

wilderness safaris



WILDERNESS SAFARIS

In 1983 we fell in love with the remote and wild areas of Africa. We realised that, unless we acted soon, some of Africa's – and the world's – most unique areas would be under threat and lost for future generations. Our dream was to help conserve these places by enabling people to visit them and for the financial benefit to flow back to the country and its communities.

That dream, which has been realised many times over, has made us even more determined to continue growing our vision to conserve and restore Africa's wilderness and wildlife by creating life-changing journeys and inspiring positive action.



















WHY TRAVEL

WITH WILDERNESS SAFARIS?

- With some four decades of experience, we are Africa's leading conservation tourism operator and offer impactful travel in a range of the finest camps.
- · We offer complete, tailor-made DMC services and full itineraries at highly competitive prices throughout Southern and East Africa.
- We have offices in all the countries in which we operate Botswana, Namibia, Rwanda, South Africa, Zimbabwe, Zambia ensuring maximum service and attention to our guests while they are travelling with us.
- We have exclusive access to some 2.3 million hectares (over 5.6 million acres) of Africa's best wildlife areas.
- Our areas cover many natural habitats, allowing for incredibly diverse and year-round experiences.
- We own and operate our own fleet of light aircraft Wilderness Air creating a seamless journey between our camps and many of our partner lodges.
- Our Explorations safaris offer experience-based, privately guided journeys.
- We operate exclusive excursions, tours and transfers in Victoria Falls (Zimbabwe) and Livingstone (Zambia) as well as in Cape Town (South Africa).

BOTSWANA

Botswana offers perhaps the best wildlife experience on the planet – thanks to its contrasting areas and large concentrations of diverse wildlife throughout.

The miraculous Okavango Delta – in which lies the celebrated Moremi Game Reserve – with its network of channels, islands and lagoons, is complemented by the elephant corridor of northern Botswana's private Linyanti Wildlife Reserve, a part of the Chobe ecosystem. The Central Kalahari Game Reserve, with its arid scenery, delivers one of the most remarkable desert experiences on the planet.

THINGS TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN BOTSWANA:

- The profusion of wildlife, including predators such as lion, leopard, cheetah, hyaena and wild dog
- Exploring the blue-green Okavango Delta by mokoro (traditional canoe) or boat
- Huge herds of elephants in the Linyanti
- Walking ancient paths through the desert with a San guide
- Flying between our camps and witnessing the truly unique and pristine
 ecosystem below

DELTA Maun MAKGADIKGADI Kalahari Plains • CENTRAL KALAHARI Gaborone • KGALAGADI TRANSFRONTIER PARK OKAVANGO DELTA CAMPS WATER CAMPS Jacana; Pelo; Xigera Safari Lodge

Linyanti Camps CHOBE LINYANTI

Kasane

LAND CAMPS Chitabe; Chitabe Lediba; Little Mombo; Mombo

COMBINATION CAMPS

Abu; Jao; Kwetsani; Little Tubu; Seba; Little Vumbura; Tubu Tree; Qorokwe; Vumbura Plains

LINYANTI CAMPS DumaTau; King's Pool; Little DumaTau; Savuti; Linyanti Tented

CENTRAL KALAHARI CAMP Kalahari Plains

Serra Cafema

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ETOSHA Hoanib Skeleton Coast Desert Rhino Camp Damaraland Camp Doro Nawas DAMARALAND

> • Swakopmund ⁺Windhoek • Walvis Bay

Kulala Desert Lodge Little Kulala SOSSUSVLEI

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SOSSUSVLEI CAMPS Little Kulala; Kulala Desert Lodge

DAMARALAND CAMPS Damaraland; Doro Nawas; Desert Rhino

SKELETON COAST/ KAOKOVELD CAMPS Hoanib Skeleton Coast; Serra Cafema

NAMIBIA

As one of the driest areas on the planet with an infinite supply of blue skies, sun-drenched weather and star-filled nights, Namibia is the ultimate escape into the wilderness.

From our camps you can explore the soaring red dunes of Sossusvlei, the isolated and dramatic coastline of the Atlantic Ocean, the ancient valleys and fascinating geological wonders of Damaraland and the extraordinarily remote and mystical Kunene – and the unique desert-adapted wildlife dotted throughout.

THINGS TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN NAMIBIA:

- Climbing the world's tallest sand dunes at Sossusvlei
- Exploring the Skeleton Coast with its Cape fur seal colonies and shipwreck remains
- Tracking black rhino on foot in true wilderness
- Appreciating one of the oldest rock art sites in the world Twyfelfontein
- Respectful interactions with our community partners the Himba and Riemvasmaker people



VOLCANOES CAMP Bisate

AKAGERA CAMP Magashi

RWANDA

Situated at the heart of the Albertine Rift, Rwanda is one of Africa's most biodiverse regions and a haven of rainforest endemism. The undulating hills and mountains of the rainforest on the western peaks give way to wetland and savannah in the east.

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Rwanda's most celebrated wild mammal is the magnificent mountain gorilla found in the Virunga Massif, amongst a host of other rainforest species. Less known yet equally fascinating is the sweeping scenery and thriving wildlife of Akagera National Park, where the likes of lion, leopard and buffalo roam.

THINGS TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN RWANDA:

- Tracking mountain gorillas and other primates in the natural splendour of untouched rainforest
- Visiting the poignant Kigali Genocide Memorial
- Interacting with the warm, friendly people and learning about their culture
- Learning about the reforestation and chimp habituation programmes at Gishwati
- Exploring the Rwandan savannah with its wealth of big game



ZAMBIA

Zambia is a vast country, friendly and peaceful, that offers a timeless sense of undiscovered wilderness, sharing the magic of the Zambezi River and Victoria Falls with neighbouring Zimbabwe.

When it comes to wildlife, Zambia offers impressive diversity as well as large concentrations, and some of the wildest and most remote game areas on the continent. Busanga Plains in the Kafue National Park is the best of these, and a place where lion and unusual antelope dominate.

THINGS TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN ZAMBIA:

- Catching sight of the famous channel-leaping lions of the Kafue
- Taking in the astonishing remoteness of the plains and wildlife from a hot air balloon
- Boating on the mighty Zambezi looking for hippo, crocodile and colourful birds
- Learning about Zambian culture and interacting with the local people
- Enjoying thrilling adrenaline adventures around Victoria Falls

KAFUE CAMPS Busanga Bush Camp; Shumba

VICTORIA FALLS CAMP Toka Leya Busanga Bush Camp O Shumba KAFUE

> Toka Leya tivingstone Victoria Falls

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ZIMBABWE

Cradled by the mighty Zambezi – that flows over the world-famous Victoria Falls – and the Limpopo rivers, Zimbabwe is a land of beautiful vistas and amazing wildlife.

Our scenic and private areas include Hwange, where our waterholes attract massive herds of elephant, buffalo and plains game – followed by their predators; and photogenic Mana Pools , where the fast-flowing Zambezi attracts a myriad wildlife.

THINGS TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN ZIMBABWE:

- Watching enormous herds of elephant gathering at Hwange's numerous waterholes
- Cruising down the Zambezi River by boat or, for the more adventurous, by canoe
- Game driving through classic safari country in scenic and wildlife-rich national parks
- Experiencing the thrill of sleeping out in a remote Star Bed
- Bungee jumping, or gorge swinging, at the breathtaking Victoria Falls

Ruckomechi & Chikwenya Little Ruckomechi MANA POOLS

● Toka Leya ↑ Victoria Falls

HWANGE Davison's Little Makalolo

• Bulawayo

HWANGE CAMPS Davison's; Linkwasha; Little Makalolo

MANA POOLS CAMPS Little Ruckomechi; Ruckomechi; Chikwenya

MAKING A DIFFERENCE

At Wilderness Safaris, our delight is to share the wild places of Africa with our guests, while our ultimate goal is to help make a difference to Africa, its people and its wildlife. Everything we do is rooted in purpose, whether we are seeking solutions to save threatened species, ensuring the benefits of our conservation tourism model reach the people that live in or near our operations, or continuously looking for ways to minimise our environmental footprint. Furthermore, our two non-profit organisations help to enhance the good that we are doing and change more lives, at the same time increasing our reach and contribution:

The Wilderness Wildlife Trust supports a variety of wildlife management, research and community and education projects throughout Africa. The relationship between Wilderness and the Trust is symbiotic: The Trust is involved financially in the projects, while Wilderness contributes logistically in terms of human resources and equipment. www.wildernesstrust.com

Children in the Wilderness (CITW) is a life skills, educational and environmental programme that focuses on the next generation of rural decision makers, developing environmental leaders who are inspired to care for their natural heritage so that they become the custodians of these areas in the future. By exposing the children to their wildlife heritage, CITW aims to create a network of learning sanctuaries that uplifts and cares for our children and conserves our planet.

www.childreninthewilderness.com

We are dedicated to conserving and restoring Africa's wilderness and wildlife by creating lifechanging journeys and inspiring positive action.

AWARDS

The awards we receive are a worthy endorsement of our brand of impact tourism. We frequently receive accolades for our camps and service as well as for our contribution to conservation and communities in Africa.



For more information on Wilderness Safaris, contact your Journey Specialist or go to www.wilderness-safaris.com

