets

**Meal Basis: Lunch, Dinner, Breakfast
+ PM Nature Drive**

Day 4

Etosha National Park to Swakopmund

After breakfast we aim to be on the road by 07:30 today. We are heading for the Skeleton Coast scenic drive. We first head south on the main road, passing the small town of Outjo, then you travel through an area known as Damaraland.

Damaraland is famed for its scenery, mountains, open grasslands, tall small hills, of round pick granite boulders, wide open spaces and big sky. We also have a chance to meet some of the locals as there are several places along the road where we can find informal shops selling locally made, hand crafted souvenirs. Represented here we usually find ladies from the Himba, Herero and Damara tribes and most often they are wearing their traditional attire.

As you continue with your safari to the north and west into the diverse Damaraland with appreciating and with marvelous scenery of the area. You pass Namibia's highest mountain, the Brandberg which peaks at 2,573 m above sea level, and take time to view game and absorb the vastness of the scenery along the way. You will enjoy the spectacular landscape of Damaraland and the stunning views.

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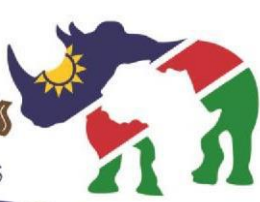
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You connect en route to the coastline of Namibia which is known as the Skeleton Coast and it is easy to see why this barren seaboard is so named with its forbidding mountains and barren beaches. You will see some of the shipwrecks on the shore where you can have a stop for some stunning photo shots.

You arrive late afternoon and the rest of the day can be spent exploring the town by feet. You return and freshen up for your dinner at one of the famous restaurants.

Swakopmund:

Swakopmund is much loved by Namibians as a welcome respite from the heat of the interior. It is also popular among visitors because of its old world charm and relaxed atmosphere. Founded in 1892 during German colonial rule, it served as the territory's main harbour for many years. Today this quaint desert town, hedged between desert and sea, is enhanced by lush green lawns, elegant palm trees and carefully tended public gardens. Swakop has wide choice of hotels, pensions and restaurants and several coffee shops selling traditional cakes and pastries. The coast with its desert hinterland offers many options, both for adventure and for relaxation.



Overnight at: Swakopmund Sands Hotel
Day 5

Meal Basis: Lunch, Dinner, Breakfast

Swakopmund

Today after breakfast you meet with your driver at the lobby and head to the meeting point for the most excitement activity. Sandboarding. You can choose between the lie down and stand up sandboarding. This will be unforgettable experience that you will have at our mighty dunes. This activity is mostly done in the morning hours due to weather permitting. You return for Lunch and the afternoon is spent on another excitement activity, quad biking. You return and freshen up. Dinner is had at one of the famous restaurant.



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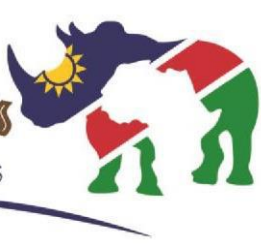
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Sandboarding Lie Down:



Quad Bike Tours at Swakopmund:

At Swakopmund quad bike tours and activities for the Namib Desert and its gigantic ever shifting sand dunes offers the ideal venue for riding a quad bike. Get ready for lots of excitement and a rush of adrenaline as you climb some of the biggest dunes around. We offer Quad bike rides with different route of tours. All the activities are offered are guided. No Previous experience needed. Our provisional guides will make sure you have the most excitement experience at the Namib Desert at first hand. They will lead you through the Swakopmund River mouth into the dune belt. Our quad bike tours include the Amphitheatre, Roller Coasters, Big Billy and Devil's Dip dunes. Quad biking is very safe – you are guided by an experienced and knowledgeable guide. You are also provided with safety equipment. Tours include water, guides, safety gear and local transfers and loads of fun. Quad boking is one of the most popular activities in Swakopmund so book ahead to avoid disappointment.



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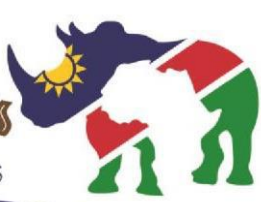
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Overnight at: Swakopmund Sands Hotel

**Meal Basis: Lunch, Dinner, Breakfast+ AM Sandboarding
+ PM Quad biking**

Day 6

Swakopmund to N/a'ankuse Wildlife Sanctuary

After Scrumptious breakfast you travel back towards the N/a'an ku sê Lodge via Windhoek. You arrive late afternoon and lunch is had en route. If times allows you will stop at Okahandja for last minute shopping before you proceed to Naankuse Lodge. After checking in you will be off on the full carnivore feeding and you return to the Lodge for your dinner.

Carnivore Feeding – as you can see the big cats are on their way for their meal. Very excited and you will have the most remarkable time.

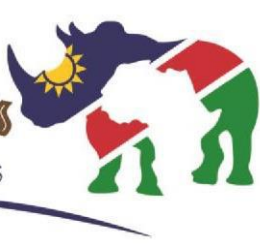


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Naankuse Lodge:

Naankuse Lodge is located only 30-minutes from Hosea Kutako International Airport, the award-winning Naankuse Lodge offers stunning accommodation amidst a 3,200-hectare nature reserve. Our lodge is a not-for-profit eco-tourism establishment, where all profits are plowed back into supporting our charitable projects under the Naankuse Foundation.



Overnight at: Naankuse Lodge

**Meal Basis: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
+ PM Carnivore feeding**

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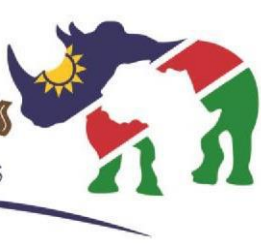
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You guide will collect you from Naankuse Lodge and transfer you back to Hosea Kutako International Airport. You need to be at the airport approximately 3 hours before our scheduled flight departure. You also say your goodbyes to your guide.

BON VOYAGE!!!

**Your Total Amount for the 7 days' safari:
Per Person Sharing = NAD/ZAR 29 111.00**

INCLUDED / EXCLUDED

Includes:

- Accommodations
- Vehicle
- Tour Guide
- Activities & Entrance Fees as stated
- Meals as stated

Excludes:

- Local and International flights
- All expenses of a personal nature
- Visa Fees
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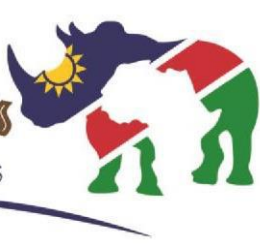


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Travel Info



Namibia is situated in the South – Western corner of Africa and is a land of remarkable contrasts. Despite its size (four times the size of Great Britain), It is sparsely populated with an estimated population of 2.1 Million people. The small population is largely due to the arid conditions, with a national average rainfall of 270mm per year.

Visa: It is advisable to double –check visa requirements for your country of origin prior to travelling Visas are valid for up to three months from date of entry.

Time Zone: GMT+-2 in the summer (the first Sunday in September to the first Sunday in April);
GMT+-1 in the winter (the first Sunday in April to the first Sunday in September)

Electricity: 220volts AC50hz

Mobile Phones: Mobile communication system is GSM, roaming agreements exist with most international mobile phone operators. Coverage is limited areas.

Internet: There are internet cafes situated throughout the country and most hospitality establishments offer an internet service.

Shopping: Windhoek and Swakopmund offer a selection of stylish shops. Local crafts are sold in specialised, shops, as well as at street markets, most shops are open from Monday to Saturday, with selected shops and street markets open daily.

Money: The Namibian Dollar (NAD: symbol N\$) is the country's official currency.it is equivalent to the South African Rand which is also legal tender in Namibia.

Currency Exchange: Traveller's cheques can be exchanged during normal banking hours at any of the commercial banks, or at bureau de change offices.

Credit Cards: American Express, Diners Club, MasterCard and Visa are accepted. Check with your credit/debit card company for details of merchant acceptability and other services which may be available. Credit cards are not usually accepted at petrol station. ATM's for cash withdrawal are readily available in all towns.

Air Travel: The National airline is Air Namibia, offering daily flights from Frankfurt to Windhoek. British Airways, South African Airways, Air Berlin and TAAG also fly to Namibia. Flying time from Frankfurt to Windhoek is 11 hours and flying time between Windhoek and Johannesburg/Cape Town is 2 hours. Departure taxes are levied but included in the ticket price.

Air Charter: Visitors pressed for time may opt to travel from A to B by air. Planes can be chartered from several reputable charter companies.

Travelling by Road: Namibia has approximately 5 450km of well-maintained tarred roads and 37 000km of gravel roads which differ in condition. Vehicles travel on the left-hand side of road. Self-drive visitors should exercise caution when driving on gravel roads. Do not exceed 80km/h.

Car Hire: All major international can rentals are represented in Namibia. Vehicles are available at the Airport and Windhoek city centre, as well as some of the other major centres. An International Driving Permit is required.

What to Pack: Namibia has typical semi-desert climate with hot days and cool nights. It is therefore advisable to include both summer and winter clothing.



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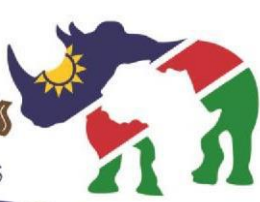
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Checklist: A small first aid kit, sunglasses, sun protection cream, a hat, moisturizing lotion and lip balm, comfortable walking shoes, a swimsuit, binoculars, toiletries, a small torch, travel insurance documents, and a telephone list (of family/friends/medical practitioner back home to contact in case of emergency) are recommended.

Health: Private medical care in major towns and cities is good, especially in Windhoek. There are several private clinics which maintain international standards. Most remote towns have a modest hospital or clinic.

Vaccinations: Take the usual precautions and consult your doctor. There are no mandatory vaccinations for travelers from Europe. The risk of contracting malaria is restricted mainly to the northern parts of the country and is usually limited to the wet summer months.

Insurance: It is advisable to take out foreign travel health insurance which includes cover for repatriation. When signing for insurance, ensure that the cost for emergency flights within Namibia is covered, as well as repatriation to your home country. Emergency air evacuation is generally reliable if all paperwork is available and in order. Ensure your contract and passport are easily accessible in case of an emergency.

Weather: The Namib Desert coastline is usually cool with a thick coastal fog. The country has summer rainfall. Summer temperatures are high while the nights are cool. Winter nights can be very cold, but days are generally pleasant. In summer (September to April) the average interior temperature ranges from 20-34C during the day. Temperatures above 40C are often recorded in the extreme north and south of the country. The coast has a relatively stable range of 15-25C. In Winter (April-September) temperatures in the interior range from 18-25C during the day and can drop to below freezing at night.



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