

AGENDA

3:45 PM – 5:00 PM: Regional Overview Zimbabwe, Zambia, South Africa

SOUTHERN AFRICA: ZIMBABWE



DISCOVER AFRICA

Zimbabwe



POPULATION 15,178,979 (2022)



ENTRY DATE 1995





CAMPS 6 camps





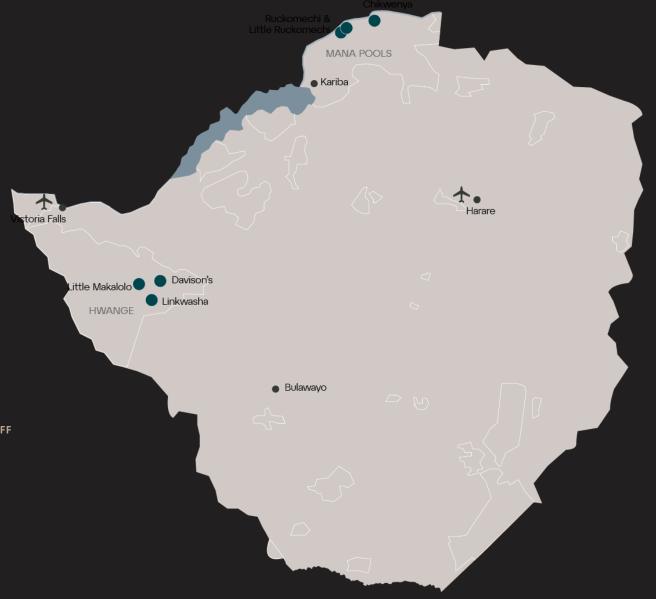
AIRCRAFT
2 charter planes



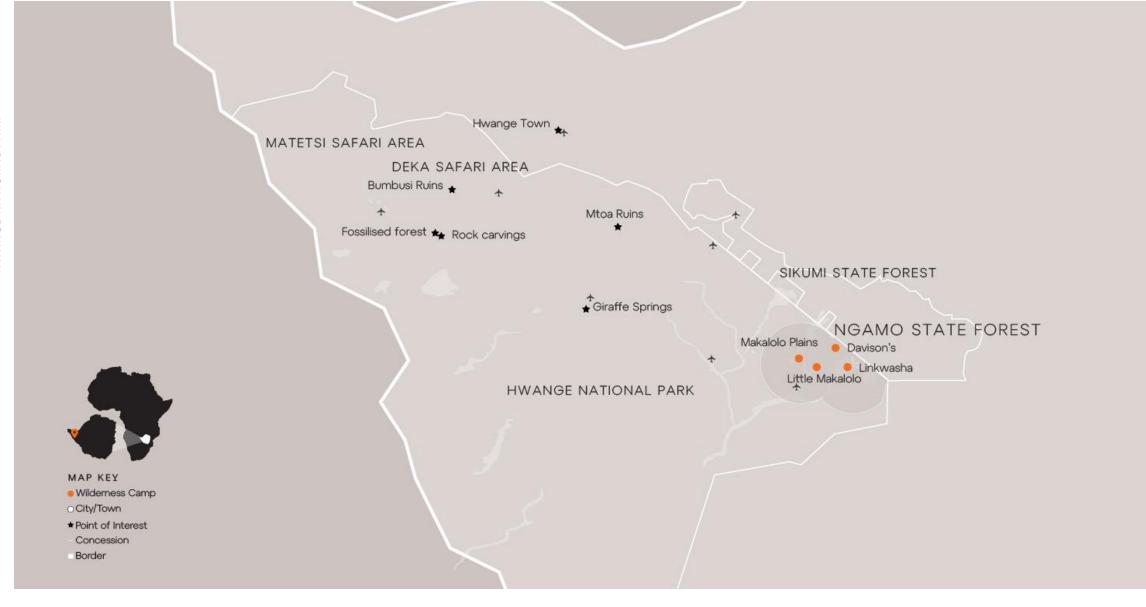
LAND UNDER PROTECTION 106,838 km² (27%)

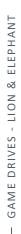


WILDERNESS STAFF 375+

























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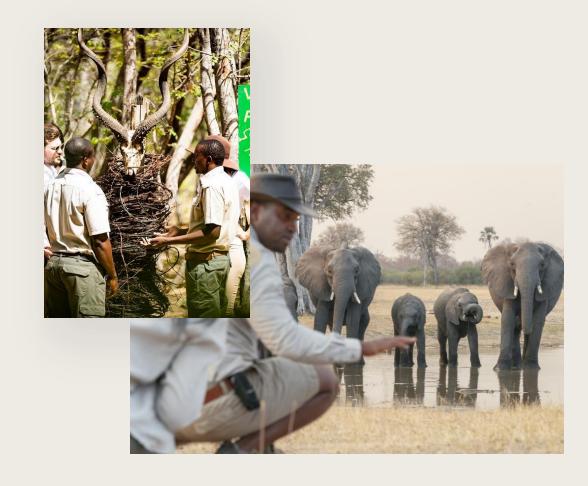
Hwange Against All Odds

Despite all the challenges Zimbabwe has faced over the years (political unrest, social upheaval, hyperinflation and virtual economic collapse), we have continued to drive conservation tourism in the region, making a massive positive impact on the wildlife of the area and local community empowerment.

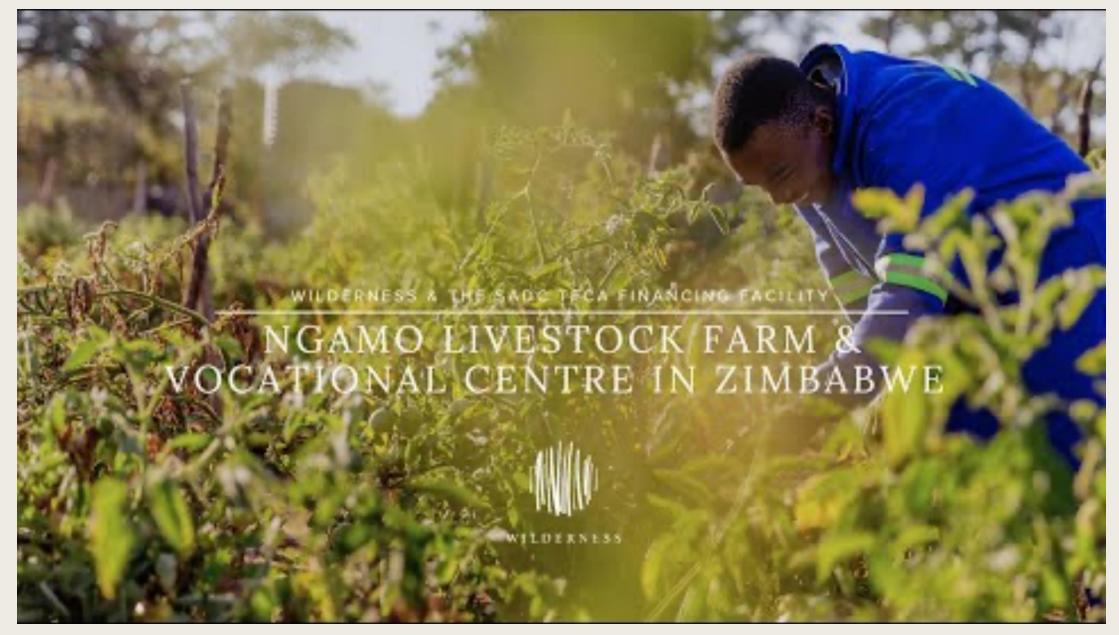
Increasing its range significantly in 2022, the Scorpion Anti-Poaching Unit has already:

- Covered more than 1,341 km on 136 foot patrols
- 15 vehicle patrols have covered more than 758 km

To date, SAPU has removed 2,400 snares during 1,548 patrols and provides essential wildlife protection in the south-eastern section of Hwange.









WILDERNESS LINKWASHA



ACTIVITIES AND FACILITIES



9 tents (1 family)



100% solar



Pool



Sleep-out deck



Sunken Hide

Community experience

Nature walk

1



Game drives

(night & day)

Conservation experience

ABOUT THE AREA

Arguably the most luxurious camp in Hwange, Wilderness Linkwasha lies in a private concession in the enormously productive south-eastern corner of Hwange National Park. It is situated on the edge of the famed Ngamo Plains, where wildlife gathers in uncountable numbers during summer – to add to the year-round excellent viewing from the camp itself. Linkwasha overlooks a pan that is a huge draw for thirsty animals, especially in the dry winter months.

CAMPS TO COMBINE WITH

- Toka Leya
- Chikwenya

ACCESS TO CAMP

- Airstrip: Linkwasha Airstrip
- Duration to Camp: Approximately 50 to 60 minutes

HIGHLIGHTS

- Hwange is Zimbabwe's oldest and largest park, with varied habitats from woodlands to grasslands and salt
- · Wilderness Linkwasha sits on the edge of Ngamo Plains, home to large herds of plains game and predators yearround.
- In winter, waterholes near camp teem with elephants and buffalo.
- Guests enjoy exclusive access to 34,000 ha of private reserve.

BEST TIME TO TRAVEL

December to March

- A season of abundance as antelope enter calving season, and predator activity increases
- Excellent game viewing on the Ngamo Plains in southeastern Hwange
- Summer migrant birds in full breeding plumage
- Superb photographic opportunities with vibrant colours, soft light, and dynamic wildlife scenes

April to Mav

- Pleasant, warm days with a moderate climate
- Transitional season showcasing both green and dry conditions
- Unique wildlife and landscape dynamics as the season shifts

June to November

- Limited water leads to large wildlife concentrations around waterholes
- Excellent visibility in dry, leafless woodland
- Cool and dry, with temperatures gradually rising toward October



LINKWASHA













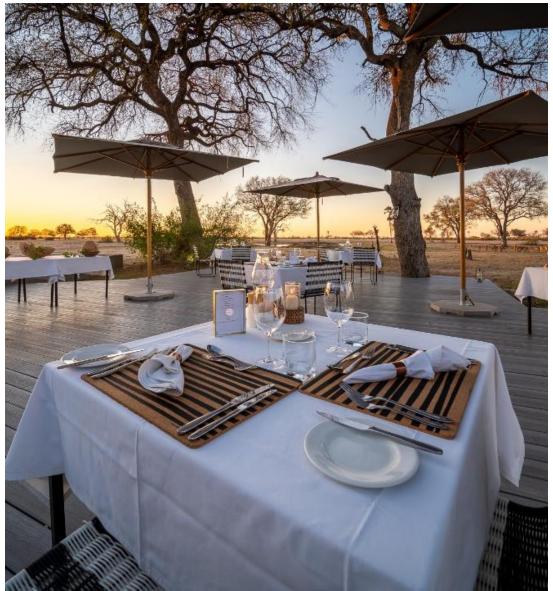










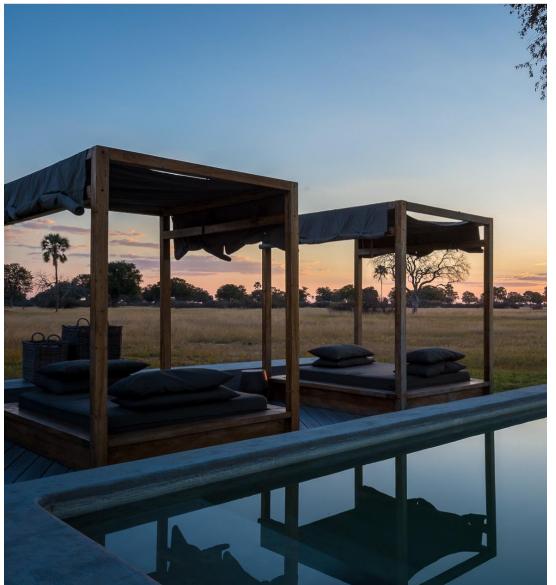


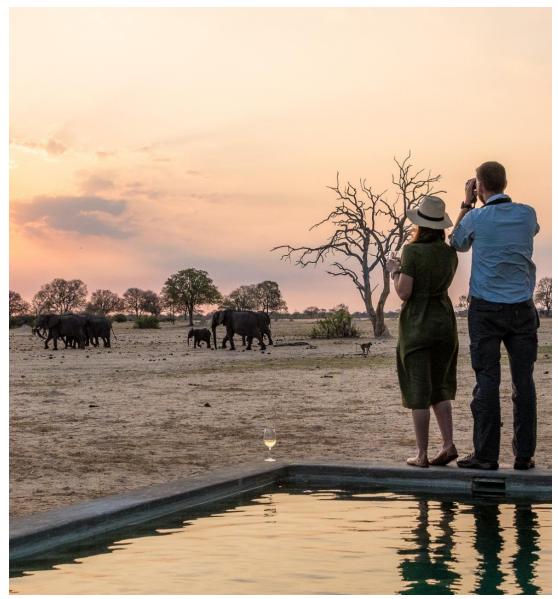


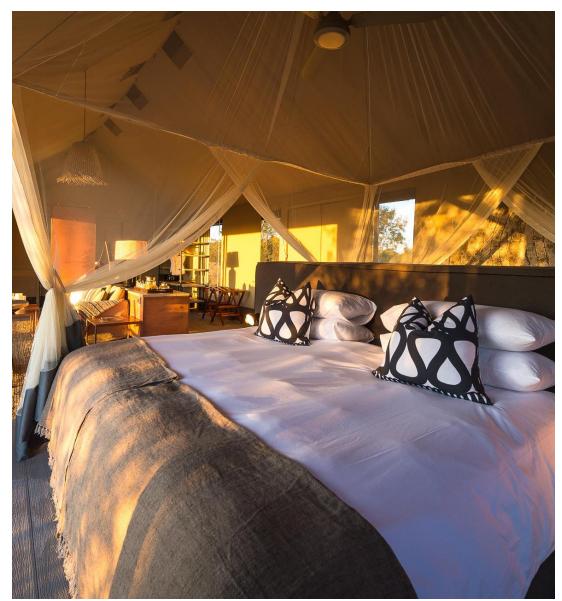


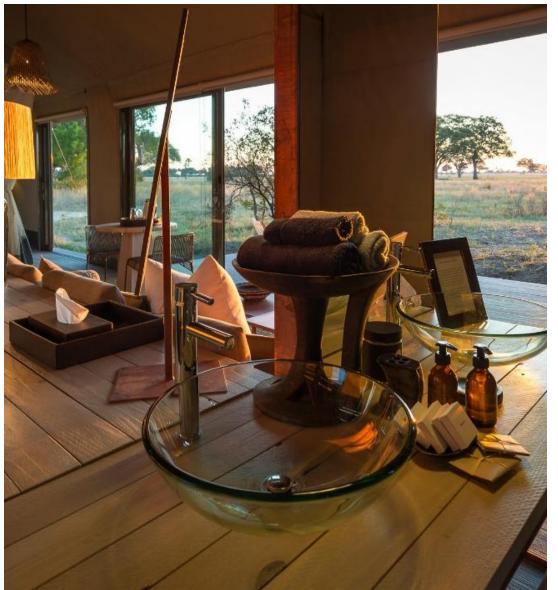




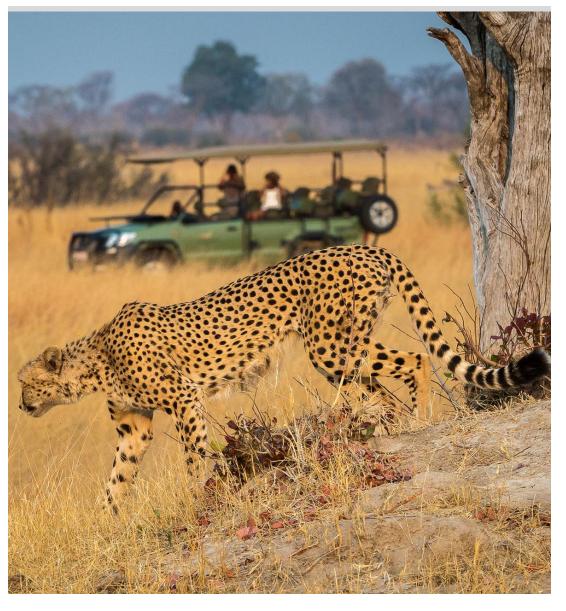


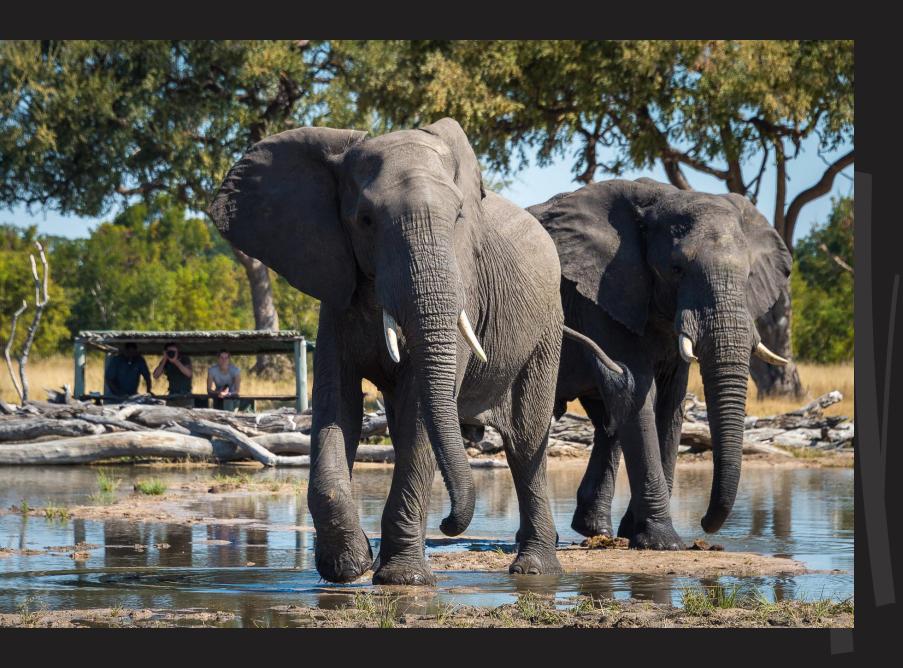












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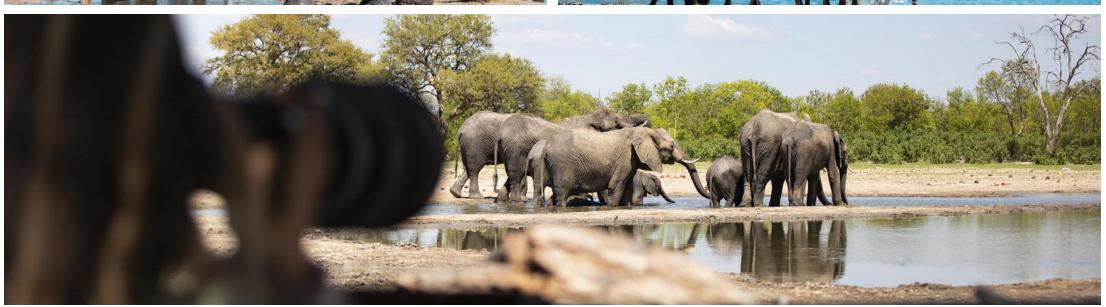










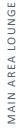




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DAVISON'S

ELEPHANTS IN FRONT OF GUEST TENT















DISCOVER BOTSWANA

Mana Pools National Park



GEOGRAPHIC SIZE 6,766km²



BIRD SPECIES +/- 450



MAMMAL SPECIES +/- 100



CAMPS 3 camps





















WILDERNESS RUCKOMECHI



ACTIVITIES AND FACILITIES

Pool

Canoeing



10 tents (2 family)





Game drives (night & day)



Boating





Sleep-out Deck



Nature walk



Catch-andrelease fishing

ABOUT THE AREA

Wilderness Ruckomechi lies on a private concession in Zimbabwe's Mana Pools National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site renowned for walking and canoeing safaris. Set along the Zambezi River with views of Zambia's escarpment, the camp overlooks a favoured elephant crossing, where quests can often watch these giants feeding on albida trees. Remote and pristine, Mana Pools offers some of Africa's most rewarding game viewing.

CAMPS TO COMBINE WITH

- Toka Leya
- Linkwasha

ACCESS TO CAMP

- · Airstrip Name: Mana West
- Duration to camp: Approximately 25-minute vehicle transfer

HIGHLIGHTS

- Set in a wildlife-rich private reserve bordering Mana Pools National Park, a World Heritage Site famed for its exceptional beauty and wildlife.
- An intimate and authentic safari camp on the banks of the great Zambezi River.
- Adventures on land and water cruises and canoeing, catch-and-release fishing, game drives and guided walks.
- Sleep-outs in a Star Bed treehouse.

BEST TIME TO TRAVEL

Ruckomechi is open from 01 April to 30 November.

April to May

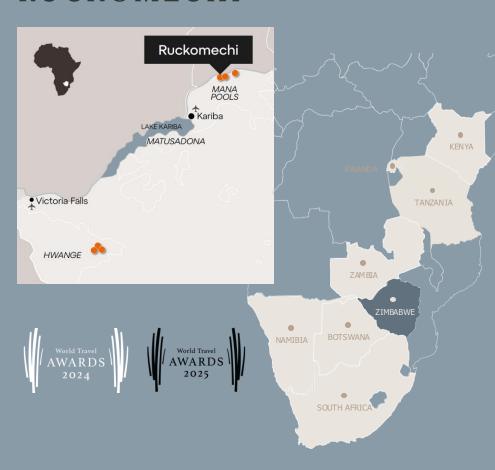
- Moderate climate with pleasant, warm days.
- A mix of the green and dry conditions, including the dynamics of a change in season.

June to November

- Drying up of natural springs means high game concentrations along the Zambezi River at Mana Pools.
- Great visibility in leafless woodland.
- Cooler and drier time of the year with daytime temperatures rising towards October.



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POOL AREA









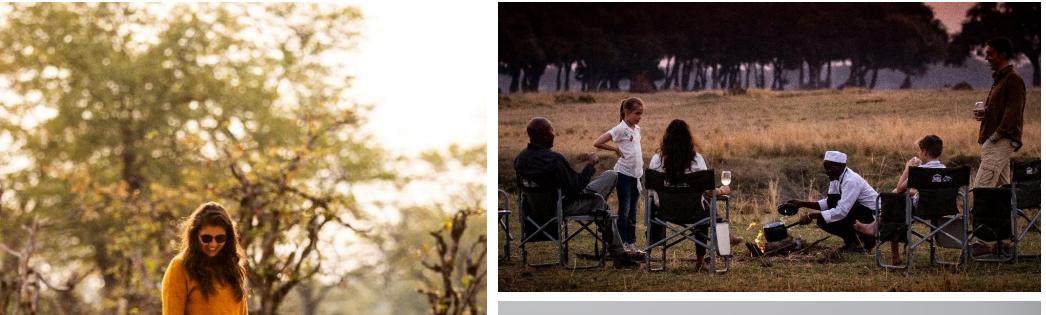




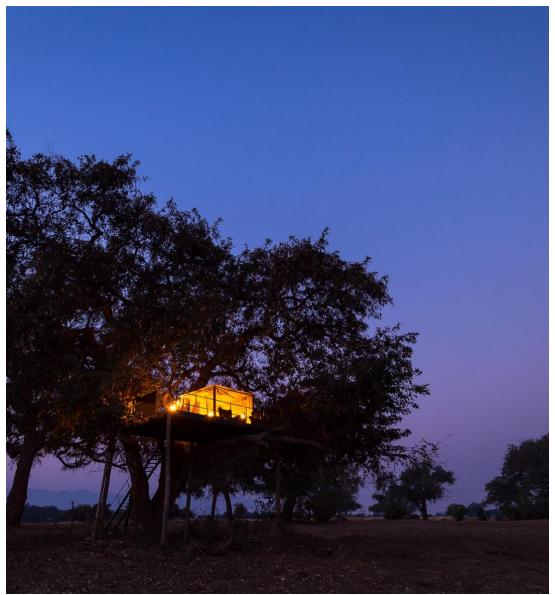














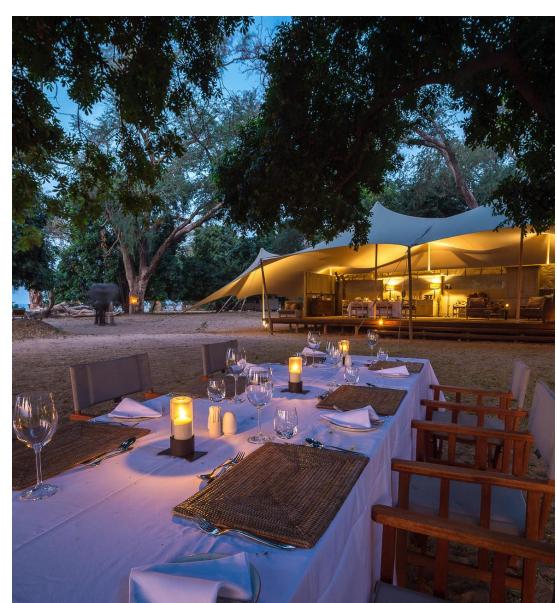


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LITTLE RUCKOMECHI















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CHIKWENYA





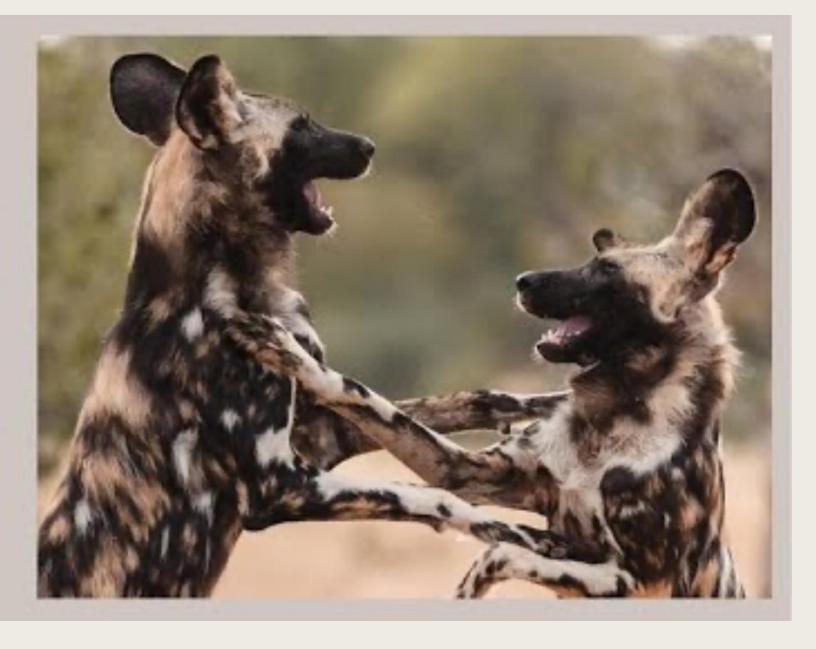


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ACTIVITIES AND FACILITIES



13 tents (3 family)



Pool

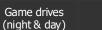


Game drives (day only)

Boating

(3 ramily)







Rhino trekking



Community experience



Nature walk



Victoria Falls

ABOUT THE AREA

Wilderness Toka Leya is an elegant riverside camp that invites relaxation and adventure in equal measure. Overlooking the mighty Zambezi River, it is a serene wildlife sanctuary and a superb base for guests to discover riverine wildlife. It's a short drive from one of the seven Natural Wonders of the World – Victoria Falls.

CAMPS TO COMBINE WITH

- Shumba or Busanga Bush Camp
- Ruckomechi or Chikwenya
- · Little Makolo or Linkwasha

Toka Leya can be combined with Botswana camps

ACCESS TO CAMP

- By Land/water from Victoria Falls Airport/Town, Livingstone Airport and neighbouring country border posts.
- By Air: Harry Mwanga Nkumbula International Airport, followed by an approximate 20-minute road transfer.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tranquil safari camp on the Zambezi River, ideally located to explore Victoria Falls and Livingstone's adventure offerings.
- Enjoy boat cruises, game drives, fishing, a behind-thescenes sustainability tour, and spa treatments.
- Track white rhinos on foot in Zambia's smallest national park.
- Spot hippos, crocs, elephants, buffalo and rare birds like the finfoot and skimmer.

BEST TIME TO TRAVEL

November to March

- Rising of Zambezi River water levels increase volumes flowing over Victoria Falls.
- Excellent photographic opportunities, with great light, colour and subject matter.
- Summer bird migrants present in breeding plumage.

April to June

- Pleasant, warm days with a moderate climate
- Transitional season showcasing both green and dry conditions
- Victoria Falls quite magnificent during this time.

July to October

- Diminished water availability draws wildlife to the Zambezi River.
- Victoria Falls very full at the beginning of this period but dwindles towards the end.
- Cooler and drier time of the year with day time temperatures rising towards October.



TOKA LEYA













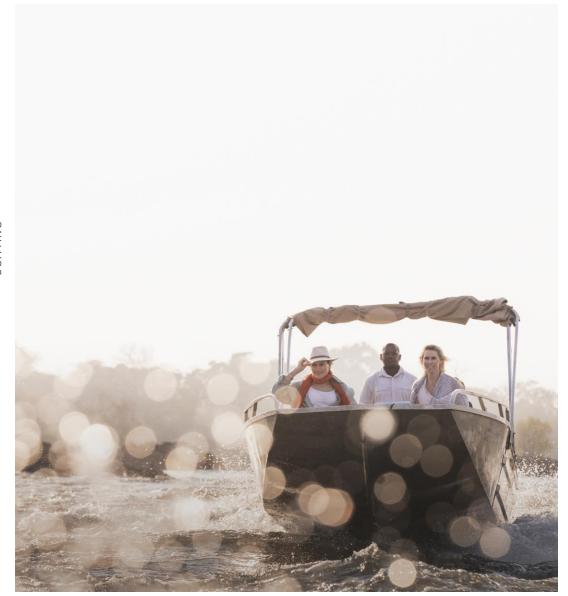






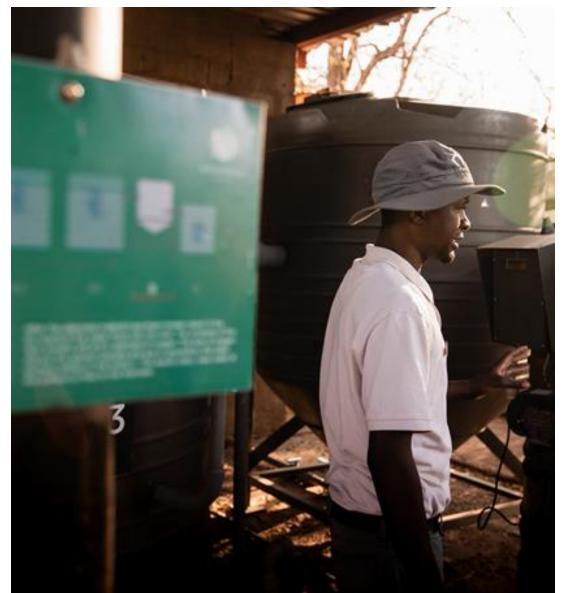


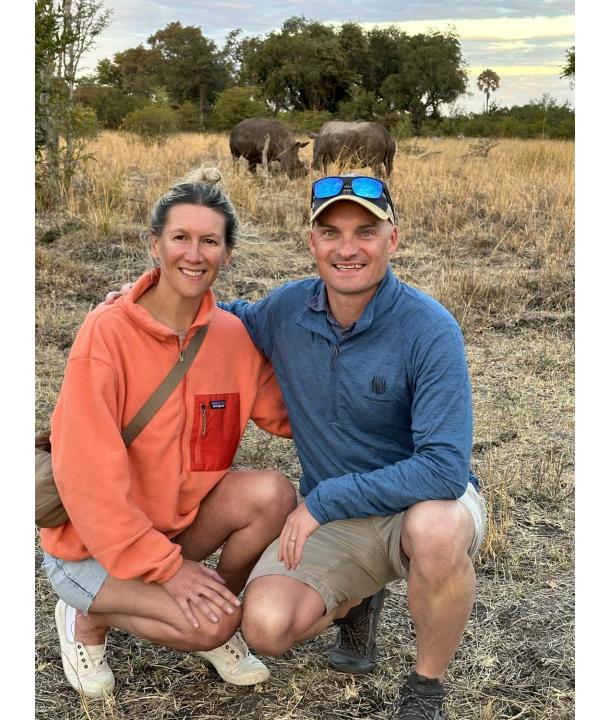


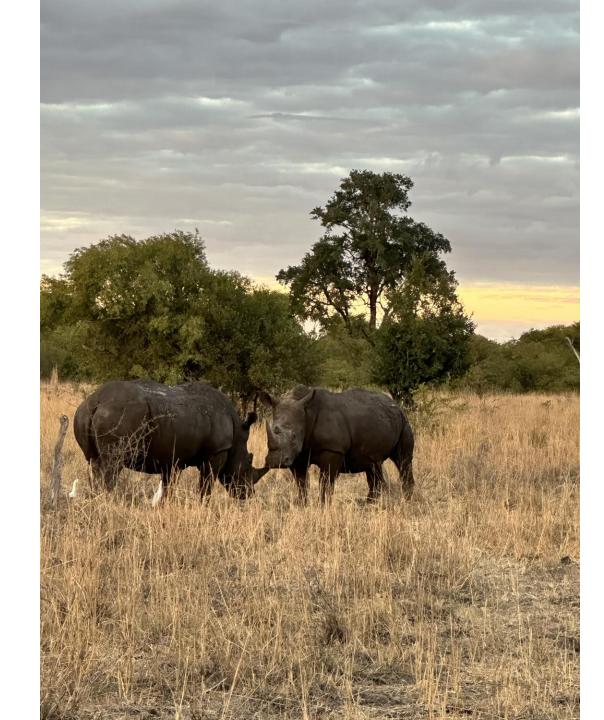














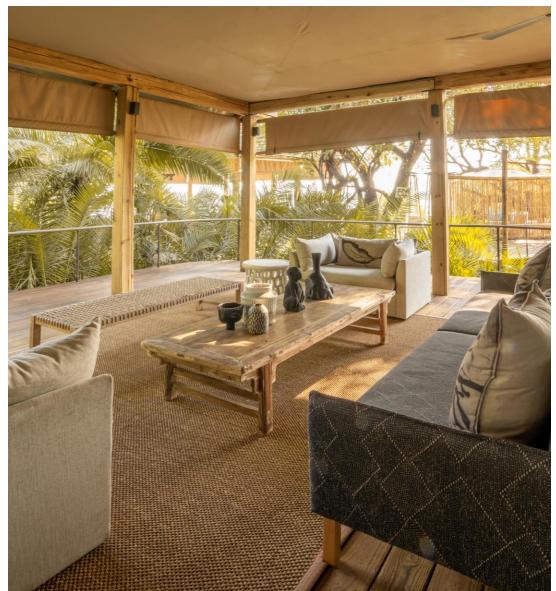




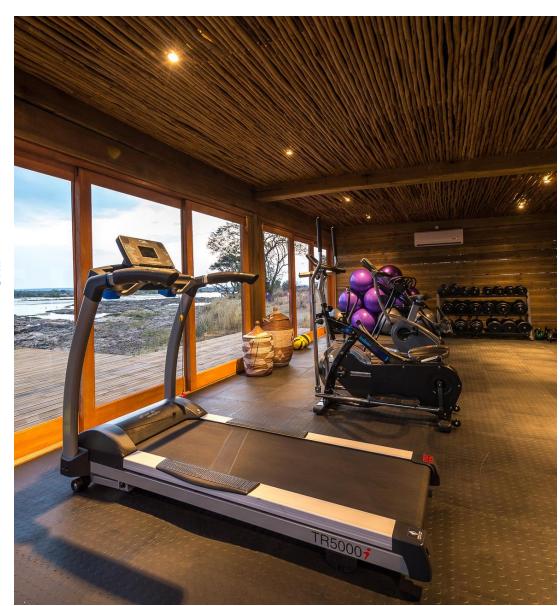


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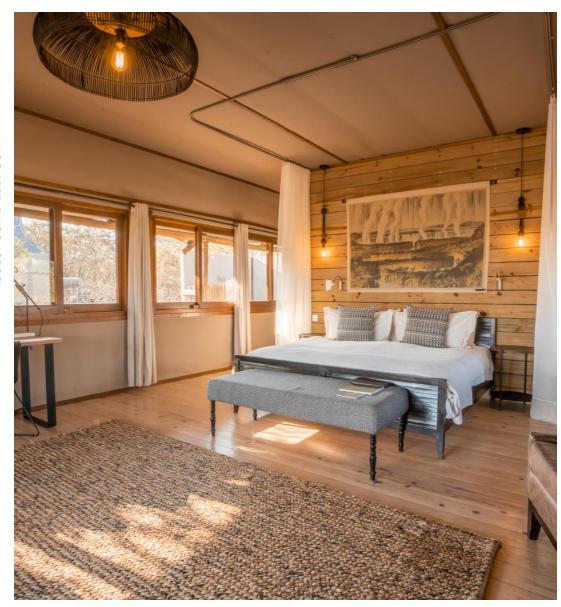
















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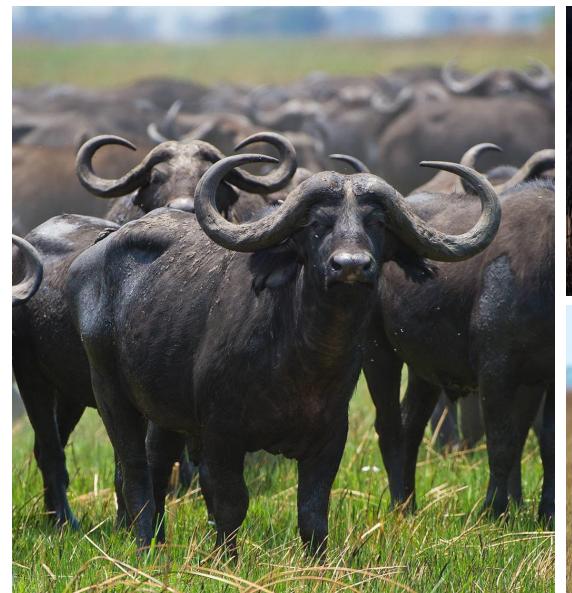
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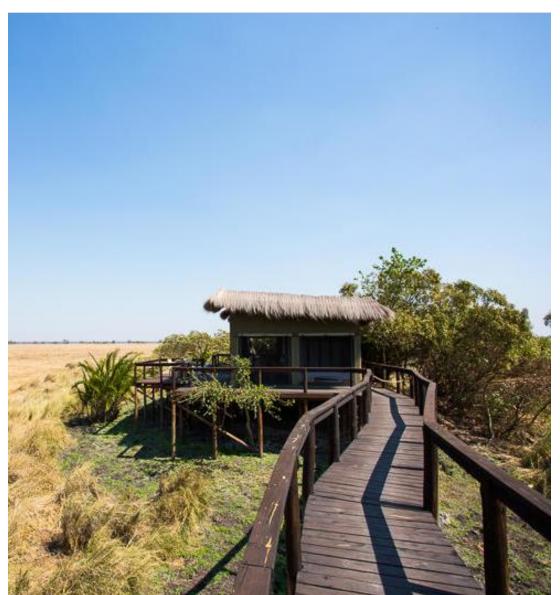
SPOTTED HYENA | SABLE WITH WATTLED CRANES

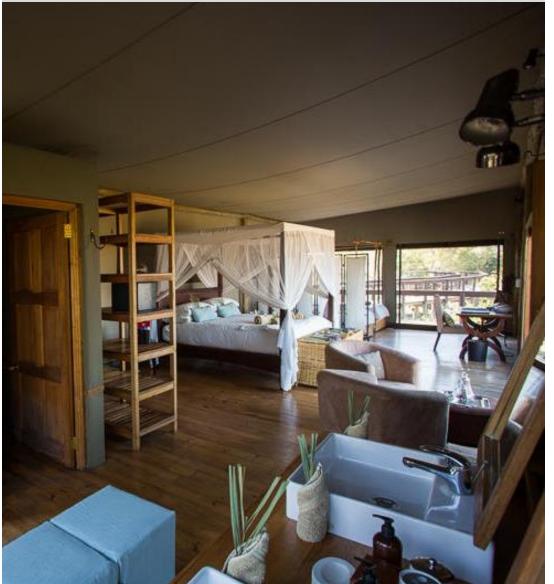


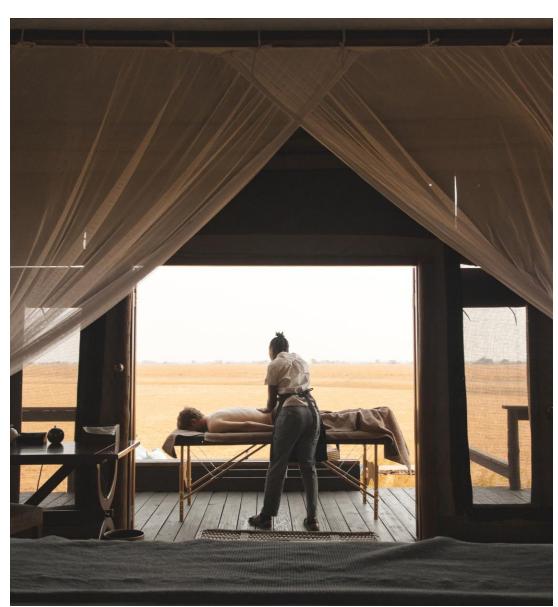


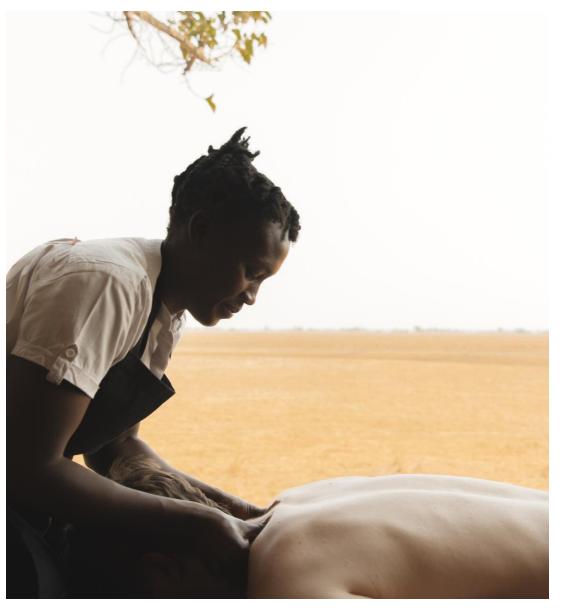














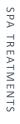
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BUSANGA BUSH CAMP













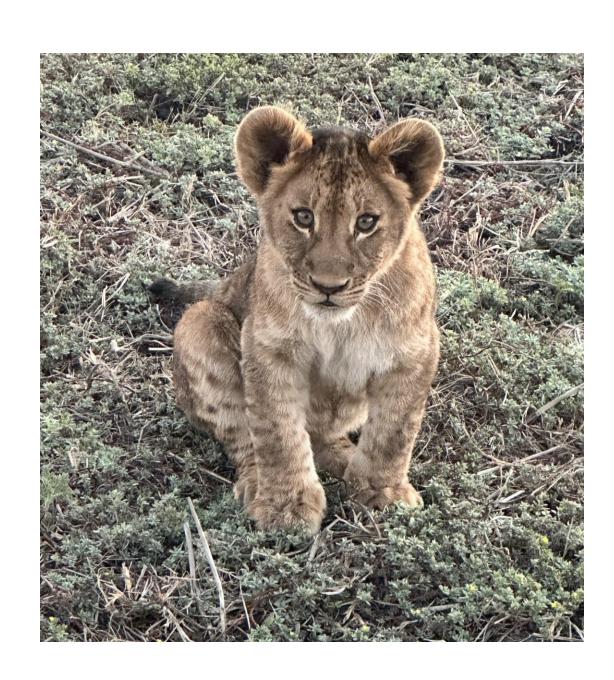


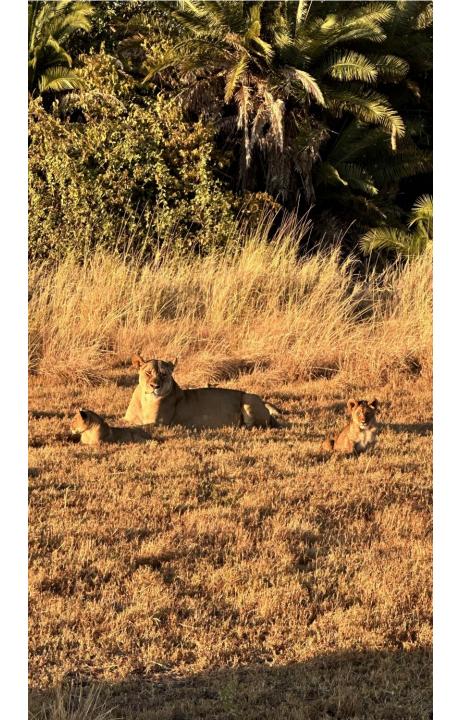






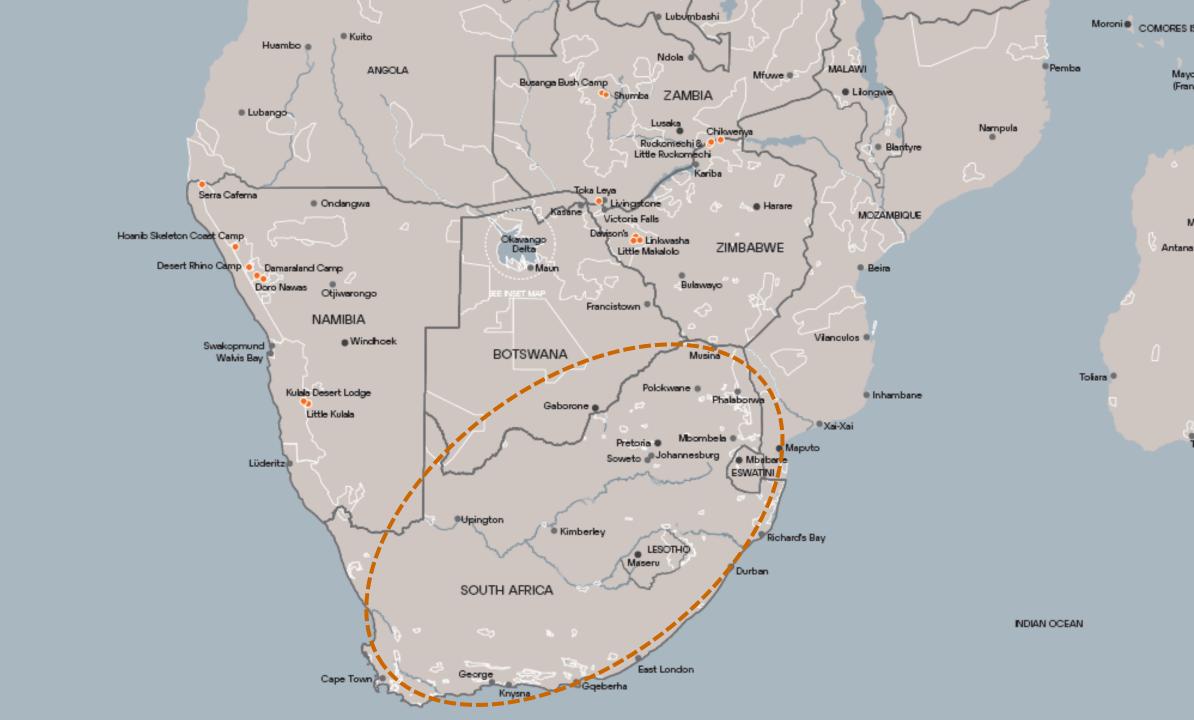








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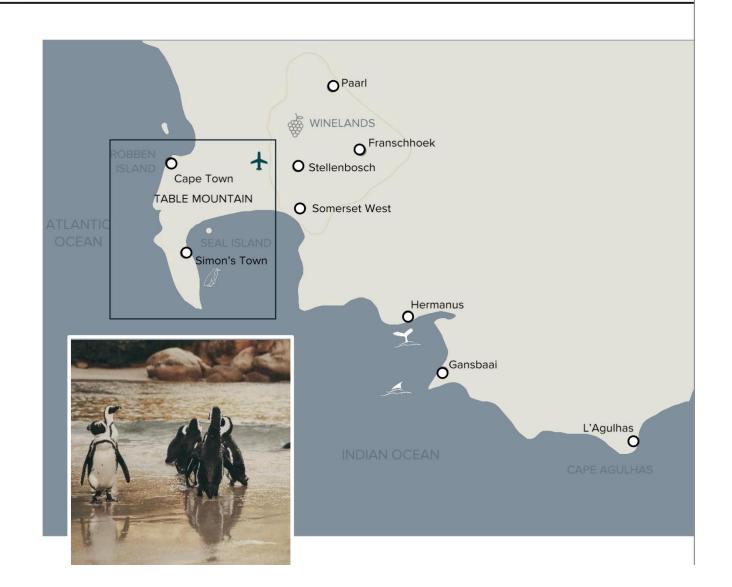


CAPE TOWN

Set around iconic Table Mountain and lapped by two significant ocean currents, Cape Town can't help but be one of the most beautiful cities in the world. Striking the perfect balance between nature and city, there are plenty of excellent restaurants to dine at, beaches to relax on, shops to explore, and magnificent natural landmarks and historic sites to discover.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Table Mountain
- Bustling operational harbour and popular V&A Waterfront
- · Pristine beaches and world-class restaurants
- Award-winning wine estates
- Mountainous surrounds bristling with diverse flora and fauna
- Rich culture and vibrant nightlife Emerging Pan Africa Art Scene and Food tours













POPULAR TOURS -

Best of the Cape Peninsula (full day)

- Spectacular views from the world-famous Chapman's Peak pass and Cape Point
- Charismatic African penguins at Boulders Beach
- Southern right whales
- Wildlife at Table Mountain National Park
- Stunning scenery of Kirstenbosch National Botanical Garden
- · Wine tasting in the Constantia Wine Region

Vines and Wines (full day)

- Beautiful Boland region in South Africa's breathtaking Winelands
- · Local, world-class restaurants and award-winning wines
- Rich history and culture of Franschhoek and Stellenbosch

City Full of Culture (full day)

- Revolving cable car ride to the top of Table Mountain
- Panoramic views of the City Bowl and the Peninsula
- · Rich culture and history of Cape Town
- Stroll through the Company's Garden
- · Visit the Iziko South African Museum
- Bustling market at Greenmarket Square
- Urban Coffee Bar stop

THE CAPE WINELANDS

Less than an hour from Cape Town, you'll find the much-lauded Cape Winelands, home to award-winning wine estates, and some of Africa's best restaurants. This historic region, where many of the original Dutch settlers first made their homes, boasts charming towns such as Franschhoek, Stellenbosch, and Paarl. Explore a diverse range of vineyards, from small boutique wineries to larger estates dotted with whitewashed Cape Dutch buildings that contrast beautifully against the lush greens of the vineyards, fields, and majestic mountains.

HIGHLIGHTS

Franschhoek

- · Idyllic, peaceful country-chic retreat
- · One of the oldest towns in South Africa
- Rich heritage at the Huguenot Memorial Museum
- Remarkably well-preserved Cape Dutch architecture
- · Town walking tour
- Home to award-winning wine estates and a range of premium restaurants
- · Quaint, upmarket boutiques and art galleries

Stellenbosch

- Picturesque university town surrounded by mountains and vineyards
- · Chic restaurants and buzzing bistros along oak-lined avenues
- · Informative walking tour of the town centre
- Cape Dutch and Victorian architecture
- · Art galleries, craft shops, clothing boutiques and gift stores
- A high proportion of the country's leading wine estates



SABI SAND PRIVATE GAME RESERVE

Widely regarded as Africa's premier game reserve, Sabi Sands is known for its abundance of wildlife (particularly leopards) and is the best place to see the Big Five in South Africa. The 65,000 hectares (160,618 acres) of private reserve shares an unfenced boundary with the enormous Kruger National Park, allowing an authentic, wildlife experience where animals roam free. The reserve consists of the iconic savannah bushveld and is flanked by the Sabie and Sand rivers. The oldest of all the private reserves, the wildlife here is habituated to vehicles, allowing for fantastic, up-close viewing. One can even track leopards or wild dogs as they hunt.



Arathusa Safari Lodge Elephant Plains Game Lodge Arathusa Airstrip

Silvan Safari Lodge

Cheetah Plains Jacis Sabi House

Chitwa Chitwa

Dulini Leadwood Lodge

Ulusaba Safari Lodge

Savanna Airstrip

Dulini River Lodge Inyati Game Lodge

Invati Airstrip Singita Boulders Lodge Leopard Hills

Singita Ebony Lodge Singita Airstrip

Idube Game Reserve Londolozi Airstrip

Simbambili Game Lodge

Londolozi Lodges

MalaMala Camp MalaMala Sable Camp

HIGHLIGHTS

- Big Five with a high frequency of leopard sightings.
- Free movement of wildlife between Kruger National Park and Sabi Sands
- A variety of activities, such as game drives, bush walks, and night drives
- A selection of the most luxurious safari lodges in South Africa

MalaMala Airstrip Singita Castleton Camp

Savanna Private Reserve

MalaMala Rattray's Camp

MalaMala Sable Camp

KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

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Sabi Sabi Little Bush Camp

&Beyond Tengile River Lodge

&Beyond Kirkman's Camp

★ Skukuza Airstrip

AGENDA

5:00 PM – 7:00 PM: Wilderness Sundowners on the Rooftop