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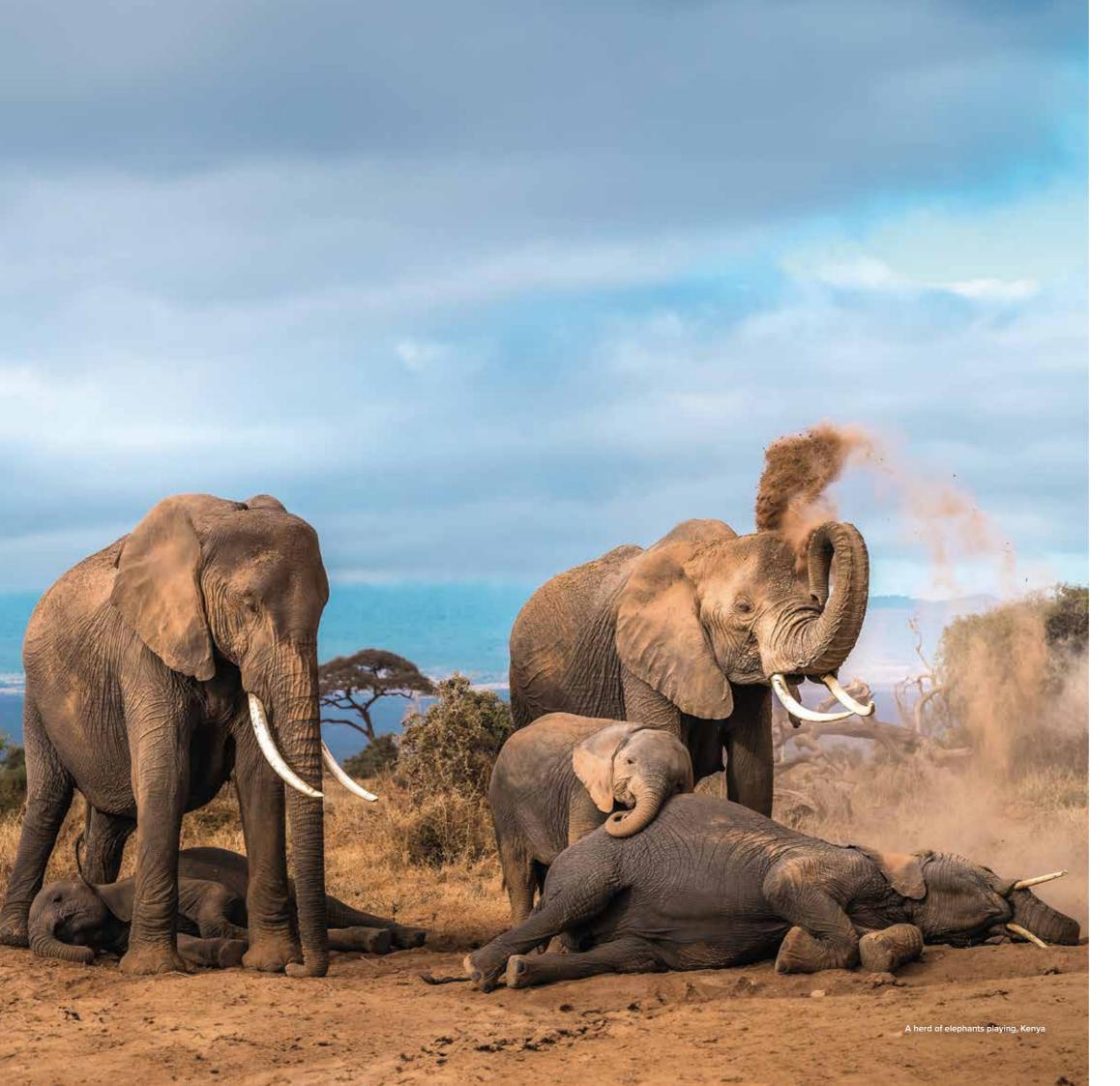


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Travelmarvel delivers premium journeys at exceptional value all over the world. Experience incredible destinations, iconic sights, hand-picked accommodation, and authentic local cuisine – all without paying for the extras you don't want or need.

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We know that one size doesn't fit all, so our itineraries are designed to provide the perfect balance between exploring all the iconic sights while still having plenty of leisure time to do your own thing.

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Travelling with like-minded people means you'll experience a more casual and relaxed atmosphere where fellow travellers quickly become new-found friends.

#### Flexible Bookings

Our flexible booking policies allow you to cancel and move your holiday to another time. Plus, you can secure your place for up to seven days without paying a deposit.

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Travelmarvel makes holidaying easy. Our travel experts can look after all aspects of your journey. There's 24/7 emergency support and we'll keep you updated on any travel requirements.

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Cape Town



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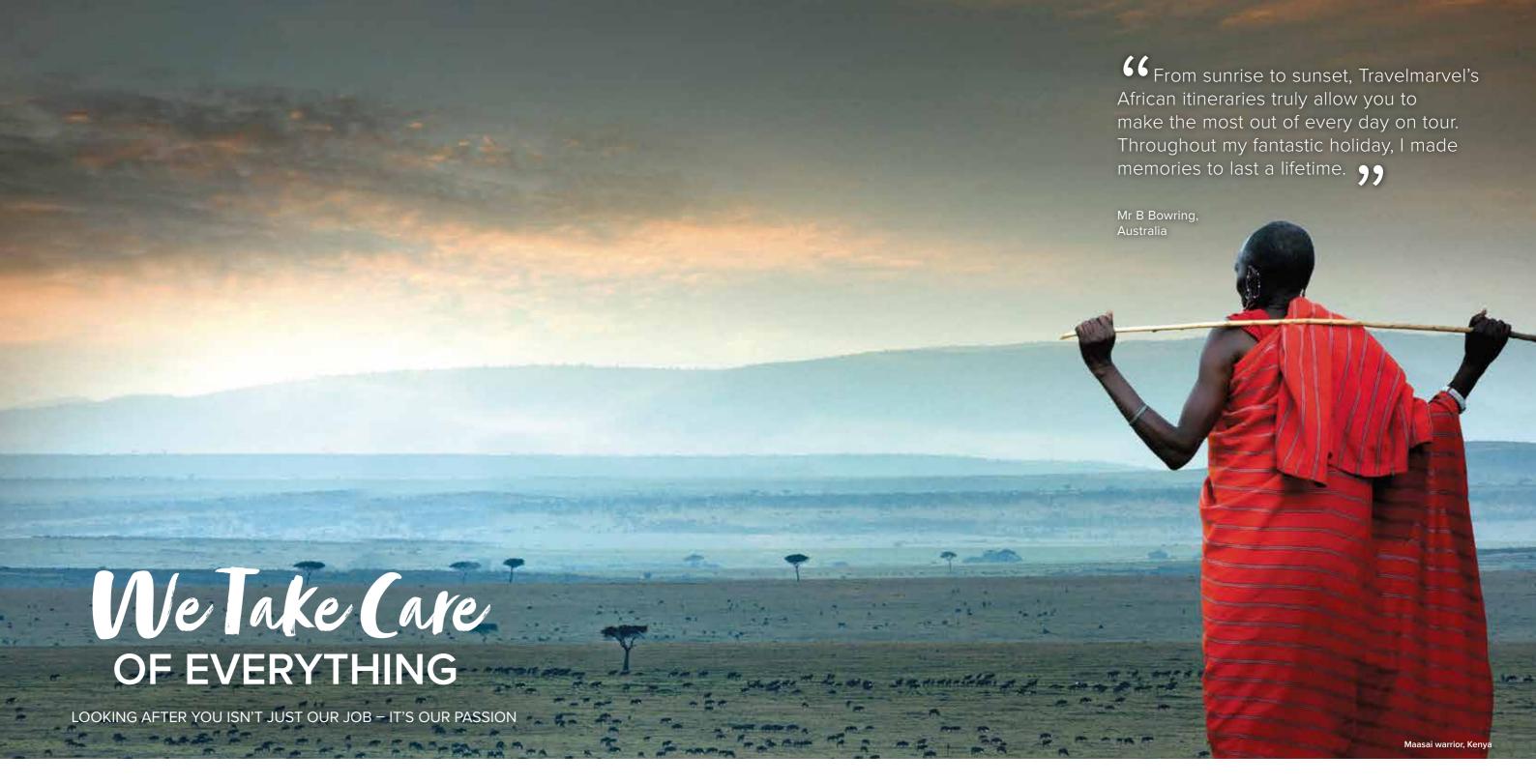
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At Travelmarvel, we know that great service is about going above and beyond, which is why our staff have a 98% satisfaction rating on average from our guests.

# YOUR FRIENDLY TOUR DIRECTOR & DRIVER

Our professional Tour Directors are English-speaking locals who offer superior knowledge and service. Providing an insider's perspective, they enable you to experience this wonderful region in safety and style. Our drivers also play a pivotal role in your holiday, transporting you safely and comfortably between the sights.

#### **EXPERTS IN AFRICA**

Our Africa specialist team has travelled extensively in order to create itineraries that exceed expectations. Our journeys shed new light on iconic attractions, steer away from the crowds to engage in local life, and provide incredible experiences.

#### PERFECTLY TAILORED ITINERARIES

We plan our itineraries to appeal to a wide range of travellers. You'll be given the time to enjoy more extended stays for a leisurely and in-depth local immersion. While an unprecedented number of iconic and unique experiences are included, we also allow ample free time so you can explore at your own pace too.

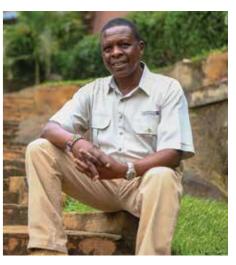
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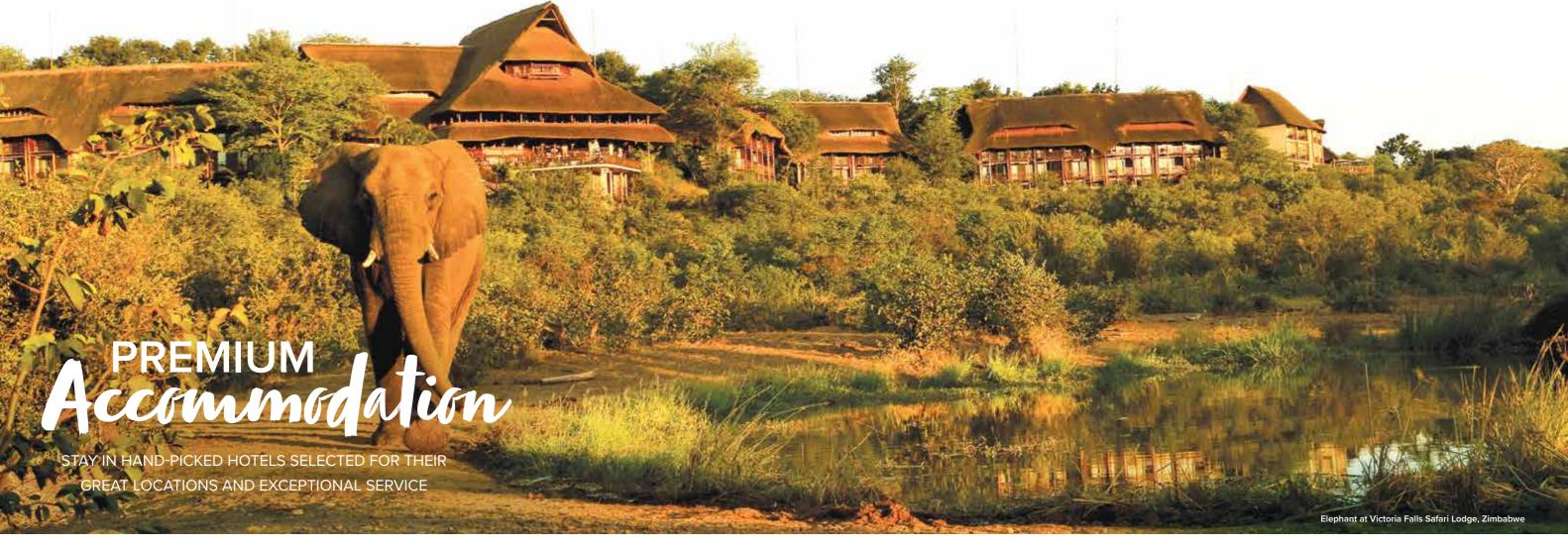
Joining you in many locations, our local English-speaking guides will provide you with an insider's look into their villages, customs and the impressive sights you'll see along the way. They will also offer advice as to how you might like to spend your leisure time, directing you to the best markets and eateries, or the most interesting places to explore.

#### Meet the crew

## Moses, Tour Director

"I decided to join the travel industry when I was a young boy after meeting tour drivers in Kenya's Meru National Park on a school trip. My favourite place I've visited is the sand dunes in Namibia and a touring highlight for me is a happy client at the end of the tour – happy client, happy Tour Director!"







With Travelmarvel, where you stay provides you with greater insight into your destination, allowing you to soak up the local ambience.

#### Victoria Falls Safari Lodge, Zimbabwe

Set on a plateau close to Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe, this sunset-facing property overlooks Zambezi National Park. Rooms and balconies face towards the bushveld and waterhole, which attract local wildlife. Guests can also enjoy the views from the restaurant, bar, fitness centre or pool.

#### Fig Tree Camp, Masai Mara, Kenya

After a day of exhilarating game drives, retreat to Fig Tree Camp. With beautifully furnished tented accommodation in Kenya's prime wildlife area, rejuvenate on the riverbanks of the Talek River.

## Chobe Bush Lodge,

### Chobe National Park, Botswana

Enjoy contemporary-style accommodation on the doorstep of Chobe National Park. With welcoming rooms and modern interiors reflecting the majestic surrounds, this is the perfect base to explore Botswana's wildlife-filled bush and river landscapes.





#### INSIDER EXPERIENCES ☆

In select locations, you'll stay in superior accommodation situated in Africa's most unique or spectacular settings.

#### Shishangeni Private Lodge, Kruger National Park, South Africa 💢

Shishangeni offers a unique and intimate stay in the heart of the South African bush. Unwind on your private game-viewing deck, relax by the pool, dine on a traditional boma dinner under the starlit sky, and enjoy intuitive hospitality.



Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge, Kenya

Begin and end your day listening to the hum of wildlife around you as you stay on the doorstep of Serengeti National Park. Sleep in a comfortable tent, equipped with an en suite, and enjoy delicious meals served in the central dining tent. Relax with a drink around the campfire before retiring for the night, where you'll drift off peacefully to the sounds of nature in the surrounding African bush.

# Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge, Kenya

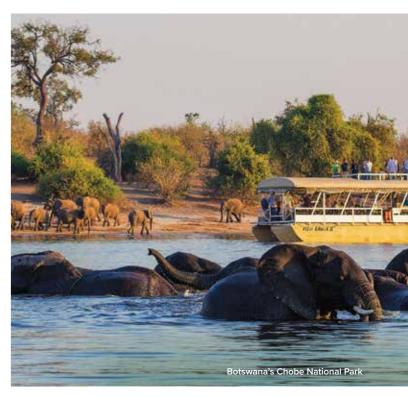
Situated on a spectacular range of hills that forms the western limits of Africa's Great Rift Valley, enjoy the beautiful surrounds and views of Lake Nakuru.

#### Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge, Amboseli National Park, Kenya

Set against the backdrop of Africa's highest mountain, mist-shrouded Mount Kilimanjaro, this homely lodge offers a superb position to embark on a safari.







Your Travelmarvel holiday covers the must-see sights, and also offers you a window into the lesser-known gems in each incredible destination with our specially selected Insider Experiences.

#### SIGHTSEEING HIGHLIGHTS

Every journey incorporates many included sightseeing experiences so you can enjoy all the highlights.

#### Cape Peninsula Tour, South Africa

Cut a path along Chapman's Peak Drive to Cape Point. See penguins up close at Boulders Beach and visit Simon's Town.

#### The Garden Route, South Africa

From Cape Town to Port Elizabeth, the winding Garden Route is a journey of natural wonder. See tranquil lagoons, white sandy beaches and a dazzling cover of natural flora, then stop to explore Featherbed Nature Reserve.

#### Victoria Falls Guided Walk, Zimbabwe

Feel the mist on your face and be prepared to get a little wet as you explore Victoria Falls. You'll get to wander right to the precipice with your local guide at the helm.

#### Maasai Village, Kenya

The colourful culture and lifestyle of the Maasai people come to life on a visit to a village in Amboseli National Park. Wander about the dried-mud huts and delight in the vibrant cultural dress.

#### Game-Viewing Cruise in Chobe National Park, Botswana

Follow the footsteps of Dr David Livingstone into one of Africa's most diverse national parks. The Chobe River is abundant with wildlife, and game viewing here is superb. By boat, you'll head deep into 'elephant country', watching for the large concentrations of herds that gather by the riverbanks. With approximately 120,000 elephants inhabiting the park, keep watch for these magnificent creatures.

#### INSIDER EXPERIENCES ☆

Travelmarvel also offers a range of included Insider Experiences – special or unique excursions and events. Look out for the star symbols in your itinerary.

#### Local School, Tanzania 🛣

Travel to the tiny village of Mto Wa Mbu to visit a local school. You'll meet the charming students and hear what their daily life is like. Travelmarvel and our OneTomorrow Charitable Fund have provided ongoing support to the school to aid in conservation and environmental education.

# Featherbed Nature Reserve, South Africa ☆

Travel by ferry to Featherbed Nature Reserve, a pristine slice of paradise on the Western Head of Knysna. Discover its lagoon, nature trails and beautiful surroundings

#### Garden Route Ostrich Farm, South Africa ☆

Get up close to these huge flightless birds and choose to feed them by hand.

# Monkeyland Primate Reserve, South Africa ∑√

Visit the world's first free-roaming, multi-species primate sanctuary and wander along the canopy walkway to see lemurs, gibbons and more. Learn about the reserve's primates and the challenges they face.







The highlights of your Travelmarvel Africa holiday extend beyond the game parks. Each day of your itinerary is guaranteed to offer up a new dish to indulge your tastebuds.

#### SAMPLE EXOTIC FLAVOURS

Africa's flavours are as diverse as its cultures. You'll dine on regional produce including Oudtshoorn's ostrich and fresh home-grown vegetables at Ngorongoro, and also experience culinary traditions such as Africa's famous outdoor boma dinners.

#### **EXPLORE THE LOCAL CUISINE**

You'll have ample opportunity to taste a variety of dishes from smoked crocodile tails to Zambezi bream, that are the result of Africa's fascinating melting pot of cultures. There is no better way to sample the region's flavours.

#### WE CATER FOR ALL TASTES

With a range of delicious meals on offer, there are plenty of options for those who prefer their fare a little less exotic, however no less flavoursome.

#### **SUNDOWNER DRINKS**

During some of your evening game drives, you'll pause to enjoy refreshing drinks and snacks amid arresting African landscapes before relishing a tantalising dinner back at camp.

#### INSIDER EXPERIENCES ☆

Our range of extra-special dining events and feature meals provides an authentic insight into the flavours of Africa throughout your journey. Experience the taste of each region at these delicious dinners, which are peppered throughout your stay. On the itinerary pages, look for the star symbols.

# Welcome Dinner, Cape Town, South Africa $\checkmark$

Try your hand at African drumming before you delve into the heart of South African culture with a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine, tasting many of the region's rich curries, pickled fish, sambals and more.

# Boma Dinner, Kruger National Park, South Africa ☆

Experience an authentic boma dinner amid Kruger National Park's incredible landscapes. Savour delicious game meat and fresh local vegetables cooked to perfection under the starlit sky.

#### Bush Dinner, Masai Mara, Kenya 🏠

Guaranteed to be a highlight of your stay in Kenya, this unique bush dinner in the Masai Mara will see you enjoy succulent meats and aromatic spices under the starry sky.



# Salari Salari

#### AS THE SUN RISES

The thrill of seeing Africa's wildlife up close will have you bounding out of bed. Settle in with a cup of tea or coffee as you watch the sun rise over the misty savannah. The animals are just beginning to wake, so it's the perfect time to head out and observe them in action.

#### YOUR FIRST GAME DRIVE FOR THE DAY

Excitement builds as you clamber aboard 4WDs. Your game driver/tracker will lead you through a range of habitats, from dusty dirt roads to tangles of grassy bushland, tranquil rivers and acacia-rich plains. Follow paw prints and animal calls in search of the elusive Big Five – the lion, leopard, black rhinoceros, African bush elephant, and African buffalo – plus more.

#### TIME FOR A BREAK

Return to your lodge and indulge in a safari breakfast buffet with all the trimmings, before a relaxing morning enjoying the facilities of your lodge. Take a dip in the pool, melt into a sun lounger with a good book or look out for sneaky wildlife like giraffes, elephants and zebras that may wander off course and close to the lodge.

#### FOOD, GLORIOUS FOOD

Lunch is served followed by some more free time. You may be in the middle of the African bush, but there's certainly no shortage of culinary wonders. There's always time for some refreshments in preparation for your next exhilarating game drive.

#### THE GAME-SPOTTING FUN CONTINUES

The landscapes come alive just before sunset and you have a front-row seat to nature at its most magical. Charge along beside crocodile-inhabited rivers and slow down through the sweeping plains. Will you lock eyes with a lion, staring you down between the tall strands of grass? Or spy giraffes swaying their lengthy limbs back and forth? Raise a glass to your day of wildlife encounters with sundowner drinks as you take in the sunset.

#### WHEN THE STARS REPLACE THE SUN

After dinner back at your lodge, relax around the campfire with a nightcap. As you gaze up at the clear night sky that glitters with bright stars, you can only imagine what awaits you on safari tomorrow.

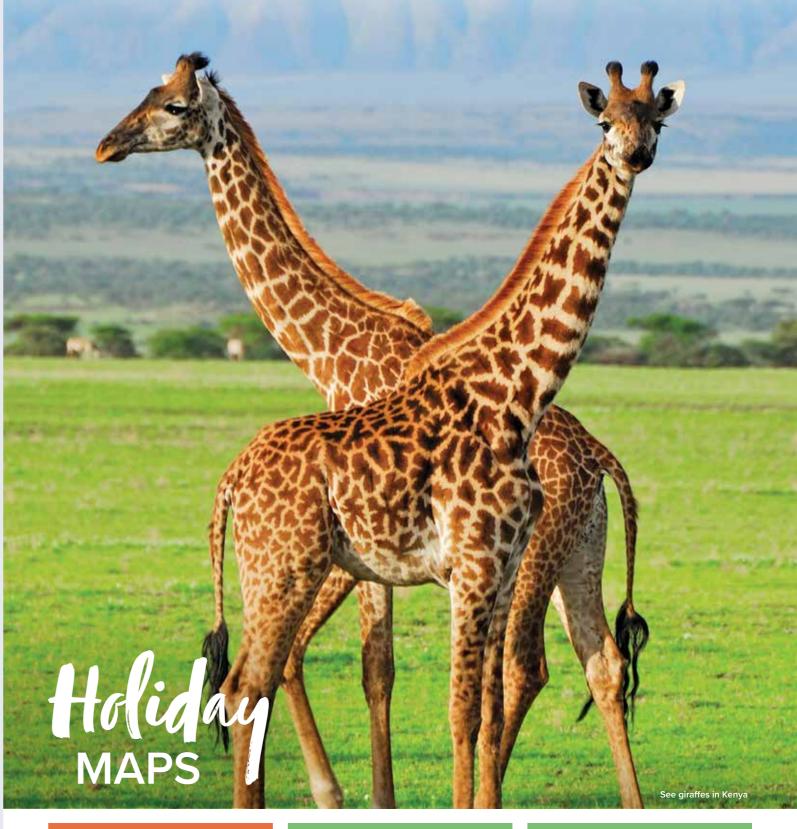




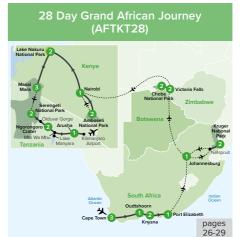
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# SAVE # \$1,000 PER COUPLE\*

Save up to \$500 per person when booking a Cape Town to Chobe Adventure or Kenya & Tanzania Adventure.

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Save up to \$1,000 per person when booking a Grand African Journey.

THE OFFER ABOVE CAN BE COMBINED WITH THE FOLLOWING OFFERS:

# EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT OF

UP \$600\* PER COUPLE

Book an African holiday and pay in full 10 months prior to departure and you will receive the following savings:

- Escorted tours of 28 days, save \$300 per person.
- Escorted tours of 14-15 days, save \$200 per person.

# TRAVEL WITH FRIENDS & SAVE TO \$600\* PER COUPLE

When six or more people book together on an African holiday, receive the following savings:

- Escorted tours of 28 days, save \$300 per person.
- Escorted tours of 14-15 days, save \$150 per person.

\*Conditions apply. ALL OFFERS: All pricing and amounts are in Australian Dollars. Information correct as at 28 June 2024. A limited number of Earlybird offers are available until sold out and are subject to availability, cannot be combined unless specified, available on new bookings only and may be withdrawn at any time. Discounts are available based on the duration of the escorted tour and not including pre or post nights. The 'Best Price' amounts shown throughout the brochure are inclusive of Early Payment Discount, as well as any other applicable Earlybird Savings, until they have expired or sold out. SAVE UP TO \$2,600\* per couple: Saving combines \$2,000 per couple Earlybird Saving, plus an Early Payment Discount of \$600 per couple, available on AFTKT28. SAVE UP TO \$1,400\* per couple: Saving combines \$1,000 per couple Earlybird Saving, plus an Early Payment Discount

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# Southern Africa

Home to striking coastal surrounds and thrilling game parks, Southern Africa presents nature at its finest.

From wild game reserves and thundering falls to the stunning coastal Garden Route, Southern Africa's diversity is simply astounding.

# CAPTIVATING CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA

A collision of culture, creativity and natural spectacles, Cape Town is unlike anywhere else on Earth. Explore the city, a cultural melting pot, where art and design are highly regarded. Gaze at the iconic flat-topped Table Mountain, which dominates the city's skyline.

# KRUGER NATIONAL PARK, SOUTH AFRICA

Experience incredible wildlifewatching at one of South Africa's greatest game parks. Go in search of the famous Big Five and more on thrilling 4WD game drives.

# MIGHTY VICTORIA FALLS, ZIMBABWE

Victoria Falls is justifiably one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World. Described as 'the smoke that thunders', you'll be awed by the huge plumes of roaring spray that rise upwards from the canyon below.

# CHOBE NATIONAL PARK, BOTSWANA

Chobe National Park's diverse habitats nurture all manner of wildlife, though the region is best known for its large elephant herds. The park's waters attract thirsty game and hungry predators — making for a fascinating snapshot of life in the wild.

#### CAPE PENINSULA, SOUTH AFRICA

Discover the breathtaking Cape
Peninsula as you embark on a
full-day scenic journey. Admire
views along Chapman's Peak Drive
to Cape Point, which forms part of
Table Mountain National Park. Here,
the point is home to bays, beaches
and rolling green hills. You will also
enjoy a memorable wildlife encounter
with penguins at Boulders Beach.
Then, delve into the maritime history
of Simon's Town.

# THE GARDEN ROUTE, SOUTH AFRICA

Hugging the curves of South Africa's southern coast, the Garden Route takes its name from the stunning and ecologically diverse vegetation that typifies the coast. Travel through grasslands, forests and mountainous regions, exploring the lagoons, lakes and rivers that dot the coast.

#### **AFRICAN ADVENTURES**

On an adventure here with Travelmarvel, you'll enjoy travelling with escorted touring experts, while still being free to revel in the magic of Africa at your own pace.

# Cape Town to Chobe Adventure

### Cape Town to Kasane 15 Days

#### **INSIDER EXPERIENCES**

- Try your hand at African drumming before indulging in a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine
- Discover the idyllic Cape Peninsula during a full-day tour
- Tour an ostrich farm and feed an ostrich by hand
- Soak in the coastal scenery of Featherbed Nature Reserve
- See monkeys roam free at Monkeyland Primate Reserve
- Indulge in a unique stay at Shishangeni Private Lodge in Kruger National Park, relaxing in your own thatched chalet
- 🛣 Experience a boma dinner in Kruger National Park

#### **HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS**

- √ 14 nights in premium accommodation
- Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, local guides and expert game trackers
- ✓ 26 meals 14 breakfasts (B), 5 lunches (L) and 7 dinners (D)
- ✓ All flights within Southern Africa
- ✓ Sunset game-viewing cruise in Chobe National Park
- Enjoy the opportunity to embark on up to seven game spotting activities

## **Upgrade Your Journey**

Upgrade your accommodation on Days 13 and 14 to a cabin on the Chobe Princess Houseboat. See page 32 for more details.

Day 1. Arrive Cape Town Arrive in Cape Town and transfer to your hotel, located close to the V&A Waterfront precinct. Later, meet fellow guests and your Tour Director at a Welcome Reception. Three Nights: Cape Town, Southern Sun Waterfront Hotel.

#### Day 2. Cape Town 🌣

Explore Cape Town and ride the cable way up to Table Mountain's summit. Then, embark on an informative guided tour of the city before a free afternoon. Perhaps take a ferry to Robben Island, join an African Heritage Tour or visit the Constantia Wine Valley. Tonight, try your hand at African drumming, before indulging in a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine. BD

#### Day 3. Cape Town, Cape Peninsula ☆

Discover the Cape Peninsula during a full-day tour. Take a scenic journey along Chapman's Peak Drive to Cape Point. Enjoy a light lunch before watching the penguins at Boulders Beach. Then, stop in historic Simon's Town. This evening is free for you to explore the V&A Waterfront. BI

#### Day 4. Cape Town, Oudtshoorn

Travel to the Karoo region and see a well-preserved semi desert ecosystem. Arrive at your hotel for a delicious dinner of local produce, including ostrich.

Stay: Oudtshoorn, Surval
Boutique Olive Estate.

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#### Day 5. Oudtshoorn, Knysna 🕸

Discover the subterranean formations of the Cango Caves. Then, tour an ostrich farm and enjoy the chance to feed an ostrich by hand. Journey along the Garden Route to Knysna, and enjoy an afternoon to explore at leisure.

Two Nights: Knysna, Protea Hotel Knysna Quays.

#### Day 6. Knysna, Featherbed Nature Reserve ☆

Perhaps join an optional boat tour from Plettenberg Bay to view dolphins (Apr-May) or whales (Jun-Oct) and other wildlife. Visit Featherbed Nature Reserve, a slice of paradise on the Western Head of Knysna, accessible only by ferry. Later, join a park guide for a 4WD journey to the top of Western Head. After, perhaps join an optional bushwalk into ancient sea caves (own expense).

#### Day 7. Knysna, Port Elizabeth 🌣

Depart Knysna and continue your drive along the Garden Route. Visit Monkeyland Primate Reserve, the world's first freeroaming, multi-species primate sanctuary. Continue along the Storms River Mouth and through Tsitsikamma Forest on the way to Port Elizabeth. Check in to your hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

Stay: Port Elizabeth, Boardwalk Hotel.

#### Day 8. Port Elizabeth, Johannesburg, Kruger National Park ☆

Board an included flight to
Nelspruit via Johannesburg, then
travel to Shishangeni Private
Lodge, where you will stay for
the next two nights in your own
thatched chalet with a private
game-viewing deck. Embark on
your first game drive through the
lodge's private concession. Enjoy
sundowners amid the African bush
before dinner back at your lodge.
Two Nights: Kruger National Park,
Shishangeni Private Lodge. BLD

#### Day 9. Kruger National Park 🌣

A morning game drive offers the chance to track down Africa's Big Five, along with a host of other animals. Relish an authentic outdoor boma dinner tonight. BLD

Day 10. Kruger National Park, Johannesburg Take an early morning game drive before you fly back to Johannesburg. Enjoy your evening at leisure. Stay: Johannesburg, Peermont Mondior.

#### Day 11. Johannesburg,

Victoria Falls Take an included flight to Victoria Falls. Later, enjoy a walk where your guide will enlighten you on the history and culture of the area. Then, settle in at your hotel.

Two Nights:
Victoria Falls Safari Lodge.

#### Day 12. Victoria Falls With

a full day at leisure, perhaps enhance your journey by taking a helicopter or microlight flight, or head out on a sunset cruise (own expense).

#### Day 13. Victoria Falls, Chobe National Park Cross the border into Botswana, and arrive at

Chobe National Park. Head out on a sunset game-viewing cruise to observe the herds of elephants that gather at the riverbank.

Two Nights: Chobe National Park, Chobe Bush Lodge, or upgrade to a cabin on a Chobe Princess Houseboat (see page 32 for more information).

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#### Day 14. Chobe National Park

Today, embark on a morning game drive and later, a sunset cruise along the Chobe River, which offers you a unique way of viewing wildlife. Return to your lodge for dinner.

## Day 15. Chobe National Park, Depart Kasane This morning

Depart Kasane This morning following breakfast, your Cape Town to Chobe Adventure comes to an end.

#### From \$9,995 per person, twin share

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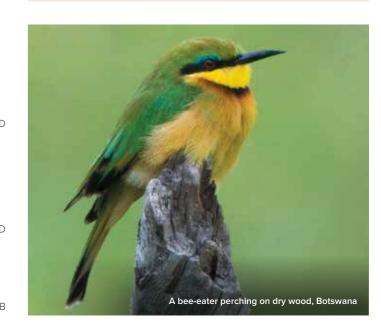
\*Best Price – Includes Earlybird Savings and/or Early Payment Discount, for full terms and conditions see pages 18-19.

Solo travellers please enquire for details.

#### Trip Note:

Prices include tipping, transfers, porterage, meals, accommodation and all flights as per itinerary (including airport taxes, which are subject to change). See terms and conditions towards the back of the brochure.

For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **AFT15** on travelmarvel.com.au





# East Africa

Follow the calls of the wild to safari adventures in East Africa.

Experience unrivalled game park viewing in Kenya and Tanzania on an incredible safari highlighted by breathtaking cultural moments.

#### MASAI MARA, KENYA

This special place is what safari dreams are made of. Known for having one of the highest wildlife density of predators, Kenya's Masai Mara is a photographer's dream. Amid stunning open plains and other idyllic landscapes, watch for grumbling hippos, sunbathing crocodiles and lazing lions as the ancient spirit of the land wraps around you.

#### SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK, TANZANIA

Offering some of the best wildlife viewing in the world, Serengeti National Park is abundant with vast golden plains, quintessential acacia trees and hippo-inhabited waterholes. In addition to hosting part of the Great Migration, it also contains a dense lion population, not to mention exceptional birdwatching opportunities.

#### LOCAL MAASAI CULTURE, KENYA

During your visit to East Africa, you will be immersed in the traditions and lifestyle of the semi-nomadic Maasai people. The Great Rift Valley has long been home to the Maasai, who have preserved their authentic culture through customs including ceremony, dance and traditional clothing.

#### NGORONGORO CRATER, TANZANIA

Visit Tanzania's crater and delve into the world's largest inactive, intact and unfilled volcanic caldera. Lions, leopards and hyenas, along with healthy herds of wildebeest, buffalo and zebra can be found here, as well as cheetahs, jackals, gazelles and even playful flamingos. Keep an eye out for the rare black rhino and large tusker elephants.

#### AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK, KENYA

One of Kenya's most stunning national parks, Amboseli is known for its large elephant population and sublime views of Mount Kilimanjaro. Birdwatchers are also well catered for, with more than 370 species spotted in the region. African fish eagles can be seen hunting on the lake, while grey crowned cranes frolick around the marshlands.

#### EAST AFRICA'S GREAT MIGRATION

Each year, more than a million wildebeest, zebras and gazelles migrate between the vast plains of the Serengeti (in Tanzania) and the Masai Mara (in Kenya). While these animals search for rain-ripened grass, they are also pursued by a host of predators. This truly is a sight to behold.





# **Grand African Journey**

## Cape Town to Kilimanjaro 28 Days

#### **INSIDER EXPERIENCES**

- Enjoy a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine in Cape Town
- Discover the idyllic Cape Peninsula during a full-day tour
- Tour a working ostrich farm in Oudtshoorn
- Soak in the coastal scenery of Featherbed Nature Reserve
- See monkeys roam free at Monkeyland Primate Reserve
- Indulge in a unique stay at Shishangeni Private Lodge in Kruger National Park, relaxing in your own thatched chalet with a private deck
- ☆ Experience a boma dinner in Kruger National Park
- Visit a Maasai village in Amboseli National Park and learn about the traditional culture
- Enjoy a bush dinner in the Masai Mara under the starlit sky
- At the village of Mto Wa Mbu, meet the students at a local school

#### **HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS**

- √ 27 nights in premium accommodation
- Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, local guides and expert game trackers
- ✓ 63 meals 27 breakfasts (B), 17 lunches (L) and 19 dinners (D)
- ✓ All flights within Africa
- √ Relish the opportunity to embark on up to 22 exciting game-spotting activities
- √ Tipping, game park fees and transfers

#### Day 1. Arrive Cape Town Arrive

in Cape Town, where we'll meet you on arrival and transfer you to your hotel located by the lively V&A Waterfront precinct. This evening, meet fellow guests and your Tour Director at a Welcome Reception

Three Nights: Cape Town, Southern Sun Waterfront Hotel.

#### Day 2. Cape Town 🖈

Ride the cable way up to the summit of Table Mountain. Continue your exploration with a guided tour, followed by some free time. Tonight, try your hand at African drumming before a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine.

#### Day 3. Cape Town, Cape Peninsula 🌣

the V&A Waterfront.

Discover the breathtaking Cape Peninsula during a full-day tour. This scenic journey takes you along Chapman's Peak Drive to Cape Point. Situated at the south western tip of Africa, Cape Point is covered in endemic fynbos and home to bays, beaches and rolling green hills. Enjoy a light lunch before watching the penguins at Boulders Beach. Then, pause in historic Simon's Town. We've left this evening free for you to explore

#### Day 4. Cape Town, Oudtshoorn

Farewell Cape Town this morning and travel through the Karoo region, discovering the scenery of a well-preserved semi desert ecosystem. Later, arrive at your hotel for a delicious dinner of local produce including ostrich Stay: Oudtshoorn, Surval Boutique Olive Estate. BD

#### Day 5. Oudtshoorn, Knysna ☆

This morning, discover the subterranean limestone formations of the Cango Caves. Tour an ostrich farm and come face-to-face with Africa's enormous flightless birds. You may wish to feed an ostrich by hand. Then, travel along the Garden Route to the charming coastal town of Knysna, where you will revel in a free afternoon to spend however you please. Two Nights: Knysna, Protea Hotel Knysna Quays.

#### Day 6. Knysna, Featherbed Nature Reserve 🕸

This morning, perhaps join an optional boat tour from Plettenberg Bay for the opportunity to view dolphins (Apr-May) or whales (Jun-Oct) and other wildlife. Visit Featherbed Nature Reserve, a pristine slice of paradise on the Western Head of Knysna,

accessible only by ferry. Cross the lagoon and join a park guide for a 4WD journey to the top of Western Head. Admire the view and later, perhaps join an optional bushwalk into ancient sea caves (own expense)

#### Day 7. Knysna, Port Elizabeth 🕸

Depart Knysna and continue along the Garden Route. Make a stop at Monkeyland Primate Reserve, the world's first freeroaming, multi-species primate sanctuary. Continue along the Storms River Mouth and through Tsitsikamma Forest on the way to Port Elizabeth. Check in to your hotel and spend the rest of the day at leisure. Stay: Port Elizabeth, Boardwalk Hotel.

#### Day 8. Port Elizabeth, Johannesburg, Kruger National Park 🌣

Board an included flight to Kruger National Park via Johannesburg, then travel to a private concession of land within Kruger National Park. Arrive at Shishangeni Private Lodge, where you will stay for the next two nights in your own thatched chalet with a private game-viewing deck. Head out on your first game drive through the lodge's private concession and experience the thrill of searching for Africa's untamed wildlife in one of the continent's greatest game parks. Enjoy sundowners amid the breathtaking African bush before dinner back

at your lodge this evening. Two Nights: Kruger National Park, Shishangeni Private Lodge. BLD

#### Day 9. Kruger National Park 🕏

A morning game drive offers the chance to track down Africa's Big Five, along with a host of other animals that call the park home. Then, during your leisure time, perhaps relax by the pool or on your private deck. Relish an authentic outdoor boma dinner tonight beneath the starlit sky. BLD

Day 10. Kruger National Park, Johannesburg Embark on an exciting early morning game drive. Then, transfer to the airport for your flight back to Johannesburg. Settle in to your accommodation for the night and enjoy an evening at leisure. You may choose to explore within the walls of the security complex or simply relax in your hotel.

Stay: Johannesburg, Peermont Mondior

#### Day 11. Johannesburg,

Victoria Falls Take an included flight to Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe. This afternoon, set off on a walk where your guide will enlighten you on the history and culture of the local area. Then, transfer to your hotel and settle in for the night. Two Nights: Victoria Falls

Safari Lodge.

Day 12. Victoria Falls With a full day at leisure, perhaps enhance your journey by taking a helicopter or microlight flight, or head out on a magical sunset cruise (own expense). Or, take time to relax at your lodge with views across the idyllic landscape and waterhole, with frequent visits from your neighbours including elephants, impala and warthog.

#### Day 13. Victoria Falls, Chobe National Park Cross the border

into Botswana and later, arrive at Chohe National Park home to one of the largest concentrations of wildlife in Africa. As the sun begins to set, head out on a game-viewing cruise. This is the best time of the day to see large herds of elephants, as well as a plethora of other animals that flock to the banks of the Chobe River. Later, retreat to your modern bush-style accommodation before a wonderful dinner.

Two Nights: Chobe National Park, Chobe Bush Lodge, or upgrade to a cabin on a Chobe Princess Houseboat (see page 32 for more information).

#### Day 14. Chobe National Park

Join a game drive through Chobe National Park. Here, ensure you have your camera ready as you delight in the many chances to spot Africa's famous mammals, thanks to the park's high density of elephant herds and lion prides. After, return to your lodge for time to relax before dinner. BLD

Day 15. Chobe National Park, Victoria Falls. Nairobi Return to Victoria Falls once more and take an included flight to Nairobi. This evening, you'll meet your friendly East African Tour Director, who will provide you with an introduction to the next chapter of your adventure into East Africa Stay: Nairobi, 2.5.4 Ole Sereni Hotel.B

#### Day 16. Nairobi, Amboseli

**Grand African** 

National Park It's time to explore Kenya. Your first stop is Amboseli National Park. The signature attraction here is spotting hundreds of elephants against the backdrop of Mount Kilimanjaro. Birdwatchers will also delight in knowing that 370 bird species can be spotted in the area. Arrive at Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge in time for lunch. Located in the heart of this world-famous national park, the lodge offers you the perfect base from which to embark on your safari. After lunch, set off on an afternoon game drive to look for iconic African wildlife, including hippos and a variety of waterfowl found near the park's wetlands. Sundowner drinks at Observation Hill round out a perfect first game drive in Amboseli National Park. Return to the lodge to relax and savour dinner.

Two Nights: Amboseli National Park, Amboseli Serena

## Day 17. Amboseli National Park 🌣

Wake early, then enjoy tea and a snack in preparation for another exciting day. Visit a Maasai village, where you'll wander about the homes the Maasai have built with their own hands. Interact with the villagers to learn about their daily life and delight in their unique and colourful jewellery. For this afternoon's game viewing, your expert game driver/tracker will be on hand to ensure you get the best opportunities to see the animals of Kenya. While travelling



in smaller groups today, you're able to get up close to this fabulous wildlife show. In between game drives, return to the lodge to relax and indulge in delicious meals.

Day 18. Amboseli National Park, Nairobi, Lake Nakuru National Park Take a short flight to Nairobi. Continue by 4WD to Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge, situated on a stunning range of hills that forms the western limits of Africa's Great Rift Valley. Arrive just in time for lunch. You may also wish to take advantage of the lodge's beautiful surrounds and embark on a stunning nature walk around the property. This afternoon, spot rhinos, leopards, hippos and more on a game drive. Afterwards, enjoy dinner at your lodge this evening. Two Nights: Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge.

#### Day 19. Lake Nakuru National Park

A day of game drives at Lake
Nakuru National Park offers yet
another window into the life in
Africa's animal kingdom. On the floor
of the Great Rift Valley, surrounded
by wooded and bushy grassland,
this beautiful park will leave you
spellbound. This morning, look for
rare white rhinos around the sodaencrusted lake at the centre of the
park. Keep your eyes locked on the

grassy plains in search of zebras, buffalo and graceful Rothschild's giraffes. If you're lucky, you may even spot an elusive leopard. Return to your lodge for lunch before another round of game drives. Later, back at your lodge, a delicious dinner awaits.

Day 20. Lake Nakuru National

Park, Masai Mara Awake to the sounds of the African bush as you prepare to travel to your next destination. Soak up the dramatic landscapes of the Great Rift Valley, stretching from the Middle East all the way to Mozambique. Onwards, you'll be greeted by the endless plains of the Masai Mara, a region famous for its big cat population, including leopards, lions and cheetahs. The vast open spaces provide excellent game viewing, which is why this reserve is one of the most well-regarded for wildlife spotting in all of Africa. At certain times of the year, you may see enormous herds of wildebeest, gazelles and zebras travelling to and from the Serengeti in search of food during the seasonal Great Migration. You can also witness the predators who follow them. This afternoon, head out on an exhilarating game drive, noticing how different these landscapes are compared to those that you experienced in Southern

Africa. Perhaps unwind with a drink

before sitting down to dinner this evening at your lodge.

Three Nights: Masai Mara,
Fig Tree Camp.

BLD

Day 21. Masai Mara Today presents the unique opportunity to experience the Masai Mara from the skies on a magical hot-air balloon ride (own expense). There is simply no better way to view these vast landscapes. On another captivating game drive, the Masai Mara delivers quintessential safari scenes of endless grassy plains, peppered with acacia trees and powerful predators who stalk unsuspecting prey. Thanks to your expert game driver/tracker, you'll enjoy a remarkable morning in the wild on the prowl for wildlife. Return to the lodge for a delicious lunch before a free afternoon to relax and unwind after a busy day. BLD

#### Day 22. Masai Mara 🌣

Experience the beauty of an African sunrise and discover the morning rituals of the local wildlife over tea and snacks before today's first game drive. This afternoon's game drive once again brings you plenty of chances to catch a close-up look at the animals that call the Masai Mara home. Delight in a memorable bush dinner this evening and experience the flavours of

the region as you dine under the African night sky.

#### Day 23. Masai Mara, Serengeti

Transfer to the airstrip and board your scheduled flight to the border with Tanzania. From here, you will embark on a connecting flight to the Serengeti and be transferred to your tented camp. Relax by the campfire before dinner, then retire to your tented room with an en suite. Situated in an idyllic spot with the national park on your doorstep, delight in sleeping under the stars.

Two Nights: Serengeti National

Park, Kati Kati Tented Camp. BLD

#### Day 24. Serengeti National Park

Serengeti National Park is known for its predators who spend their days pursuing impalas, zebras, buffalo, gazelles and more. This morning, head out in search of these local inhabitants, armed with your camera ready to capture all that appears before you. Return to your camp for lunch before your afternoon game drive. Perhaps you will see some of the unique wildlife which may have been hiding this morning. BLD

Day 25. Serengeti National Park, Ngorongoro Journey to Olduvai Gorge to explore one of the world's most important archaeological sites, dubbed the 'Cradle of Mankind'. Some of the remains of the first human beings on Earth were discovered here.
Continue on to your charming accommodation, set on a farm and coffee plantation, accompanied with views of the Oldeani Volcano.
Two Nights: Karatu, Ngorongoro
Farm House.
BLD

#### Day 26. Ngorongoro Crater

Marvel at the lush scenery as you descend from the crater walls of World Heritage-listed Ngorongoro Crater, the world's largest intact caldera. Enjoy a picnic lunch and go in search of the wildlife that roams this unique place, with most never leaving the crater floor. BLD

#### Day 27. Mto Wa Mbu, Lake Manyara, Arusha ☆

Travel to the tiny village of Mto Wa Mbu to visit a local school and see what daily life is like for the students. This school is supported by our OneTomorrow Charitable Fund, which ensures the school can continue to flourish. You'll end the tour at a local restaurant where you can try a range of flavourful

East African dishes. Explore Lake Manyara National Park, famous for its colourful flamingos and baboons. As you head off-road, keep an eye out for tree-climbing lions also known to inhabit the park. Continue on through to Arusha, where your accommodation for the night is nestled between the Usa River and a wildlife sanctuary. Tonight, enjoy a special Farewell Dinner at your lodge.

Stay: Arusha, Mount Meru Game Lodge.

Day 28. Arusha, Depart
Kilimaniaro Your journey thro

Kilimanjaro Your journey through
Africa draws to an end. After
breakfast, transfer to Kilimanjaro
International Airport for your
onward flight home.

#### From \$25,495 per person, twin share

# 28 Days – Cape Town to Kilimanjaro (AFTKT28) 2025/26 Dates and Prices (A\$) Best Price From\* Standard Price From\* 2025 May 21 \$25,495 \$26,795 Jun. 11 \$25,995 \$27,295 Jul. 2, 16; Sep. 3, 17; Oct. 1 \$26,695 \$27,995 2026 Mar. 25; Apr. 22 \$25,995 \$27,295

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#### Trip Notes

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For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **AFTKT28** on travelmarvel.com.au



Upgrade your accommodation on Days 13 and 14 to a cabin on a Chobe Princess Houseboat. See page 32 for more details.





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# Kenya & Tanzania Adventure

### Nairobi to Kilimanjaro 14 Days

#### **INSIDER EXPERIENCES**

- ☆ Visit a Maasai village in Amboseli National Park and learn about the traditional culture
- Enjoy a bush dinner in the Masai Mara under the starlit sky
- At the village of Mto Wa Mbu, meet the students at a

#### **HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS**

- √ 13 nights in premium accommodation
- √ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, local guides and expert game trackers
- ✓ All flights within East Africa
- √ 37 meals 13 breakfasts (B), 12 lunches (L) and 12 dinners (D)
- Enjoy the opportunity to embark on up to 15 exciting game drives

Day 1. Arrive Nairobi Start your African adventure in Nairobi. This evening, you'll meet your friendly Tour Director, who will provide you with an introduction to your incredible adventure into the wild magic of East Africa. Stay: Nairobi, 2.5.4 Ole Sereni Hotel.

Day 2. Nairobi, Amboseli

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Day 3. Amboseli National Park & Visit a local Maasai village and wander about the homes that the Maasai have built. Interact with the villagers to learn about their daily life. Your expert game driver/tracker will be on hand this afternoon to ensure you have the best opportunities possible to see

Kenya's animals. Travel in smaller groups today for a closer view of the wildlife. In between game drives, return to the lodge to relax and indulge in meals.

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the property. This afternoon, take
a game drive. Enjoy dinner at your
lodge this evening.
Two Nights: Lake Nakuru
Sopa Lodge.
BLD

**Day 5. Lake Nakuru National Park** A day of game drives at Lake Nakuru National Park offers yet

another glimpse into life in Africa's animal kingdom. Later, return to your lodge, where a delicious dinner awaits.

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Day 7. Masai Mara Perhaps experience the Masai Mara from the skies on a magical hot-air balloon ride (own expense). Enjoy breakfast as you get ready to head out on another game drive. Return to the lodge for a delicious lunch before an afternoon at leisure. BLD

#### Day 8. Masai Mara 🌣

Experience an African sunrise and discover the morning rituals of the local wildlife ahead of today's first game drive.

Afterwards, enjoy breakfast and the rest of the morning at leisure.

Catch a close-up look at the animals that call the Masai Mara home on this afternoon's game drive. Delight in a memorable bush dinner this evening.

Day 9. Masai Mara, Serengeti
Transfer to the airstrip and board
your scheduled flight to the
Tanzanian border, before a
connecting flight to Serengeti.
Transfer to your tented camp.
Two Nights: Serengeti National
Park, Kati Kati Tented Camp. BLD

#### Day 10. Serengeti National Park

This morning, head out armed with your camera ready to capture all that appears before you. Return to your camp for lunch before your afternoon game drive.

#### Day 11. Serengeti National Park, Ngorongoro

Journey to Olduvai Gorge to explore one of the world's most important archaeological sites.
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BLD

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Lake Manyara, Arusha \$\frac{1}{12}\$
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daily life is like for the students.
End the tour at a local restaurant.
Explore Lake Manyara National
Park. Continue to Arusha,
for dinner at your lodge.
Stay: Arusha, Mount Meru
Game Lodge.
BL

Day 14. Arusha, Depart Kilimanjaro After breakfast, transfer to Kilimanjaro International Airport for your onward flight home.

#### From \$15,495 per person, twin share

14 Days – Nairobi to Kilimanjaro (AFTKT14)								
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# Chobe Princess Houseboat Upgrade

Relax and unwind along the Chobe River in Botswana with views of the wilderness. Wake up in the heart of Chobe National Park on this two-night cruise.

#### Cruise in style

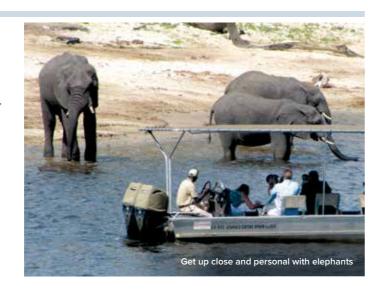
Offering style and comfort, vour Chobe Princess Houseboat accommodates a maximum of 10 guests and is equipped with twin and double cabins. All cabins feature large sliding windows opening onto the river, and en suite bathrooms. The entertainment deck offers a spacious lounge and bar. where you can enjoy the passing landscapes. Upstairs, you'll also find the open-air dining area, where you can enjoy meals prepared by the onboard chef. After dinner, head out onto the Sun Deck and relax in the plunge pool as you soak up the views of the Chobe River and its surrounds.

#### Amazing game viewing

During your cruise, take a gameviewing excursion by tender boat, where you'll be able to get up close and personal with elephants, buffalo, giraffes, kudu, waterbuck and other animals. You can also go birdwatching or try your hand at fishing.

#### All-inclusive dining

Enjoy delicious dining on your houseboat. House wines, beers, soft drinks and mineral water are also all included. Early morning coffee can also be arranged.





#### 2025/26 Dates & Prices (A\$)

# Chobe Princess Houseboat Upgrade Per person Twin Share May 2025 to April 2026 \$1,095

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#### **Trip Notes**

Upgrade prices are based on two nights on a Chobe Princess Houseboat, on a full board basis, including house wines, beers and soft drinks and activities. This upgrade is on selected departures featuring a two-night stay in Chobe National Park and is subject to availability at the time of booking. This upgrade does not include gratuities, porterage or the services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, however, you will be assisted by local guides. Please note the distance covered will vary on the season, river levels and other local conditions and may be between 25 and 50 km.

In the following locations, Travelmarvel provides further opportunity to pursue your special interests with a range of experiences.

#### CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA



Visit Robben Island and tour the site where Nelson Mandela was imprisoned.

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Engage with local community and development projects and gain an insight into South Africa's recent history.

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Sample wines from a region with a wine-making history that dates back to 1685.

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Wander through these beautiful gardens in Cape Town.

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#### OCEAN ENCOUNTER CRUISE<sup>^</sup>

Take to the waters for incredible dolphin-watching opportunities (April – May) and for whales

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#### VICTORIA FALLS, ZIMBABWE



MICROLIGHT FLIGHT
Soar over Livingstone and
mighty Victoria Falls on a 15-minute
microlight flight (weather permitting).

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HELICOPTER FLIGHT

Set off on a 12-minute helicopter flight over stunning Victoria Falls (weather permitting).

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Take to the Zambezi River for a leisurely sunset cruise, taking in the scenery along the way.

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HOT AIR BALLOON SAFARI

Drift over the Masai Mara as the sun rises over Kenya (weather permitting). Price per person: \$970

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All select experiences are subject to availability, minimum/maximum numbers, local conditions and are weather dependent. All select experiences must be pre-booked prior to final payment. Prices are in A\$ and are subject to change. "Robben Island requires full payment and passport details at time of booking and is non-refundable once confirmed." Ocean encounter is available year round, wildlife sightings cannot be guaranteed." Gratuities are not included.



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Price per person,	Twin	Solo	Price per person,	Twin	Solo
including breakfast, from:	Share	Trav.	including breakfast, from:	Share	Trav.
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CHOBE NATIONAL PARK, BOTSW. Chobe Bush Lodge*	<b>ANA</b> * \$685	\$850	ARUSHA, TANZANIA Mount Meru Game Lodge	\$235	\$320

\*Prices include breakfast and a one-way transfer to/from airport. Accommodation must be a consecutive night pre or post the on-tour night at the same hotel booked by Travelmarvel, for the transfer to be included. Special event and seasonal surcharges may apply. Prices are in A\$. Some exceptions apply.





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Kilimatembo school officially opened its doors in 1976 to students in rural Tanzania. Since then, the school has been providing education to local children in order to pave the way for a brighter future. Kilimatembo emphasises the importance of conservation and environmental education; encouraging children to participate in numerous nature-based activities.

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#### A WORLD OF DIFFERENCE

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#### MAKING TRAVEL MEAN MORE

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# With your help, we can continue to shape the world together

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Lou Tandy (nee McGeary) and Robert McGeary

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Lou Tandy (nee McGeary) and Robert McGeary

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#### AIRLINE LOYALTY POINT ELIGIBILITY

Travelmarvel uses the services of a range of airlines in its packages. Travelmarvel does not warrant that its airfares attract loyalty points as airlines control the application of loyalty points in all cases. Requests to use airline points to upgrade trave eed to be directed to the airline concerned by the membe

#### TRAVELMARVEL DEPOSIT CANCELLATION PEACE

Conditions apply: applicable when an upfront fee of \$95 per person is paid with your deposit. The holiday package can be cancelled prior to the final payment date and your deposit will be retained as a Travelmarvel holding credit to be used for future bookings. If Deposit Cancellation Peace of Mind is claimed, monies held must be used on a future cruise or tour and cannot be redeemed against the original cruise of tour departure date. Deposit held in credit will exclude fees imposed by third parties, including but not limited to air travel, rail travel and hotels. When booking airfares through Travelmarvel (including when taking advantage of a specia offer that includes air travel), standard airline cancellation fe will apply. In some cases, airfares will be non-refundable. In the event of cancellation, these fees will be deducted from

Travelmaryel Deposit Cancellation Peace of Mind applies to new bookings only and is only valid up until 100 days prior to travel. After three years, unused credit funds will incur the original cancellation conditions. This does not replace travel surance, which we recommend you purchase at the time

#### TDAVEL INSLIDANCE

Travel Insurance is not included in your holiday package. For your protection we strongly recommend purchase prehensive travel insurance that includes (without limitation) coverage for the cost of your holiday package, medical expenses, loss of luggage, cruise and land content and airfare charges that may occur due to cancellation, impossibility of performance or other frustration, disruption, loss of deposit or strikes.

#### TRAVEL INFORMATION & DOCUMENTS

After booking you will receive an invoice with all important information relevant to your holiday package. We strongly recommend you check the details carefully and read the recommend you check the dealth calendy and the included information. Please ensure that you check your flight timings carefully on your tickets, particularly early morning departures. Approximately 21 days before departure you will receive your e-ticket, together with your final itinerary. owever, in the case of late bookings, charges or late payment, tickets may be emailed to you.

#### SPECIAL REQUESTS

Where a special request (e.g. diet, room location, twin or double bedded room, a particular facility at a hotel, flight seat requests and/or particular meals), is an important factor in your choice of holiday, you must advise us when your booking is made. Travelmarvel will pass your request on to the hotel, airline or other supplier but cannot guarantee that it will be accommodated. Travelmarvel will also pass on any dietary requests to the airline but we strongly recommend that you check directly with the airline once your tickets have been issued. The provision of any special request does not constitute a term of your contract with us. Confirmation that a special request has been noted or passed on to the supplier or the inclusion of the special request on your confirmation invoice or any other documentation is not confirmation that the request will be met. Unless and until specifically confirmed, all special requests are subject to availability.

#### CREDIT & DEBIT CARD SURCHARGES

If you pay Travelmarvel by credit or debit card, surcharges will apply. In the case of credit cards a surcharge of between 1% and 3% (depending on the card used), will be added to the tour price. In the case of debit cards a charge of 0.5% will be

Travelmarvel has endeavoured to ensure that the information provided about accommodation, itineraries etc., is correct to the best of its knowledge at the time of publication. However advertised descriptions and facilities and prices may change after publication. We recommend that you confirm the details of your chosen holiday package at the time of booking. Additionally, flight times, carriers and routes are given for guidance only as there may be changes. Final details will be shown on your tickets. Holiday package or excursion itineraries may change or be different from those described in our collateral as a result of local conditions, weather conditions and annual events. Travelm vour to notify you of any significant changes prior to

#### DISRUPTION TO CRUISING AND ITINERARY ARRANGEMENTS

Itineraries are intended as a guide only and are subject to alteration without notice. Alternations may be necessary for various reasons including, without limitation, road, rail, river or weather conditions, strikes or other reasons beyond avelmarvel's control. If conditions render any routes unsafe for navigation, Travelmarvel reserves the right to provide alternative services including, but not limited to, accommodation on the docked ship or substitute land arrangements. Under normal river conditions, itineraries will operate as far as possible as published. However, sometimes for reasons beyond ou control, it may be necessary to make alterations to your itinerary.

For example, without limitation, if there is a water level problem on a river, it may be necessary to operate part of the itinerary by coach and alternative sightseeing may be included. Travelmarve will not be liable for any direct or indirect costs that you incur as a result of any event or other factor beyond our control which necessitates a change in your itinerary. Additionally, you are not entitled to any refund for any alterations to your itinerary that are caused or contributed to by any flood or water level events or such other events which are beyond our control. Travelmarvel cannot guarantee exact arrival and departure times for carriers and operators used by Travelmarvel and Travelmarvel will not be liable for failure to make connections with any other services or attractions beyond its control

#### FLIGHT CHANGES

The flight timings detailed on your confirmation invoice, or on our website are for guidance only and are subject to alteration and confirmation. Flight timings are set by airlines and affected by events outside our control. Scheduled and charter flight timings, and days of operation are also subject to change. Travelmarvel will advise you of any significant changes as soon as it is informed by the airline. Minor timing changes will be shown on your flight tickets. Any change in the identity of the airline, flight timings or aircraft type (if advised) will not entitle you to cancel or change to other arrangements without paying any applicable cancellation fees except where specified in these booking conditions.

#### OUT OF DATE RANGE FLIGHTS

If airlines have not published their schedule at the time of booking, Travelmarvel will estimate the cost of airfares connected with your holiday package. When the airline releases flight inventory and airfares, Travelmarvel will confirm booking and pricing with you by sending you an updated invoice. Once flights have been confirmed by you and payment has been received, Travelmarvel will issue your ticket/s.

#### FORCE MAJEURE

Force Miggeure event means the occurrence of an event that is beyond Travelmarvel's reasonable control, and which could not have been reasonably prevented by Travelmarvel, which

includes, but is not limited to: (a) war, armed conflict, crimina damage, riot, civil strife, industrial dispute, terrorist activity or damage, not, com strile, industrial dispute, terrorist activity or the threat of any such acts; (b) natural disaster (including but not limited to flooding, fire, earthquake, landslide), adverse weather conditions, high or low water levels; (c) nuclear or other industrial accident causing environmental pollution or contamination; or (d) change in law, meaning, enactment, amendment (including repeal) in the law or administration of any law in Australia or any jurisdiction or territory relevant to the booking contract, which includes changes in statute, regulation, determination, by-law, declaration, licence and the common law as applicable from time to time, including change or amendments in regulations or access to services, sites or countries caused by declared epidemic or pandemic events.

#### TERMINATION OF BOOKING CONTRACT OR CHANGE OF TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS DUE TO FORCE MAJEURE

If Travelmarvel, in its reasonable opinion, considers that any force majeure event prevents Travelmarvel (whether directly or through its employees, contractors, subcontractors and agents) from lawfully or safely providing any products or services subject of the booking contract with you, Travelmarv may immediately by written notice: (a) terminate the booking contract (in whole or in part); or (b) change your trave arrangements as reasonably practicable to ensure your safety and invoice you for any additional costs.

#### LIMITATION OF LIABILITY IN THE EVENT OF FORCE MAJEURE

In the event that Travelmarvel cancels or changes your travel arrangements in any way due to a force majeure event, Travelmarvel will not be liable to you in contract, tort, statute or restitution for any loss (including, but not limited to, loss of deposit or purchase price and loss of enjoyment), damage, costs, charges, expenses or injury resulting from or in connection with (whether directly or indirectly); (a) the cancellation or change to your travel arrangements; or (b) the force majeure event. Travelmarvel is not liable to refund any part of the deposit or purchase price paid by you if Imarvel subsequently changes or cancels your travel arrangements in connection with a force majeure event.

Force majeure events are unpredictable and beyond Travelmarvel's control. As you are required to purchase travel insurance to adequately protect yourself against these risks, your policy needs to respond to these risks.

You acknowledge and accept that these terms are reasonably necessary to protect the legitimate interests of Travelmarvel based on expected non-recoverable costs and expenses to be incurred by Travelmarvel, including but not limited to overhead expenses and works or services performed personally by

#### DATA PROTECTION POLICY

Any personal information (including sensitive information and health information) that Travelmarvel obtains and retains from you or about you is necessary for our business purposes. Our Privacy Policy details why we collect this information, who we may disclose it to (including overseas recipients), and the main consequences if we do not collect it. Our Privacy Policy also contains information about how you may seek access to, or correction of, the personal information held about you, and our complaint resolution procedures. Our Privacy Policy is available at www.travelmarvel.com.au/privacy or by request to us. By providing personal or sensitive information you are agreeing to the terms of our Privacy Policy.

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  1. Our holiday packages include the services of independent providers, such as hoteliers, airlines, cruise companies and other operators, who are not agents, servants or employees of Travelmarvel. Although we take care in selecting the independent service providers and the optional excursions conducted by some independent service providers. Travelmarve is not responsible for the conduct of the independent service providers, their servants and agents or for any ramifications of that conduct. Optional excursions may, depending on your holiday package, include activities such as climbing, exploring, ming and snorkelling. You accept and assume the risk involved with these activities.
- 2. If, in the opinion of any representative of Travelmarvel, your mental or physical condition, or general behaviour is such as to affect your own health and safety, render you incapable to care for yourself, cause you to become a hazard to yourself or other passengers or result in you becoming objectionable to other passengers or staff, you will not be permitted to embark or continue on the whole or any part of the holiday package. Travelmarvel representatives are empowered to ask guests to depart a holiday package. Travelmarvel is not liable to you for any costs associated with such decision and you will not be refunded for any part of the holiday package
- Travelmarvel accepts no responsibility for any death injury. illness, loss (including loss of enjoyment), damage, detention delay (including mechanical breakdown) beyond its control.
- 4. Any term, condition or warranty express or implied by statute or otherwise in respect to the holiday packages contained in any of our collateral are excluded to the full extent permitted by law. Nothing in these booking conditions excludes, restricts or modifies the application of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth) as amended. consolidated, supplemented or replaced
- 5. To the full extent permitted by law, Travelmarvel's liability arising under or in connection with these booking conditions: (a) is limited to the re-supply of the products or services or the payment of the cost of re-supply of the products or services payment of the cost of resupply of the products of services to you; and (b) excludes liability for any indirect or consequential losses suffered by you or any third party, howsoever caused, including but not limited to pure economic loss or any special, extraordinary or punitive damage to you or any other party.
- 6 Your travel agent will forward deposits and other payments to us on your behalf, but your travel agent is not our agent for the purpose of receipt of monies. Receipt of deposits and subsequent payments by the travel agent does not constitute receipt of those monies by us and the travel agent has no authority expressed or implied to receive monies on our behalf. There is no liability on the part of Travelmarvel in respect to any monies paid to your travel agent unless and

until Travelmarvel notifies you (by way of a booking confirmation until inavellimative indities you toy way or a booking continhate advice or payment receipt advice) that monies have been received by Travelmarvel. Travelmarvel reserves the right to cancel any ticket or booking or refuse to carry any passeng where payment has not been received by Travelmarvel within the specified time.

7. Specific meal requests are requests only and cannot

#### LOCAL PURCHASES

Travelmarvel is not responsible for any items you may purchase locally i.e.; jewellery/furniture etc. You acknowledge that you are solely responsible for any import duty or freight costs.

#### PERSONAL BELONGINGS & LOST ITEMS

For security reasons valuables should be kept to a minimum and packed in your hand luggage along with your medicines, camera, electrical or battery-operated appliances, as well as basic essentials such as a change of clothing and tolletries. It is your responsibility to look after your property at all times and you must ensure you are adequately covered by comprehensive travel insurance in the event of any loss.

#### MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

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Travelmarvel does not employ medical staff on our tours or ships. If you require medical attention, local medical services can be contacted immediately. You are responsible for all charges that result from a visiting a medical facility, or for a medical practitioner visiting you. Travelmarvel is not responsible for the type or quality of the medical services you may receive.

#### SMOKING

Government regulations forbid smoking in tourist coaches however frequent stops are made for those wishing to smoke. Smoking is not permitted in hotel rooms or ship cabins Requests for smoking/non-smoking rooms will be passed on to hotels but cannot be guaranteed.

#### RESPONSIBLE SERVICE OF ALCOHOL

Our staff are trained in the responsible service of alcohol and are obliged by law to refuse service to any guest who, in their reasonable opinion appears to be intoxicated or behaves in an aggressive or offensive manner.

If a problem occurs during your holiday, you should, in your own interests, inform your Tour Director so that steps can be taken to resolve the matter. If you remain dissatisfied, any complaint must be made in writing to Travelmarvel within 30 days.

#### LUGGAGE LIMITS

Each passenger is entitled to take one piece of luggage that does not exceed 160 cm (63 inches) or weigh more than 20 kg (44 pounds). Dimensions for checked baggage are calculated by adding together the width, height, and depth of the piece of baggage. An extra charge will be imposed to cover porterage handling of any additional luggage. Your Tour/Cruise Director will advise you of the exact additional charge.

Some holiday packages may have more restrictive luggage limits, please refer to Specific Terms & Conditions

#### SPECIAL CONDITIONS PERTAINING TO AFRICA PACKAGES

A non-refundable \$3,000 security deposit per person, pe holiday package is required within seven days of booking rioliday package is required within sever lays or booking confirmation. Deposit requirements may vary when booking a special offer. Final payment of the balance of your holiday package price is due 100 days prior to departure unless stated in the terms of a special offer. Travelmarvel reserves the right to cancel any ticket or booking or to refuse to carry any passenger where payment has not been received within the specified time. All fares and charges are in AUD. Payment in full is required at time of booking for reservations made less than 100 days before departure from Australia or New Zealand. rvel is unable to confirm your reserva

#### TRAVELLING WITH MINORS

Children under 12 years of age are not permitted on tours and cruises. Children under 18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult and share their accommodation with an adult.

#### INCLUDED IN HOLIDAY PACKAGE PRICE

All coach travel, accommodation, sightseeing, admissions, airfares, gratuities, port charges, luggage service (one bag), airport transfers on the first and last day of the tour, local guides, services of a Tour Director and meals are included as indicated in each individual itinerary.

#### NOT INCLUDED IN HOLIDAY PACKAGE PRICE

Airfares (unless specified), airport taxes, fuel surcharges, laundry, passport and visa fees (unless specified), beverages (unless specified), optional tours including select experiences and gratuities for local guides on select experiences, excess baggage fees. Changes to flight schedules may require you to book additional accommodation and services at your own expense.

#### TRAVEL MARVEL TOUR DIRECTOR

The services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director are included in all land tours. A Travelmarvel Tour Director is not included on Chobe Princess or Cape Winelands Extension.

#### GRATUITIES

Gratuities for the land portion of your tour and are included within the tour price. Gratuities cannot be redeemed for cash. Gratuities are not included for any individual purchases. Gratuities are not included for Chobe Princess or Cape Winelands Extension

#### FLIGHTS WITHIN AFRICA

Economy flights within Africa and airport taxes are included in the tour price but subject to surcharge. All internal air must be CHOOSING YOUR HOLIDAY

To maximise your enjoyment of your Travelmarvel holiday and to ensure that it lives up to your expectations, it is important that you choose the right holiday package for your requirements. Our brochures contain limited information, however there is ore information online at www.travelmarvel.com.au and our staff are available to discuss your options.

Hotel rooms may be smaller than those in Australia and New Zealand and in more remote places, hotel standards may not be quite as high as in major city centres. Travelmarvel endeavours to utilise the most suitable accommodation available in each destination to ensure that passengers enjoy high levels

of cleanliness, comfort and service. The hotels listed in this or clearliniess, comfort and service. The notes listed in this brochure will be used on almost all holiday packages; however, if a change is necessary for any reason, Travelmarvel will endeavour to ensure that alternative accommodation is of an equivalent standard to those shown. Hotel rooms are generally not available for check-in before 3pm and require check-out by 10am. Where guaranteed use is required outside of these time you may be required to book and pay for additional nights

#### TWIN OR DOUBLE ROOMS

Accommodation in all hotels and camps, regardless of the rating, is in standard rooms (sometimes named superior/deluxe) based on twins or doubles unless otherwise stated. Twin bedded froms are very common in Africa, and on many occasions double-bedded rooms may be unavailable, or very limited in number. Bedding configurations on board cruises may vary with the category booked.

#### SOLO TRAVELLERS

A limited number of single rooms/suites/cabins may be available by request at time of booking your holiday package. Single rooms/suites/cabins are usually smaller than standard twin or double rooms and often only have one single bed.

#### PASSENGERS NEEDING ASSISTANCE

1. Passengers with a disability, mobility or medical condition requiring assistance must inform Travelmarvel at the time of booking of all important information relating to your health. of booking of all important information relating to your nealing mobility and fitness which may affect your partial or total participation in the cruise or tour. This information will allow Travelmarvel to ensure the tour you have chosen is suitable and meets your needs. Any changes to health, mobility and fitness must also be reported to Travelmarvel as soon as possible and prior to departure. Where possible Travelman will make reasonable adjustments to the tour to assist you however, it cannot do so if the adjustment required would be unreasonable in all of the circumstances, including if such adjustments would affect your safety and/or the safety and/or enjoyment of other passengers.

- 2. If you require assistance or care (such as assistance with walking), you must travel with a companion capable of providing the required assistance or care. Travelmarvel is unable to assist any passenger with walking, dining, boarding or disembarking any transportation vehicles (including river cruise ships and trains). To safely participate in embarkation and disembarkation you must be able to do so without the need for assistance. You must also be able to do so without unreasonably impacting other pas
- 3. While Travelmarvel will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of disabled passengers it is not responsible for any denial of services by any third-party entities it has travel arrangements with, such as carriers, hotels, trains, restaurants or other independent suppliers, or for any additional associated expenses charges by those parties.
- 4. Please note coaches, minibuses and 4WD are not equipped with wheelchair ramps. Many ships require the use of stairs to go between decks. Further, side by side docking may require passengers to climb and descend stairs to cross over vessels to disembark and embark at times. Travelmarvel ships occasionally sail through remote areas that do not have occasionally said initiogal relimites areas and of init laver convenient docking facilities. In such circumstances it will be necessary for passengers to negotiate temporary gangplanks tender boats, riverbanks, and uneven surfaces. If the crew decide that it is not safe for a passenger to negotiate such operations, they may require passengers to stay on board Due to the lack of infrastructure along the riverbanks, and absence of lifts on board vessels, wheelchairs will be of minimal use. Passengers who use a wheelchair should reconsider travelling on these tours.

#### HEALTH & FITNESS

A good level of health and fitness is required to participate on Travelmarvel's holiday packages. In some destinations there are extensive sightseeing excursions by foot which include uneven ground and stairs. Mobility is needed for boarding or alighting coaches and ships. We recommend a visit to the doctor and dentist before travelling. It is your responsibility to advise Travelmarvel of any pre-existing medical conditions that may affect the normal conduct of a holiday package and the enjoyment of other quests. A Health, Fitness & Mobility onnaire will be provided and requested to be completed at the time of booking if you advise of any health, fitness or mobility issues. Travelmarvel is not liable for any injury, illness, or loss of enjoyment which could have been reasonably prevented had we been made aware of a pre-existing condition and been provided an opportunity to review it. We will not be responsible for any costs associated with cancellation penaltie or the return of passengers from a tour, and a refund for lost touring cannot be claimed.

#### VISA & PASSPORTS

A passport that is valid for at least six months after you return home is required. Some African countries also require a minimum number of blank passport pages. Passengers must consult with the appropriate consulates to ensure that they have any applicable visas for countries included in the holiday package prior to departure. Passengers are solely responsible for meeting necessary passport and visa entry requirements and paying all associated costs. Travelmarvel is not responsible for delays or missed portions of the holiday package resulting from incorrect travel documents or visas.

### ENHANCE YOUR JOURNEY - OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES

These select experiences are an additional cost to the land tour price. Minimum and maximum group numbers apply for the tour to operate, and all tours are subject to availability and local ditions. Gratuities are not included on optional experiences

#### IF YOU NEED TO CHANGE OR CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY

If you want to change any part of your holiday arrangements after the invoice has been issued, we will do our best to make the change, but it may not be possible. Any request for changes must be made in writing by the person who made the original booking, or their travel agent. If it is possible to make the change, it will be subject to an administration charge and payment of any further costs incurred as a result

#### CANCELLATION POLICY

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For all holiday packages in this brochure, Travelmarvel
cancellation fees apply as follows (in addition to charges
of any independent suppliers e.g.: airlines and hotels):

#### Days of Notice Prior to Departure 100 days or more 99–61 days

Fee Per Person Loss of deposit 50% of holiday package price 100% of holiday package price

If your holiday has commenced, 100% of the full holiday package price is charged. There is no refund for unused services or if portions of the holiday package are missed. Additional cancellation fees may also be charged in respect Additional callediator fees findy also be charged in respect of accommodation reserved outside the holiday package dates. These cancellation fees are in addition to any fees that may be levied by Travelmarvel and your travel agent (if any). You acknowledge that the amounts estimated under the Cancellation Policy are reasonable and represent a genuine pre-estimate of Travelmarvel's loss and are otherwise reasonably necessary to protect the legitimate interests of Travelmarvel. If you request changes after Travelmarvel has issued your documents. Travelmarvel may charge you an administration and processing fee of \$70 per person in addition to any applicable cancellation fees.

#### CANCELLATION OF TICKETED AIRFARES

A Travelmarvel cancellation fee of \$50 per person applies for ticketed airfares, in addition to any airline cancellation fees that are applicable

#### CHANGES TO TICKETED AIRFARES

If you wish to amend the date or touring on your ticketed air booking, a Travelmarvel amendment fee of \$30 per person for the first change and \$85 per person for any subsequent changes will be charged in addition to airline change fees and additional taxes that are applicable. If, for any reason, a name change to a ticketed airfare is required, a \$125 per person name change fee will apply for every change in addition to any applicable airline fees

#### IF WE NEED TO CHANGE OR CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY

Travelmarvel endeavours to provide you with all the services confirmed to you at the time of your booking. However, we plan arrangements a long time in advance of your departure date using independent suppliers such as airline, hotels, etc., over whom we have no direct control. On occasions changes do have to be made, and Travelmarvel reserves the right to cancel or amend holiday packages/excursions accordingly. Group tours require a minimum number of bookings in orde for the tour to be financially viable and to have a pleasant group for the tour to be infaricially viable and to have a pleasant group atmosphere. In the event that adequate numbers cannot be achieved, it may be necessary to cancel a scheduled departure and offer the nearest possible alternative date (or a full refund of monies paid for arrangements made by Travelmarvel).

#### ON HOLIDAY

#### NOISE & VIBRATION

You acknowledge and accept that some noise and vibration may be experienced and Travelmarvel is not liable to you for any such noise or vibration.

#### SEAT ROTATION

Passengers rotate seats in the coach daily, so everyone enjoys window and front seating. In fairness to all passengers, no exceptions will be made.

#### CHANGES DUE TO WEATHER

Sometimes due to elements beyond our control it may be necessary to make alternations to our itinerary. A number of sightseeing options are weather dependant

#### LUGGAGE LIMIT

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Each passenger is entitled to take one case and generally luggage limits are 20kg per adult passenger. There are strict luggage restrictions in Kenya and Tanzania due to travelling in 4WD vehicles and flying in a smaller plane where you will need to pack down to a soft bag of 15kg. Travelmarvel will provide a soft bag for you to use in East Africa. Suitcases will be securely stored for you. Luggage limits are strictly enforced, and airline-imposed excess baggage charges will apply if this weight is exceeded. Luggage is carried at owner's risk.

#### FLYING DOCTORS SERVICE

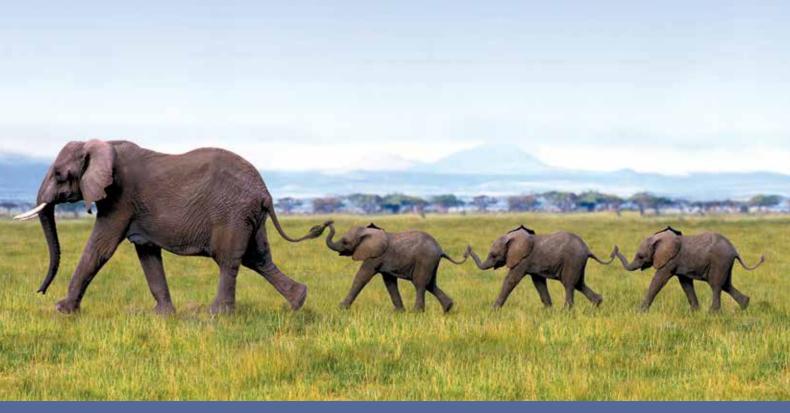
Services of the Flying Doctors are included in your holiday package price while travelling through Kenya and Tanzania. Please note that this is not to be used as a substitute for travel insurance and any additional costs that are incurred must be claimed through travel insurance.

#### MAPS WITHIN THIS PUBLICATION

#### Note that maps may not be to scale IMAGES WITHIN THIS PUBLICATION

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