

# ZIMBABWE

Hwange National Park
Victoria Falls
Zambezi National Park

**8 Days / 7 Nights**

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# INTRODUCING ZIMBABWE

## Zimbabwe in a Nutshell

Zimbabwe is a magical and charming place with many different regions offering vastly different experiences.

It is a landlocked country that shares vast borders with South Africa, Botswana, Namibia, Zambia, and Mozambique. Zimbabwe is known as a premier game viewing destination in Africa and the abundance of wildlife never disappoints. Then, of course, there is Victoria Falls which is known as the adrenaline junkie capital of the continent.

But there is so much more to this remarkable and beautiful country!

The landscapes are so diverse that, from Victoria Falls to the different national parks to the mountains and valleys of the lesser-known Eastern Highlands and down to the Ghonarezhou in the southeast where the Chilojo Cliffs stuns every time, one may think you are travelling in different countries.

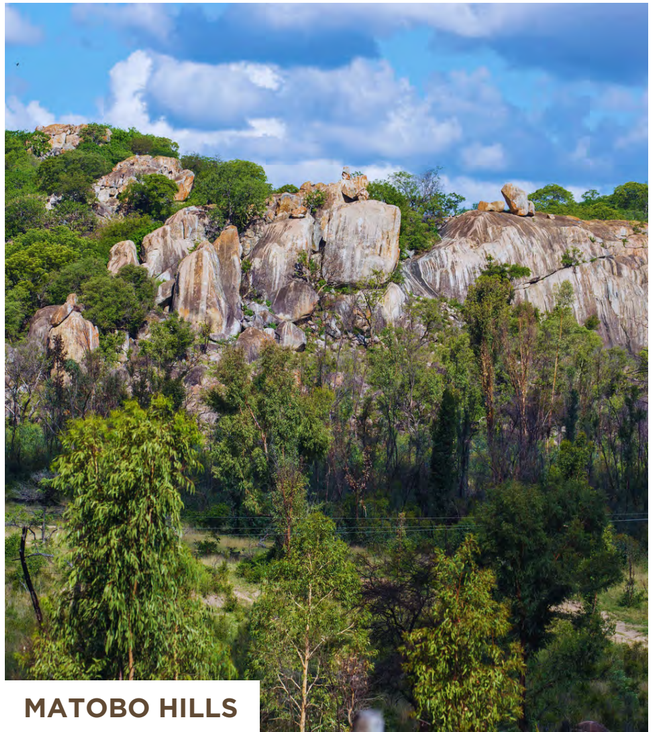
The country is home to 5 UNESCO World Heritage Sites, with 3 cultural sites (Khami Ruins, Great Zimbabwe National Monument, and Matobo Hills) and 2 natural sites (Victoria Falls and Mana Pools National Park), with the majestic Victoria Falls one of the most famous. The Great Zimbabwe National Monument consists of the largest ruins in sub-Saharan Africa and, along with the Khami Ruins, are remarkable archaeological sites that preserve local culture and history.

One of the highest concentrations of rock art in Southern Africa are found in the Matobo Hills. Lake Kariba, along the border between Zambia and Zimbabwe, is the largest man-made lake and reservoir in the world by volume. It is 226 km long and up to 40 km wide in some places.

With superb game viewing, combined with adventure sports, cultural excursions, and much more, your visit to Hwange and Victoria Falls may well be your most unforgettable first visit anywhere.



MANA POOLS NATIONAL PARK



MATOBO HILLS



LAKE KARIBA



GREAT ZIMBABWE RUINS

# ANGUS & AFRICAN STORYBOOK TRAVEL

Angus Begg, an award-winning TV producer and photojournalist turned private safari guide.

Angus has been telling stories for decades since his days as a novice journalist covering Nelson Mandela's release, subjects covered ranging from politics and current affairs to conservation and travel. Working for the national broadcaster in South Africa during the early to mid-1990's - covering the conflict in Somalia, the genocide in Rwanda and his country's first democratic elections - cemented his enthusiasm for and curiosity in the narratives to be found in the wildlife tourism and conservation industry. During this period, in which he visited most of the national parks and game reserves in Southern Africa, he and the safari industry discovered each other.

Over the next roughly 20 years, Angus pursued almost parallel, related careers – one as a current affairs and conservation television producer and the other as a travel-writer and photojournalist. With a CNN award and various commendations in his back pocket, Angus used his experience and talents to start his next career – that of private guide and safari itinerary designer.

He loves little better than sharing his passion for the bush, southern Africa's cultures, rhinos, fynbos and conservation, using his many, diverse experiences to inform his second career as a private guide and public speaker – entertaining his guests with stories of his travels across sub-Saharan Africa.

Together, Angus & Hartley's Safaris plan unique itineraries, each with its own story line, a specific narrative, an element of the "road less travelled", pioneering an unusual destination that we see belongs on a "bucket list".

Every itinerary is planned with a specific purpose and African story in mind - with one of the greatest story tellers to bring it all together!



AFRICAN STORYBOOK



# ZIMBABWE - ANGUS' WAY...

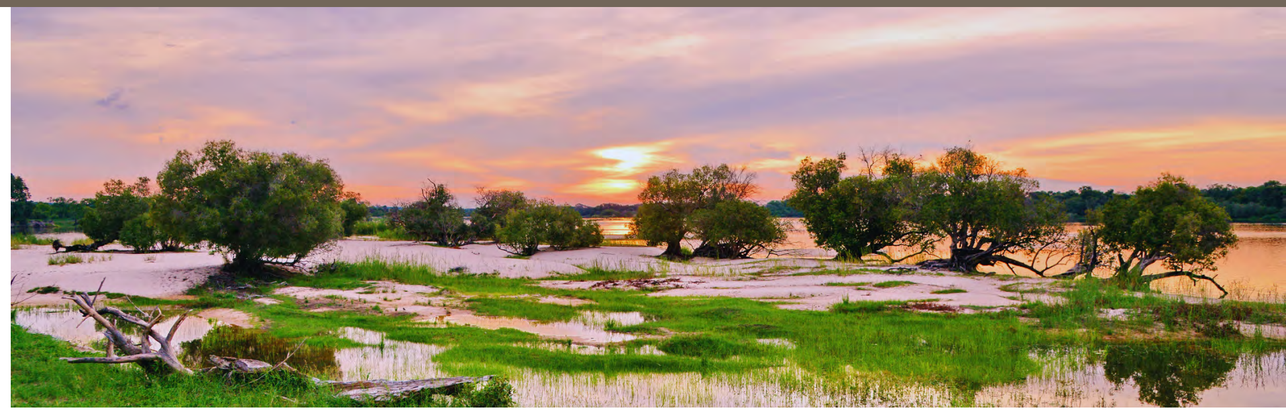
Angus draws on his first visit to Zimbabwe, as a schoolboy with his family in 1977, on which he became pen-pals with a young Zimbabwean named Zwanai. He returned as a journalist many years later, both travel-writing and sharing Zimbabwe's 'best bits', while exposing poaching and other shenanigans during the Robert Mugabe dictatorship. He has returned repeatedly to Victoria Falls and Hwange in recent years, which he believes are home to among southern Africa's finest tourist establishments and wildlife experiences.

Zimbabwe is a year-round destination, however, the best time of the year to visit will depend on what you are interested in seeing or doing. Game viewing is outstanding during the dry winter months (May to October), especially from June/July to October, with wildlife gathering en masse around waterholes and rivers. The rainy season that typically starts from November through to March/April is simply beautiful as nature turns the wilderness emerald green and lush within days. Bird watching during the summer is spectacular with a huge variety of migrant birds returning south to spend the summer months. It is also the breeding season with animals dropping their young.



# HIGHLIGHTS







## Deteema Springs Camp

- Birding Safari
- Game Drives in 4x4 safari vehicles
- Guided Bush Walks (seasonal)
- Arm Chair Safari
- Stargazing

## Masuwe Lodge

- Black Rhino tracking
- Bush dinner
- Guided Tour of the Falls
- Game Drive in 4x4 safari vehicle
- Guided Bush walk

## Chundu Island

- Game drives in 4x4 safari vehicles
- Guided bush walks in the Zambezi National Park
- Zambezi River sunset cruise
- Daytime river cruises
- Canoeing on the Zambezi River
- Guided island walks
- Fun fishing
- Jet Boat trip on the Zambezi River

# SUMMARY INFORMATION

All accommodation included in the programme is based on visiting unique wilderness areas with the focus of … Less is More! It is specially selected to be comfortable and representative of the unique destinations you will be visiting.

Your itinerary is tailored to ensure ease of travel from one destination to another.

All transportation is taken care of from the time of arrival in South Africa until departure. Along with the relevant road transfers, the package quote will include the regional flights to and from Zimbabwe and return flights by light aircraft to Hwange.

Depending on the arrival time of your international inbound flight to South Africa, an overnight stay in Johannesburg may be required to ensure connectivity with the outbound flight to Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe.

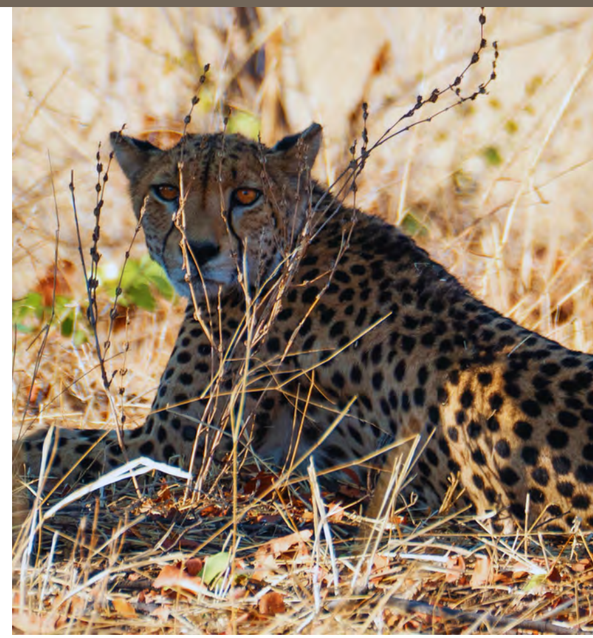
Our experienced Journey Specialist will ensure that all aspects of the trip are taken care for the duration of your visit, from the moment you arrive until your departure.

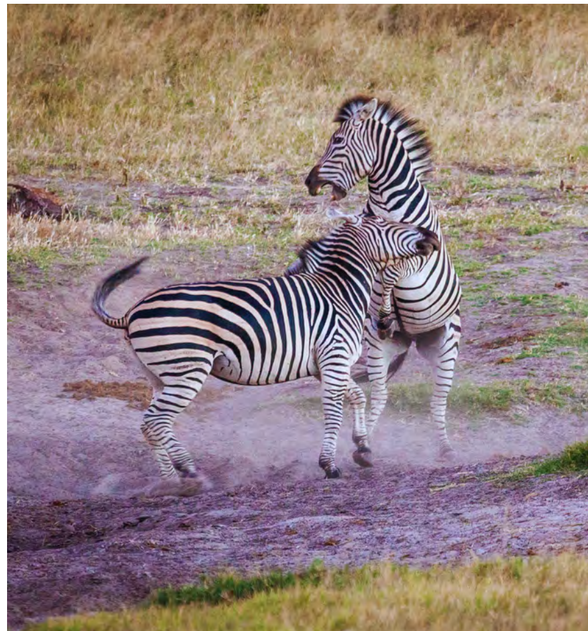
## CORE ITINERARY
## 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS

**3 Nights at Deteema Springs Camp, Hwange National Park**
The landscape and beauty of this spectacular game park will be a wonder. The park has treated its visitors to truly magical moments of pure, untamed Africa through the ages. The ideal location of the lodge allows for the quint essential armchair safari – sit and watch the wildlife come to you as the African bush, in its wildest form, reveals itself.

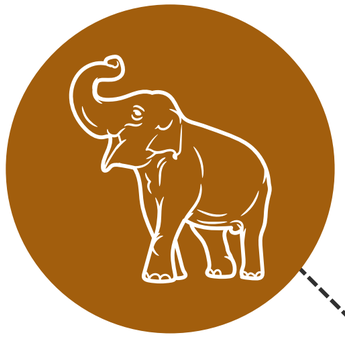
**1 Night at Masuwe Lodge, Victoria Falls**
Masuwe offers the best of both worlds – life on safari with wildlife encounters at Chamabonda Vlei, or on the Masuwe Sanctuary, combined with easy access to a plethora of activities available in Victoria Falls town and surrounds.

**3 Nights at Chundu Island, Zambezi National Park**
Enjoy the relaxed island ambience in the middle of the mighty Zambezi River, a perfect location to fully immerse yourself in the spectacular sunrises and sunsets over the river. Your days here will be filled with the many activities available at the lodge.

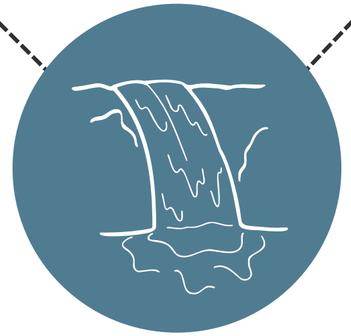




# DESTINATIONS



Hwange National Park
Zimbabwe



Victoria Falls
Zimbabwe



Zambezi National Park
Zimbabwe

ZIMBABWE 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS

# EDGE OF THE KALAHARI DESERT



## HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

Situated in western Zimbabwe, on the very fringes of the Kalahari Desert, Hwange National Park (formerly Wankie Game Reserve) is the oldest and largest national park in the country and is famous for its rich diversity of wildlife.

Crisscrossed by ancient fossil riverbeds the park bears testament to a time when water was abundant, and where mudflats, swamps and forests thrived thousands of years ago. Geography and climate collided and fostered a wilderness that transforms from a desiccated dust bowl to a verdant oasis every year. With no permanent natural water sources, the wildlife relies on 60 artificial pans for permanent water all year-round, managed by conservationists and safari operators providing sufficient water supply to with water pumps. The seasonal rain in summer brings much relief to the wildlife throughout the park.

As a premier Big 5 destination, the park is home to the second largest elephant population (approximately 40 000) in Africa after Chobe in Botswana, as well as around 100 mammal species. It provides a sanctuary for several protected animals including the endangered African wild dog (painted wolves), critically endangered black rhino, and rare roan and sable - along with lion, cheetah, and more than 420 recorded bird species. The population of wild dogs is thought to be among the most sizeable surviving groups on the continent.

The park's magnificent terrain ranges from desert dunes, savannah lands and mopane woodlands that give way to large open plains dotted by vleis (shallow natural pool of water during the rainy season) and salt pans, to rocky outcrops and sparse forests.

Through the ages the doyenne of Zimbabwe's parks has treated her visitors to truly magical moments of pure, untamed Africa, including memorable encounters with one of Africa's most captivating creatures, the elephant, often silently appearing in "super herds" of hundreds ....

# DETEEMA SPRINGS CAMP







Deteema Springs is a small concession area in a well-known northern region of the Hwange National Park. Close to the Deteema dam, the camp is perched on a slight rocky rise above permanent water springs on a site which is hard to describe. The location offers magnificent views of large concentrations of animals, including huge herds of elephant.

Due to the existence of year-round water seeps, this area is ideal for walking and game drives, producing incredible wildlife sightings. Game drives take place in the morning and afternoon into the early evening with sundowners. Due to national park regulations, night drives are not allowed.

Walking safaris, generally in the morning with highly qualified armed guides, are leisurely activities and time is taken to quietly watch and enjoy the smaller things in the bush that one normally misses on a game drive. Walking is weather dependent, or dependent on the condition of the terrain.

Deteema is a non-pretentious camp specially designed to blend in with the rock and bush which occur on this slight rise above the Deteema Springs. The safari tents are comfortable with all the facilities of a luxury camp, including hot and cold running water, flush toilet and decks. The main area is tented on decks overlooking the Deteema Springs.

Due to the amazing location of the camp, guests often relax in camp and enjoy an armchair safari from the comfort of the main area. Sit and watch the African bush, in its wildest form, unfold in front of you.

# DAY 1 - 3: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

## DETEEMA SPRINGS CAMP, HWANGE NATIONAL PARK, ZIMBABWE

### ITINERARY

**Travel Logistics - Day 1**

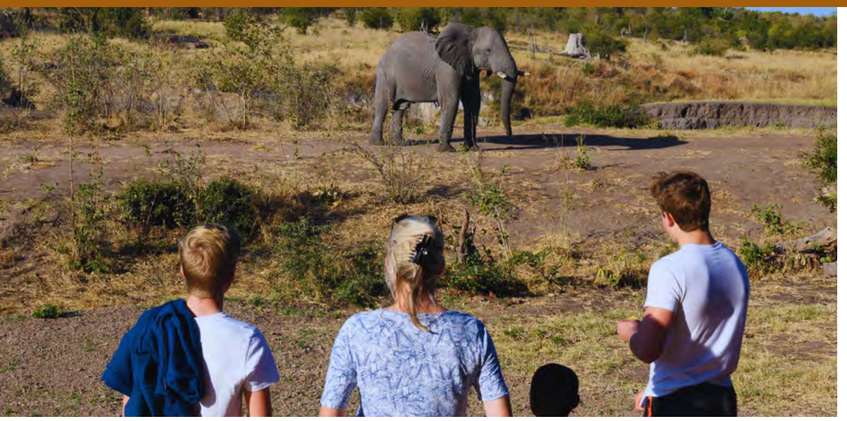
- Make your way to the international departure hall to check in for regional scheduled flight bound for Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe
- Flight time to Victoria Falls is approximately 2 hours
- Custom and Immigration formalities are needed at both OR Tambo International and Victoria Falls Airports
- You will be assisted to a light aircraft for the shared air transfer to Robins Airstrip Transfer by light aircraft to Robins Airstrip, Hwange (20 minutes)
- Road transfer to Deteema Springs (40 minutes)
- Check in to Deteema Springs for 3 nights

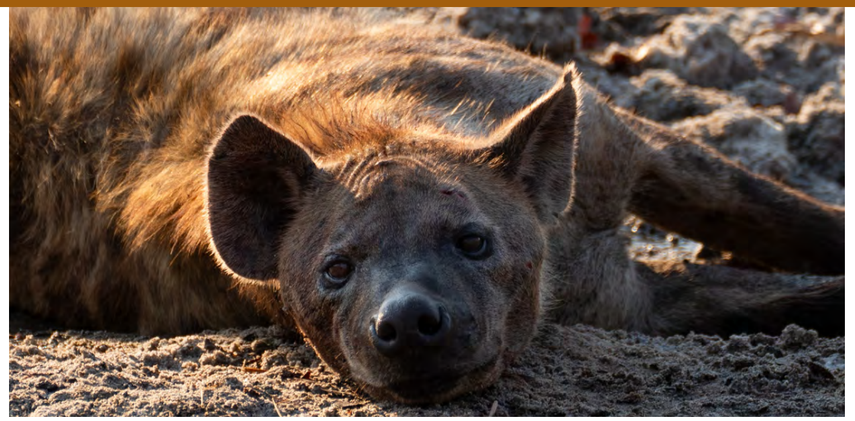
### DAILY PROGRAMME

**Deteema Springs**

- Enjoy all meals (early morning continental breakfast, brunch, high tea, dinner) at Deteema Springs
- Morning guided bush walks
- Morning and afternoon game drives with 4x4 safari vehicles
- Afternoon sundowner drinks and snacks

# HWANGE EXPERIENCES



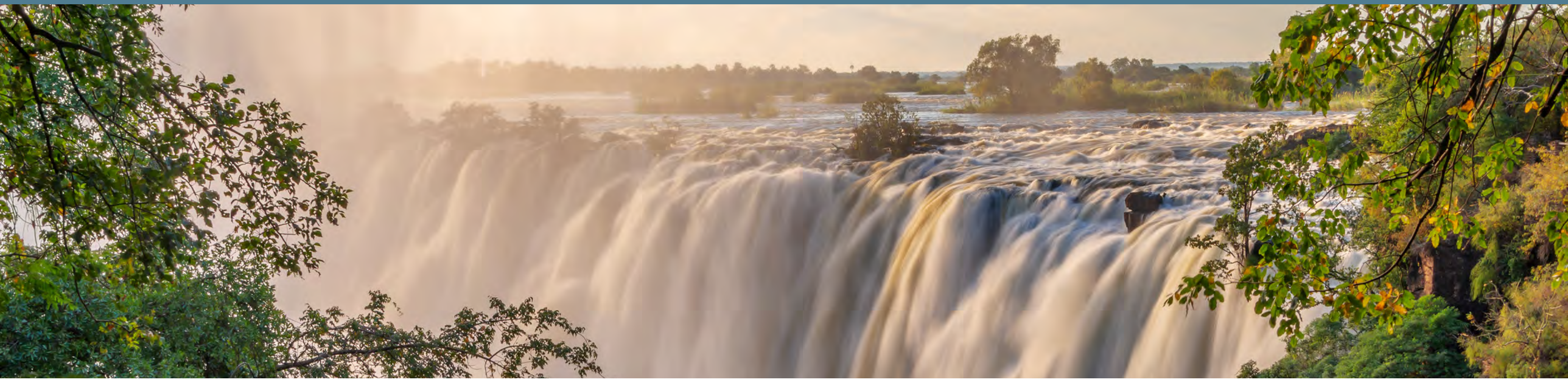








# THE SMOKE THAT THUNDERS



## VICTORIA FALLS - ZIMBABWE

Victoria Falls, locally referred to as Mosi-oa-Tunya (The Smoke That Thunders), is one of the world's most impressive waterfalls. Fed by the magnificent Zambezi River which creates the border between Zambia and Zimbabwe, the Falls are located in the Victoria Falls National Park which enjoys the notable feature as a rainforest due to the spray. Considered to be the world's largest sheet of falling water, Victoria Falls measures an impressive 1708 m in width and 108 m in height during the wet season. This spectacle is not only a UNESCO World Heritage Site, but also one of the 7 Natural Wonders of the world.

The Zambezi River experiences a rainy season from November to early April and a dry season for the rest of the year. The river's flood season is February to May with a peak in April. The spray from the falls typically rises to height of over 400 m and sometimes even twice as high and is visible from up to 50 km away.

The quaint town of Victoria Falls is a crossroads for travellers and acts as a base from which to explore many of the experiential excursions on offer in the region – these include white water rafting, canoeing amongst hippos on the upper Zambezi, game drives, walking safaris, river cruises, cultural excursions in local communities and helicopter flips to adrenaline-filled activities for the adventure lovers. The activity menu is endless, and the visit will inspire your return!

# MASUWE LODGE







Originally opened in the early 1990's, Masuwe Lodge is one of the first bush lodges in Victoria Falls. Set within its own private 1 000-hectare concession, bordering the Zambezi National Park, the lodge is a mere 10-minute from (7 km) from Victoria Falls.

The lodge is surrounded by natural bushland teeming with wildlife, offering views over a small waterhole which is lit by a spotlight at night, the (often dry) Masuwe River, and the national park beyond.

Masuwe offers several relaxing recreational activities, from safari walks at dawn to game drives at the nearby Chamabonda Vlei, a sub-section of Zambezi National Park which begins at the Victoria Falls and stretches some 40 kms up-river. Alternatively, spend an afternoon in the village, browsing the markets at Elephant Walk or partake in one of a plethora of adventure, adrenaline, cultural or recreational activities to choose from in the area. There is something to do for everybody!

Perched high on a hill, the dining, bar, lounge, pool and relaxation areas are well shaded and open to the breezes, birdlife and wildlife that calls Masuwe home. The lodge offers different room types to suit all preferences, all with en-suite bathrooms. The Wilderness Tents (a combination of canvas, thatch and stone) to The Hide Away which is perfect for honeymooners. The Family Nest, a private house built out of local stone, has 2 bedrooms with en-suite bathrooms that is not only ideal for families, but also for friends travelling together. Each of the rooms are named after birds embracing the natural environment in which the lodge is immersed.

# DAY 4: VICTORIA FALLS

## MASUWE LODGE, VICTORIA FALLS, ZIMBABWE

### ITINERARY DETAILS

**Travel Logistics - Day 4**

- Breakfast at Deteema Springs
- Road transfer to Robins Airstrip (40 minutes)
- Shared transfer by light aircraft to Victoria Falls Airport (20 minutes)
- Road transfer to Masuwe Lodge (20 minutes)
- Check in to Masuwe Lodge for 1 night

### DAILY PROGRAMME

- Light lunch at Masuwe Lodge
- Road transfer to Stanley & Livingstone Boutique Hotel for the Black Rhino Conservation Experience (3.5 hours from 15h00)
- Return to Masuwe Lodge for a bush dinner

### EXPERIENCE VICTORIA FALLS

**Adrenaline & Adventure**
Bridge Swing
Gorge Swing
Bridge Slide
Zip Line
Flying Fox
Canopy Tour
Bungee Jump
White Water Rafting

**Wildlife and Safari**
Crocodile Farm
Horse Riding Safaris

**Scenic Tours**
Bicycle Tour
Helicopter Scenic Flights
River Safaris – Morning & Afternoon
Historical Bridge Tour
Steam Train Trips

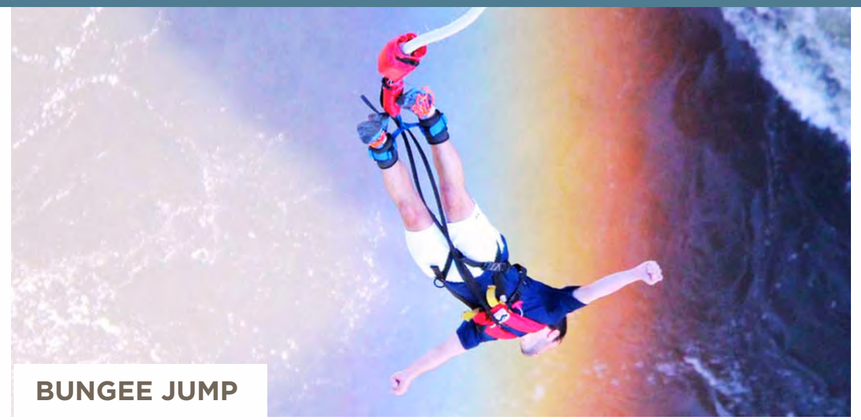
**Cultural**
Dusty Road Township Experience – Lunch
Traditional Village Tour

**Specialised Art Safaris**
Village Art Safari
Elephant Art
Creative River Cruise
Painting in the Rainforest

# VICTORIA FALLS EXPERIENCES



ZIP LINE



BUNGEE JUMP



WHITE WATER RAFTING



ELEPHANT ART SAFARI



CULTURAL CONNECTION



FLIGHT OF ANGELS



GORGE SWING



FLYING FOX



CANOPY TOUR

# ZAMBEZI NATIONAL PARK



The Zambezi National Park is beautiful gem, spanning 56 000 hectares of pristine wilderness and wildlife habitat, it is found some 40 km upstream and inland from Victoria Falls, along the Zambezi River towards Kazungula, Botswana. It has only been a national park since 1979 when it was split off from the Victoria Falls National Park.

The park is bisected by a tar road which runs between Victoria Falls and the Kazangula border post, dividing it into two sections namely the Zambezi River Game Drive, with an extensive network of roads and scenery along the river accessed through the main gate of the National Park, a few kilometres upstream of the Victoria Falls, and the 25 km Chamabonda Game Drive in the southern part of the park, which begins about 5 km south of Victoria Falls town off the main highway to Bulawayo.

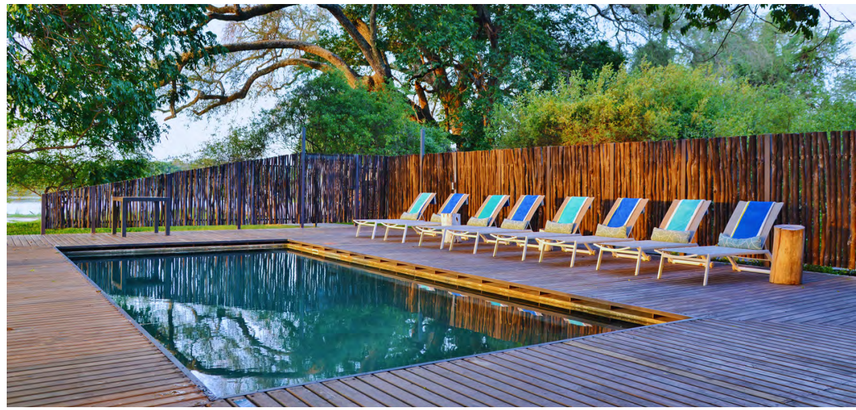
Zambezi National Park is home to a variety of larger mammal species including lion, elephant, buffalo, giraffe, zebra, and several antelope species including Zimbabwe's national animal, the majestic sable. It has a vast diversity of indigenous tree species, and the terrain varies between riverine woodland, dry riverbeds, rocky outcrops, and spring-lines with a gradual escarpment leading towards the Kazangula road split. An estimated 400 species of birds have been recorded within the Zambezi National Park making this a bird lovers' paradise. Aside from birds and land animals, there are 75 species of fish identified in the park, including the famous  tigerfish.

Spectacular sunrises and sunsets are the norm along this river and the area is greatly sought after by landscape and wildlife photographers alike.

# CHUNDU ISLAND







Chundu Island is found on a private island concession on the mighty Zambezi River and, only 21 km upstream from Zimbabwe's legendary Victoria Falls, offers the perfect foil to the hustle and bustle of Victoria Falls.

Private and peaceful, here you will find the best of Africa's natural offerings from a seasonal beach and flooded marshes to lush wetlands and open grasslands. Chundu Island falls within the Zambezi National Park which boasts a wide range of wildlife. Elephants, hippos, and other animals are often seen on the southern bank of the river a few hundred metres from the lodge.

The surroundings and construction of the lodge sets a 'Seychelles meets Zambezi' mood. Eight spacious palm thatched suites are sheltered by magnificent riverine trees along the edge of the island, each with its own private deck and perfect view of the river. The best of both worlds is on offer, with a combination of water activities and wildlife viewing.

In addition to a Tour of the Falls (Rainforest), enjoy where the bush and Zambezi River becomes one with 4x4 game drives, guided safari walks in the park and on the island, canoeing on the river, river cruises, fun fishing are just some of the attractions of the barefoot island-lifestyle at Chundu. The stunning sunrises and sunsets over the river will render you speechless!

Guests choose activities upon arrival at the lodge and are regularly briefed about the various activity options on offer.

# DAY 5 - 8: ZAMBEZI NATIONAL PARK

## CHUNDU ISLAND, ZAMBEZI NATIONAL PARK, VICTORIA FALLS

### ITINERARY

**Travel Logistics - Day 5**

- Breakfast at Masuwe Lodge
- Road transfer to Victoria Falls town (10 minutes)
- Road transfer to UTC Jetty for Jet Boat transfer upstream to Chundu Island (approximately 40 minutes)
- Check in to Chundu Island for 3 nights

### DAILY PROGRAMME

**Day 5**

- Early morning safari activity of your choice
  Game drive in 4x4 safari vehicle on Masuwe Sanctuary OR at Chamabonda Vlei OR
  Guided bush walk on the Masuwe Sanctuary
- Breakfast at Masuwe Lodge
- Check out from Masuwe Lodge
- Guided Tour of the Victoria Falls Rainforest
- Sundowner cruise on the Zambezi River at Chundu Island

### DAILY PROGRAMME

**CHUNDU ISLAND**

- Enjoy all meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner) at Chundu Island
- A myriad of daily activities are available on-site at the lodge to choose from
  - Morning and afternoon 4x4 game drives in the Zambezi National Park
  - Guided safari walks in the Zambezi National Park
  - Guided island walks
  - Canoeing
  - Zambezi River cruises
  - Fun fishing

### ITINERARY - FINAL DAY

**Travel Logistics - Day 8**

- Breakfast at Chundu Island
- Pontoon boat hop (5 minutes) across the river to the mainland
- Road transfer through the Zambezi National Park to Victoria Falls Airport (70 minutes)
- Check in for the international scheduled flight bound for Johannesburg International Airport
- Continue with your own arrangements upon arrival at OR Tambo International Airport

### EXPERIENCE VICTORIA FALLS

Many off-site activities are available to guests to pre-book, to list a few

- Adrenaline & Adventure Activities
- Cultural & Village Tours
- Art Safaris
- Helicopter scenic flight over the Falls
- Bicycle Tour
- Elephant’s Walk Shopping & Artists Village

# CHUNDU ISLAND EXPERIENCES



GAME DRIVE



FUN FISHING



RIVER CRUISE



CANOEING



GUIDED WALK

# FLIGHTS

**International Flights**

- Daily direct flights to South Africa are available from all countries across Europe depending on the airline of your choice.
- Non-European airlines may require a stop-over en route.

**Regional Flights**

- The itinerary will require the following flights:
  - Johannesburg to Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe
  - Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe to Johannesburg
- Currently flights between Victoria Falls and Johannesburg are available daily.
- Final prices will be determined at the time of making the booking.
- Air transfers within Zimbabwe (domestic flights) are operated in small aircraft. For safety reasons, and the luggage space available, passengers are restricted to travelling with soft sided duffel bags only. Hard frame suitcases will not be allowed.






# PACKAGE INCLUSIONS & EXCLUSIONS

The inclusions & exclusions for this itinerary are listed below. The final pricing is subject to many variables such as: travel dates, seasonal rates, number of people travelling, your final selection of the optional extra activities, whether the group is accompanied by Angus and prices of flights at the time of booking.

## INCLUDED

**Accommodation (7 Nights)**

- 3 Nights at Deteema Springs, Hwange National Park
- 1 Night at Masuwe Lodge, Victoria Falls
- 3 Nights at Chundu Island, Zambezi National Park

**Meals, Activities & Fees**

- Meet and Assist services on arrival & departure at Victoria Fall Airport
- All meals at Deteema Springs, Masuwe Lodge & Chundu Island
- Morning and afternoon guided game drives in Hwange & Zambezi National Parks
- One guided game drive OR One guided walk at Masuwe Lodge
- Guided safari walks at Deteema Springs & Chundu Island
- Guided Tour of Victoria Falls Rainforest
- Bird watching
- Guided island walks at Chundu Island
- Zambezi River cruises
- Fishing on the Zambezi River
- Local brand alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks at all lodges
- National park fees relevant to all lodges
- Conservation & Community levy (CCL) at Deteema Springs
- Basic laundry (hand wash, dry & fold) at Chundu Island
- Laundry at Deteema Springs

**Transport**

- Transfers by light aircraft from Victoria Falls Airport to Robins Airstrip & return
- Road transfers by safari vehicle from Robins airstrip to Deteema springs return
- Road transfers in Victoria Falls
- Jet Boat transfer to Chundu Island
- Regional scheduled flights – Johannesburg to Zimbabwe / Zimbabwe to Johannesburg




## EXCLUDED

**Flights**

- International scheduled flights to & from South Africa

**Meals, Activities & Transfers**

- Activities and relevant transfers not listed
- Lunch & Dinners not specified
- In-room message treatments at Chundu Island

**Other**

- Laundry at Masuwe Lodge
- Imported and Premium brand drinks at all lodges
- Items of personal nature (e.g. shopping, telephone calls, spa treatments)
- Optional staff gratuities
- Travel Insurance
- Visa costs

# BUDGET



**Package Costs**

Per Person Sharing: From US$ 7 310.00
Single Traveller: From US$ 8 559.00

**General**

- Availability for this tour is limited to 6 persons without a guide and 8 persons with a guide (sharing or single rooms).
- Itinerary and costs are subject to availability at the time of booking.
- Family Travel
  - Children are welcome with a minimum age of 6 years.
  - Due to Zambezi National Park regulations, Chundu Island is limited to the number of children under the ager of 12 years on any specific night.
  - Package costs for children are available on request.
- Final package costs will be based on selected travel dates during 2024.
- A reduction in the number of guests travelling may have an impact on the budgeted costs due to services such as internal air and helicopter transfers.

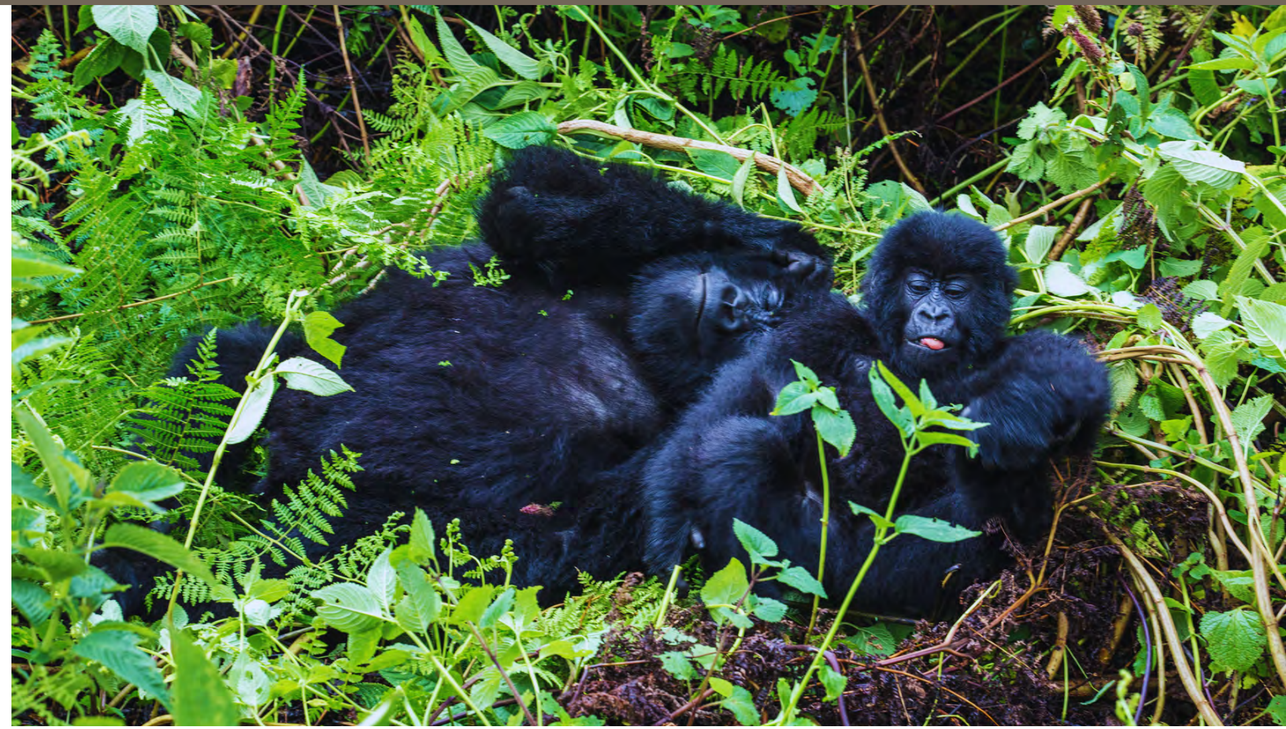
**Payment Terms**

Land arrangements:
Payable in 3 instalments as outlined
25% Deposit (non-refundable) within 30 days to secure the reservation
25% 4 months (120 days) before travel
50% 2 months (60 days) before travel
Flights:
100% on booking confirmation to secure the seats

Contact us for a personalised quotation based on your preferred travel dates.

# PRE AND / OR POST SAFARIS





**For those who have the Africa bug and would like to extend their safari, Angus (African Storybook Travel) & Hartley's Safaris can assist with any pre or post planning.**

## GARDEN ROUTE

The Garden Route is a familiar term to Africa travellers. It is a delightful, serendipitous combination of world-class beaches and wine farms, lagoons, and indigenous forests with a scenic, ocean-hugging highway. Travelling Route 62, a winding valley road that reveals the magnificence of the Little Karoo with its vineyards and scenic mountain passes on either side, is a must-do as an extension to your stay along the coast.

Adrenaline junkie fun fact - at 216m, the region is home to the highest (Kiwi inspired) bungee jump in the world on the Bloukrans bridge.

## RWANDA

Gorilla trekking is a bucket list experience for many and, visiting the endangered mountain gorillas near Volcanoes National Park, will be a life-changing experience. This national park offers many activities such as, to name but a few, Golden Monkey trekking, hiking Mount Karisimbi, hiking Mount Bisoke, visiting the Iby'wacu cultural centre, exploring the Twin lakes of Burera and Ruhondo, the Dian Fossey Hike. Combine this with chimpanzee trekking at Nyungwe Forest National Park and your next safari is planned.

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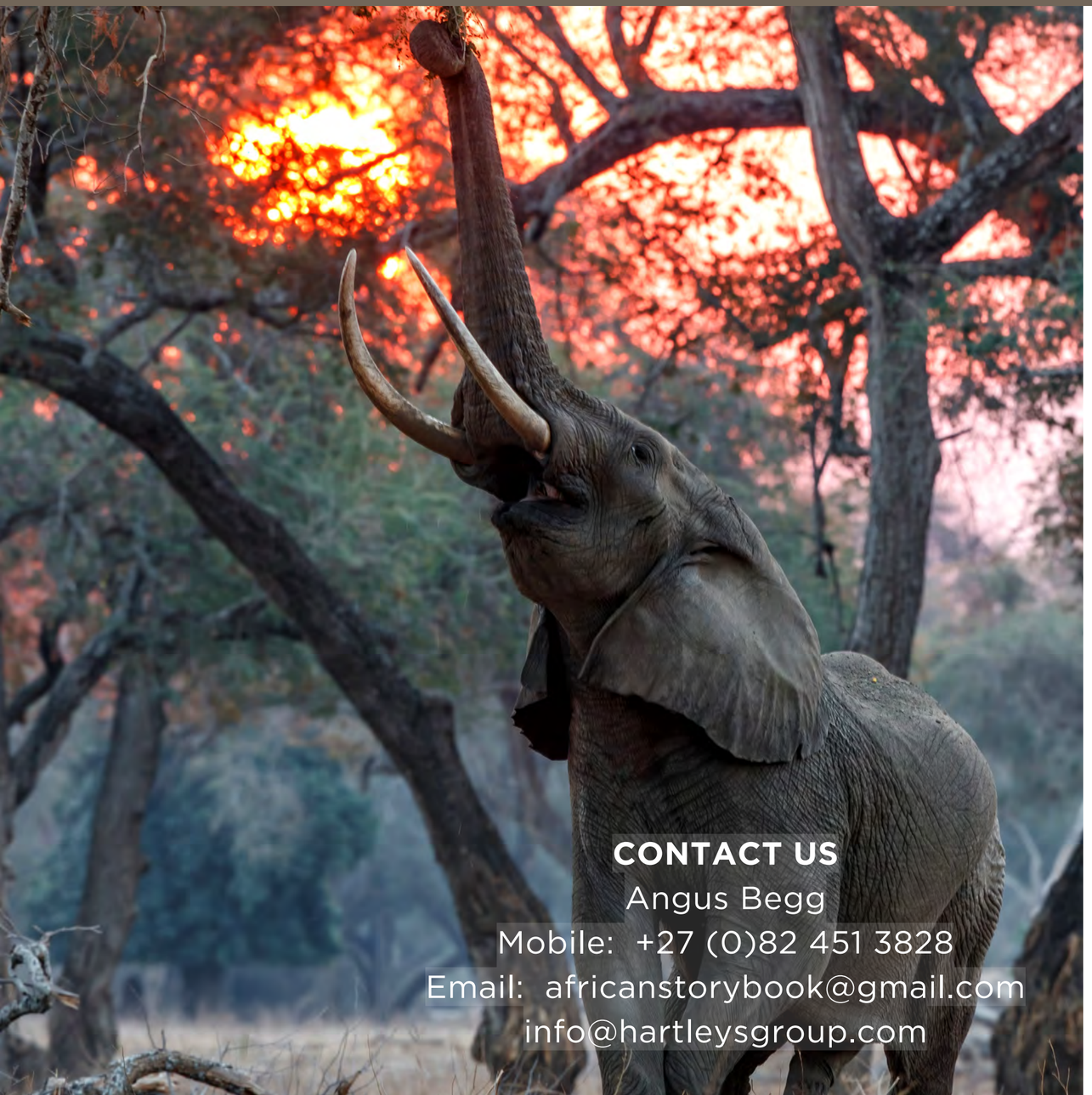
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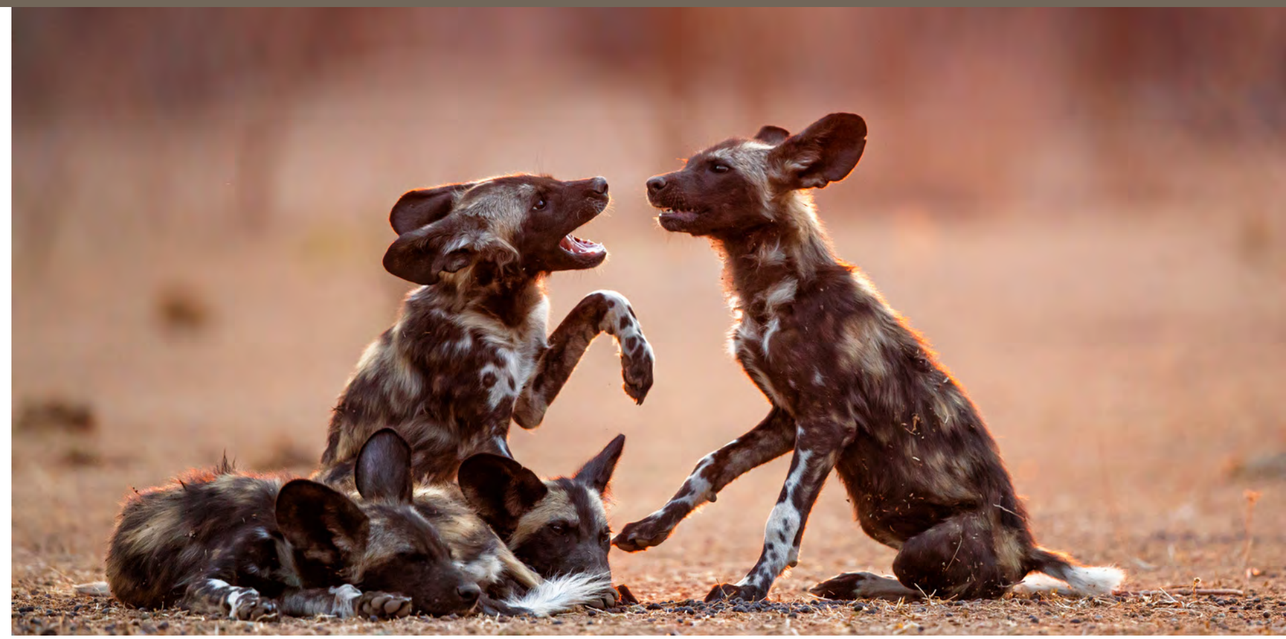
Experience a true wilderness in the wildlife rich, bucket-list Botswana, with safari offerings that matches every interest. Enjoy the exquisitely scenic Okavango Delta on foot, gliding on the river in a traditional dugout canoe (mokoro) or get up close on horse-back. The Savuti, Moremi and Chobe regions offer some of the best game viewing in Southern Africa. Home to the largest elephant population in Africa, a river cruise on the Chobe River will be unforgettable. The vastness of the Makgadikgadi Salt Pan is best experienced on horse-back, quad bike or sleeping under the stars.

## NAMIBIA

Namibia is the driest country in sub-Saharan Africa with the Namib Desert, the world's oldest desert, devoid of surface water but bisected by many dry riverbeds. Shifting sand dunes, gravel plains, and rugged mountains make up this extremely arid ecoregion. Enjoy game viewing in Etosha, track the desert lion and climb some of the highest sand dunes in the world at Sossusvlei. It has the largest population of free roaming in cheetah in the world and is home to one of the largest San (Bushman) rock art concentrations in Africa. The Fish River Canyon is not only the 2nd largest canyon in the world it is the oldest and the Skeleton Coast is the world’s biggest gravesite for sailors and ships.
This is definitely a special interest, bucket-list destination.

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