

## Botswana Wildlife Safari

*This ten day itinerary takes you to some of the most outstanding wildlife areas in Botswana... Moremi and the Okavango Delta. Not only will you experience excellent game viewing but you will also have an opportunity to enjoy the different regions of Botswana, each with its own unique features.*

### Day by day itinerary

#### Day one

From Maun Airport you will take the short flight to Moremi National Park. On arrival you will be met and transferred to Xakanaxa where you will stay for the following three nights (FB).

#### Xakanaxa



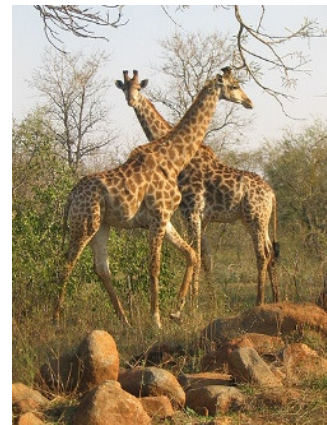
This was one of Botswana's very first safari camps and the owners have gone to extraordinary lengths to preserve its original African bush camp character whilst also providing every comfort. Located on the banks of the Xakanaxa Lagoon in the heart of the Moremi Game Reserve, ensures that guests enjoy a year round Okavango Delta land and water safari experience. This is a favourite safari lodge for many, due to its superb location, fantastic game viewing, friendly service and authentic safari style.

#### Day two and three

Spend your days enjoying a variety game viewing activities and your evenings benefitting from the camps facilities and excellent service. The Moremi Reserve is rated as one of Africa's finest game-viewing areas, offering sanctuary to abundant herds of elephant, sable, giraffe, tsessebe, lechwe, wildebeest, impala and waterbuck. Lion, leopard, cheetah, wild dog and hyena complete the picture. Guests are offered two activities of their choice per day, or even an all-day outing can be arranged.

Xakanaxa is also one of the few Botswana lodges that can offer guests all year round -

- boating trips
- extensive 4x4 drives into outstanding game country
- Birding is spectacular, especially during spring and summer when the migrants breed. Huge numbers of breeding storks and herons are attracted to the world-famous heronries which lie to the north of the lodge.
- Nature walks on nearby islands.



#### Day four

Transfer from Xakanaxa Camp to Kwara by boat along the waterways of the Okavango Delta. On arrival, check in for a three night stay (FB).



### Kwara

Kwara is located on the northern edge of the permanent water of the Okavango Delta in a massive private concession. The eight tents are set under a shady tree island overlooking a lagoon fed by the waters of the Delta. The camp has elevated tents with views over the surrounding areas. Each of the tents has an en suite bathroom, double basin and a unique inside/outside shower as well as a viewing deck.

The camp also has a plunge pool, dining room, bar, lounge and a gift shop.

### Day five and six

The area surrounding the camp is a mosaic of reed islands, lagoons, channels and grasslands. Kwara has a combination of permanent water, seasonal flood plains and pans, open grasslands as well as extensive dry bush and scrub. Kwara is renowned for being the only camp that offers a year round Okavango Delta experience with game drives both off road and at night. The range of activities on offer includes mekoro trips (dug-out canoes), double deck power boat, fishing and bush walks with armed guides and trackers. The combination of experiences makes Kwara Camp a popular choice.



### Day seven

Take a short flight from Kwara Camp to Lebala Camp where you will stay for the following three nights (FB).

### Lebala Camp

Lebala means wide open spaces and the scenery is dominated by vast plains. The eight spacious tents are unique and were designed specifically for this camp. Each is built on a raised teak deck with comfort and privacy in mind. The tents have en-suite bathrooms which lead out to a reed enclosed open-air shower with hot and cold running water. Each tent has its own sundeck, and is set back among the trees. The endless vistas from the large windows across the vast plains make Lebala one of the finest wilderness camps in Africa.



### Day eight and nine



The wetlands and flood plains around Lebala offer a wonderful variety of wildlife with excellent sightings of elephant, hippo, lechwe, zebra, giraffe, impala, wildebeest, kudu, tsessebe, roan, sable, buffalo and predators; wild dog, lion, cheetah and hyena.

After dark the spotlights are turned on and expose nocturnal sightings such as leopard, Selous Mongoose, small spotted genet, and aardwolf. Nocturnal bird species include Natal Nightjar; Pennant winged Nightjar and a large variety of owls.

### Day 10

Around mid morning, depart Lebala Camp and take the flight to Maun where this trip concludes.

The cost of this itinerary is from £2395 per person, based on twin share.

#### Includes

Flights as described  
Road and boat transfers  
Accommodation and meals as specified  
Local brand drinks and laundry  
Park fees in Botswana  
Scheduled game activities

#### Excludes

International flights and taxes  
Items of a personal nature  
Travel Insurance