

Kruger Park Tours

[Purple Palms Travellers Lodge, Johannesburg](#)

[North South Backpackers, Pretoria](#)

1 - 3 day Kruger National Park

Price per person (2007):

R 2 800 : Tribal village (Day 1) & Camping

R 3 200 : Bedded accommodation (Both nights)

Departure: Every day

Depart from: Johannesburg, Pretoria, Nelspruit

Any Backpackers hostel, hotel, guest house

End in: Johannesburg, Pretoria, Nelspruit

Any Backpackers hostel, guest house, hotel or airport

Included:

All transport

All accommodation

Qualified and registered guide

Meals as specified below

Entrance fees to Kruger National Park

Kruger National Park

All game drives in 4x4 open sided vehicles

Night drive inside Kruger National Park

Tribal village

Blyde River Canyon (Three Rondawels view point)

Bourke Luck Potholes

God's Window

Excluded:

All drinks (except coffee & tea with meals)

Meals not specified below

Optional game walk inside Kruger National Park

Day 1: Panoramic route - Blyde river canyon

The tour departs early morning from Johannesburg and Pretoria, heading east towards Nelspruit where we also pick clients up. We will stop en-route for breakfast (own cost). From Nelspruit we drive further north where we stop for lunch (own cost) & banks in Graskop.

After lunch we drive through the panoramic route where we stop at God's Window, Bourke Luck Potholes and the 3rd largest canyon in the world - the Blyde River Canyon.

Clients doing the camping option, will stay this night at a tribal village.

Clients doing the bedded option, will stay this night at a private lodge.

See the above links for more information & photos of each night's accommodation.

Dinner included

Day 2: Kruger National Park

A very short drive takes us to Kruger National Park (arrive as the gates open) that is home to 147 mammal (incl. the Big 5), 114 reptile, & 502 bird species. You will be transferred to open sided 4 x 4 game viewing vehicles (on arrival at the park) in which we will do game drives for the rest of the day. Breakfast and lunch will be enjoyed at one of the picnic sites inside Kruger National Park. At sunset you will start with a 3 hour night drive, done in a Kruger Park open sided game viewing vehicle with a Kruger National Park guide. This is a great opportunity to see nocturnal animals not normally seen during the day game drives.

Clients who booked the bedded accommodation will be dropped off at the private lodge, after the night drive.

Clients who booked the camping accommodation option will stay in our camp inside Kruger National Park.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 3: Return to Nelspruit, Johannesburg & Pretoria

We start the day with a light breakfast, before heading out on a short game drive. We then return to Nelspruit, Johannesburg and Pretoria.

Breakfast included

2 - 4 day Kruger National Park

Price per person (2007):

R 3 250 : Tribal village (Day 1) & Camping

R 3 950 : Bedded (All 3 nights)

Departure: Every day

Depart from: Johannesburg, Pretoria, Nelspruit

Any Backpackers hostel, hotel, guest house

End in: Johannesburg, Pretoria, Nelspruit

Any Backpackers hostel, guest house, hotel or airport

Included:

All transport

All accommodation

Qualified and registered guide

Meals as specified below

Entrance fees to Kruger National Park

All game drives in 4x4 open sided vehicles

Night drive inside Kruger National Park

Tribal village

Blyde River Canyon (Three Rondawels view point)

Bourke Luck Potholes

God's Window

Excluded:

All drinks (except coffee & tea with meals)

Meals not specified below

Optional game walk inside Kruger National Park

Day 1: Panoramic route - Blyde river canyon

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From Nelspruit we drive further north where we stop for lunch (own cost) & banks in Graskop.

After lunch we drive through the panoramic route where we stop at God's Window, Bourke Luck Potholes and the 3rd largest canyon in the world - the Blyde River Canyon.

Clients doing the camping option will stay this night at a tribal village.

Clients doing the bedded option will stay this night at a private lodge.

See the above links for more information & photos of each night's accommodation.

Dinner included

Day 2: Kruger National Park

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National Park guide. This is a great opportunity to see nocturnal animals not normally seen during the day game drives.

Clients who booked the bedded accommodation will be dropped off at the private lodge, after the night drive.

Clients who booked the camping accommodation option will stay in our camp inside Kruger National Park.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 3: Kruger National Park

We start the day with a cup of coffee / tea, before heading out on a game drive as the gates open (in open 4x4 game viewing vehicles). You will be on a game drive for the majority of the day, searching for as many animals as possible. Breakfast and lunch will be enjoyed at picnic sites inside Kruger national park.

Clients who booked the bedded accommodation will be dropped off at the private lodge, after the night drive.

Clients who booked the camping accommodation option will stay in our camp inside Kruger National Park.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 4: Return to Nelspruit, Johannesburg & Pretoria

We start the day with a light breakfast, before heading out on a short game drive. We then return to Nelspruit, Johannesburg and Pretoria.

Breakfast included

3 - 6 Day Kruger National Park

Price per person (2007):

R 4 100 : Tribal village (Day 1) & Camping

R 5 150 : Bedded (All 5 nights)

Departure: Every day

Depart from: Johannesburg, Pretoria, Nelspruit

Any Backpackers hostel, hotel, guest house

End in: Johannesburg, Pretoria, Nelspruit

Any Backpackers hostel, guest house, hotel or airport

Included:

All transport

All accommodation

Qualified and registered guide

Meals as specified below

Entrance fees to Kruger National Park

Kruger National Park

All game drives in 4x4 open sided vehicles

Night drive inside Kruger National Park

Tribal village

Blyde River Canyon (Three Rondawels view point)

Bourke Luck Potholes

God's Window

Excluded:

All drinks (except coffee & tea with meals)

Meals not specified below

Optional game walk inside Kruger Park

Day 1: Panoramic route - Blyde river canyon

The tour departs early morning from Johannesburg and Pretoria, heading east towards Nelspruit where we also pick clients up. We will stop en-route for breakfast (own cost). From Nelspruit we drive further north where we stop for lunch (own cost) & banks in Graskop.

After lunch we drive through the panoramic route where we stop at God's Window, Bourke Luck Potholes and the 3rd largest canyon in the world - the Blyde River Canyon. Clients doing the camping option, will stay this night at a tribal village. Clients doing the bedded option, will stay this night at a private lodge. See above links for information of each night's accommodation.

Dinner included

Day 2: Kruger National Park

A very short drive takes us to Kruger National Park (arrive as the gates open) that is home to 147 mammal (incl. the Big 5), 114 reptile, & 502 bird species. You will be transferred to open sided 4 x 4 game viewing vehicles (on arrival at the park) in which we will do game drives for the rest of the day. Breakfast and lunch will be enjoyed at one of the picnic sites inside Kruger National Park. At sunset you will start with a 3 hour night drive, done in a Kruger Park open sided game viewing vehicle with a Kruger National Park guide. This is a great opportunity to see nocturnal animals not normally seen during the day game drives.

Clients who booked the bedded accommodation will be dropped off at the private lodge, after the night drive.

Clients who booked the camping accommodation option will stay in our camp inside Kruger National Park.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Days 3, 4, 5: Kruger National Park

We start the day with a cup of coffee / tea, before heading out on a game drive as the gates open (in open 4x4 game viewing vehicles). You will be on a game drive for the majority of the day, searching for as many animals as possible. Breakfast and lunch will be enjoyed at picnic sites inside Kruger national park.

Clients who booked the bedded accommodation will be dropped off at the private lodge, after the night drive.

Clients who booked the camping accommodation option will stay in our camp inside Kruger National Park.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 6: Return to Nelspruit, Johannesburg & Pretoria

We start the day with a light breakfast, before heading out on a short game drive. We then return to Nelspruit, Johannesburg and Pretoria.

Breakfast included

4 - 8 day Kruger and Two Kingdoms Safari

Price: R6250.00pp

Countries Visited: Mozambique - South Africa - Swaziland

Included Highlights: Game drives in Kruger Park, Night Drive in Kruger Park, Drakensberg Escarpment and Panoramic Route, Swazi cultural village, Tracking white Rhino on foot, Mozambique beach resort, Game drive in Hluhluwe Game Reserve, Lake St Lucia

Optional Activities - These rates are in USD and can change at any time without notice. Please use as a guideline only.

Activities Kruger: Additional Kruger National Park Night Drive - \$20 Activities St. Lucia: Boat Cruise on Lake St. Lucia - \$25 Activities Mozambique: Scenic Boat Cruise (Mozambique) - \$15; Diving at Ponta Malongane: Day dive - \$30; Night dive - \$35

Wagon Trails Provides: All ground transportation, services of experienced qualified driver/guide, camping equipment (two person dome tents, mattresses, cooking equipment), all highlights, meals, entrance fees and accommodation per itinerary

Not Included: All visa costs are the client's responsibility, travel insurance, flights, departure taxes, sleeping bags, items of a personal nature, drinks, optional activities

Participation: Participation safari, clients to erect their tents and help with cooking, washing dishes and vehicle cleanliness

Accommodation: Camping in two person dome tents, Accommodation in budget chalets

Meals: Johannesburg to Drakensberg Escarpment (Blyde River Canyon) (D)
Drakensberg Escarpment (Blyde River Canyon) to Kruger National Park (BD)
Kruger National Park to Kruger National Park (BD)
Kruger National Park to Hlane Game park (BD)
Hlane Game park to Ponta Malongane (BD)
Ponta Malongane to Ponta Malongane (BD)
Ponta Malongane to Hluhluwe and St Lucia Estuary (BD)
Hluhluwe and St Lucia Estuary to Durban (B)

Itinerary

Johannesburg to Drakensberg Escarpment (Blyde River Canyon)

We depart Johannesburg/Pretoria and make our way through the Mpumalanga Province. Our journey takes us along the panoramic route, some of the most stunning scenery South Africa has to offer. The sights en-route include God's Window, the Bourke's Luck Potholes, the Three Rondawels and the magnificent Blyde River Canyon. Evening to be spent camping at a resort overlooking the canyon. (D)

Drakensberg Escarpment (Blyde River Canyon) to Kruger National Park

After breakfast we descend the escarpment and make our way to the world-renowned Kruger Park. Our wildlife experience begins as we enter the park, exploring prime game viewing areas en-route to our campsite. We arrive at our campsite in time to freshen up before heading out on an exciting open vehicle night drive. The evening is to be spent camping in the Kruger. (BD)

Kruger National Park to Kruger National Park

An early rise, we begin the day with coffee and rusks, before venturing out on a morning game drive. Most of the day will be spent game viewing, bird watching and stopping at the various waterholes and viewpoints. We arrive back at the camp at sunset in time to enjoy a traditional braai (barbeque) and relax around the campfire. (BD)

Kruger National Park to Hlane Game park

Departing from Kruger Park, we travel southeast towards the Swaziland border. We enter the Kingdom of Swaziland, where we visit a traditional Swazi cultural village and gain insight into their cultural beliefs, traditional dancing and singing. We then depart for the Hlane Royal National Park. This vast expanse of bushveld with its ancient hardwood trees, spectacular birdlife and four of the Big Five makes Hlane, home to the largest wild herds in the kingdom. We set up camp, before exploring Hlane on a guided game walk, giving us the opportunity to track white rhino on foot. The evening is to be spent camping at Hlane. (BD)

Hlane Game park to Ponta Malongane

We depart from Hlane and make our way to the Golela border post and into Maputaland. Our journey continues via Kosi Bay, as we once again head across a border to a seaside village in Mozambique. We have the rest of the afternoon to enjoy the unspoiled beaches of Mozambique. The evening is to be spent at one of the coastal resorts. (BD)

Ponta Malongane to Ponta Malongane

Today we have the opportunity to relax on the beach or take part in one of the many optional activities. These include snorkelling, scuba diving or swimming with the bottlenose dolphins. Evening to be spent at a beach resort. (BD)

Ponta Malongane to Hluhluwe and St Lucia Estuary

We depart Mozambique, making our way to the Hluhluwe/Umfolozi Game Reserve, the oldest game reserve in Africa. The day is spent on game drives, searching for the endangered black rhino, for which this park is famous. We depart Hluhluwe in the late afternoon and head for Lake St Lucia, a World Heritage site. The evening is to be spent in St Lucia. (BD)

Hluhluwe and St Lucia Estuary to Durban

We depart St Lucia and make our way to the coastal city of Durban, where our tour ends. (B)

5 - 10 Day Kruger Park & Chobe & Victoria Falls

Price per person (2007):

R 7 680 : Tribal village (Day 1) & Camping

R 8 150 : Bedded (Days 1, 2, 3) & Camping

Departure: Every Friday

Depart from: Johannesburg, Pretoria

Any Backpackers hostel, hotel, guest house

End in: Johannesburg, Pretoria

Any Backpackers hostel, guest house, hotel or airport

Included:

All transport

All accommodation

Qualified and registered guide

Meals as specified below

Entrance fees to Kruger National Park

Kruger National Park

4x4 open vehicle game drives in Kruger Nat Park

Night drive inside Kruger National Park

Tribal village

Blyde River Canyon (Three Rondawels view point)

Bourke Luck Potholes

God's Window

Entrance to Chobe National Park

4x4 open vehicle game drives in Chobe Nat Park

Entrance to Victoria Falls waterfall

Sunset cruise on Zambezi River

Excluded:

All drinks (except coffee & tea with meals)

Meals not specified below

Optional activities in Victoria (Book on tour)

Visas if needed

Day 1: Panoramic route - Blyde river canyon (South Africa)

The tour departs early morning from Johannesburg and Pretoria, heading east towards Nelspruit where we also pick clients up. We will stop en-route for breakfast (own cost). From Nelspruit we drive further north where we stop for lunch (own cost) & banks in Graskop.

Day 2: Kruger National Park (South Africa)

A very short drive takes us to Kruger National Park (arrive as the gates open) that is home to 147 mammal (incl. the Big 5), 114 reptile, & 502 bird species. You will be transferred to open sided 4 x 4 game viewing vehicles (on arrival at the park) in which we will do game drives for the rest of the day. Breakfast and lunch will be enjoyed at one of the picnic sites inside Kruger National Park. At sunset you will start with a 3 hour

night drive, done in a Kruger Park open sided game viewing vehicle with a Kruger National Park guide. This is a great opportunity to see nocturnal animals not normally seen during the day game drives.

Clients who booked the bedded accommodation will be dropped off at the private lodge, after the night drive.

Clients who booked the camping accommodation option will stay in our camp inside Kruger National Park.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 3: Hartbeespoort (South Africa)

We start the day with a light breakfast, before heading out on a short game drive. We then drive to Hartbeespoort, where we will be staying at a backpackers hostel in the valley below the Magaliesberg mountains.

Breakfast included

Day 4: Nata (Botswana)

We depart early morning from Hartbeespoort. Your guide will stop en-route for breakfast (own cost) and last minute shopping, before reaching the Botswana border. You will get an opportunity to change money, after crossing the border, from where we head further north to Nata, where we camp the night.

Dinner included

Day 5: Chobe National Park (Botswana)

We head further north through the Kasane forest where we always see herds of elephants, rare antelopes and sometimes lion, hyena and wild dog. We arrive mid morning in Kasane where we will be staying on the shores of the Chobe River at Chobe Safari Lodge that is at the gate of Chobe National Park. Here you can relax at the swimming pool overlooking the river where you stand a good chance to see animals like elephant, buffalo and hippo, as well as a large variety of bird species. This afternoon we do an open vehicle game drive inside Chobe National Park, which is well known for its large variety and numbers of wildlife.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Days 6, 7, 8: Victoria Falls (Zimbabwe)

A short drive takes us across the border and on to the adventure capital of the world, Victoria Falls, which is considered to be one of the safest tourist destinations in southern Africa. On arrival the guide will assist you with the changing of money and booking of your optional activities, before going to one of the seven natural wonders of the world - the magnificent Victoria Falls. The waterfall is 1700 meters (1.1 mile) wide, of which 1300 meters is on the Zimbabwean side, including the main falls. Late afternoon we do a sunset cruise on the 4th largest river in Africa (Zambezi River), which has national parks on both the Zambian and Zimbabwean side of the river. We normally see a wide variety of wildlife such as hippo, elephant, antelopes, giraffe and much more while on the cruise, during which all soft drinks, wine, beer and finger snacks are included.

You will have plenty of free time to explore the town, meet the local, visit the African arts and craft markets, or to relax by the pool in the heat of the day.

Victoria Falls is well known for offering great activities (optional excursions) such as the best 1 day white water rafting, the 2nd highest bungi jump in the world, elephant back safaris, flights over the waterfall, canoe safaris, day trips to Hwange National Park, fishing, game walks, horse back safaris and much more. The last night is dinner out at a local restaurants (own cost).

Days 7 & 8: Breakfast, Dinner included

Day 9: Breakfast included

Day 9: Palapye (Botswana)

This morning we head south to Palapye, where you can relax by the pool.

Breakfast, Dinner included

Day 10: Return to Johannesburg & Pretoria (South Africa)

We depart early morning for Johannesburg & Pretoria. Your guide will stop en-route for breakfast (own cost).

No meals included

6 - 10 Day Kruger Park & Okavango Delta

Price per person (2007):

R 7 950 : Tribal village (Day 1) & Camping

R 8 420 : Bedded (Days 1,2,3) & Camping

Departure: Every Sunday

Depart from: Johannesburg, Pretoria

Any Backpackers hostel, hotel, guest house

End in: Johannesburg, Pretoria

Any Backpackers hostel, guest house, hotel or airport

Included:

All transport (open vehicle inside Kruger)

All accommodation

Qualified and registered guide

Meals as specified below

Entrance fees to Kruger National Park

Kruger National Park

4x4 open vehicle game drives in Kruger Nat Park

Night drive inside Kruger National Park

Tribal village

Blyde River Canyon (Three Rondawels view point)

Bourke Luck Potholes

God's Window

Entrance fees for Okavango Delta

4x4 open vehicle transfers in Okavango Delta

Polers & mokoros

Game walks while inside the Okavango Delta

Excluded:

All drinks (except coffee & tea with meals)

Meals not specified below

Optional game walk inside Kruger National Park

Optional 1 hour flight over the Okavango Delta

Visas if needed

Day 1: Panoramic route - Blyde river canyon (South Africa)

The tour departs early morning from Johannesburg and Pretoria, heading east towards Nelspruit where we also pick clients up. We will stop en-route for breakfast (own cost).

From Nelspruit we drive further north where we stop for lunch (own cost) & banks in Graskop.

Day 2: Kruger National Park (South Africa)

A very short drive takes us to Kruger National Park (arrive as the gates open) that is home to 147 mammal (incl. the Big 5), 114 reptile, & 502 bird species. You will be transferred to open sided 4 x 4 game viewing vehicles (on arrival at the park) in which we will do game drives for the rest of the day. Breakfast and lunch will be enjoyed at one of the picnic sites inside Kruger National Park. At sunset you will start with a 3 hour night drive, done in a Kruger Park open sided game viewing vehicle with a Kruger National Park guide. This is a great opportunity to see nocturnal animals not normally seen during the day game drives.

Clients who booked the bedded accommodation will be dropped off at the private lodge,

after the night drive.

Clients who booked the camping accommodation option will stay in our camp inside Kruger National Park.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 3: Hartbeespoort (South Africa)

We start the day with a light breakfast, before heading out on a short game drive. We then drive to Hartbeespoort, where we will be staying at a backpackers hostel in the valley below the Magaliesberg mountains.

Breakfast included

Day 4: Nata (Botswana)

We depart early morning from Hartbeespoort. Your guide will stop en-route for breakfast (own cost) and last minute shopping, before reaching the Botswana border. You will get an opportunity to change money, after crossing the border, from where we head further north to Nata, where we camp the night.

Dinner included

Day 5: Maun (Botswana)

The day starts with an early morning breakfast, before heading west along the northern border of the Kalahari Desert to Maun. We stay the night at a great campsite just outside Maun, where you can visit the crocodile farm, and relax by the pool.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Days 6, 7, 8: Okavango Delta (Botswana)

The Okavango Delta must be one of the best experiences offered in southern Africa, and offers a large variety of mammal, reptile and bird species.

We start the day with a large breakfast, before heading into the Okavango Delta with 4x4 open-sided game viewing vehicles. The local guides (polers) will be waiting for us in the park at the waterline, where we transfer all the equipment and our personal belongings into mokoros (traditional dug out canoes). From here we glide down the water channels deeper into the Okavango Delta, searching for the ideal place to set up camp. There will be no fences, no running water, no showers, no buildings and no electricity. We camp in the wild with only what we take with us. After lunch you cool off in a natural swim hole in the rivers.

Every day we will do early morning and late afternoon game walks, searching for as many different animal species as possible. The guides will explain more about all the animals, tracks and the Delta during these walks. You will have the opportunity to get as close as possible (safety first) to the wildlife of the Okavango Delta.

After dinners you can relax with the guides around a campfire, while listening to their stories about the bush, animals, their cultures and of course listening to the sounds of animals at night in Africa.

You start your last morning in the Okavango delta with a cup of coffee before doing your final game walk. After the walk you will enjoy breakfast, break down camp, and then return by mokoros to the place where the 4x4 vehicles will meet you.

Your guide will prepare a light lunch on return to camp in Maun. This afternoon you have the opportunity to do an optional one hour flight over the Okavango Delta, during which you are guaranteed to see many large herds of animals, as well as many single or smaller groups of animals.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 9: Palapye (Botswana)

This morning we head south to Palapye, where you can relax by the pool.

Please note that we might stay the night at Nata or at Elephant Sands.

Breakfast, Dinner included

Day 10: Return to Johannesburg & Pretoria (South Africa)

We depart early morning for Johannesburg & Pretoria. Your guide will stop en-route for

breakfast (own cost).

No meals included

7- 10 Day Kruger National Park & Mozambique

Price per person (2007):

R 7 100 : Tribal village (Day 1) & Camping

R 11 600 : Bedded (all 9 nights)

Departure: Tuesday

Depart from: Johannesburg, Pretoria

Any Backpackers hostel, hotel, guest house

End in: Johannesburg, Pretoria, Nelspruit

Any Backpackers hostel, guest house, hotel or airport

Included:

All transport

All accommodation

Qualified and registered guide

Meals as specified below

Entrance fees to Kruger National Park

Kruger National Park

All game drives in 4x4 open sided vehicles

Night drive inside Kruger National Park

Tribal village

Blyde River Canyon (Three Rondawels view point)

Bourke Luck Potholes

God's Window

Ocean safari (2 to 3 hours whale shark snorkling)

Sunset cruise on inland lake at Bilene

Excluded:

All drinks (except coffee & tea with meals)

Meals not specified below

Optional game walk inside Kruger National Park

Day 1: Panoramic route - Blyde river canyon (South Africa)

The tour departs early morning from Johannesburg and Pretoria, heading east towards Nelspruit where we also pick clients up. We will stop en-route for breakfast (own cost). From Nelspruit we drive further north where we stop for lunch (own cost) & banks in Graskop.

After lunch we drive through the panoramic route where we stop at God's Window, Bourke Luck Potholes and the 3rd largest canyon in the world - the Blyde River Canyon.

Day 2: Kruger National Park (South Africa)

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Clients who booked the bedded accommodation will be dropped off at the private lodge, after the night drive.

Clients who booked the camping accommodation option will stay in our camp inside Kruger National Park.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 3: Bilene (Mozambique)

We start our final game drive as soon as the gates open, in search of the animals that we have not seen on days 1 & 2.

We will then drive close to the border of Mozambique passing the southern point of Kruger National Park. After the border procedures, we will make our way up to beautiful Bilene, a small town surrounded by inland lakes.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 4: Bilene (Mozambique)

After an early morning swim in the clear waters of the inland lake that stretches for 27 kilometers, breakfast is served where after you can relax on the beach at our campsite. The rest of the day you can familiarise yourself with the local fisherman and maybe even go searching for prawns with them. This is an excellent time to immerse yourself in their culture and get to know how the locals live. There is a local market where you can find an assortment of curios and a walk through of the town is a must. In the late afternoon there is a sunset cruise that will last approximately 2 hours. There will be sun-downers and snacks served on the cruise.

Lunch, Dinner included

Days 5,6,7,8: Tofo Beach (Mozambique)

After waking up to the sounds of the Indian Ocean, we will enjoy a hearty tropical breakfast. We will travel north to the town of Inhambane, with one of the best curio markets in Mozambique. After a visit to the market, we head towards the beach of Tofo. The warm tropical waters of Tofo attracts many species of fish and other sea dwelling creatures such as green and leather-back turtles, manta rays and the whale shark, the majestic giant of the sea.

The days are spent organising swimming trips, lazing in the sun, swimming in the tropical sea, playing beach volleyball and walking down to the beach bar for sun-downers. The small town of Tofo also has its own small curio and food market and one or two restaurants where they serve great seafood and other local dishes typical of Mozambique. Your guide will organise your whale shark snorkel dive which is included in the tour cost. If you would like to learn how to surf, you will have the opportunity to take some classes.

Breakfast, Dinner included

Day 9: Maputo (Mozambique)

After time spent on the pristine beaches, our journey takes us to Maputo, the capital city of Mozambique. An unforgettable last evening is spent with local people at the lively true Mozambican fish market, where we relax and reflect on our Mozambique experience.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included

Day 10: Return to Johannesburg & Pretoria (South Africa)

We depart early morning for Johannesburg & Pretoria.

Breakfast included

8 - 7 day Kruger to Vic Falls

Price: R4530.00

Countries Visited: Botswana - South Africa - Zambia

Included Highlights: Kruger Park Entrance Fee, Kruger Park Game Drives, Kruger Park Night Drive, Panoramic Route, Shangaan Cultural Village, Entrance to Victoria Falls (Zambian Side), Zambezi Sunset Cruise

Optional Activities: *These rates are in USD and can change at any time without notice. Please use as a guideline only.*

Activities in Victoria Falls: White water rafting \$135; Canoeing \$85; Bungy \$95; Kayaking \$150; Jet boat \$60; Rhino Walk \$55; Elephant Walk \$100; Helicopter Flip \$85 Activities in South Africa: Private Game Walk

(min 4 people) \$45

Wagon Trails Provides: All ground transportation, services of experienced qualified driver/guide, camping equipment (2 person dome tents, mattresses, cooking equipment), all highlights, meals, entrance fees & accommodation per itinerary

Not Included: All visa costs are the clients responsibility, travel insurance, flights, departure taxes, sleeping bags, items of a personal nature, drinks, and optional activities

Participation: Participation safari, clients to erect their tents and help with cooking, washing dishes and vehicle cleanliness

Extras: Local Payment needs to be paid over and above tour cost, this pays for all included highlights and is NOT a food kitty. This amount is payable to the driver on the day of departure. Wagon Trails has a strict policy of no hidden costs on all our tours, what you see is what you get!

Accommodation: Camping in two person dome tents, Multishare huts in tribal village

Meals: Johannesburg to Kruger National Park (D)
Kruger National Park to Kruger National Park (BLD)
Kruger National Park to Panoramic Route/Nyani (BLD)
Panoramic Route/Nyani to Makopane (BD)
Makopane to Nata (BD)
Nata to Livingstone (BD)

Itinerary

Johannesburg to Kruger National Park

An early start as we leave the city of gold and make our way through the Mpumalanga province en route to the Kruger National Park. As we enter through one of the Southern gates we begin our search for the many species of birds, mammals and reptiles that inhabit the Park. This Park is home to a wide diversity of animals including Africa's "Big Five" Our game drive takes us to our campsite, where we board an open safari vehicle and head out on an exciting night drive. Evening to be spent camping within Kruger. (D)

Kruger National Park to Kruger National Park

An early morning game drive takes us along some of the best game drive routes that Kruger has to offer. Sunrise at a waterhole offers scenes straight out of National Geographic. The entire day is spent game viewing, bird watching and stopping off at the various waterholes en route to our next camp. Evening to be spent relaxing around the campfire reminiscing about the day's events. (BLD)

Kruger National Park to Panoramic Route/Nyani

We take our final game drive in Kruger before heading up the Drakensberg Escarpment and spend the day visiting the scenic sights along the panoramic route. These sights include God's Window, Bourke's Luck Potholes and the magnificent Three Rondawels at the Blyde River Canyon. From here we journey on to a Shangaan Tribal Village where a guided tour gives you an insight into the culture and traditions of the local Shangaan people. We enjoy an exciting evening of tribal dancing, singing and a traditional African dinner. Overnight in traditional huts. (BLD)

Panoramic Route/Nyani to Makopane

We depart the village after breakfast and head towards the town of Makopane where we overnight en route to Botswana. (BD)

Makopane to Nata

We cross into Botswana and continue to Nata where we camp at the edge of Makgadikgadi Pans. (BD)

Nata to Livingstone

We arrive in Livingstone and venture out on a sunset cruise on the mighty Zambezi River.

The following day is spent on optional activities, including white water rafting, bungee jumping, microlighting, jet boating or a "flight of angels". We explore the town, its markets and visit the Victoria Falls. (BD)

9 - Kruger Walking Safaris

Transfrontiers is known for its wildlife walking safaris. The safari is designed for the keen adventurer and there is little that compares with the thrill of meeting the Big 5 on foot. Our luxury tented safari camps are situated in the Timbavati and Klaserie part of the Greater Kruger Park. Our scheduled wildlife walking safaris give you the rare opportunity to get out into the bush on foot and to really feel the pulse of the Africa. The tented camps are the real thing, complete with open air showers and dining tent and a camp fire to gather around at night and share the adventures of the day. The specialised guides open up a new world to guests by sharing their tracking skills, knowledge of the African bush and extraordinary bush expertise.

The attentive camp staff prepare customary bush fare including a traditional "Braai" and a venison dish. Afternoon walks are combined with an open vehicle drive that develops into a night drive by spotlight after a pause for sundowners. The tents are equipped with full sized beds and linen and solar lighting and the camps accommodate a maximum of 12 guests.

4 or 5 day walking safaris

Affordable and unique walking safaris in the exclusive Big Five Greater Kruger National Park

Scheduled guaranteed departures every Mon (5 day) and Fri (4 day)

Maximum 8 people per trail, no minimum

Maximum 12 people per camp

Minimum age 16 (in groups of 4 min age 12)

Includes transfers to and from Jo'burg or Pretoria

Includes two walk/drive combinations and night drive each day

Includes all meals and accommodation

Pick-up and drop-off information

Pick up time from your hotel in JHB between 5 and 6 in the morning (click here for list of hotels).

Everybody will be contacted at their hotel the day before departure to confirm the exact time.

If your pick-up hotel has not been confirmed, please contact us two days before traveling!

Drop off time at your hotel or JHB International approximately 18.00 hours.

Pick up and drop off Eastgate Airport Hoedspruit free of charge. Directions to the meeting point for self-drivers available on request.

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Mon - Fri (5 day / 4 night) : R5 300 pp (excluding drinks and entrance fees)

Fri - Mon (4 day / 3 night) : R4 500 pp (excluding drinks and entrance fees) .

Includes

Transfers to and from Jo'burg and Pretoria

Two walk/drive combinations and night drive each day

All meals and accommodation as per itinerary

Excludes

Drinks

Conservation Fee of max R185 pp

The max R185 is a once-off local payment for entrance fees that need to be paid directly to the Reserves that we operate in. The amount will depend on where you're going and this money goes back into conservation, used for purposes such as anti-poaching, animal monitoring and research. The Conservation Fee and the drinks consumed in our camps will be paid for on the day you leave the safari. Drinks like beers, wine, ciders, Smirnoff spins, gin & tonic, cokes, juices and bottled water are provided in the camps. Coffee, tea and water from the tap are free of charge.

Daily itinerary 4 & 5 day walking safari

Mon - Fri 5 day walking safari

Fri - Mon 4 day walking safari

On the day of departure you will be collected from your hotel at first light and transferred to the reserve gate. The journey takes approximately 5 hours with stops along the way. You will meet your ranger at a lovely bush pub at the edge of the reserves, where you will sign the indemnity forms and have lunch together. After lunch, we transfer you into open safari vehicles to one of our bush camps in the Greater Kruger National Park making sure that you spend the maximum time out in the bush!

In the mornings we set off at first light after a snack breakfast of rusks and coffee or tea. Enjoying the cool morning air we may walk directly from camp or else use a vehicle to get further out. Your ranger will decipher the tracks and signs left by the passing animals during the night. The thrill of walking, tracking and getting up close to one of the creatures of the bush is an unforgettable experience. On the walks there is a lot of emphasis on all the interesting things seen such as trees, plants, insects and birds. A big breakfast is prepared back in camp and then there is time to unwind and siesta during the heat of the day. After lunch is served it is time to head out again.

The afternoon activity is a walk/ drive combination, looking for tracks and activity in other areas. After the walk we drive to a beautiful spot in the Reserve, where we'll have sundowners while waiting for a stunning African Sunset. As the diurnal animals and birds anxiously get ready for bed, the stage and sounds change and a whole new world awakens. This is when we connect the spotlight and night drive back to camp, looking for the nocturnal creatures that are so rarely seen during the day. Back in camp a hearty supper and a warm campfire will be waiting for you. After a long day in the bush there is nothing more rewarding than to sneak off to bed and listen to the sounds of the night under a blanket of the overwhelming African stars!

On the last day you will still go out for one last walk. Sniffing the typical scents of the bush you'll realize how much you've learned already! After breakfast it's time to pack up and go back to the bush pub, where you will pay the Conservation Fee and the drinks you've consumed in our camps. Then we say our goodbyes and transfer you back to the city.

10 - Kruger Safaris Staying at Tremisana Lodge

Tremisana is the largest and leading lodge in the Balule section of Kruger Park.

We have a total of 12 chalets plus a two-bedroomed Guest House. Every unit has a thatch roof, is air-conditioned and en suite (shower, toilet, basin) and has a tea/coffee station. Insect-proof screens are fitted on all windows.

Sparkling pool at Tremisana

There is a splash pool, open air boma for dinners around a crackling fire and a covered lapa overlooking a waterhole. A very beautiful luxuriant garden boasts numerous bougainvilleas, palms and cycads which give the camp a subtropical tone. Water features add a soothing effect and the overall feel of Tremisana Lodge is very relaxing. At night, the subdued light from the illuminated paved walkways lend a romantic and magical flavour to this outstanding camp.

Tremisana chalet overlooking lush garden

The lodge is serviced by two excellent boreholes. Its proximity to the tar road means Tremisana is easily accessible all year round, including the rainy season. The presence of lions, elephants and buffalo necessitates the maintaining of an electric fence around the camp.

A troop of Vervet Monkeys have learned how to avoid being shocked and have made

Tremisana their permanent home. Their antics never fail to amuse and enthrall our guests.

Mindful of the increasing demand of tourists to have extended walks in the bush, away from the crowds, 2008 sees the introduction of a new product for clients booking the Tremisana safaris : The Balule Plains experience.

11 - Kruger Safaris Staying at Marc's Treehouse Lodge

Imagine..... inhale the fresh balmy air of African Bushveld. Fall asleep to the gurgling of the river, interrupted by the eerie whoops of hyena, spine-chilling wails of jackals and the plaintive cry of the thick-tailed bushbaby. Awaken to the melodious chorus of birdsong and watch the activity of wildlife drinking at the river or at our spotlit waterhole. Walk along the pristine banks of the perennial Klaserie River amongst huge Sycamore Figs and giant Matumi trees.....this is Marc's Treehouse Lodge.

Accommodation at Marc's is secure, comfortable and relaxed. We offer 12 treehouses : five original units built in the trees with designated private ablutions on the ground below and seven en suite units built on stilts within the tree canopy. Three treehouses overlook an illuminated waterhole, often frequented by our resident buffalo herd while nine treehouses are discreetly nestled in gallery forest along the river. Each treehouse is equipped with beds and linen, soap and towels, overhead fan, mosquito nets and wooden viewing deck. In addition we have added two brick and mortar guest houses as well as two equipped canvas tents for those of our clients that prefer these types of accommodation

Marc's Treehouse Lodge has a swimming pool, an elevated library, bush bar and rustic boma where 3 course meals are served. After your evening meal, which always has a typical African flavour, you can relax around the crackling campfire and share your impressions of the day's wildlife highlights and adventures.

Compared to similarly priced camping safaris for backpackers, Marc's offers so much more and it is easy to understand why it has become a favourite venue for the backpacking fraternity.

12 - Three Day Safari

TARIFF : R 3595 sharing ; R 3795 single ; R 2495 child under 12

Day one: Pick up from your hostel or Johannesburg Airport and travel in an airconditioned vehicle via Dullstroom or Nelspruit to Tremisana Game Lodge in the Balule section of Kruger Park. After a short break (swim/ early Sundowner at the bar) you board the open Landcruiser for a Big Five sunset drive. After dark, your guide will use a powerful spotlight to locate nocturnal animals. After the game drive, you will be transferred to Marc's Treehouse Lodge, where you are accommodated in fascinating treehouses. Dinner in the Boma around a crackling fire will be a typical South African meal.

Day two: You will be transferred to the Orpen Gate of Kruger where you enjoy the open Gameviewer that provides unbeatable opportunities for a total sensual wildlife experience. These 4 x 4 vehicles easily access all roads in Kruger. Your experienced guide will show you many animals and birds that frequent this wildlife paradise. Dinner and overnight at Marc's Treehouse Lodge.

Day three: Early morning game walk accompanied by your armed ranger. You will attempt to get close to the numerous animals that have made their home at Marc's, especially nyala and buffalo. After breakfast, you drive via the Blyde River Canyon on your return to Johannesburg where you arrive in the late afternoon. Airport dropoff by

arrangement.

13 - Four Day Safari

TARIFF : R 3995 sharing ; R 4195 single ; R 2895 child under 12

The itinerary is the same as that of the Three Day Safari above, with an additional day spent in Kruger on the open vehicle

14 - Six Day Safari

As in Four Day Safari above, with two additional days as follows:

First additional day: Visit Moholoholo Rehabilitation Centre for injured and orphaned animals. Your understanding of conservation issues will be greatly improved. After lunch and siesta drive to Tremisana for another Sunset Drive.

Second additional day: Visit the Endangered Species Project the Endangered Species Project where a guided tour gets you close to cheetah, wild dog and other endangered species. After lunch, visit a tribal village where you will get to learn first hand some of the cultural traditions of the Shangaan people.

15 - Kruger Safaris Staying at the Cheetah Inn

TARIFF: R 4295 sharing; R 4495 single ; R 2995 child under 12

Surrounded by Big Five reserves such as Kapama and Timbavati, the Cheetah Inn is game-fenced and has small game and antelope. The view of open bushveld with the majestic Drakensberg mountains in the background is really impressive !

The Cheetah Inn has 8 bright and airy rooms in the hotel proper and 13 thatched rondawels surrounded by lush gardens and huge Lowveld trees. The units are fully en suite (bath, shower, basin, toilet), have overhead fans and offer a tea/coffee hospitality tray.

A colonial charm of a bygone era pervades the place and salient features include an extremely large swimming pool, a 9 hole minigolf course, a conference facility, a private airstrip and a large boma built from local rock.

The interior courtyard has a pond which contains a number of endemic fish and an outside aviary has a collection of beautifully-coloured local Lowveld finches.

At night the calls of lions, hyenas and jackals add a magical touch to the atmosphere around our crackling fire in the boma.

Itinerary

Day One: Home/ Hotel or Airport pickup and travel eastwards from Gauteng towards the Lowveld. At Tremisana Lodge, we board an open Landcruiser for a Big Five Sunset Drive. Your guide will show you the many animals and birds that frequent the Balule section of Kruger Park. After enjoying a stunning African sunset, powerful spotlights will be used to locate nocturnal species such as genet, porcupine, scrub hare and civet. You will then be transferred to the Cheetah Inn where dinner will be served around a large fire under the African stars.

Day Two: You will be transferred to the Orpen Gate of Kruger Park for a full day of game viewing and bird watching. From your elevated position in the open Gameviewer, outstanding opportunities are had to view game and take exceptional photos. We have a lunch break at Satara camp, which is in the centre of a wildlife zone renowned for many lion prides. The open grassy plains around Satara attract big herds of giraffe, zebra and antelope as well as numerous buffalo and elephant. Return to Cheetah Inn for dinner around the campfire, where you can discuss the day's gameviewing highlights.

Day Three: You will be transferred to the Motlala Game reserve, where an armed ranger will conduct a bush walk. You will be shown the spoor and droppings of wild creatures, big and small. The walk concentrates on smaller wildlife things like plants, birds and insects and general items that you won't get to see from your vehicle, but from time to time, dangerous animals such as buffalo, rhino and leopard may be encountered. After breakfast, we drive via the Three Rondawels of the Blyde River Canyon en route to Johannesburg where we arrive around 16h00. Airport dropoff by arrangement.

16 - Kruger Marc's Adventure Camp

TARIFFS: Entire Camp (max of 56 people) self catering : R 1200 per night
Per person on a DBB basis (min of 6 persons) : R 200 per night

MARC'S ADVENTURE CAMP is situated on the same property as Marc's Treehouse Lodge and comprises eight en suite chalets. Four chalets contain 4 double bunks (eight beds each) while the other four chalets each have a double bed and two double bunks, thus accommodating a max of six persons each. The camp is ideal for school and student groups as well as self catering groups.

There is a swimming pool, a volleyball court and a basketball court and a great obstacle course, built around a small dam, venue for many spectacular thrills and spills.

The camp may be hired in its entirety. Catering can be arranged if required.