



African Extravaganza

Adventure Safari: Focus on Wildlife - Camping Safari

Windhoek – Okonjima - Etosha National Park – Windhoek

Short version of itinerary:

Day by day

Duration of safari:	7 days / 6 nights		
Departure:	Thursdays on specified dates		
No of participants:	4 - 12		
Day:	Destination / Establishment:	Meals included:	Excursions included:
1	Windhoek Okonjima <i>Overnight: Okonjima, Camping Site</i>	Dinner	08:30 Departure. Drive: Windhoek – Okonjima PM: Set up Camp and relax.
2	Okonjima Okonjima <i>Overnight: Okonjima, Camping Site</i>	Breakfast Dinner	AM: Activity: Endangered Species Game Drive PM: Activity: Game Drive at Okonjima at the campsite.
3	Okonjima Van Lindequist Gate, Etosha National Park Onguma <i>Overnight: Onguma Reserve, Camping Site</i>	Breakfast Dinner at camp	at the campsite Drive: Okonjima – Etosha National Park PM: Afternoon Game drive inside the Etosha National Park
4	Etosha National Park Onguma <i>Overnight: Onguma Resort, Camping Site</i>	Breakfast Dinner at camp	Early AM: Game-drive inside the Etosha National Park. Eastern side: Fischer’s Pan and Andoni Plains
5	Etosha National Park Okaukuejo Resort <i>Overnight: Okaukuejo Resort, Camping Site</i>	Breakfast Dinner at Camp	AM: Drive: Eastern Etosha - Okaukuejo Game-drive along the vast saltpan on route stops at waterholes
6	Etosha National Park Okaukuejo Resort <i>Overnight: Okaukuejo Resort, Camping Site</i>	Breakfast Dinner at Camp	Early AM: Game-drive inside the Etosha National Park. Central and Western side: Okondeka and Charl Marais Dam.
7	Etosha National Park	Breakfast	10:00: Drive Okaukuejo – Windhoek Arrival in Windhoek during PM
<u>End of Safari</u>			



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Tuesdays on specified dates

This camping safari is fully guided. All participants will be travelling in a 4x4 safari vehicle. Your guide is a qualified wildlife guide, who will also be driving the vehicle. Tents and kitchen will be set up for you at the various destinations. The preparation of meals / setting up tables will be done by our team. The spacious igloo tents are equipped with 2 stretchers, a camping mattresses, pillows, duvets and proper linen and a camping lamp with limited battery power.

All participants should bring their own towels and torch as well as their personal sanitary items.

Day 1: Windhoek – Okonjima

(app. 230 km tarred road – app. 3.5 hours driving time)

We will meet you at your establishment in Windhoek. Before leaving Windhoek, we will stop at one of the grocery shops, where you can buy some snacks / fruit / beverages for your journey.

Departure from Windhoek is scheduled at around 10:00. We drive northwards to Okonjima, home of the AfriCat Foundation, where we will pitch up our camp and relax. Dinner will be prepared at the campsite. Enjoy your first night in the African bush with stories around the fireplace.

Overnight with dinner and breakfast at Okonjima Camping Site.

Day 2: Okonjima - Etosha National Park

We have a full day at Okonjima. The ranch is well-known for their care and research of the African cheetah. During the early morning hours, we'll have a coffee / snack at the campsite and enjoy participate in a 3 hour drive in order to see some of the endangered species. Returning to the camp, we'll enjoy brunch and have some time at leisure. During the afternoon, we'll enjoy another game drive and hope to see leopard & cheetah. We'll visit the research centre and return to the camp.

Overnight with dinner and breakfast at Okonjima Camping Site.

Day 3: Okonjima - Etosha National Park

(app. 360 km tarred road – app. 4 hours driving time)

After breakfast at the camp, we pack and continue with our safari.

We head towards the Eastern side of the Etosha National Park. Except for the rainy season, Etosha's animals are depending on artificial waterholes and natural springs. Explore the various waterholes along this enormous saltpan. Encounter the big variety of wildlife in the Park during the course of your stay. More than 114 mammal species are resident in the park, several of them are rare and endangered like the black rhino and the black faced impala. You have a great chance of seeing some of the bigger mammals, like elephant and rhino and of course a highlight in any safari, the predators.

Overnight with dinner & breakfast at Onguma Camping Site.

Day 4: Etosha National Park

A full day in the Park lies ahead of us. We will explore the Eastern side with the Andoni Plains up North and the Fischer's Pan as our highlights. On some routes, we'll have a good view of the vast saltpan, which is called the "great white place of dry water" in a local language. In some years, after heavy rainfalls, thousands of flamingos come from the coast for breeding. The pan is also rich in minerals and offers a great nutritious supplement to all the animals. It attracts herds of antelopes and the predators that follow their prey.

Overnight with dinner & breakfast at Onguma Camping Site.

Day 6: Etosha National Park

Another full day in the Park lies ahead of us. Our route heads to the central parts and you will see, the landscape changes from Mopane thickets to open grasslands. Large herds of antelopes roam this habitat and we will be able to take a good view of the saltpan on route. We stop at various waterholes and will arrive at Okaukuejo during the course of the afternoon. We will spend some time at the waterhole at Okaukuejo, which is well known for its animal activity during the night. Our chances of seeing Elephant, Black Rhino, Lion and Hyena are quite high here during the course of the night.

Overnight with dinner & breakfast at Okaukuejo Camping Site. (or alternative)

Day 7: Etosha National Park

Early morning rise with a snack for breakfast and we will head to the more Western side of the park. The route leads us to the Charl Marais Dam and the nearby waterhole Ozonejuitji M'bari and during our return to the Okondeka plains at the fringes of the saltpan. Breakfast will be taken in form of a picnic today. Upon return to the camp site, you have time to relax and enjoy the swimming pool. At the end of the day we'll have one more game drive just before sunset.

Overnight with dinner & breakfast at Okaukuejo Camping Site. (or alternative)

Day 8: Etosha National Park - Windhoek

(app. 440 km tarred road – app. 5 hours driving time)

Before leaving the National Park we will make a small de-tour and get our last chance to see some animals we might have not seen yet during our journey. We exit the park and head straight to Windhoek. A break will be taken in Okahandja, where you might want to visit the wood crafters market.

End of Etosha Safari

Departure Dates 2023:

March 2023:	30th March
April 2023:	13th April, 27th April
May 2023:	04th May, 18th May
June 2023:	01st June, 15th June, 29th June
July 2023:	13th July, 27th July
August 2023:	10th August, 24th August
September 2023:	07th September, 21st September
October 2023:	05th October, 19th October
November 2023:	02nd November, 16th November, 30th November

Included:

Tour in a small group 4 – 12 passengers with a qualified and experienced English and/or German speaking safari guide in a 4x4 Gameviewer safari vehicle

Accommodation and meals: 7x camping in igloo tents on camping sites, 7x breakfast either at camp or as picnic & 7x dinner at camp.

Excursions: 2x game activities at Okonjima Ranch, all other excursions inside the Etosha National Park are conducted in the vehicle of African Extravaganza.

Extras: Parkentrance fees, portorage.

Excluded:

Any additional / optional excursions or activities, meals (lunch) not listed above, all beverages, tips, items of personal nature and personal insurances.