

# BOTSWANA – CHOBE & MOREMI FULLY SERVICED GUIDED SAFARI 2020 – 7 Days/6 Nights

This safari is perfect for those wishing to visit the best wilderness areas in Botswana in very comfortable mobile camping safari style. Starting in Maun and ending in Kasane or vice versa.

The Fully Serviced Safari is a non participation safari, where the camp crew will carry out all the necessary camp chores to keep the safari running smoothly. The tents are large (3mx3m) canvas dome tents with camp beds and bedding provided. Each tent has an ensuite bush toilet and shower. The maximum number of guests per vehicle is 9 ensuring that everyone gets a window seat. All soft drinks, mineral water and local alcohols are included.



#### HIGHLIGHTS

- o 2 nights Moremi Game Reserve
- o 2 nights Savuti in Chobe National Park
- 2 nights on the Chobe River in Chobe National Park
- o River cruise on the Chobe River
- o Mokoro excursion



Please note: As the safari starts at 7.30am on Day 1 it is a requirement that you pre-night in Maun. We can assist with pre-safari arrangements. This safari is also offered as a semi participation safari at a lower cost with regular departures.

### PRE-SAFARI OPTION:

You have the opportunity to take a scenic flight from Maun over the Delta to see the islands and twisting water channels from the air (COST: from €120 based on minimum 3 passengers participating).

#### Days 1-2: Moremi Game Reserve, camping

Your guide will meet you at 7.30 am at a pre-arranged meeting point in Maun. From Maun you will drive through to Moremi Game Reserve, one of the best wilderness areas of Botswana which covers swamp and dry areas. The next two days will be spent searching for the wide variety of wildlife and birds that this area is renowned for, while absorbing the sounds and beauty of this region. A mokoro excursion will take you along a channel of the Khwai River to view game from another perspective and to experience this tranquil mode of transport. Game drives in the early morning as the sun rises and in the late afternoon as the sun sets will be the norm.

Camping will be in private designated campsites with ensuite bush ablutions on every tent. (B,L,D)

Day 1: Maun – Moremi Game Reserve: 150km, 6h (including game drive) Mokoro excursion: 2,5 h



### Days 3-4: Savuti/Zwezwe - Chobe National Park, camping

Chobe National Park, with its diverse and striking landscapes, will be your next destination. As you continue your search for wildlife, you will traverse the drier region of Savuti where bull elephants dot the plains. Savuti is very well known for its predators such as lion, leopard, cheetah and even African wild dog. The Savuti Channel has started flowing again after being dry for the last 30 years. The arrival of water is changing the landscape as well as accommodating different species which historically have not been able to survive in the rather arid plains of Savuti. This exciting event has allowed large breeding herds of elephant as well as buffalo to visit the area. Camping will be in private designated campsites with ensuite bush ablutions on every tent. (B,L,D)

Day 3: Moremi – Savuti: 120km. 5-6h



#### Days 5-6: Chobe River - Chobe National Park, camping

You will then head northwards to the Chobe River where your game drives will meander along the banks of the river, followed by the call of the majestic African Fish Eagle. The Chobe River Floodplain is an amazing game viewing area where water attracts large herds of buffalo, elephant, zebra and other herbivores. Due to the proliferation of prey, predators are likely to be close at hand. Sun sets in this region as always spectacular and allow amazing photographic opportunities.

While in Northern Chobe, you will enjoy a cruise on the Chobe River. This experience allows you to get a closer look at the aquatic animals and birds not easily approached on safari.

Camping will be in private designated campsites with ensuite bush ablutions on every tent. (B,L,D)



**Dining tent** 



Tents (3m X3m X1.95m) have stretcher beds, bucket shower and dug loo attached

**Day 7** Transfer after your Chobe River cruise to Kasane where your safari ends at 12 noon. We are happy to arrange post-tour accommodation, activities and transfers to Livingstone Airport or lodges, and Victoria Falls Airport or lodges at an additional cost.

# 2020 COST PER PERSON IN US DOLLARS - NORTH BOUND – Maun to Kasane, SOUTH BOUND – Kasane to Maun

	Nov - June: US\$ 2,540 (Low Season) July – Oct: US\$ 2,695 (High Season)	
CODE	DEPATURE DATES	SEASON
BWFS 2001 North Bound	03 Mar – 09 Mar	Low
BWFS 2002 South Bound	09 Mar – 15 Mar	Low
BWFS 2003 North Bound	24 Mar – 30 Mar	Low
BWFS 2004 South Bound	30 Mar – 05 Apr	Low
BWFS 2005 North Bound	07 Apr – 13 Apr	Low
BWFS 2006 South Bound	13 Apr – 19 Apr	Low
BWFS 2007 North Bound	28 Apr – 04 May	Low
BWFS 2008 South Bound	04 May – 10 May	Low
BWFS 2009 North Bound	19 May – 25 May	Low
BWFS 2010 South Bound	25 May – 31 May	Low
BWFS 2011 North Bound	02 Jun – 08 Jun	Low
BWFS 2012 South Bound	08 Jun – 14 Jun	Low

BWFS 2013 North Bound	16 Jun – 22 Jun	High
BWFS 2014 South Bound	22 Jun – 28 Jun	High
BWFS 2015 North Bound	07 Jul – 13 Jul	High
BWFS 2016 South Bound	13 Jul – 19 Jul	High
BWFS 2017 North Bound	21 Jul – 27 Jul	High
BWFS 2018 South Bound	27 Jul – 02 Aug	High
BWFS 2019 North Bound	04 Aug – 10 Aug	High
BWFS 2020 South Bound	10 Aug – 16 Aug	High
BWFS 2021 North Bound	18 Aug – 24 Aug	High
BWFS 2022 South Bound	24 Aug – 30 Aug	High
BWFS 2023 North Bound	01 Sep – 07 Sep	High
BWFS 2024 South Bound	07 Sep – 13 Sep	High
BWFS 2025 North Bound	15 Sep – 21 Sep	High
BWFS 2026 South Bound	21Sep – 27 Sep	High
BWFS 2027 North Bound	29 Sep – 05 Oct	High
BWFS 2028 South Bound	05 Oct – 11 Oct	High
BWFS 2029 North Bound	13 Oct – 19 Oct	High
BWFS 2030 South Bound	19 Oct – 25 Oct	High
BWFS 2031 North Bound	27 Oct – 02 Nov	High
BWFS 2032 South Bound	02 Nov – 08 Nov	Low
BWFS 2033 North Bound	10 Nov – 16 Nov	Low
BWFS 2034 South Bound	16 Nov – 22 Nov	Low
BWFS 2035 North Bound	08 Dec – 14 Dec	Low
BWFS 2036 South Bound	14 Dec – 20 Dec	Low

NORTH BOUND – Maun to Kasane

SOUTH BOUND – Kasane to Maun

Tour departures guaranteed – minimum 2 persons travelling.

### **2020 COST INCLUDES**

- Accommodation (spacious bow tents with camp bed and full bedding with ensuite bush ablutions)
- $\circ$   $\,$  Transfers and activities as per the itinerary
- Meals that are indicated (B breakfast, L –lunch, D – dinner), tea/coffees, soft drinks, local alcohols, mineral water

## 2020 COST DOES NOT INCLUDE

- o Visas
- o Airport transfers
- o Tips
- SINGLE SUPPLEMENT €500 if you wish to guarantee a tent / room by yourself. If a single guest is willing to share with another guest of the same gender there is no supplement charged.

- Services of a Professional Guide and Camp Assistants
- All Botswana national park fees for activities included in the itinerary
- o Transport in specialised safari vehicles.
- o Curios
- Optional excursions (scenic flight over the Delta and activities in Livingstone/Victoria Falls)
- Insurance to cover for cancellation and curtailment, medical, baggage, emergency evacuation.



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