



10 day Best of Etosha Photographic Safari

Windhoek – Windhoek (Mobile)

From R17 500 pp sharing

Departures: Daily (best time to travel: September - January)

Etosha National Park is one of the largest wildlife and conservation areas in Namibia. The unique part of Etosha is the large dried pan area, situated in the middle of the park. This dried up lake tend to gather water in the rainy season and allows for spectacular views in Etosha. Etosha National Park has three main camp areas and we have chosen to make use of all three these camp areas. This will allow us to move around the park to enable us the best opportunity to view the wildlife Etosha has to offer. Our chosen destination is Halali. Halali is in the middle of the park and allows us easy access to the best waterholes in Etosha National Park.

The aim of these photographic safaris is to make use of our ample time to teach and discover the many hidden secrets of Wildlife Photography. The low impact safari travel allows us to familiarise ourselves with the animals in this region and we are able to set up for great photography.

Itinerary

Day 1, 2, 3: Windhoek – Etosha National Park - Namutoni

You will be met in Windhoek and transferred via a shuttle service to the Etosha National Park (a scenic charter flight can be arranged at an extra fee). Once all our guests have arrived we will transfer to our tented camp in Namutoni. This is a perfect evening for introductions and a briefing on what you can expect the next 9 days in the Etosha National Park. We will be making use of Namutoni as a base for the next two days and explore the waterholes in and around this beautiful part of the Etosha National Park.

Spend three night at Namutoni – Camping (BLD)

Day 4, 5, 6, 7: Etosha National Park - Halali

Halali is situated halfway between Okaukuejo and Namutoni. The advantage of Halali is that is well situated amongst popular waterholes and within some of the best lion territories in Etosha. This camp is quieter than the rest of the camps in Etosha and is a perfect venue to travel and explore the varieties of waterholes in the Etosha National Park. This will be our base for the next few days. The waterhole at Halali is perfectly positioned for practising our skills at night photography.

Spend four nights at Halali – Camping (BLD)

Day 8, 9: Etosha National Park - Okaukuejo

Our final visit will be Okaukuejo, the main camp of the Etosha National Park. Okaukuejo is situated on the drier part of the park and has a very popular waterhole that is known for much action at night. We have the chance to explore the less travelled part of Etosha with more opportunities to photograph this spectacular area.

Spend two nights at Okaukuejo – Camping (BLD)

Day 10: Etosha National Park - Windhoek (B)

After breakfast we say our final farewells, before you are transported back to Windhoek with a shuttle service. Our safari has come to an end.

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B - Breakfast, L - Lunch, D – Dinner included; * - Own meals

Rates:

From R17 500 per person sharing

Single supplement: from R1 400 per person

Included



Return road transfers from Windhoek; all meals as indicated; 4x4 safari vehicle and guide; professional photographer; all camping fees; park fees, entrance fees, conservation fees; all game drives; 2 man dome tents, stretcher beds, mattresses; supplied; library on relevant books of the Etosha National Park

Excluded

All flights; visas (if applicable); own drinks and meals not mentioned on the itinerary; optional night game drives to be arranged prior to departure; pre and post tour accommodation in Windhoek; guests are welcome to bring their own drinks to dinner, which can be purchased at the Park's shops; items of a personal nature; gratuities; personal and medical insurance

Important information

We need a minimum of 6 people to confirm a photographic safari

Camping in the Etosha National Park is subject to availability

You are welcome to upgrade to chalet accommodation at an additional cost (subject to availability)

We will do early morning until lunch, and late afternoon photographic game drives

We can assist with your flights and pre and post tour accommodation in Windhoek

Our terms and conditions apply

The aim of this photographic safari is the following:

Wildlife photography

Field of depth

Portraits

Macro photography

Night photography

Get to know your equipment

Suggested packing list

Binoculars; camera, lenses, chargers, batteries; bathing suits; beanies and warm jackets for evenings in winter; headlamp or torch; personal medical kit; cash for meals not catered; cards are accepted, but cash works better on safari