

Optional trip extension



Botswana Maun

4-Day Okavango Delta & Boteti River Tented Safari

2025 June 12 - 15

This post-tour is a feast for the eyes and a majestic celebration of wildlife and nature! Join us for 4 unforgettable days, based on the banks of the Boteti River with activities at Okavango Delta and Moremi Game Reserve.

What's included?

- Pick up and transfer to and from Maun Airport
- Luxurious Safari Tented Accommodation
- Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner (Special dietary requirements catered for on request)
- Picnic snacks
- Full day Mokoro Safari and game walk in the Okavango delta
- Full day open vehicle safari to Moremi/Khwai Game Reserves

For your convenience, airport transfers have been included in the rate. Pick up time may vary according to your schedule and must please be arranged prior.

Exclusions

- All flights
- Tips and Gratuities to guides / staff
- Bottled Water, Soft Drinks, Alcoholic Beverages
- Additional transfers other than listed

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Per Person DEPOSIT & PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Upon booking	\$ 150 non-refundable deposit
2025 January 20	\$ 400 payment
2025 March 20	Final Payment

Cost: \$1,190 per person dble-occ
\$1,500 solo

Flight not included: Maun, Botswana
RT. From Windhoek, Namibia,
Approximate \$430

CANCELLATION POLICY

- Refundable <less \$150 non-refundable deposit> if traveler cancels by or before 2025 Jan 20
- NO refunds after 2025 January 20 – full penalty applies
- All *A Wild Adventure* Terms & Conditions apply – see website
- Policy Subject to change per tour operator's conditions

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Itinerary

Day 1 : Day 1: Arrival and Visit to Xobe Village incl. Scenic Drive

You will be picked up at Maun airport where you will meet your ranger and guide before leaving on your 20-minute drive to your tented lodge situated on the banks of the Boteti River. After a brief check-in upon arriving at the lodge, you will be explained your safari activities over a refreshing complimentary drink.

Depending on your arrival time, you may have an opportunity for a quick lunch or a dip in the pool while exploring the lodge's natural surroundings before you leave on an amazing Scenic Drive including a visit to Xobe Village.

The scenic drive to Xobe Village presents a visual feast, with the changing light casting a warm glow over the terrain. Upon arrival, guests will be warmly welcomed with a short traditional dance performance, adding an authentic touch to the cultural experience. The visit to Xobe Village provides guests with a chance to explore traditional architecture and engage with local artisans. The opportunity to witness their craftsmanship and hear the stories behind their work adds depth to the experience.

After your Xobe Village visit, you will have some time to freshen up and then join us around the open fire. You can take in the magnificent scenery around you while enjoying a delicious and traditionally prepared meal and glass of wine, while listening to the calls of the night.

You will stay overnight in a luxury safari tent.

The lodge for your stay is situated on the banks of the Boteti River, a tributary originating in the core of the Okavango Delta. This important river maintains its flow throughout the dry season when most other river systems are dry – which means animals will always visit to drink water (or to hunt those who drink water). This remote location is situated away from all man-made distractions allowing one to truly submerge themselves into the splendour of pristine and untouched natural surroundings.

Large spanning decks are nestled and spread out between majestic acacia trees and the unmistakable Mogotse bush resembling the horns of a Gemsbok are customary to the lodge's ambience. You can enjoy unlimited access to the Boteti River either by simply enjoying a refreshing

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drink and viewing the hippo, crocodiles or abundant birdlife from the deck, OR by a guided Mokoro (traditional dugout canoe) excursion OR motorboat cruise down the river. Although spread over a massive area, the lodge is small and intimate allowing for a personalized experience for all guests and enhanced by skilled staff to attend to your every need.

A variety of additional activities are offered from the Lodge. These will include additional Mokoro Safaris, scenic flights over the Okavango Delta and full day game drives in Moremi or Khwai Reserve areas.



Day 2: Full Day Mokoro Safari – Okavango Delta

Wake up just after sunrise, with the crisp morning air filling your lungs. A fresh cup of coffee/tea and homemade biscuits await at the main deck area for you to enjoy. A delicious, packed breakfast will be supplied, as you will have an early morning departure on your full day mokoro safari in the Okavango Delta.

Your Mokoro safari will begin as you head out into the many reed channels of the Okavango Delta. Your guide will already have an update of any exciting or special sightings in the area. Most guides are from the Bayei tribal people who many believe to be the first inhabitants of the Okavango Delta, “people of the Delta” so to speak. You will learn about all aspects of this magical inland oasis from the tiniest of creatures, beautiful reed frogs and big 5 mammal species along the water edge. Your guide will also interpret nature to you in a unique manner and show you traditional and medicinal uses of wild plants in the Delta.

A stop will be made on one of the many islands to enjoy your packed lunch before heading on a nature walk to discover more of this abundant ecosystem. After some relaxing time, you will continue your adventure exploring more of these unlimited channels and choosing to stop at any other islands as you may please. Returning at 16:00pm.

After returning to the lodge, you will have some time to freshen up before dinner.

Dinner will be served under the stars in the open Boma.

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Day 3: Full Day Game Drive in Moremi / Khwai Reserves

Wake up just after sunrise, with the crisp morning air filling your lungs. A fresh cup of coffee/tea and homemade biscuits await at the main deck area for you to enjoy. A delicious, packed breakfast will be supplied, as you will have an early morning departure on your full day safari game in Moremi / Khwai Reserves.

Moremi is the home to 500 species of bird (from water birds to forest dwellers), and a vast array of other species of wildlife, including buffalo, giraffe, lion, leopard, cheetah, hyaena, jackal, impala, and red lechwe and African Wild dog.

Experience this in an open game vehicle specially converted, allowing one to absorb and experience sighting with all your senses when up and close to wildlife. Your experienced game ranger will teach you about all aspects of nature and interpret wildlife behavior to you in a unique way. He will also receive updates from other rangers in the area determining animal movements.

A packed lunch will be served in style by your guide at one of the beautiful rest camps along the way.

You should return to the lodge by about 16:00pm. Return time could be delayed depending on the roads, time of year and sightings.

After returning to the lodge, you will have some time to freshen up and take in the marvelous sunset overlooking the Boteti River from our deck.

Dinner will be served under the stars in the open Boma.

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Day 4: Morning Relaxation and Departure

Enjoy a scrumptious breakfast in a more relaxed fashion this morning, taking in the breathtaking surroundings one last time before you prepare for checkout and transfer to Maun. The friendly lodge staff will bid you farewell before a transfer back to Maun airport or your choice of drop off point within Maun.

This is the end of your tour.

What do I need to bring?

- Hat and sunscreen
- Mosquito / Bug repellent
- Warm jacket for early morning game drives
- A good camera, there will be excellent photo opportunities!
- Cash for guides and driver tipping (optional, and to own discretion)
- Light layered casual clothing for daytime.
- Comfortable walking shoes
- Swimwear in summer
- Bottled water
- Prescription / chronic medication if applicable)

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