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AFRICA
EXCLUSIVE SAFARIS



SAVUTE TO SELINDA

7 NIGHTS | SAVUTE CHANNEL | SELINDA RESERVE

PRICE FROM: \$6095 PER PERSON SHARING



IDYLLIC SAFARI LOCATIONS

Taking in the less visited area of Chobe National Park, the Savute Spillway has been a talking point for decades due to its erratic flooding. Today the Savute Marsh sees a fascinating wildlife experience, including the famed elephant hunting lions, as well as the fascinating, yet endangered African Wild Dog.

From there, you travel to the watery wildlife haven of the Selinda Reserve - once a hunting area, now a successful habitat for safari wilderness.

SAVUTE UNDER CANVAS | CHOBE 3 NIGHTS

Explore the unique and haunting Savute landscape, with its enigmatic Savute Channel.

At Savute Under Canvas, luxury mobile safari tents with ensuite bathrooms (with flush w.c. and steaming hot bucket shower) are positioned at secluded sites in a remote and wild corner of Chobe National Park. Spend nights under canvas close to nature in the landscape of the African night.

Secluded campsites in the wildlife haven of Savute provide a base for up close and personal adventure and discovery. Carefully positioned as close as possible to the resident game, enjoy the simplicity of camping in one of the top wildlife areas in the world.

Camps move to a different site every five or six days. This is a true African experience, with campsites in remote areas where guests can expect to see few other people or vehicles.

- Explore the area on your morning and afternoon game drives.
- Dine beneath the stars with friendly butler service.
- Photograph the majestic baobab trees that loom over the reserve.
- Perfect for nature lovers, seasoned bush lovers, repeat travellers, photographers and birders.
- Enjoy the rustic charm of camping combined with the comfort of full service, a flush toilet and a steaming hot bucket shower.

WILDLIFE IN SAVUTE

Savute is particularly well known for its high concentration of lion, as well as for its dramatic predator interactions. The Savute lions are famed for having adapted to hunting elephant, not generally considered common prey for these cats. A power struggle for the position of dominant predator has also been documented between the lions and the area's large clans of hyena. The African wild dog, one of the continent's most endangered carnivores, also thrives in the area. Like the remainder of the Chobe National Park, Savute has large numbers of elephant, which are attracted to the many artificial water sources. During the drier season, elephant bulls dominate the water holes, while breeding herds may move to areas where water is more readily found.

The region is also rich in antelope, with common species such as impala and kudu encountered alongside giants such as the eland. Waterbuck may be spotted in areas with thicker vegetation, and guests may be lucky enough to catch sight of the aristocratic line of the roan and the sable.



SELINDA CAMP | OKAVANGO DELTA

4 NIGHTS

Selinda Camp is located in the 320,000 acre Selinda Reserve of northern Botswana along the eastern banks of the Selinda Spillway, near the confluence of the Linyanti, Savute and Kwando Rivers.

Great Plains Conservation came to Selinda Reserve in 2007, reclaiming this magnificent area from the shadows of hunting, and placing all the acreage under photographic tourism. Recent census (2012) shows an overall increase in wildlife, of considerable amount, and Selinda and its guests are a key component of this conservation success.

WILDLIFE IN SELINDA

A patchwork of microhabitats, Selinda Reserve hosts a staggering diversity of wildlife. The open plains are an ideal habitat for cheetah and the thicker woodlands are refuge for leopard. It is famous for elephant and lion, wild dog and hippo, buffalo and giraffe and the more rarely seen roan and sable. Some days we will spend hours with a single herd of elephants; other days we may track predators, or wait in a hide for Slaty egrets to arrive and fish. Each winter we wait hopefully for the Selinda pack of African wild dogs to pick their den, which is often near camp.

At the peak of dry season, this concession boasts elephants by the thousands and regular sightings of the Selinda pack of African wild dogs.

WHY SELINDA?

Made famous in Dereck and Beverly Joubert's National Geographic films (Ultimate Enemies, Hunting with the Moon, The African Diaries), the Selinda Reserve is home to the hippo-killing lions. The hunting of large prey by lions is legendary, and a highlight, but random of course. It's never guaranteed, but always a possibility. This is wild Africa, unpredictable and magical, where each day is different, thank goodness.

Selinda Camp guest tents include the complimentary use of a pair of Swarovski HD binoculars.

QUICK ITINERARY

DAY 1

Arrive into Kasane, Botswana and transfer to Chobe National Park and the Savute region for Savute Under Canvas

DAY 1 TO 3

Savute Under Canvas, Chobe National Park for 3 nights featuring games drives and other activities

DAY 4

Depart Savute and Chobe and be transferred to the airport, for your onward flight to Selinda reserve in the Okavango Delta

DAY 5 TO 7

Selinda Camp for 4 nights with game drives and activities

DAY 8

Say goodbye to the Selinda Reserve as you transfer back to Kasane or Maun for your return flight home or onward journey

BEYOND SPECIAL WILDERNESS & WILDLIFE TO ENJOY FROM 25% DEPOSIT



INCLUDES:

- Savute Under Canvas: Accommodation, three meals daily, soft drinks, house wines, local brand spirits and beers, teas and coffees, refreshments on game drives, laundry, safari activities, emergency medical evacuation insurance, VAT, transfers to and from the lodge airstrip and park fees
- Selinda Camp: accommodation, scheduled wildlife activities, meals, laundry, conservancy fees, return airstrip road transfers, alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages (excluding champagne)
- Kasane to Savute transfers
- Kasane to Selinda Reserve return transfers

EXCLUDES:

- International flights to/from Botswana (please arrange your flight to arrive/depart Kasane. Other options are available)
- Comprehensive travel insurance
- Visas and arrival/departure fees (if applicable)
- Savute Under Canvas: Telephone calls, safari shop purchases, gratuities, all items of a personal nature, champagne, cognacs, fine wines, premium brand spirits and cigars and landing fees
- Selinda Camp: spa services, items of a personal nature

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS APPLY

**DON'T FORGET, ALL OF THE PACKAGES YOU SEE, CAN BE TAILORED TO YOU!
OUR TEAM CAN DESIGN ANYTHING, FROM ALTERNATIVE PORTIONS OF A PACKAGE,
TO COMPLETELY ONE-OFF ITINERARIES JUST FOR YOU.**