

# AFRICAN WILDLIFE SAFARIS & NATURAL FOCUS

SMALL GROUP TOURS

2026 & 2027



NATURAL FOCUS

CELEBRATING  
**40** years  
OF INSPIRATIONAL JOURNEYS



## We are the experts in Small Group and Tailor-Made Travel

Travel to Africa and beyond on our escorted small group journeys. With over 40 years' experience behind us we are experts in designing both tailor made and small group holidays to some of the best wilderness and wildlife areas on the planet.

As an established and professional travel company, African Wildlife Safaris and our sister company Natural Focus, can offer you all the services you need to plan and organise your holiday. Our experienced team are all seasoned travellers with the knowledge to help you choose the holiday which best suits your style and budget.

Our collection of small group journeys offers unforgettable experiences in wild and beautiful areas and itineraries are slow paced to make the most of each location. Each hand-crafted tour generally takes a maximum of 16 guests, accompanied by expert local guides as well as one of our experienced team. All accommodation and most meals and activities are included so all you have to do is relax and enjoy remarkable experiences shared with like-minded travellers.

### WHY CHOOSE ONE OF OUR SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS?



Itineraries designed by experts



Slow-paced, immersive, experiential travel



Small groups of 8 to 16 travellers



Carefully selected accommodation



Expert local guides



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# UGANDA'S GORILLAS & CHIMPS

Embark on this escorted safari to one of the world's most beautiful wild places in search of mountain gorillas and other primates.

Join our own James Cameron on this 15 Day Safari to Uganda, dubbed "The Pearl of Africa" by Winston Churchill because of its incredible natural beauty and diverse landscapes. The country is famous as the source of the Nile, as well as wildlife parks like Queen Elizabeth National Park and the unique Bwindi Impenetrable Forest, home to 480 mountain gorillas.



## 15 DAYS - EX ENTEBBE

Min group size 6 (with escort) Max 12

### DEPARTS TWIN SGL SUP

01 Jun 2027 \$21,545 \$2,465

USD\$800 2nd gorilla permit

\*Single travellers on request. Conditions apply.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- The endangered Mountain Gorillas
- Chimps in the Kibale Forest, the primate capital of the world
- Safaris in Queen Elizabeth NP
- Cruising the Kazinga Channel
- Murchison Falls
- Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary
- Two nights at Wildwaters Lodge

### DAY 1 ENTEBBE

Meet and Greet at Entebbe International airport terminal and transfer to Hotel.

 Hotel No. 5 (1N)

### DAYS 2-4 Bwindi IMPENETRABLE FOREST NP

Fly to Kihhi and meet our guides. Transport in 4x4 safari vehicles with cooler box, and charging points. Trek with experienced local guides and trackers through rainforests searching for the mountain gorilla. A second gorilla permit can be pre-purchased for day 4. B L D

 Buhoma Lodge (2N)



## TOUR ESCORT - JAMES CAMERON

With a passion for travel, culture, conservation and wildlife James has visited many unique destinations worldwide. His first safari was in 2002 to Kenya and Tanzania and a long-lasting highlight of that trip was camping in the endless plains of the Serengeti. Since then James has returned many times to the continent. He is leading our Timeless Namibia group tour in 2026 and Uganda in 2027.

### DAYS 5-7 QUEEN ELIZABETH NP

Drive to Queen Elizabeth NP, visiting a community village enroute. The national park is Uganda's most famous, with the magnificent jagged Rwenzori Mountains, the Kazinga Channel and the endless Ishasha plains. Here we stay at Ishasha Wilderness Camp in canvas rooms with ensuite bathroom and "bush" showers. The central lounge/dining area is perfect for meals and relaxing during the day. Enjoy morning and afternoon game drives. B L D

 Ishasha Wilderness Camp (3N)

### DAYS 8/9 KIBALE REGION

Depart early for chimp trekking at Kyamburu Gorge followed by a private cruise on the Kazinga Channel, a haven for birds, hippo, crocodile, elephants and antelope. Arrive at Chimpundu Lodge, a tranquil, forest retreat with 14 luxury cottages and 180-degree private patio. Next day search for chimpanzees in Kibale NP, home to 70 mammal species, including 13 species of primate and over 375 species of birds. B L D

 Chimpundu Lodge (2N)

### DAYS 10-12 MURCHISON FALLS

Drive to our lodge in the Murchison Falls National Park. Here the Victoria Nile plunges 45 metres over the Rift Valley

escarpment, creating the dramatic falls. The river attracts huge numbers of wildlife, including elephants, giraffes, buffaloes, hippos, crocodiles and aquatic birds. Paraa Safari Lodge is our base, where we will enjoy game drives, a top of the Falls walk, and two Falls cruises. B L D

 Paraa Safari Lodge (3N)

### DAYS 13/14 JINJA & WILDWATERS LODGE

Depart early for Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary, home to 15 southern white rhinos and species such as Uganda kob, reed buck, oribi, hippos, crocodiles and 300 bird species. Continue to Wildwaters Lodge on a private island midstream in the mighty Nile. Elevated wooden walkways link the rooms to the main restaurant and bar area. Relax in the swimming pool or enjoy optional activities like heart-pounding white-water rafting, bungee jumping, mountain biking or fishing. Look out for giant otters and monitor lizards in the rapids that surround the lodge. B L D

 Wildwaters Lodge (2N)

### DAY 15 TOUR ENDS ENTEBBE

Drive from Jinja to Entebbe (about 3 hours) with lunch included before drop off at Entebbe Airport. Tour ends. B L

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# CLASSIC BOTSWANA & ZIMBABWE

If you love wildlife, natural wonders and a sense of adventure, this 13-day all-inclusive tour is perfect for you. Starting in Maun, Botswana, this classic itinerary explores one of the world's most remarkable and pristine areas - the Okavango Delta. Staying in spacious canvas tents with ensuite bush showers and toilet, travel by 4WD vehicle exploring three contrasting landscapes, with a superb team of camp staff who will cater to your every need. To finish this classic safari we will spend 3 nights at Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe - one of the planet's greatest natural wonders. Here we will enjoy a tour of the falls and a sunset cruise on the Zambezi River.



## 13 DAYS - EX MAUN

Min group size 6 (with escort) Max 12

DEPARTS	TWIN	SGL SUP	
22 July 2026	\$16,164	\$490	<b>FULL</b>
09 Aug 2026	\$16,164	\$490	<b>2 RM LEFT</b>
08 Aug 2027	\$16,164	\$490	
22 Aug 2027	\$16,164	\$490	

\*Single travellers on request. Conditions apply.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Botswana's Moremi, Mababe & Savuti
- Mokoro excursion through pristine waterways
- The sounds of the African bush at night sitting around the camp fire
- Tour one of the Natural Wonders of the World - Victoria Falls (Mosi-oo-Tunya)
- Take a sunset cruise along the Zambezi River
- A morning with the Victoria Falls Anti-Poaching Unit in the Zambezi NP

### DAYS 1-3 MOREMI GAME RESERVE

On arrival in Maun, you will meet your Jeremy, before flying to Xakanaxa Airstrip in the Moremi Game Reserve to start your mobile camping safari. Our guide will be waiting for us to drive to our first picturesque campsite, where we will settle in and get to know the staff before dinner. Over the next 2 days explore the reserve



## TOUR ESCORT - JEREMY CAMERON

Jeremy will be once again escorting our popular group tour camping under the stars and exploring the country's amazing Okavango Delta. Jeremy has travelled through many African countries as well as other parts of the globe, from Peru and the Galapagos Islands, to the Antarctic Peninsula and even the national parks of India, searching for the elusive Bengal tiger.

on 4WD safaris, home to sensational bird life and iconic species including elephant, giraffe, cheetah and lion. In between game drives, relax around camp and get used to the sounds of the bush around you. This is classic camping at its best! D (day 1) B L D (days 2 & 3)

Mobile Camp (3N)

### DAYS 4-6 MABABE PRIVATE RESERVE

Early breakfast this morning before taking a slow game drive through the Moremi to the Mababe Concession. During the morning, enjoy a mokoro excursion in the calmer backwaters of the Khwai channels. The Mababe Concession allows for walking safaris, night drives and has a strict maximum of just 20 vehicles. Exploring after dark, we may see rarely encountered species such as African wild cat or genet. B L D

Mobile Camp (3N)

### DAYS 7-9 SAVUTI

We drive further north to the Central Chobe region, exploring the desert-like landscape on game drives. This area is lion and cheetah country. On days 8 & 9 explore the renowned Savuti Marsh, which has been the stage for many of the most dramatic wildlife documentaries in Africa. B L D

Mobile Camp (3N)

### DAY 10 VICTORIA FALLS

We depart early and travel along the Chobe River to Kasane, where we stop for a picnic lunch. Afterward, explore the famous Chobe River on an afternoon boat cruise. Later, transfer by road to Victoria Falls just across the Zimbabwe border to Ilala Lodge, a peaceful lodge located in the heart of the Victoria Falls National Park. B L D

Ilala Lodge (3N)

### DAYS 11/12 VICTORIA FALLS

An early guided tour of the famous Victoria Falls beckons, followed by an elephant interaction experience and lunch at the Lookout Cafe. In the afternoon take a scenic sunset cruise along the Zambezi River where we enjoy sundowners. On day 12, head into the Zambezi National Park and meet the Victoria Falls Anti-Poaching Unit. B L D

### DAY 13 TOUR ENDS

This morning transfer to Victoria Falls airport. Tour ends. B

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# OKAVANGO & DESERT SAFARI

Explore the wonders of Botswana's Okavango Delta on this escorted, small group safari. Personally designed and led by the CEO of African Wildlife Safaris, Steve Cameron, this fabulous itinerary takes in some of the country's most spectacular wilderness, including the unique landscapes of the Makgadikgadi salt pans, and the abundant wildlife and pristine waterways of the Okavango Delta.

In the heart of the wild we will be staying in some of the country's most beautiful and remote safari camps, from the billowing, bedouin-style white tents of San Camp to the rustic charm of Mokolwane, renowned for its amazing leopard sightings.



## 13 DAYS - EX MAUN

Min group size 6 (with escort) Max 14

DEPARTS	TWIN	SGL SUP	
20 Aug 2026	\$31,995	\$9,696	<b>FULL</b>
19 Aug 2027	\$34,820	\$10,525	

\*Single travellers on request. Conditions apply.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Full board accommodation in eco-luxury safari camps
- 3 nights in the Makgadikgadi Pans
- 6 nights in the Okavango Delta
- Explore waterways by boat or mokoro
- Guided day and night drives in open 4WD vehicle
- Walk with San bushmen in the Kalahari
- Meet the Meerkats at San Camp
- Transfers by light aircraft or helicopter with spectacular aerial viewing

### DAYS 1-3 MAKGADIKGADI PANS

Meet Steve at Maun airport and fly to the Makgadikgadi salt pans. San Camp is a beautiful tented camp in 1940s safari style with white tented rooms, enormous four-posters, ensuite bathrooms, flush loos and heated showers. The main area includes an elegant mess pavilion for 3-course feasts, a tea tent, and swimming pool. D (day 1) B L D (days 2/3)

San Camp (3N)

### TOUR ESCORT - STEVE CAMERON



Steve first visited Africa in 1982 leading overland safaris the length and breadth of the continent before returning to Australia and co-founding African Wildlife Safaris with his wife Sara. Steve has returned to the continent around 80 times, building an impressive resume and unrivalled knowledge of the African bush. Whilst Steve loves all things African, the Okavango area of Botswana is definitely a favourite.

### DAYS 4-6 KHWAI PRIVATE RESERVE

Fly to Khwai Private Reserve a 200,000 hectare private area in the heart of the Okavango Delta where we experience world class game viewing. Here we stay at beautiful Sable Alley located on the banks of a lagoon, home to hippo and a favourite drinking spot for elephant and buffalo offering a front-row seat to the action. During our stay one night will be spent in the spectacular Skybeds camp which includes 3 Skybed "rooms" perched on three-storey platforms each with a bathroom, shower and flushing loo and a double bed with mosquito net, completely open to the stars. Also, just 40-60 minutes' drive from camp a shipping container has been sunk into the ground at another pan where extraordinary ground level viewing is possible. B L D

Sable Alley (2N) Sky Beds (1N)

### DAYS 7-9 NORTHERN OKAVANGO

Fly to the northern Okavango, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Here we stay at Dukes Camp, surrounded by crystal clear channels in a vast game-rich private concession. The 8 guest tents are built on raised wooden decks beneath a canopy of trees. Expert guides will accompany us on a range of safari activities including game drives, night drives, boat and mokoro excursions. The heart of the camp includes a glamorous

dining and lounge area, a Persian tea-tent, and a pool pavilion. Lavish 3 course meals are served under the shade of the trees or around the long vintage dining table in the communal dining tent. B L D

Dukes Camp (3N)

### DAYS 10-12 SOUTHERN OKAVANGO

Transfer by helicopter to Mokolwane Camp hidden in 180,000-hectares of wilderness teeming with elephant and all the Okavango predators. The area boasts the third highest density of leopard in Africa. The camp has 7 charming canvas rooms with ensuite bathroom with indoor shower and a private deck. The main area is on a raised deck with dining room, lounge and bar areas with views over the bush. There is also a swimming pool. On our day and night game drives expect to see herds of elephant, wildebeest, giraffe, bush buck, kudu, lechwe, plus all the predators. B L D

Mokolwane (3N)

### DAY 13 SAFARI ENDS, MAUN

Our safari ends today after breakfast, with a transfer by helicopter back to Maun. B

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# TIMELESS NAMIBIA

Taking in many of Namibia's amazing highlights, this special itinerary has been carefully curated by one of our Africa Destination Specialists, James Cameron, along with our expert safari operator on the ground. James will escort the safari from Windhoek, accompanied by a local naturalist guide, making this a fascinating and stress-free journey of discovery. This vast country of giant sand dunes, rugged coastline and unique vegetation is home to just three million people. It is a timeless land, evidenced by still living ancient cultures, stone age rock art, fossilised trees, and desert adapted wildlife. Travelling by comfortable 4WD we will explore Namibia's many natural wonders.



## 15 DAYS - EX WINDHOEK

Min group size 8 (with escort) Max 14

DEPARTS	TWIN	SGL SUP
10 Sep 2026	\$21,085	\$2,369 <b>1 ROOM</b>
23 Jun 2027	\$24,670	\$3,010

\*Single travellers on request. Conditions apply.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Climb some of the world's highest free-standing sand dunes at Sossusvlei
- Search for desert-adapted species
- Shipwreck and Sandwich Harbour tour
- Explore the Damaraland region
- Game drives in Etosha NP by 4WD
- World Heritage Site Twyfelfontein.
- AfriCat Foundation

### DAYS 1 WINDHOEK

Arrive at Windhoek airport and transfer to our hotel. D

Galton House (1N)

### DAYS 2/3 SOSSUSVLEI

Drive into the Namib Desert and Sossusvlei, home to some of the most spectacular sand dunes in the world. Visit famous Sesriem Canyon and Elim Dune. B L D

Dead Valley Lodge (2N)



## TOUR ESCORT - JAMES CAMERON

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### DAYS 4-6 SWAKOPMUND

Dive through the Namib-Naukluft NP to Walvis Bay and Swakopmund. On day two, Shipwreck Sandwich Harbour 4x4 excursion, tidal lagoons, rich RAMSAR wetlands, shipwrecks and exhilarating dunes. Day three explore the area or take a dolphin cruise, scenic flight or dune tour (at extra cost). B L D

The Delight Swakopmund (3N)

### DAYS 7-9 DAMARALAND

Head to the vast landscapes of Damaraland with its magnificent table topped mountains, rock formations and strange vegetation. A highlight is the petrified forest and rock art dating back 6,000 years at Twyfelfontein. Game drive in search of desert-adapted species such as oryx, elephant, rhino, lion, and zebra. B L D

Mowani Mountain Camp (3N)

### DAY 10 ONGAVA GAME RESERVE

Drive to the southern border of Etosha NP and enjoy a game drive in the Ongava Private Game Reserve, a haven for wildlife, in particular black and white rhino. Our accommodation overlooks a waterhole and the plains beyond. B L D

Ongava Lodge (1N)

### DAYS 11/12 ONGUMA PRIVATE RESERVE

Cross from southern to eastern Etosha, to Onguma Private Reserve. Etosha has many shallow pans which attract hundreds of animals. It is home to four of the Big Five and offers amazing game sightings. B L D

Onguma The Fort (2N)

### DAY 13 OKONJIMA NATURE RESERVE

Drive to Okonjima Nature Reserve home of the AfriCat Foundation. Enjoy superb accommodation and fantastic activities. AfriCat aims to conserve large carnivores like leopards and brown hyenas, and a stay at Okonjima offers the best chance to view wild leopard in their natural habitats. B L D

Okonjima Plains Camp (1N)

### DAY 14 WINDHOEK

AfriCat activity in the morning then depart for Windhoek. Farewell dinner at a local restaurant. B L D

The Weinberg (1N)

### DAY 15 TOUR ENDS

After breakfast drive to Windhoek International Airport. Tour ends. B

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# ULTIMATE NAMIBIA

Namibia is a land of stark deserts and endless blue skies inhabited by unique wildlife adapted to the harsh environment. It has the highest sand dunes in the world, rugged mountains, and the mysterious Skeleton Coast. The famous Etosha National Park is a wildlife reserve on a vast salt pan where perennial springs attract elephant, rhino, lion, cheetah, zebra, wildebeest, springbok and gemsbok. On this luxury small group safari we'll take you to the most remote corners of Namibia where the experience is shared only with the wildlife. We will fly by light aircraft between remote eco-luxury camps and lodges showcasing breathtaking views of this remarkable land.



## 17 DAYS - EX MAUN

Min group size 6 (with escort) Max 14

## DEPARTS TOUR COST

01 Sep 2027 Available March 2026

\*Single travellers on request. Conditions apply.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Full board accommodation in eco luxury safari camps
- The sand dunes of Sossusvlei
- Explore by 4WD, quad bike and on foot
- Experience endless space and star studded nights
- Jaw dropping landscapes of Kaokoland
- Meet the Himba peoples
- Skeleton Coast at Shipwreck Lodge
- Encounter rhino and other big game at Ongava, Etosha

### DAY 1 WINDHOEK

Arrive in Windhoek and transfer to the boutique Olive Grove Guest House where you will meet the other members of the group over dinner. D

Olive Grove (1N)

### DAYS 2-4 SOSSUSVLEI

This morning we fly into the Namib Desert and Sossusvlei, home to some of the most spectacular dunes in the world. We stay at



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remote and spectacular Kwessi Dunes with 12 air-conditioned chalets, each with a 'star gazer' roof top and enjoy daily activities. BLD

Kwessi Dunes (3N)

### DAYS 5/6 SWAKOPMUND

Fly to Swakopmund where we stay at the historic Hansa Hotel, offering sophisticated accommodation and elegant interiors. Activities here include a dolphin cruise and a seafood lunch on the beach. B L D

Hansa Hotel (2N)

### DAYS 7-9 KAOKOLAND

Next fly into the wild and mountainous landscapes of Kaokoland and Hoanib Elephant Camp in the Hoanib River Valley. The focus of our activities here are the unique desert-adapted wildlife and nomadic Himba settlements. This sustainable eco-camp is made for those who seek the road less travelled and raw desert exploration. B L D

Hoanib Elephant Camp (3N)

### DAYS 10-12 SKELETON COAST

Today we drive through spectacular scenery to Shipwreck Lodge in the restricted Skeleton Coast Central Concession Area which is home to irreplaceable and vulnerable habitat for

species like elephant and the elusive brown hyena. This remarkable camp has 10 double ensuite rooms constructed to resemble the shipwrecks that line the beach. B L D

Shipwreck Lodge (3N)

### DAYS 13-15 ETOSHA

We fly to Ongava Private Game Reserve on the southern shoulder of the Etosha National Park, staying at breathtaking Anderson's at Ogava. With a contemporary styling and a touch of Afro-Mediterranean flair, the 9 carefully designed suites promises a sanctuary of relaxation. Enjoy morning and evening game drives and/or walks. B L D

Anderson's at Ogava (3N)

### DAY 16 WINDHOEK

Today fly back to Windhoek for our last night at Olive Grove Lodge. B L D

Olive Grove Lodge (1N)

### DAY 17 TOUR ENDS

Transfer to Windhoek International Airport where our safari ends. B

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# TAJ TEMPLES & TIGERS

Go in search of the magnificent Bengal tiger. Contemplate the mystery of ancient temples, grand palaces and the beauty of the Taj Mahal.

We invite you to join us on this escorted tour, the main focus of which is to view the endangered tiger. Nothing can prepare you for the excitement of seeing this magnificent creature in its natural habitat, a privilege that few people will ever experience. Whilst this tour visits two of India's national parks there is also plenty of time for cultural experiences and historical sites.



## 17 DAYS - EX DELHI

Min group size 8 (with escort) Max 16

DEPARTS	TWIN	SGL SUP
25 Feb 2027	\$16,500	\$3,542
Kaziranga Extension	\$4,170	\$670

\*Single travellers on request. Conditions apply.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- 10 tiger safaris in Kanha & Bandhavgarh
- The avian paradise of Keoladeo National Park
- The historic treasures of Delhi, Jaipur & the beautiful Taj Mahal
- Accompanying naturalist and Australian escort
- One-horned Indian Rhinoceros & wild elephant in Kaziranga NP (extension only)

## DAYS 1/2 DELHI

Transfer to your hotel. Day two, discover New Delhi visiting the Qutab Minar and Humayun's Tomb. B L D (Day 2 only)

Le Meridien (1N)

## DAYS 3-5 KANHA

Morning flight to Raipur then road transfer to Kanha NP (4 hrs). Morning and afternoon jungle excursions. B L D

Chitvan Jungle Lodge (3N)



## TOUR ESCORT - ANNE MARIE ZABELLI

A passionate traveller with decades of experience in the travel industry, Anne-Marie (Annie) Zambelli is an expert on all our destinations with unrivalled knowledge. She is an enthusiastic and entertaining travelling companion. Captivated by India on her first trip in 2002, Annie has returned many times, and this will be her 17th Taj Temples & Tigers Tour.

## DAYS 6-9 BANDHAVGARH

Drive to Bandhavgarh NP (4 hrs). Morning and afternoon jungle excursions. B L D

Bandhav Vilas (3N)

## DAY 10 KHAJURAHO

Drive to Khajuraho and visit one of the oldest temple complexes in India, dating back to 930AD. B L D

Radisson Jass Hotel (1N)

## DAY 11 AGRA

Depart for Agra by road and train, home to the Taj Mahal built by Emperor Shah Jahan to honour his late wife Mumtaz Mahal. B L D

Trident Agra (1N)

## DAYS 12-14 BHARATPUR

Visit the Taj Mahal at sunrise then tour Agra Fort before arriving at Bharatpur in the evening. Activities include the Keoladeo NP and sunset visit to the 16th century Moghul city of Fatehpur Sikri. B L D

The Birder's Inn (3N)

## DAYS 15/16 JAIPUR

Depart by road to India's "Pink city" – Jaipur. Sightseeing includes the Amber Fort, City

Palace and a visit to the Jantar Mantar Observatory. B L D

Trident Jaipur (2N)

## DAY 17 13 MAR TOUR ENDS, DELHI

Morning at leisure before your return to Delhi. Tour ends. B



## 5 DAY OPTIONAL EXTENSION

Join us in Kaziranga National Park, home of the endangered one-horned Indian rhinoceros and wild elephant.



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or call 1300 363 302 to speak to one of our Destination Specialists