



OKAVANGO AND CHOBE LODGE SPECIALS

Experience the best of Chobe and the Okavango Delta with Moremi Crossings and Chobe Bakwena. Starting Maun Ending Kasane or vice versa.



2 Nights Moremi Crossings + 2 Nights Bakwena Lodge:

April 2024:

USD3030.00 per person sharing. (Single Supplement USD3370.00)

May-June 2024:

USD3200.00.00 per person sharing. (Single Supplement USD3620.00)

July-Oct 2024:

USD3530.00 per person sharing. (Single Supplement USD4530.00)

01 – 14 November 2024:

USD3030.00 per person sharing. (Single Supplement USD3370.00)

3 Nights Moremi Crossings + 3 Nights Bakwena Lodge

April 2024:

USD4150.00 per person sharing. (Single Supplement USD4660.00)

May-June 2024:

USD4390.00 per person sharing. (Single Supplement USD5030.00)

July-Oct 2024:

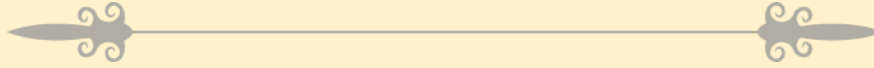
USD4800.00 per person sharing. (Single Supplement USD6400.00)

01 – 14 November 2024:

USD4150.00 per person sharing. (Single Supplement USD4660.00)



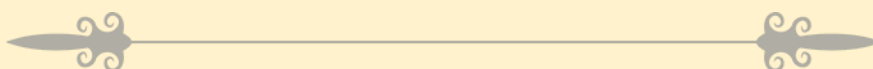
Experience Botswana's Okavango Delta with Moremi Crossings.



Moremi Crossing

Starting from Maun, you will meet with your pilot before departing on a stunning 25 minute-chartered flight into the Okavango Delta and to Moremi Crossings. Located near the most southern part of Chief's Island, Moremi Crossing is situated on a small palm fringed and treed island called Ntswi which is surrounded by the Moremi's game-rich seasonal floodplains. Moremi Crossing is a short scenic 20-minute flight from Maun. As you fly over the Delta you can see the intricate twisting and turning of the waterways and the ever-changing colours where dry land meets Delta. In contrast to the northern Okavango Delta where the waters are fast-flowing and the channels and view is enclosed by high reeds and papyrus, the channels around Moremi Crossing offer far reaching vistas of the Moremi's floodplain, grasslands and marginal woodlands interspersed with Mokolwane palm islands.

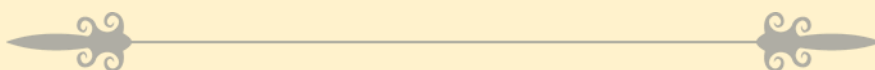
The central dining area houses a large open plan deck that has spectacular views over the Boro River onto Chief's Island. This half-moon shaped area is built on different levels to give a spacious feel. The dining room, bar and lounge is covered by a large, thatched roof that hugs the ancient riverene tree line. The whole camp is shaded by magnificent Llala Palms, Giant Ebony, Mangosteen, Sausage and Giant Fig trees.





Accommodation

Accommodation consists of 16 en-suite and spacious tents on raised decks, each with their own veranda overlooking Chief's Island. Tents have their own eco-friendly outdoor shower heated by solar power. We have both a Family Tent sleeping four (2 adults and 2 children) and a Honeymoon Tent with an outdoor bath.





Activities and Wildlife

Time slows down at Moremi Crossing, whilst on foot or silently moving through the Delta's waterways on mokoro, in search of game. Through the provision of high-quality guiding services and custom-made boats, Moremi Crossing offers a more personalized wildlife experience.

Become part of the bustling river life along the papyrus clad banks of the Okavango Delta. Explore the wilderness with our game drives, guided bush walks, or sit back and absorb the scenery from a traditional 'mokoro' canoe. Another great way to explore the crystal-clear channels of the Boro River is by motorboat. Watch the sun set while drifting along a lagoon and sipping on sundowners. For the adventurous, we also offer a rustic island camping experience. Game drives will be available only when water levels are low. There will be no game drives when water levels are high as areas of the concession become inaccessible. Mokoros, boat cruises & fishing are also water level dependent.



Since this area normally receives floods last it contains some of the closest dry season watering points for the game that spreads out towards Nxai and Makgadikgadi Pans during the rains. Around this, there is a high density of game in the dry season but since quite a lot of the reserve is mopane woodlands (a favourite location for animals during the rains and early dry season) good game viewing is expected all year round.



This river system attracts a wide variety of game. Familiar favourites include Elephant, Buffalo, Giraffe, Kudu, Impala, Tsessebe, Hippo, Crocodile, Genet, Honey Badger and a host of Plains Game. Rare Antelope breeds including Roan, Sable & Eland, not normally seen in the Okavango region, occur here. As the Gomoti is the main water source in the area, Lion, Leopard, Cheetah and Wild Dog come down to the riverside to drink and hunt, of course!



The locations and views are spectacular with the classic flooding of the Okavango across the adjacent seasonal floodplains. For those keen on birdwatching, the combination of the wetlands and the drier Acacia and Mopane veldt provide a perfect habitat for a variety of aquatic species including Open Billed Storks, Hammerkops, Egrets, Ibis and forest/savannah dwellers including Raptors, Shrikes, Drongos, Sunbirds, Ground Hornbills and so on.





Facilities

The main building consists of a large open plan deck that has a spectacular view over the Boro River onto Chief's Island. This crescent-shaped area is built on different levels to give you the feeling of space. The dining room, bar and lounge are covered by a large, thatched roof that hugs the tree line. Various small private lounge areas have been created for comfort, privacy and spaciousness.





Inclusions at Moremi Crossings.

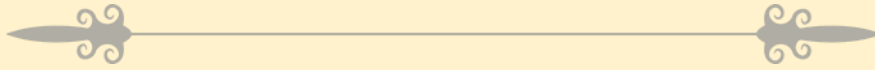
- Accommodation with all meals and beverages, (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) as well as daily laundry. Alcoholic beverages comprise of South African wines and spirits.
- All game viewing activities possible with the season
- Emergency medical evacuation cover (all guests must have their own travel and health insurance)
- Meet & greet at Maun airport
- There is no wifi, cell phone signal, in-room hair dryers, nor in-room air conditioning, in the camp.

Luggage limited to 20kg per person in small soft bags, inclusive of hand luggage. Body weight limited to 100 kg per person. An extra seat needs to be purchased if body or luggage weights are over the limit.





Experience the best of Chobe National Park
With Chobe Bakwena lodge



The Lodge

Another chartered flight from the Okavango will take you to Chobe Bakwena Lodge. Bakwena is an eco-luxury retreat on the banks of the Chobe River, located in the friendly town of Kasane right next to Chobe National Park, ideally positioned for the place where Zambia, Zimbabwe, Namibia, and Botswana meet. This is where you want to go to for a truly heart-warming Botswana safari. The lodge is an oasis with excellent food (you will never forget their home-made bread), comfortable rooms, cosy nooks, and stunning views. But there is more: owners Jenny and Adam Young are deeply committed to responsible tourism and sharing their 'sanctuary' – as they like to call it – in the purest possible way. Bakwena Lodge is the only lodge on the Chobe River that was constructed according to eco-principles, with locally sourced materials and without any harmful chemicals. When in your room, pay extra attention to the carefully hand-selected furniture, all sourced from local craftsmen and vintage stores.

Even the curtains are fair trade; they come from Madagascar to create employment there and are made from local cotton. Come here to immerse yourself in local culture and enjoy a natural safari in a responsible lodge, oozing with African authenticity.



Bakwena Lodge comprises ten rondavel style chalets, two of which are family units. All situated under the shady canopy of Acacia trees, each site has been selected for its river view and is surrounded by indigenous riverine bush. As mentioned before, the chalets are built according to both ecological and traditional African principles. The chalets boast a laid-back kind of luxury, which immediately unwinds your body and mind, especially after taking an outdoor shower under the African night sky: an absolute must-do. Each chalet has an interior bathroom opening on to an outside garden with an outside shower. Built-in daybeds offer ample opportunity to absorb the changing moods of the Chobe, take in an amazing sunset – with the biggest orange glowing ball you have ever seen – or peek at wildlife seeking refreshment in the river. Once settled in, the staff will be more than happy to guide you to the main area where you will find a lounge, restaurant – serving African fusion dishes inspired by traditional Setswana cuisine -, a Rain Tree Bar overlooking the river, and an inviting swimming pool where you can take a plunge. Also, do not skip the gift shop, one of the most thoughtfully stocked in Chobe



Activities

Chobe is home to Africa's largest elephant population. Every day, these magnificent pachyderms migrate from their foraging grounds in the Teak forests to the mighty Chobe to quench their thirst. A game drive in the early morning offers the best opportunities to spot some of the sheer big cats (and don't worry, you will get up without grumbling with so much natural beauty awaiting you), while an afternoon boat cruise is still one of the most serene ways to gaze at wildlife. Watch elephants romping and rolling in the water or hippos showing off their pink bellies. Besides drives and cruises, walking and biking (!) tours to the village are offered. Or, for the more adventurous, go on a walking safari in the nearby Lesoma valley or the surrounding forest reserves. To spot some impressive trees, venture out to Impalila Island and stand in awe before towering baobabs trees.





Bakwena Includes:

- Activities • All Meals • wine, beer, cider, soft drinks, water
- Laundry • Accommodation • Government taxes, park fees, tourism levies and Chobe National Park fees

Bakwena Excludes:

- Visa costs • Spirits, premium whiskeys, and premium wines • Travel Insurance
- Items of personal nature

