

Namibian All-round Explorer

14 Day Fly-In Tour

As this is a Fly-In Safari it will give you the chance to truly enjoy every moment in Africa at its most! Namibia's most prominent highlights- from the highest sand dunes in the world at Sossusvlei, endless activities or just fantastic sightseeing in Swakopmund, Damaraland's Desert dwelling elephants, a UNESCO world heritage site at Twyfelfontein to Etosha National Park with abundant wild Animals ending with sight-seeing in Windhoek and a true Namibian Night-Out-On-The-Town. This tour is IDEAL for a busy traveller seeking adventure and relaxation all in one - The African Dream.

Day 1: Windhoek International Airport - N/a'an ku se Distance: 50km DBB

You will be picked up at Windhoek International Airport and from here your journey will begin at **N/a'an ku se Lodge**, your first stop, where you will experience your first encounter with one of the **Big Five**. Set in the stunning African savannah, this beautiful lodge offers a chance to become part of the tranquillity and joy of the wild. Depending on your flight time you can enjoy various activities (not included): Carnivore feeding tour, Guided Nature Walk, Cheetah walk, Caracal walk or Ancient san stories under the stars.

Overnight with Dinner and Breakfast at N/a'an ku se Lodge

Day 2: Windhoek - NamibRand Nature Reserve Ditance: 50km Fully Inc.

You will be transferred back to the airport where you will board your charter plane that will take you Southwest over the **Gamsberg Pass** in the Khomas Hochland Mountain Range with its beautiful scenery, till you reach **Wolwedans Dune Camp**. Situated at the edge of a 250-meter high dune, the charm of the camp lies in its tranquil, intimate atmosphere, capturing the romance of a bygone era. Relax and recharge... Enjoy a **sundowner drive** to complete the day.

Overnight with Full Board at Wolwedans Dune Camp

Day 3: NamibRand Nature Reserve -Sossusvlei

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Start the day with a **Morning Nature Drive** where you will learn about small and large desert dwellers and their quest for survival in this harsh environment while experiencing the **NamibRand**'s fascinating geology. Travel a short distance to **Sossusvlei lodge** situated in the **oldest desert** in the world and cool down by the pool before going on a **sundowner drive**.

Overnight with Full Board at Sossusvlei Lodge

Day 4: Sossusvlei & Surrounding

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Today you will have the lovely pleasure of visiting one of Namibia's Top Tourist Attractions: **Sesriem Canyon, Dead Vlei and Sossusvlei. Sossusvlei** has the highest sand

dunes in the world, the beauty of this magnificent sight never stop as every dune is enriched with colour as the sun gives life to it, creating a new picture every minute as blazing orange and pink fill the horizon bringing new hope for the day.

Overnight with Full Board at Sossusvlei Lodge

Day 5: Sossusvlei - Swakopmund

Lunch Pack + BB

With gigantic orange dunes, dramatic shadows, undulating plains and rocky mountains creating a magical kaleidoscope of colours and shape you will start this day up in the sky in a Hot Air Balloon. After landing, you came back to earth with an "Out of Africa" style Champagne breakfast set up in the middle of nowhere. From here you will board your charter flight to travel across the Namib Desert, flying along the way over the magnificent moon landscape and some shipwrecks along the coast as you enjoy the delightful sight of Ocean on your left and Desert on your right till reaching the beloved coastal town Swakopmund. You will end this great day with a sundowner on the Jetty, looking onto the sun as it shimmers on the cold Atlantic Ocean. Swakopmund has a variety of excellent restaurants to choose from with great food and beautiful view.

Overnight with Breakfast at Hansa Hotel + Lunch on the way

Day 6: Swakopmund & Surrounding Distance: 60km Lunch Platter + BB

Experience low flying pelicans, sea gulls and cormorants with dolphins and seal swimming right next to the **Catamaran** as you cruise through Walvis Bay Harbour, Bird Island, Pelican Point and Oyster Farms with Champagne and fresh oyster platter. In the afternoon you can visit **Crystal Gallery**, do some shopping and sightseeing in this German architectural town, or enjoy some of the many not include options: Scenic Flight over Swakop, Camel Rides, Quad Bike through the dunes, desert living tour, skydiving or sandboarding. For Dinner you can enjoy one of many fantastic restaurants Swakopmund has to offer, with Great food and beautiful view.

Overnight with Breakfast at Hansa Hotel + Lunch Platter

Day 7: Swakopmund - Twyfelfontein

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Traveling north to **Damaraland** you will fly over the **BrandBerg Mountain** till you reach **Mowani.** Dwarfed by massive ochre boulders, the camp is absorbed into the landscape. Every soft curve of ragged edge frames the landscape in a different way. There is a **Twyfelfontein excursion** in the afternoon, where you will see a large collection of rock engravings and paintings telling stories of thousands of years of bushman roaming the plains of the land, all making this a **World Heritage Site**, also visiting the wonders of the **Organ Pipes**.

Overnight with Full Board at Mowani Mountain Camp

Day 8: Damaraland & Surrounding

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Early morning your day will start with a **Nature drive** where ancient dry riverbeds reveal life that in its sparseness reminds us just how special it is, **Sprinbok**, **Gemsbok**, **Jackal and rare Desert Dwelling Elephants** roam these plains. These exclusive desert elephants have

learnt ingenious skills in order to survive in such a harsh environment to go days without water. In the afternoon you can enjoy the pool and the tranquillity of your surroundings Pause. Breath-in. And know that this is luxury as nature intended it.

Overnight with Full Board at Mowani Mountain Camp

Day 9: Damaraland - Etosha National Park

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Experience the sights, smells and sounds of the African Bush on foot with a Morning Guided Walk at Mowani. From from it's a short flight to the lovely **Epacha Private Game Reserve** near **Etosha National Park**. Epacha is situated on the top of a hill overlooking the reserve, this lodge with its unique Victorian décor style offers a pleasant **Wellness Spa** experience to ensure you relax whist enjoying nature. Here you will receive a voucher giving you the chance to be treated like the king of the jungle while you get pampered from head to toe. Each chalet offers a stunning view over the Reserve where you will have the opportunity to see lions, leopards, Elephants, Giraffe, Black Rhino and Kuku among the wildlife that roam these plains.

Overnight with Full Board at Epacha Private Game Reserve

Day 10: Etosha National Park

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Start with breakfast in Etosha National Park and have a full day of **game viewing** in as you travel through this unique park various different animals can be seen, **from elephant**, **lions**, **eland**, **springbok**, **Black Rhino**, **impala**, **leopard**, **114 mammal species**, **340 bird species**, **110 reptile species**, **16 amphibian species**. You will have lunch within the Park.

Overnight with Full Board at Epacha Private Game Reserve

Day 11: Etosha National Park - Okonjima

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Travel south to **Okonjima Bush Camp**, the extensive 'Camelthorn' shape Lapa encompasses the reception area and curio-shop, a cosy lounge with rustic inside fire-place and dining are all overlooking a waterhole. Go on a **Leopard Viewing Game Drive** the afternoon where you will have the opportunity to observe these magnificent predators. The leopards roam freely and catch their own prey within the 20 000ha rehabilitation nature reserve. End the day around a campfire...

Overnight with Full Board at Okonjima Bush camp

Day 12: Okonjima

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Game drives, nature trails, large carnivore tracking on foot and bird watching are just some of the activities you can enjoy on this day, visit The AfriCat Foundation or The Cheetah Project and learn about these organisations and how they are set up to conserve and protect threatened cheetah, leopard and other wild carnivores of Namibia. You will be able to observe some of this programme at work and learn more about these amazing animals.

Overnight with Full Board at Okonjima Bush camp

Day 13: Okonjima - Windhoek

Charter Flight back to Windhoek, enjoy some **sight-seeing** in the capital or go on a **shopping spree**. We will take you to the legendary **Joe's Beerhouse**. A place where you can pull up a chair and relish in good, old-fashion hospitality. Where the portions are generous, the beer is ice cold and good conversation is abundant. This will make your last night in Namibia unforgettable. Overnight at **The Olive Exclusive All-Suite Hotel** it is the first ultraluxurious sanctuary of its kind in the Namibian capital – is cool, contemporary and stylish but with a warm heart and authentic African soul. The suites are individually decorated so each reflects a different region in Namibia, and each has its own lounge area with fireplace and dining room, for private dining.

Overnight with Breakfast at The Olive Exclusive All-Suite Hotel

Day 14: Windhoek - Windhoek International Airport Distance: 40km

Namibia Craft Centre is a sure stop as it has quality Namibia handcrafts, also the best place to find Namibian and African books, photography and local delicacies.

You will be taken to Windhoek International Airport.

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Price for Fly-In Safari Option per Person sharing:

With 2 Participants: NAD 105 372.00 With 3 Participants: NAD 93 854.00

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<u>Included</u> in the rates:

Transport, Charter Flights, Pilot, Overnight Accommodation, boarding and Activities as per itinerary, Entrance fees.

Excluded:

Personal Expenses, taking part in any Excluded activities, Gratuities, Films, Souvenirs, Medication, Telephone Calls, Drinks, Laundry, Airport taxes, Visa Charges, All international & domestic flights as well as local & foreign Bank Fees incurred during payment.

Please note that this is a suggested itinerary. We will be delighted to compile a tailor-made quotation, considering specific requests & budget.

Please note: Accommodations and activities are subject to availability. Should it be necessary to book an alternative accommodation, we will do our utmost to ensure an equivalent of similar quality and price. During this process you will be updated regularly. Once all bookings have been confirmed the tour price will be adjusted and sent to you.

