

Day 5

Sightseeing of the Fish River Canyons

The Fish River Canyon is considered the second largest canyon in the world. It is about 160 km long, in places up to 27 km wide and 550 m deep. During the rainy season, the water meanders like a snake through a grey-brown rocky landscape towards the Orange River, the border river to South Africa. The docile and rather harmless appearing river has managed to erode the canyon during many millions of years. There are many hiking possibilities either at the lodge and in the canyon.

[Canyon Lodge at Fish River Canyon \(DBB\)](#)

Day 6

Drive along the Orange River to Aus

Today's route, which is very scenic, takes us first south and then along the Orange River. The Orange River forms the border to South Africa and flows through a beautiful desert landscape. Along the Orange River alfalfa and wine are cultivated. The shiny green is a welcome change to the otherwise extremely dry environment. In the afternoon we can take an excursion to the wild horses of Garub (optional).

Klein-Aus Vista, Desert Horse Inn Lodge (DBB)



Day 7

Klein Aus Vista

Today we have the opportunity for an excursion to Lüderitz with a visit to the ghost town Kolmanskop. In 1908 the diamond rush began here. Soon, hordes of prospectors descended on the area. But after World War I the diamond finds decreased very much, and the village became a ghost town. On the way back we can stop at Garub to search for the Desert Wild Horses.

[Klein-Aus Vista, Desert Horse Inn Lodge at Aus \(DBB\)](#)

Day 8

Drive to the NamibRand Nature Reserve

The drive from Aus along the Namibrand is one of the most beautiful and impressive. To the right of the road the Tiras mountains and wide landscapes, to the left the red and yellow shining sand dunes. We check into our chalet which boasts a breath-taking view of the dunes, the desert plain and the nearby mountains.

[Exclusive Wolwedans Dunes Lodge \(FB + Activity\)](#)



Day 9

Wolwedans Dunes Lodge

The Namib Rand Nature Reserve is a highlight for enthusiastic photographers and nature lovers. Game Drives in the morning and in the afternoon are offered. We drive over the seemingly endless grasslands dotted with the legendary fairy circles, over smaller dunes, and along mystical mountain formations. We might see animals like oryx antelopes, ostriches, and springboks, which know how to survive in this arid desert area. These landscapes are beautiful and radiate a special calmness - balm for the soul.

[Exclusive Wolwedans Dunes Lodge \(FB + Activity\)](#)



Day 10

Sesriem/Sossusvlei

Today we only have a short distance to drive and we can enjoy the morning on Wolwedans to the fullest. Our next accommodation is close to the park entrance of Sossusvlei and offers us a wonderful view of the huge sand sea in the west and the Naukluft mountains in the east.

In the afternoon we drive to Sossusvlei, to the highest dunes in the world. Since the sun is already quite low, the high sand dunes shimmer golden, yellow, and reddish on one side, but are dark and shady on the other side. Thus, the dune ridge stands out razor-sharp. Short hike and visit of the photogenic Dead Vlei with its dead tree trunks. On the way back to the lodge we can explore the Sesriem Canyon.

[Sossusvlei Lodge](#) close to the park entrance (DBB)



Day 11

Journey via Gaub-Pass to the Gamsberg

Via Solitaire, where we might try the legendary apple pie, we drive to the Corona guest farm, located at the foot of the Gamsberg, which is the third highest mountain in Namibia with 2347m. The guest farm is well known for hospitality and excellent food. After coffee and cake, we will go on a farm tour in the rough and rugged landscape of the surrounding area. From a particularly beautiful vantage point, we enjoy the sunset with a drink.

[Corona Guestfarm](#) at the Gamsberg (DBB)

Day 12

Drive to Windhoek

Continuing over the Gamsberg Pass and the Khomas Hochland we drive to Windhoek and return the rental car. Afterwards, transfer to our lodge near the airport, situated in the middle of the vast bush savannah. We enjoy a last game drive at sunset. After dinner, we

admire the starry sky, one last time, and maybe hear the roaring of the lions close by.

[Na'ankuse Lodge](#) close to the airport (HP)



Day 13

Flight Windhoek – Europe

Transfer to airport, departure on the afternoon or evening flight to Europe.

Day 14

Arrival in Europe

We land early in the morning with many beautiful memories of our dream safari.

Costs pro person

Valid until October 2021, the final costs depend on the availability of accommodation.

For 2 people: ZAR 58'200.-

(about CHF 3'145.- or around EUR 2'910.-)

For 4 people: ZAR 52'400.-

(about CHF 2'835.- or around EUR 2'620.-)

Sgl-supplement: ZAR 8'400.-

(about CHF 455.- or around EUR 420.-)

(Exchange rate from 06. August 2020)

Included in the price

Accommodation/meals/activities as described

Toyota Hilux 2.4TD 4x4, Double Cab, insured without excess

BBF = Bed & Breakfast DBB = Dinner, Bed & Breakfast

FB = Full board

Not included in the price

Flight

Meals (where not mentioned)

Tips, entrance fees, petrol/diesel

Remarks

Program changes are possible according to agreement and personal wishes.

If certain designated accommodations are already fully booked, small changes in the program are possible.

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