

## DELTA AND FALLS PREMIUM ACCOMMODATED ADVENTURE 08Nights / 09Days



Windhoek + Namibia to Victoria Falls + Zambia + Namibia + Botswana + Zambia

### ITINERARY

#### Day 1: WINDHOEK

Explore Windhoek during the day and meet your group and your tour leader in the evening at 18:00 to get acquainted and review your trip details. Windhoek is a tiny capital town but with loads of interesting things to offer. One of the most famous is the display of 33 meteorites, the Gibeon Meteorites in the Post Street Mall. Here you can take pictures



of and touch these extra-terrestrial bodies that are corrosive resistant due to the high amount of nickel in them. Shopping opportunities abound and for the historically inclined there are many museums and historical buildings within walking distance around the town centre. One of the most widely photographed and a historical landmark is the Christ Church, a Lutheran church, built in the Gothic revival style.

**Meals:** N/A

**Accommodation:** Comfort Hotel

**Activities Included:** Welcome Meeting @ 18:00

**Activities Optional:** Explore the City, Craft Market

**Entrance Fees Included:** N/A

## Day 2: WINDHOEK TO GHANZI (BOTSWANA)

Depart Windhoek early for a long drive through the eastern part of Namibia, crossing the border into Botswana and travelling into the heart of the Kalahari Desert. Ghanzi Trail Blazers is the farm where San (Bushmen) live who still have the knowledge of an ancient lifestyle and who are eager to welcome visitors into their almost forgotten world. In the evening enjoy an optional ancient dance ritual performed around a campfire by the San and if the night is clear, enjoy the sparkling, starry skies for which Ghanzi is famous.



Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

**Accommodation:** Bungalow/Lodge

**Activities Included:** N/A

**Activities Optional:** Bushmen Dances PM

**Entrance Fees Included:** N/A

## Day 3: GHANZI TO MAUN (BOTSWANA)

Enjoy a morning walk with the San (Bushmen) as they display their survival skills that's been passed on from generation to generation before departing Ghanzi and arriving in Maun, Botswana's fifth largest town, after lunchtime. Once you



arrive in Maun you will have the option to get a spectacular birds-eye view of the Okavango Delta from above in a small fixed wing aircraft (weather permitting). Looking down on the Delta from the aircraft, you will get a fair idea of the magnitude of this massive mix of land and water with its intricate system of channels and islands. You might also see families of elephant, giraffe, and herds of buffalo or even hippos from the air. If you skip the flight, you'll have the chance to kick back and relax at the lodge.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

**Accommodation:** Tented Rooms

**Activities Included:** Bushmen Walk AM

**Activities Optional:** Delta Flight PM

**Entrance Fees Included:** N/A

## Day 4: MAUN

Today you will experience a new way of travelling – to go into the Okavango Delta with a mokoro in the same way as the local people do. A mokoro is a traditional dug-out canoe that seats two people. Your engine is a human being called a poler. The first part of the journey is in a 4x4 vehicle to the "polling station" where the mokoros and polers are waiting.



Once you are comfortable and laid back in your mokoro, the slow and tranquil journey into The Delta begins. Gliding along on the quiet water you will have an unlimited source of opportunities to take stunning pictures of your surroundings. How long the mokoro journey will take, will depend on the time of year and water levels of the Delta. You will stop for lunch at an island and enjoy a nature walk of a few hours. Then you head back to Maun again in your mokoro enjoying a last hour or two on the water while the late afternoon sun starts heading for the horizon.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

**Accommodation:** Tented Rooms

**Activities Included:** Okavango Delta Day Trip – Mokoro Trail, Nature Walk

**Activities Optional:** N/A

**Entrance Fees Included:** Okavango Delta

### Day 5: MAUN TO ELEPHANTS SANDS

Set out for Elephant Sands, which is close to the Botswanan village of Nata. Elephant Sands is famous for its watering hole, voted as one of the top ten watering holes in Africa. At this watering hole, you can expect to see animals such as wild dogs, different antelope species and of course elephants that walk through the campsite searching for fresh water. This will probably be the closest you will get to these wild animals on foot. With luck on your side, you may have the wonderful and unique experience of sitting in front of your tented room, watching elephants and other animals come and go to quench their thirst at the watering hole while you sip on a sundowner yourself.



**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch

**Accommodation:** Tented Rooms

**Activities Included:** Watering Hole at Camp

**Activities Optional:** N/A

**Entrance Fees Included:** N/A

### Day 6: ELEPHANTS SANDS TO CHOBE RIVER (KASANE).

Continue to the small town of Kasane, which is adjacent to the Chobe National Park & Chobe River. Relish the views during your included afternoon sunset boat cruise. Take your own sundowner with you as you look for wildlife on the banks of the Chobe River. Game such as elephant, buffalo, kudu, bushbuck, hippo, giraffe and sable are commonly seen along the river edge, and it's a birdwatcher's paradise during the summer months. (You have an opportunity to go on an optional photo safari at your own expense, however, you would forfeit the included afternoon sunset boat cruise).



**Meals:** Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Bungalow/Lodge-

**Activities Included:** Chobe Boat Cruise

**Activities Optional:** Pangolin Photo Safari

**Entrance Fees Included:** Chobe National Park

### Day 7: CHOBE RIVER (KASANE) TO LIVINGSTONE (VICTORIA FALLS - ZAMBIA)

You can't ask for a better way to start your day in search of wild animals on your included game drive in Chobe National Park. Afterwards, cross into Zambia and enjoy a short drive to the magnificent Victoria Falls and its charming little town,



Livingstone. This is your home base for the next two nights. The Victoria Falls is not the widest or highest falls but is regarded as the world's biggest. It produces a breath-taking curtain of falling water as it drops into the gorge below. See why it's considered among one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Bungalow/Lodge

**Activities Included:** Chobe National Park, Game Drive with Open Safari Vehicles

**Activities Optional:** White Water Rafting, Bungee Jumping, Helicopter Flights, Boat Cruise

**Entrance Fees Included:** Chobe National Park

### Day 8: LIVINGSTONE (VICTORIA FALLS)

Today you will have time to do some of the action-filled activities that the area offers. Bungee jump or gorge swing off the Victoria Falls Bridge that links Zambia and Zimbabwe and have a different view of the Victoria Falls at the same time.



This bridge is constructed to carry railway, road and foot traffic. For an adrenaline activity, closer to the Zambezi River, choose a half day or full day white water rafting adventure. Many of our groups opt to book their final evening together aboard a sunset cruise along the Zambezi River with game-viewing, beautiful scenery and an open bar.

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Bungalow/Lodge

**Activities Included:** N/A

**Activities Optional:** White Water Rafting, Bungee Jumping, Helicopter Flights, Boat Cruise

**Entrance Fees Included:** N/A

### Day 9: LIVINGSTONE (VICTORIA FALLS)

Our last goodbye, a healthy breakfast and the end of another incredible tour.

**Meals:** Breakfast