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Self drive or
Guided trip

Namibia Farm Country Style Tour



Day 1 Receive your rented car at the International Airport " Hosea Kutako " near Windhoek. Another option is to meet your personal Namibian tour guide at the airport. Follow the B6 road sign from the airport to Windhoek, for about 20km, turn left on the road Nr C23 and continue on this road until you reach Dordabis. Here the tar road becomes a gravel road, follow the C15 road sign **KIRIPOTIB. Dinner bed & breakfast.** You will drive through the beautiful Kalahari landscape, passing grasslands and camel thorn trees. Watch out for Game, like springbuck, oryx and perhaps some shy kudus. In Total: 60 km journey. Optional : a cheetah feed, observing stars and a game drive.

Day 2 Today you follow road C15 to the south. Don't forget to order a lunch packet in the evening prior to your departure. On the way in Uhlenhorst, Stampriet and also in Gochas shops sell cool drinks. You can enjoy a picnic in the landscape of the Kalahari. The approx 5 hour journey will be rewarded by the changing landscapes in the Kalahari. The Kalahari is however not a desert , but only similar to desert conditions as there is no water on the surface. An average of up to 350 mm rainfall per year are no conditions for a true desert. Relax at the pool of **KALAHARI Game Lodge** near Twee Rivieren. **Dinner bed & breakfast.** Total of journey: about 388 km.

2 nights stay - here you may drive yourself.

Optional: night game drive, lion tracking, scenic drive or sundowner drive or (only when prebooked) guided day drive Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park with a sanpark officer on South African side – please don't forget to take your passport along.

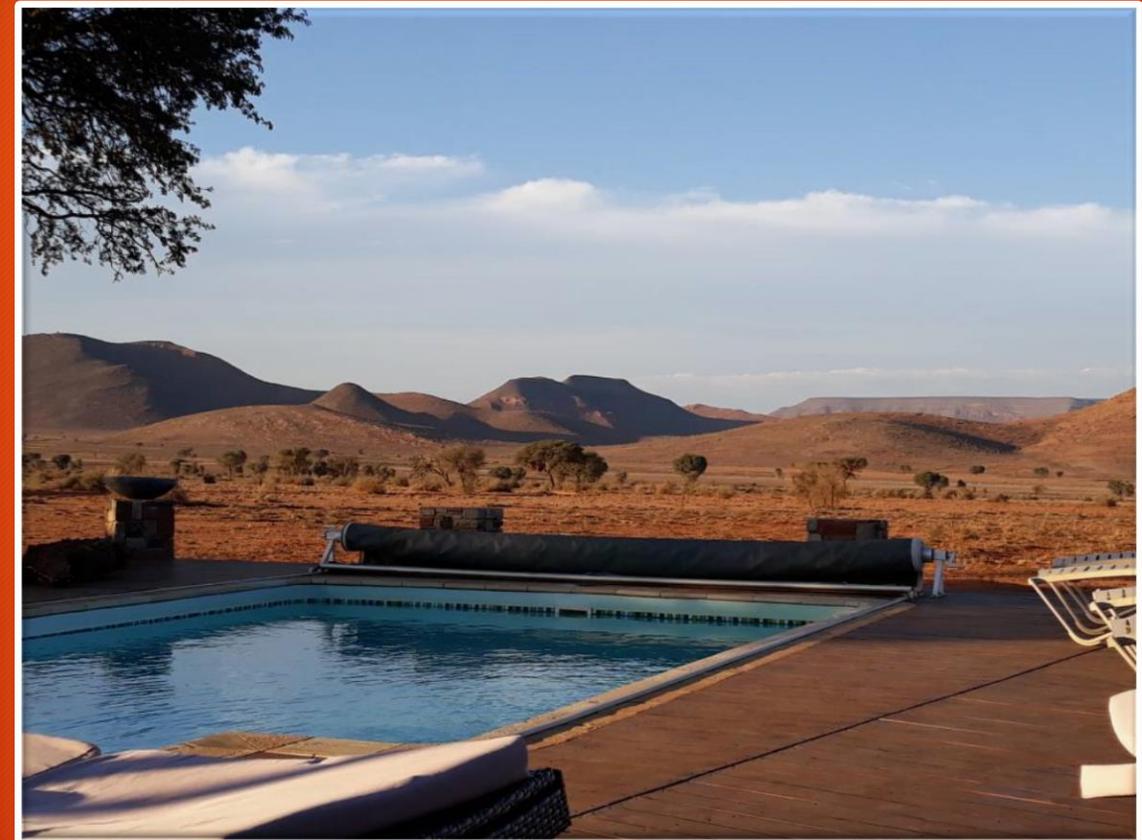
Day 4 You may count, you will drive over 64 dunes – just beautiful !. - From Khois onwards you will see only the vastness and no horizon anymore. Take a short walk through the quiver tree forest and the playground of the “Giants” at Keetmanshoop. Bookings must be made at the Quivertree Rest Camp where light lunches are also offered. From Keetmanshoop you follow the road sign B4, turn off to the south and continue on road D 545. Follow the road signs to the Canyon **ROADHOUSE**. Dinner bed and breakfast. (approximately 400km travel) 2 overnight s. The history of this country and that of the Private Gondwana Nature reserve can be found in an exhibition room at the visitor’s centre. Day trips to the Fish Canyon River can be undertaken.

Day 6 You visit the **DABIS sheep farm**. Family Gaugler will welcome you. Enjoy the journey through breath taking majestic sceneries. View the little village Helmeringhausen , it is a must. Electrical power has only become available recently, a short while ago a hand pump was used to fill up with petrol. Family Gaugler is very hospitable and friendly, don’t be shy to ask questions. Basis dinner bed and breakfast. (Total of journey : 306km) Alternative accommodation however is „**ALTE KALKÖFEN Lodge**“ on the route. Here the personal contact with the friendly farmers is a pleasure in this empty and dry landscape. **Dinner bed and breakfast.** Optional : extend your stay and attach a day trip to Lüderitz.

Day 7 Take the road north on the road C14, after about 20 km turn off on to C 831. Visit the castle DUWISIB. Take the road via Betta road C27 to the north, through the Namib Rand Nature Reserve; then you turn right on to D 845 . After 14 km on your left you will find **LITTLE SOSSUS Lodge**. **Dinner bed and breakfast.** (Total of journey : 226km)

Day 8 The meaning of ‘Sossus’ in the Nama language is ‘pan’. ‘Vlei’ in the Afrikaans language means moor or wetland. In the rainy season the pan contains water and becomes swamp like. Today you will see the highest “moving “ Dunes situated around the Sossusvlei. Big Mamma is 330m high and Big Daddy is 350m high. The travel time into the Sossusvlei area is about 1,5 h. The gates open at sun rise . Make enquiries at the Little Sossus Lodge at what time that will be. Optional here is a hot air balloon trip early in the morning. From Sossusvlei to your next overnight stay on the guest farm **ABABIS** will take about 2 hrs. **Dinner bed and breakfast.** Optional on farm: sundowner drive.

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Day 9 Popular and possible with the guided trip: guests to fly this route while tour guide follows by car.

The condition of the road C14 to Swakopmund is rather problematic and cumbersome. It is of the utmost importance to travel slowly and carefully on this road. At your previous accommodation you can order lunch packets, or you can take a snack at the well known bakery in Solitair.

Here you should refill your petrol tank and also see that you have enough water reserves. On the way to Walvis Bay you will cross some dry river beds, the Gaub and the Kuiseb river. Both these dry rivers (only have water in the rainy season) provide sweet water to the coastal towns.

You also cross the tropic of Capricorn, this time from south to north. A visit to the Walvis Bay Lagoon is always worthwhile. There you can observe flamingos und pelicans. Thereafter you take the road north along the coast for 40 km to Swakopmund, the most southern “ North Sea bath” a popular holiday resort to the Namibian from the inland in the hottest month December and January .

Here you stay at **MEIKes Guesthouse. Bed and breakfast service.** (Total of gravel road : 274km).

We can make a reservation for you at a restaurant of your choice.” The Tug” , the “Brauhaus “ in town or at the “ Blue Grass “ (at the mall, Platz am Meer).
2 overnights in Swakopmund.

Day 10

We suggest : a half day Catamaran cruise in the harbour of Walvis Bay or a half day desert trip with a tour guide or both trips combined. Scenic flights over Swakopmund and to nearby areas and further away like the Namib desert, or Sossusvlei and Skeleton Coast Park. Quadbikes, rides on Camel, horse riding can be organised.

Please communicate your wishes to us before the time to avoid disappointments re bookings, as there is a great demand due to popularity.

You can however also just enjoy the fresh sea breeze of the Atlantic Ocean, the beach promenade, the restaurants, the coffee shops, the souvenir shops, kiosks and shopping malls with its quaint arcades.

Day 11 Today you will reach **OMANDUMBA** Bush Camp in the Erongo mountains. You pass the Spitzkoppe, but however a stop there will be worthwhile. Harald and Deike Rust owners of Omandumba will gladly meet you there. A hike in the afternoon on the marked trail will have lasting memories. **Dinner bed and breakfast.** (Total of journey on gravel road : 178km / about 270km including visit to the Spitzkoppe)

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Please note
your preferences, CHANGES in the itinerary are POSSIBLE before you do the final reservation.

Shortening of itinerary is also possible, let us know your wishes.

On this tour you may omit some places or change the following for other options.

- DABIS / ALTE KALKÖFEN Lodge
- if you book 2 nights at Dabis/AKL an excursion to the ghost town of Kolmanskuppe, Lüderitz can be done
- Accommodation at LITTLE SOSSUS or BÜLLSPORT Guest Farm is available. If you would like, the Namib Naukluft Trail permits horse riding and hiking.

Or

- If you are more interested in the geography of the country instead of the wildlife in the Etosha Game Reserve, then a visit at the private guest farm GELUKSPOORT would be a recommendation. Afternoon cruises on the farm and a possible day trip to the Damaraland, to view the Vingerklippe, the petrified forest, the organ pipes and Bushmen paintings and engravings at Twyfelfontein.
- Accommodation in Windhoek with sightseeing tours are also an option.
- Direct flight to the Victoria Falls from Windhoek/Fly-in safari Okavango Delta.

All mentioned optional / possible activities and visits are to be booked and paid separately. Please let us know if you are interested to book those, to be able to make the reservation to avoid disappointment.

Exact price information requires the following information:

Your name and address and ages of all travellers, desired travelling dates, participants staying in dbl/sgl/family rooms.

Detailed price will be in Namibia Dollar – can be worked out according to daily exchange rates.

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