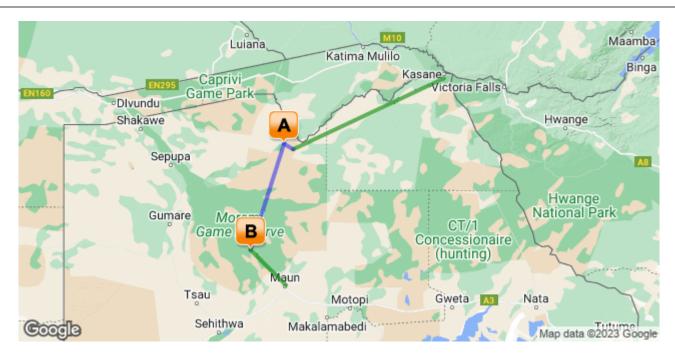


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## 9N Botswana Specialist Safari

Selinda Reserve - Okavango Delta 10 Days / 9 Nights



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# Introduction

Start	Accommodation	Destination	Basis	Duration
Day 1	Selinda Explorers Camp	Selinda Reserve	FI	3 Nights
Day 4	Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails	Okavango Delta	FI	4 Nights
Day 8	Kiri Camp	Okavango Delta	FI	2 Nights

## Transport

## **Flight Information**

Date	Flight	Departure/Arrival		
Day 1	Shared Charter	Kasane Airport [BBK] - Selinda Airstrip		
Day 4	Charter Flight	Selinda Airstrip - Beagle Expeditions		
Day 8	Charter Flight	Beagle Expeditions - Kiri Airstrip		
Day 10	Shared Charter	Kiri Airstrip - Maun International Airport [MUB]		

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PACKAGE SEASON	PP SHARING	SINGLE SUPP
November – 19 December 2023	USD 11,890	USD 810
20 – 31 December 2023	USD 13,390	USD 3,260
1 - 14 June 2024	USD 14,330	USD 3,550
15 June - October 2024	USD 15,940	USD 6,260
April - May & November 2024	USD 13,500	USD 3,220

# **Special notes**

- Please note this itinerary is based on a minimum of 4 guests please contact your consultant for a quote for your specific rooming
- Please note that where a booking crosses over 2 different rate periods e.g. Oct & Nov, neither rate is • applicable - please request a special quote
- The above rate is subject to change due to major currency fluctuations, fuel surcharges and increases in national park fees (see below)
- Single supplement\* is for accommodation only, applicable when travelling with more than 2 guests ٠ and excludes a flying surcharge for guests travelling solo - rate available on request
- Subject to availability at the time of booking

# Included



#### Travel for Impact – Responsible Travel

By booking this itinerary, you donate USD\$2 for every night of travel per person on the booking. Your donation goes to Travel for Impact (TFI) and ensures that your safari has a meaningful impact on the people who live locally. For more information on giving back to your Travel for impact chosen destination of travel, visit www.travelforimpact.com



#### Okavango Air Rescue

Please note that we include a fee into all our packages for a local medivac in case of an emergency. Please discuss further details with your consultant and for more information, visit <u>http://www.okavangorescue.com/</u>

# Day 1-4 Selinda Explorers Camp, Selinda Reserve

### **Day Itinerary**

Upon arrival into Kasane Airport (or Maun Airport, at no additional costs) proceed to Customs and Immigration and collect your luggage.

You will be met in the arrival's hall by a representative from the air charter company to assist with check in for your light aircraft transfer flight to Selinda Explorers Camp. You will spend three nights here on a fully inclusive basis.

Please note that the flight is booked on a 'seat rate' basis and therefore flight times are not scheduled until the day prior to flying, lodge managers will arrange your activities and transfers accordingly. Please note that there is a strict luggage restriction on all light aircraft flights of 15kg per person in soft bags, plus hand luggage.



The Linyanti is a safari addict's bush nirvana. One of the most remote and exclusive pockets of Botswana, this pristine wilderness is what great game viewing and wildlife documentaries are made of. Only private concessions are on offer here, where the rules are flexible and the crowds cannot go. The

Linyanti is not just for ticking off the big game; it also has a knack for delivering lesser-spotted bucket list items, whether it's a rare bush pig or that long-searched-for wild dog.

Very few camps operate in the Linyanti. Each offers different habitats and landscapes with one common theme: a strong track record for game viewing during Botswana's drier winter months. Together with the Chobe Riverfront, the Linyanti homes the highest density of African elephants in the world. Many camps also offer seasonally dependent water-based experiences, be it on a spillway, river, lagoon or channel to break up the game drive routine.

Just one of the Linyanti's concessions alone is twenty times the size of Manhattan, yet only forty people can stay during any night of the year. If Botswana puts a heavy emphasis on preserving the wild and taking only a handful of people into the bush, then the Linyanti is where this concept is taken to the extreme. Here, you can follow the big game off-road, whether in a white-knuckled pursuit of a lioness chasing buffaloes, or during a quiet crawl off-track to see wild dog puppies emerging from their den for the first time. Possibilities exist for exploring the bush on foot for adrenaline-pumping game approaches, and many camps offer game viewing hides for a more relaxed approach to wildlife sightings, or even overnight sleep outs.

### **Overnight: Selinda Explorers Camp**

Includes: meals, selected beverages, activities, concession fees, laundry Excludes: premium beverages Activities: day & night game drives and walking

Selinda Explorers Camp is poised in a remote, treasured location on the famous Selinda Spillway, under canopies of jackelberry and mangosteen trees. As the lifeline of the Selinda Reserve, the Selinda Spillway is a crucial gathering point for the wildlife of this pristine 320,000-acre Reserve.

This classic camp, consisting of three custom-designed tents and one two-bedroom family tent, transports guests back to authentic safaris. Each of the four walk-in tents is expansive; however, in keeping with a traditional safari, the en-suite flush loo and shower are attached and enclosed, but under the stars. Hot/cold water is provided by jug on demand.

The main area tents are on ground level decorated with Persian carpets and pillows, dark wooden furniture and copper accents. This explorer's style camp set up creates an atmosphere of a by gone era.

Activities concentrate on getting back to nature with the emphasis on guided walking and there may be the option of canoeing when water levels permit (currently July – September, subject to change). In addition, day and night game drives are available exploring the Selinda Reserve. It is a wildlife hot spot, with huge herds of elephants and buffalo, lion, wild dog, sable and roan antelope all frequently spotted.

Please note that the camp has 2 vehicles taking up to 4 guests in each which guarantees a window seat for all (unless a private group would like 6 in a vehicle), activities are planned together with your guide and all guests in camp, no private vehicle is available.

#### Airstrip Transfer Time: 45 minutes



# Day 4-8 Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails

### Day Itinerary

Following breakfast and a possible morning activity (flight time permitting) you will transfer in a helicopter flight to the Okavango Delta where you spend three nights at Beagle Expeditions, a private mobile camp set up in the Abu Concession, in on a fully inclusive basis.

Please note this itinerary is based on a minimum of 4 guests for exclusive use and private guiding experience.

The Kweene Trails explores a wild and spectacular corner of the Okavango Delta! This exclusive area lies on a stretch of the Kweene River system adjacent to the Sandveld tongue in the Western Okavango Delta. What makes it most special for us is its remoteness, accessible only to our guests and only by helicopter.

Kweene Trails is a true African Safari in the comfort and privacy of your own exclusive mobile safari camp. A journey through the wilderness with the intimacy and flexibility of your own camp, guide, safari vehicle and staff complement.

### **Overnight: Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails**

**Includes**: meals, selected beverages, activities, private guide, park fees, limited laundry **Excludes**: premium beverages

#### Accommodation:

#### Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails: Tented Mobile Camp

3m X 3m dome tents with ample lighting at night. Our bedrolls, laid out on the ground and made up with fine Egyptian cotton linen, are super comfy and warm, to provide the best sleeping experience.

#### Ablutions:

There is one ablution unit per 2 tents (4 guests), each with its own private bucket shower (for hot showers) and a loo with a view.

Activities include: Game drives on a limited road network in search of truly wild wildlife; walking in unrivalled pristine walking country; and authentic mokoro excursions (seasonal and water level dependent).

#### Activities on Site:

Birding; Bush Walks; Day Game Drive;

Optional at Additional Cost: Helicopter safaris; Mokoro Excursion (seasonal and water level dependent)

Day by Day Itinerary Day 01 Helicopter Transfer: Private Basis Maun Airport/ Third Party Okavango Delta Camp to Kweene Trails. 35 Min (helicopter type dependent), Doors On, Scenic Transfer. 20kg soft luggage per person.

Accessible only by helicopter, guests experience a breath-taking scenic helicopter flight over the dramatic Okavango Delta landscape on arrival, bringing them right onto the doorstep of Beegle Expedition's wild playground. Guests are welcomed by a private guide and his intimate expedition team, and become acquainted with their tent, private camp and the raw wilderness around them.

The journey starts along the Southern section of the Kweene River System in the occasional swamp habitat at Kweene River Camp, this area has a much more arid feel to the landscape. However, as the floodplains are inundated with water less frequently than the seasonal swamp, the grass species that dominate the floodplains are much more palatable and thus productive, supporting large herds of grazers and the predators that follow.

The daily routine and safari schedule has a fluid structure, wholly dependent and dictated by the wildlife around, what is happening in the concession at the time of guest's expedition, the ever-fluctuating water levels, the time of year, and of course the mood and capabilities of the group. The beauty of a private and intimate mobile camp is that guests have total flexibility, steered by their private guide and his knowledge to give them the best experience possible.

A typical expedition at Kweene Trails, could however begin with a game drive along a crafty game drive network, getting a sense of the area and a feel for what the resident wildlife in the area has been up to,

setting the scene for guest's next few days of safari. We have sensitively developed a limited game drive network in order to preserve the wild and untouched beauty of this remarkable landscape, without compromising the ability to explore the dry land habitat adjacent to the Kweene River floodplains by vehicle and experience the excitement of observing wildlife from a game drive vehicle.

#### DAY 2: Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails

Overnight Stay at Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails

A strong cup of fire percolated coffee awaits guests as they watch the sun rise over another perfect day in Africa, often much needed and appreciated after what is often a noisy night full of action and activity. Enjoy a light but wholesome breakfast before they head out for their morning activity.

Because walking through pristine wilderness that has no sign of a human footprint remains one of Kweene''s key ingredients, they have left a vast portion of the area inaccessible to any motorized transport. Here, Beagle Expeditions brings back the safari experience of old: walking through wildest Africa the morning walking expeditions can be as long or as short, as intense or as modest, as guest's ability allows; they tailor make this at the time of the safari. However, as temperatures are much milder in the mornings and the duration of the morning activity generally longer, Beagle Expeditions prefer to conduct their walking safaris in the morning.

When water levels permit (generally May/June to Aug/Sep) there is a luxury of unrivalled mokoro territory: vast open floodplains that allow guests to see for miles and miles, reinforcing the solitude and wilderness and silence that Beagle Expeditions have grown to treasure and to crave. The mokoro (dugout canoe) excursions are normally combined with morning walks. Utilizing this age-old mode of transport inherent to the lives and peoples of the Okavango Delta, the expedition can further access normally inaccessible territory, and hop from island to island as guests adventure and explore these pockets of habitat and the wildlife within.

An integral element of all the expeditions is the ability to turn off time and enjoy the luxury of just being with on your own, and the loved ones that accompany them on safari. The Expeditions normally heads back to the camp for lunch and a well-deserved siesta. This down time is generally filled with the precious moments of camp life: enjoying a bucket shower in the heat of the day, general chit chat with the camp team, playing boules or cards, extended boozy lunches discussing the ways of the world, exchanging recipes with their discerned chef, reading, sleeping, birding, lazing in a hammock, or even a sneaky swim if water levels permit. All the while continuously scanning the horizon for the wildlife that goes about their day, comfortably unperturbed or blissfully unaware of their presence as they quietly blend into the tree line. This is not time wasted, it is time adored; and it is often in these fleeting moments that lifelong memories are made.

Guests enjoy a cup of warm tea or coffee together with some homemade biscuits and a selection of seasonally fresh fruit, and get themselves ready for an afternoon drive in one direction or another. The wildlife activity on the day could keep them in their seats for the duration of the drive, and possibly on their toes as they track a leopard or a pride of lion if they get onto their elusive tracks. Or they may stretch their legs while they watch the sun set, enjoying a classic Okavango Gin & tonic.

Guests head back to camp soon after for a 2-course health feast of a dinner, a roaring campfire, a glass of selected premium drinks or wines, and a sky full of stars at the end of a full day, guest sleep comfortably on bedrolls, close to the earth and at peace.

#### DAY 3: Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails

Overnight Stay at Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails

Next, the journey moves further North up the Kweene River system to the Magwegwe camp, which is situated in the seasonal swamp habitat; here, the river receives water (normally) on a yearly basis with the inundation cycle of the annual Okavango flood dynamic. This section of the river is an exposé of exceptional Okavango Delta scenery and its wildlife; endless floodplains with well-wooded islands dotting the plains and all yearround surface water drawing in an abundance of wildlife. In order to get here, guests pack their backpacks and picnic lunch and set out for a full day of adventure. Guests journey a distance of anything from 10 to 50 km, depending on the route they travel that day. Normally, it is a tranquil mokoro / walking trail, giving them a sense of age-old exploration as their heightened senses absorb a full day of wilderness sounds, smells and sights. However, based on the group dynamic, the presence of children and abilities of the individual members of the expedition, they may replace the trail with a full day of exploration by game drive vehicle if required.

During this time, the back-up team breaks the first camp, packs up guest's tents and bedrolls, their bags and belongings, the kitchen and mess tent, the toilets and ablutions, and moves it all to the second camp, in time for an afternoon arrival, with enough light and time to get settled and appreciate the day's journey they have just undertaken. And that night, while guests rest after their full and often tiring day, the first wilderness site begins its recovery and return to its natural state. Within just a few short days, guest's footprints disappear, as though they were never there; replaced by those of the elephant, impala and beetles that walk away our presence.

#### DAY 4: Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails

Overnight Stay at Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails

The safari agenda for this day follows a similar arrangement and plan as Day 02, a full day of activity, rest and rejuvenation; the setting however, is totally new to guests- and of course the wildlife will never do what it did the day before, nor will it ever do the same thing again tomorrow.

The morning is again dedicated to exploring the dedicated walking zone on foot and by mokoro. During the hotter and drier months (Sep to Dec), prior to the arrival of the first rains, the area is dotted with several vital and therefore highly productive seeps (natural springs), that draw countless herds of elephant, buffalo, zebra, impala and more to their life-giving waters. Walking during these months will push guests to their limits, but the reward is irreplaceable.

After a restful siesta, guests depart for what could be their last afternoon drive with Beagle Expeditions, either into the drier backcountry exploring the larger islands and the pans that can be found in their interiors; or from seep to seep, following the elephant gwashas (trails) and tracks that connect them.

The wildlife in the area is truly wild; thanks to the limited influence and impression of humans that is characteristic of a wilderness such as theirs. This makes guests interaction and sightings of them all the more powerful and rewarding. Beagle Expeditions is fortunate to be the custodians of huge herds of buffalo and elephant, prides of lion and clans of hyenas, several shy leopards, the occasional pack of wild dog or lonely cheetah that pass through. Smaller herds of general plains game including impala, zebra, giraffe, kudu, tsesebe and wildebeest are local residents. Crocodiles, hippos and red lechwe come and go with the annual flood. A daily chorus of striped kingfishers, green pigeons, fish eagles, Meyers parrots, swamp nightjars, giant eagle owls, grass frogs and olive toads accompany them from sunrise to sunset. An Okavango Delta scene at its finest.

#### DAY 5: Check-out; Transfer

Check-out: Beagle Expeditions - Kweene Trails

#### Helicopter Transfer: Private Basis

Kweene Trails to Third Party Okavango Delta Camp

\*Camps further away have added cost

Today Beagle Expeditions bids guests farewell to continue their journey: enriched, enlightened, peaceful. With stories to tell, memories to cherish, friends to remember, knowledge to share; with renewed energy and possibly a slightly different perspective with which to continue on life's path. Guests may choose to do one final activity, depending on their onward arrangements and time available; or to remain in camp, enjoy a relaxed and slow morning, gather their thoughts and belongings, and soak up the last of the intimate camp atmosphere they will certainly have grown to love.

Guests are collected by helicopter for one final scenic spin over what is surely one of Africa's last great wilderness areas. Onwards and upwards - as they wave goodbye to their hosts, the Beagle Expeditions team; and the beauty of Kweene Trails.



# Day 8-10 Kiri Camp, Okavango Delta

### Day Itinerary

Following breakfast and a possible morning activity (flight time permitting) you will transfer in a helicopter flight to Kiri Camp where you spend two nights on a fully inclusive basis.



The Okavango Delta is where the wild things are: an immense, waterlogged oasis alive with elephants and birdlife, adrift in the middle of Kalahari sands. The real magic of the Delta lies in its water, trickling through from far away highlands, and spreading across the channels and floodplains.

During winter in the Kalahari, when the sun has baked the earth bare and turned the desert its driest, water fills the Okavango; transforming the floodplains into a Noah's Ark of African wildlife.

As the water brings life to the delta, its local residents shape and recreate it. Termites slowly build mounds into islands, germinated with palm trees by passing elephants. Waterways open and close on the whim of widebottomed hippos, carving out channels where they crash through reeds, and leaving room behind them for exploration by mokoro.

The Okavango has many faces, which change throughout the year, prompted by that most unpredictable diva of all: the weather. Water levels rise and drop, expanding and shrinking islands, while animals move where the life is easiest and the grass greenest. In a few days, a sandy road driven by vehicle can become a waterway of unknowable depth, prompting a safari by boat instead.

Where and when you stay in the Okavango Delta will hugely influence what you do in the bush each day, the animals you're most likely to see and finally, the safari experience you'll have.

The delta's watery heart is best discovered by mokoro through shallow channels and floodplains, as well as crossing the islands on foot. For less water and more of the big game, visit a camp on its drier edges (including Moremi Game Reserve and the Khwai Community Area), jump on a vehicle and seek out the animals hiding in the woodlands.

### **Overnight: Kiri Camp**

**Includes**: meals, selected beverages, activities, concession and conservation fees, laundr **Excludes**: premium beverages

**Activities**: Day and night game drives, motorized boats and mokoro trips (seasonal & water level dependant) and walking (advance request only and guide dependent).

Based on a private concession, Kiri Camp is named after the Kiri channel which flows past the island on which the camp is situated. The camp is raised on wooden decks to give a view of the Kiri floodplains which stretch out in front of the camp.

Kiri Camp offers 7 luxury tents and 2 family en-suite tents. All 9 luxury tents are designed to incorporate the surrounding ebony forest under which the camp is situated.

The camp's main area incorporates a tented main area with the restaurant, the bar, a library, swimming pool with loungers, as well as a small curio shop.

Activities offered include day and night game drives, mokoro and boat trips (seasonal and water level dependant) and walking (provided a suitable guide is available – advance booking essential).

#### Airstrip Transfer Time: 5 minutes



# Day 10 End of Itinerary

### **Day Itinerary**

Following breakfast and a possible morning activity (flight time permitting) you will transfer by light aircraft to Maun Airport in time for own onwards travel arrangements.

You will be met by a representative from Safari Specialists upon arrival into Maun to assist with check in for your outbound flight.

## **Travel Information**

• Please take note of our Booking Terms & Conditions. It will be understood that these have been read and accepted by you on receipt of confirmation of the booking.

• For your safety and peace of mind, on confirmation of your booking, we strongly recommend that Travel Insurance is arranged to cover cancellation, curtailment, emergency evacuation, medical and repatriation expenses, damage/theft/loss of personal luggage, money and goods.

• Road and air transfers and activities are quoted on a seat basis (shared) unless otherwise requested or specified. Passengers may have various stops en-route to a destination. The transfer or charter company reserves the right to specify departure and arrival times. Private charters can be requested at an additional cost.

• Passengers weighing over 100kg should please advise us at the time of booking, as we may need to cost in an additional seat on internal flights for your safety and comfort.

• The costs are subject to change at any time due to fluctuations in fuel costs, taxes, levies, government regulations, rate of exchange and factors that are imposed upon us by our suppliers that are beyond or control.

• Please advise us of the ages of children (under 18) travelling, together with their date of birth, at the time of booking as not all lodges accept children and there may be restrictions or conditions which can affect pricing.

• We recommend that optional activities be booked in advance at time of confirmation to guarantee availability e.g. Helicopter Flight of the Angels in Victoria Falls

• Please allow a minimum 2-3 hours connection time in Johannesburg for international flights. It is important that you check that your flight tickets have been issued in your full names as per your passport.

• We require full payment for international and domestic scheduled flights at the time of confirmation e.g., Air Botswana Johannesburg to Maun, Proflight Livingstone - Lusaka and so on. We are not able to guarantee any flights before receipt of payment as seats are often held for a limited period before ticketing is required so this is a time sensitive issue. Air tickets are considered non-refundable unless otherwise specified. Please confirm the details with your consultant at the time of booking.

### Passports, Visas and Travel Documentation

Your passport must have at least 6 months validity before the expiry date and 6 empty pages (not including the endorsement pages). The onus is upon guests to ensure that passports and visas are valid for the countries visited. Please note that certain visas can take up to 3 months to be processed so please consider this when booking.

If you are travelling with children through Southern Africa, please be aware that you will be required to have certified copies of their unabridged birth certificates, and passports on hand. If you are not their legal parents, or if only one of you is travelling – you will need to have consent in the form of an affidavit giving you permission to travel with the child.

#### Inter-camp transfers

Due to the vast distances involved in travelling in the remote areas of Southern Africa - your itinerary may include road, boat and air transfers in small aircraft.

On shared air transfers, all the flight times between lodges are arranged a few days before the flights take place to avoid endless schedule changes. The lodge or camp where you are staying will be advised of your departure time the day before travel and will ensure that you are at the airstrip on time. Although every effort will be made to ensure that guests are transferred together in one vehicle / aircraft, this cannot be guaranteed, especially with larger groups. The aircraft used for inter-camp transfers vary in size from 3-, 5-, 7- and 12-seater aircraft. We recommend that guests susceptible to motion sickness take appropriate precautions due to flying conditions.

#### Weight & Luggage Restrictions

There are strict luggage restrictions in place on any itinerary, which includes light aircraft transfers for safety reasons. Luggage, including camera equipment and hand luggage, is restricted to 20 kg per person travelling on seat rates. Only soft bags will be accepted - no hard suitcases or bags with wheels can be transported, as they physically cannot fit into the aircraft.

The maximum dimensions of the soft bags that can be accommodated are as follows: 25cm/10 inches wide x 30cm/11 inches high and 62cm/24 inches long. Please keep in mind that the baggage compartments on the light aircraft are only 25cm high, so the pilots must have the ability to manipulate the bag into the compartment. Note that laundry can be done on a daily basis at most camps and lodges.

Should you arrive with excess baggage without prior warning, your baggage could be delayed, as we may have to fly the baggage into camp at a later stage at considerable extra cost to you. However, should you notify us in advance that your baggage will exceed the limit; we may be able to assist you with alternative arrangements e.g. storage or purchase of additional luggage allowance.

For bookings including flights within Zambia & Mozambique, please note luggage weight exceptions under destination information.

#### Lost Luggage

Lost luggage on international flights is a common problem facing travellers today. We suggest that you pack a small bag with your essentials, including any life sustaining medication, which can be carried with you as hand luggage. If travelling as a couple or family we suggest that you split your clothing between bags so that if one bag gets lost, you will have basic items on hand to see you through the first couple of days while we try and recover your lost baggage.

Please note that whilst we try our utmost to locate and re-unite you with your bags, that there may be charges involved in getting your bags to remote areas, which would be for your cost. Please remember to report the lost luggage to the airline as soon as you make the discovery - the airline will issue you with a Baggage Claim Form, which you will need in order for us to trace the bag.

#### Health and Dietary

Please note that you are travelling to a Malaria-risk area. Please consult your doctor for medical advice prior to travel.

Although usually safe to drink, we do not recommend that you drink the tap water. Filtered water is available at the camps and lodges.

The camps are isolated and generally have limited power supply and access to supplies. Please notify us in advance of any special dietary requirements, medical conditions and medical equipment you may need with you. Please carry critical medication in your hand luggage.

Yellow Fever Certificates - are only required if you have travelled to a Yellow Fever area as designated by the World Health Organisation. Please check with your Travel Clinic or doctor well in advance of your departure date.

#### **General Travel Information**

• There is no or limited electricity and cell phone coverage in the camps and lodges excluding major towns and cities. All camps do make provision for charging cameras and electronic devices.

• Please ensure that you do not pack any valuables, cameras, cash, laptops in your checked in luggage – these should be kept on your person at all times.

• Please notify us immediately of any changes to flight arrival and departure details as this affects onward transfer arrangements.

• Please note that most camps & lodges in Botswana do not have double beds. Twin beds are pushed together to make up a double room.

• Although every effort is made to adhere to schedules the company reserves the right and in fact is obliged to occasionally change routes and camps on safaris as dictated by changing conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

• By confirmation of the booking, you acknowledge that you have been made aware and accept that the tour carries inherent risks, and that you voluntarily assume all risks which are associated with the tour. You will be required to sign indemnities at the various camps, lodges and service providers, and abide by their operators code of conduct in order to ensure your safety.

• If you have any cause for complaint while travelling, you should immediately bring it to the attention of the camp manager and / or our Maun office that will attempt to resolve the situation immediately.

• Do not remove any animal artefacts, flora or fauna from any of the areas you visit, as there are strict international regulations on the export of such items.

Please refer to the Safari Information for further details on preparing for your safari.



#### Visa

Some visitors need to apply for visas before arrival please check with your Embassy. For more information on visas please visit the following address: Botswana Government - Visa Requirements

#### **BORDER CROSSINGS**

#### Currency

The currency of Botswana is the Pula (BWP). US\$ Dollar notes (2007 Series onwards), and Visa and MasterCard are accepted.

#### Internal Flights and Transfers

Due to the remote areas the camps and lodges are based in, transfers between camps may take place by boat, mokoro, game drive vehicle or light aircraft.

#### Flight times around Botswana | Approximate flying times

Flight duration times (as listed below), are to be used as an average guideline. They are based on actual flying time, and passengers may have various stops en-route to a destination affecting the total travel time. Your pilot will brief you of your flight route and duration during the safety briefing. Maun - Delta: 15 to 30 minutes

Delta – Delta: 10 to 20 minutes Delta – Linyanti: 30 to 40 minutes Maun – Linyanti: 50 to 60 minutes Linyanti - Kasane: 40 to 60 minutes Maun/Delta - Kasane: 60 to 80 minutes Maun - Makgadikgadi/Desert: 40 to 60 minutes

#### **Departure Taxes**

Departure taxes are included in ticket prices.