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"The only man I envy is the man who has not yet been to Africa - for he has so much to look forward to."

Chimhavira brings you a 16 day action packed adventure safari

We look forward to welcoming you on our exclusive South Africa, Zimbabwe, Namibia & Botswana.

Nature of the Tour:

We take in the best of four countries, great wildlife and fantastic panoramic views. Not only will you look for the Big 5, you could also be flying over the Okavango Delta, or rafting grade 5 rapids...if this is not enough to get the adrenalin flowing then how jumping off the Victoria Falls bridge attached to an elastic band!!

We will sit around camp fires talking of our days experiences, sleep under a star studded African sky listening the music of the bush, preparing our minds for the following days activities which will be just as filled with adventure

The group will consist of a maximum of eight participants plus a professional guide whom will drive the back-up vehicle and will meet up with you at the campsites in the evening and be your host.

Participants must be a minimum of 25 years of age.

Safari dates:

Johannesburg to Johannesburg

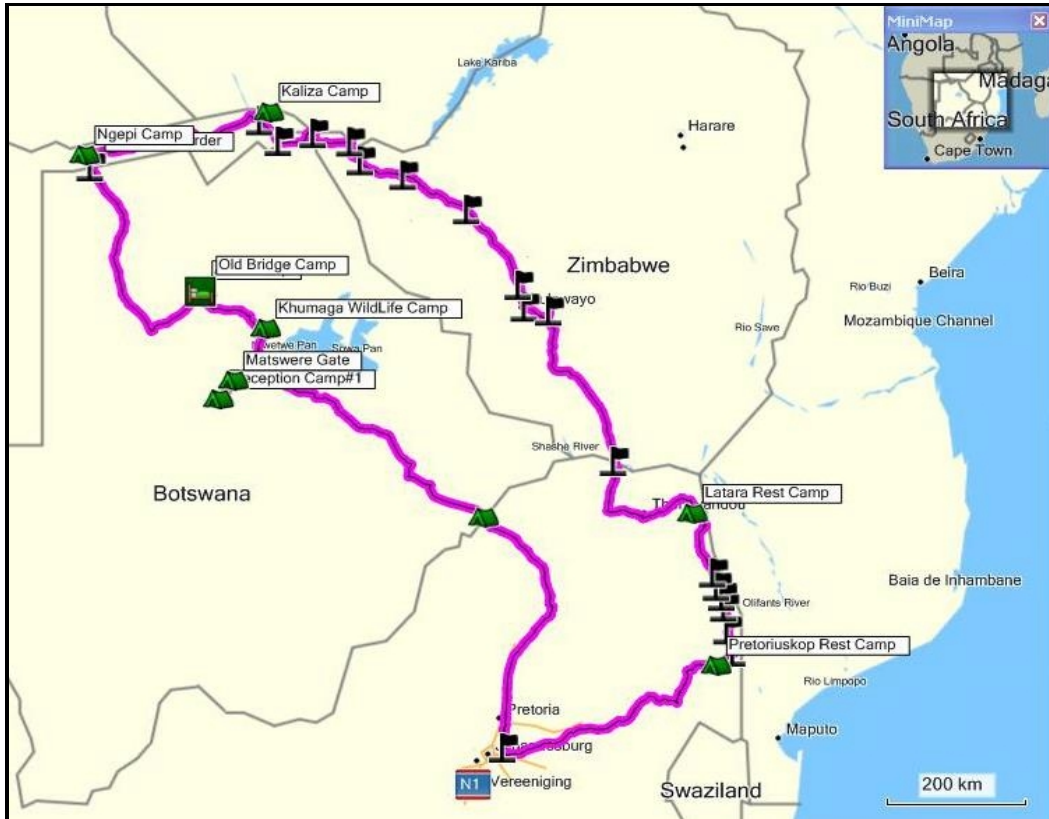
Arrival/Start - **Daily**
Departure/End - **To be confirmed**

Basic Itinerary:

Tour starts at 06:30 from Linga Longa Guest House in Kempton Park Johannesburg.

Day 1	Pretoriuskop Rest Camp	South Africa
Day 2	Letaba Rest Camp	
Day 3	Cawoods Mazunga Ranch	Zimbabwe
Day 4	Quiet Waters	
Day 5	Bulawayo	
Day 6	Matopos National Park	
Day 7 & 8	Victoria Falls	

Day 9	Kalizo Camp	Namibia
Day 10	Ngepi Lodge	
Day 11	Maun	Botswana
Day 12	Khumaga Wildlife Camp	
Day 13	Central Kalahari National Park	
Day 14	Martins Drift	
Day 15	Johannesburg	South Africa
Day 16	Departure	



Safari Cost:

Cost is based on a per person sharing rate, please email info@chimhavira.com with the dates that you would like to book this safari along with number of people sharing for a quotation.

Our prices include:

- Your fully customised Land Rover and all equipment including fully enclosed roof-top tents
- Support vehicle and team leader costs
- Route planning, itineraries, bookings and travel guidance
- Field guides, maps and documents required for cross-border travel
- Complete introduction to the vehicle, equipment & basic 4x4 driver training where necessary

- Vehicle exchange when serious mechanical breakdown occurs
- Comprehensive vehicle insurance cover (full details available upon request)
- Free airport transfers to and from our Johannesburg offices
- Our individual service
- All fuel, toll road and border fees
- An emergency medical kit, and all guides are first aid trained
- Two full meals per day plus snacks
- Drinking water and cordial

Our prices exclude:

- International/regional and domestic airfares to and from collection/departure points
- The optional hire of a satellite phone and/or GPS for navigation
- Visas and personal travel insurance
- Alcoholic beverages, mixers and soft drinks
- All beverages and food out of camp
- Laundry services
- Clothing, toiletries and all other personal items e.g. cameras, sun block etc
- Fees for non-scheduled excursions, activities, entrance fees etc
- Gratuities
- Costs for any upgraded accommodation to that listed above and below.

Passport Visa Requirements:

We will be travelling in South Africa, Zimbabwe, Namibia & Botswana:

- South Africa – Visas are generally required at the port of entry. You will be given a three-month visa which is free of charge.
- Zimbabwe – Visas are required at the border for US and UK citizens the cost is **USD55** for a single entry visa. South African passport holders are not required to pay anything.
- Namibia – No visas are required
- Botswana – No visas are required

This information is correct as of today's date, please double check with the relevant embassy in your home country before you travel. Chimhavira cannot be held responsible to any changes to these requirements that are beyond our control.

Items of interest:

Total driving Distance: Approx 3,735 km (2321 miles)

Diesel consumption based on 2 vehicles: 534 litres (141 UK gallons)

Borders crossed:

- Beitbridge (South Africa into Zimbabwe)
- Kazangula (Zimbabwe into Botswana)

- Ngoma (Botswana into Namibia)
- Mohebo (Namibia into Botswana)
- Martins Drift (Botswana into South Africa)

NOTE:

We will be travelling through malaria areas. Malaria prevention is a definite must!

AVOID LARIUM!!

Suggestions:

African kids love asking tourists for sweets and pens. If you have space in your suitcase bring a couple bags of both with you. The kids will smile and be happy; you will enjoy it for little cost. Old clothes are good for bargaining with adults for curios or local fruits etc.

16 - Day walking action packed adventure safari

Meal Key: B – Breakfast, L – Lunch, D – Dinner

Day 1: Pretoriuskop Rest Camp (Kruger National Park)

The roads are in excellent condition and you'll encounter all kinds of different animals during your drive. Stop at one of the many camps or rest stops along the way to stretch out for a bit. Drive over paved and unpaved roads towards Pretoriuskop Rest camp. This is where you will set up your roof tent on top of your Land Rover and spend the night with the sounds of the animals sending you off into a deep and dreamy sleep.

Approximate distance: 358 km

Accommodation: Pretoriuskop Rest Camp

Meals: B, L, D

Day 2: Letaba Rest Camp

Now you are in the middle of your Kruger itinerary. Wake up early to make the most of today; we'll be travelling north towards Letaba Rest Camp enjoying the ever changing scenery in your Landy. You'll be driving over unpaved roads to your next accommodation: a small farm located in the middle of the bush.

You shouldn't have any problem spotting animals; the Kruger is known for the large number of animals roaming the land.

Approximate distance: 250 km

Accommodation: Letaba Rest Camp

Meals: B, L, D

Day 3: Cawoods Mazunga Ranch

This evening we will be staying at a Zimbabwean ranch. The Bristow family run the ranch today and are passionate about their wildlife. Their pets include two lions, a banded mongoose and a giraffe. Look out for the buffalo heard that roams around their farm.

As this is a farm we will also be taken on a tour of the orchid that supplies citrus fruits all over the world.

Approximate distance: 255 km
Accommodation: Cawoods Mazunga Ranch
Meals: B, L, D

Day 4: Quiet Waters private game reserve

After a full breakfast and tour of the orange plantation our days drive is relatively relaxing, we will be headed towards Falcon college, a private boarding school for boys, set in Matabeleland.

Tonight we will stay in 'Quiet Waters', Falcons private game area, this is an absolute gem of a park, very relaxing and beautiful. If you are interested in snakes and or birds of prey we can arrange a talk on both.

Approximate distance: 310 km
Accommodation: Cawoods Mazunga Ranch
Meals: B, L, D

Day 5: Bulawayo

Today we will have a leisurely start and make our way to Bulawayo. You will be staying at 'Khaya Pezulu' which translated means house high up.

We will have a chance to visit the Bulawayo museum, well worth it. Other than that we will now have time to attend to any vehicle maintenance and relax around a pool with a couple beers.

Approximate distance: 60 km
Accommodation: Khaya Pezulu
Meals: B, L, D

Day 6: Matopos National Park

Today we will have a chance to stock up on supplies, I will have to obtain police clearance to get into Botswana.

We will drive a short distance to Matopos National Park perhaps accompanied by a long-time resident of Bulawayo, who will give us a talk on Zimbabwean history with a focus on Matopos.

In Matopos you are sure to see white rhino on our game drive. We will get back to Bulawayo later in the evening for a hearty dinner at Chimhavira's Bulawayo lodge.

Approximate distance: 160 km
Accommodation: Khaya Pezulu

Meals: B, L, D

Day 7: Victoria Falls

Heading up still further north we will find our selves at Victoria falls which is one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World. Having made our way later in the day it would be ideal to relax on the banks of the mighty Zambezi having a sun downer listening to the hippo's grunting and snorting close by, or better still why not enjoy a sun downer cruise.

What ever you decide, relax, take it easy and look forward to a good dinner and an action packed day tomorrow!

Approximate distance: 440 km

Accommodation: Victoria Falls Campsite

Meals: B, L, D

Day 8: Victoria Falls sites and activities

Spend today enjoying the many activities that Victoria Falls has to offer, from white water rafting, to bungi jumping, flying above the falls to walking with elephants, what ever you choose to do, guaranteed, you'll be talking about this adventure for a very long time to come.

Speak to your safari leader who will be happy to suggest various activities and get you the best possible deals.

Approximate distance: N/A

Accommodation: Victoria Falls Campsite

Meals: B

Day 9: Kaliza Camp

Today we drive to Kaliza Camp spot overlooking the Zambezi River. This camp site is breathtaking with 400m of Zambezi river for you to look over and if you are interested you can take a boat ride out with the owners Danny and Val.

Approximate distance: 230 km

Accommodation: Kaliza Camp

Meals: B, L, D

Day 10: Ngepi Camp

Ngepi Camp is a very different to any camp in this itinerary and won the "Best camp 2008" prize. The camp overlooks the Okavango and boasts the "Crocodile cage" swimming pool where you can relax, have a beer and wash the days dust off in the river.

Approximate distance: 360 km

Accommodation: Ngepi Camp
Meals: B, L, D

Day 11: Maun

We will spend most of the day on the road towards Maun and stay over in the Old Bridge Camp site. On arrival you have the opportunity to book a flight over the Delta for the following day.

Approximate distance: 430 km
Accommodation: Audi Camp
Meals: B, L, D

Day 12: Khumaga Wildlife Camp

Lying southeast of the Okavango Delta and surrounded by the Kalahari desert Makgadikgadi is technically not a single pan but many pans with sandy desert in between, the largest being the Sua (Sowa), Ntwetwe and Nxai Pans. The largest individual pan is about 1,900 sq mi (4,921.0 km²). A dry salty clay crust most of the year the pans are seasonally covered with water and grass, and are then a refuge for birds and animals in this very arid part of the world.

Approximate distance: 310 km
Accommodation: Khumago Wildlife Camp
Meals: B, L, D

Day 13: Deception Valley

The Central Kalahari Nation Park has massive herds of Oryx and Springbok...these are not the only animals on offer, you are likely to spot Black-backed Jackal, Blue Wildebeest and Bat-eared Fox, Cheetah and Lion.

The campsites are very rustic and basically comprise of a bucket shower and long drop toilet...no fences. Guests entering this park can actually leave their vehicles but are encouraged not to venture more than 100 meters from their cars for safety reasons.

Approximate distance: 170 km
Accommodation: Central Kalahari
Meals: B, L, D

Day 14: Kwa Nokeng rest camp

Today we will be travelling towards the South African border and we will be stopping over at Martins Drift campsite. Martins Drift is an old mining town so if we have time we can go and have a look through the town.

Approximate distance: 570 km
Accommodation: Kwa Nokeng

Meals: B, L, D

Day 15: Linga Longa Guest house

Today is our last driving day, which will take us back to the South African Capital. We will have time for breakfast, pack away our camping equipment, when we are done you will take your roof tent down for last time and then we will drive the last leg of your itinerary to Johannesburg arriving early evening.

Approximate distance: 440 km

Accommodation: Linga Longa

Meals: B, L

Day 16: Day of Departure

You will be transferred to the airport where you say goodbye to the guides and the group...

Meals: B

- End Of Services -

Arrival:

You will be met at the airport and transferred to your accommodation (where required). For convenience of our early start spending the night at Linga Longa Guest house is recommended, please advise us if you require a booking and Chimhavira will arrange this on your behalf.

Departure:

If you require an airport transfer this will be arranged for you.

Transport:

Chimhavira Overland Safaris cc use fully equipped 4x4 Land Rover Defender/Discovery vehicles.

Accommodation:

Accommodation will be in your vehicle roof top tents. Should you want to upgrade please ask your guide to assist you. Where possible your guide will try to upgrade you as to your requirements but this will be dependant on availability. Please note upgrades are not included in your Chimhavira Overland Safari cc invoice and will therefore necessitate you paying for upgrades directly.

Spending money:

Clients are advised to bring enough money to cover the purchase of curios and personal items.

Meals:

All meals are organized by the guide and are prepared by our cook. Meals are nutritious and filling, drawing on fresh local produce where possible. We buy groceries along the way, so our clients have a say in what type of meals are eaten. Please advise us of any special dietary requirements before tour commencement.

First Aid:

Our guides are trained in basic first aid, Chimhavira Overland Safari cc guides are trained to level III St John's or equivalent standard, our vehicles is equipped with a comprehensive medical aid kit. Preventative Malaria medication should be taken before the trip and throughout its duration, although it is advisable to consult a doctor prior to departure.

Luggage:

Maximum baggage allowance: 20kg. Chimhavira Overland Safaris cc stipulates this luggage allowance, as an overloaded vehicle is a danger to both the clients and the guide. This does not include photographic equipment and a small daypack. Please bring a backpack or soft barrel bag, not a suitcase. Please adhere to the allowance specified as space for luggage is limited.

Sleeping bags:

Chimhavira Overland Safaris cc can provide sleeping bags and pillows, please advise us if this is required at your time of booking. If you prefer to bring your own please feel free to do so.