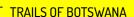


# TRAILS OF BOTSWANA



SUN DESTINATIONS





#### **CHOBE MOPANI FOREST LODGE**

Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge overlooks a thriving waterhole in the remote Kasane Forest Reserve, a relatively unexplored concession bordering the Zambezi National Park in the northern stretches of Botswana. The closest safari tourist town is Kasane, which has an airport that is open to both domestic and international flights. The lodge's claim to fame is its prolific elephant herds, many of which can be spotted congregating around the lodge's waterhole - it's not uncommon to spend evenings dining with elephants. In addition to Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge's enviable location, it is also fast becoming a sought-after safari destination for large groups seeking a lodge of s uperior quality with African inspired design.



#### MANKWE TENTED RETREAT

The charming Mankwe Tented Retreat is situated in a private concession on the doorstep of the game rich Moremi Game Reserve. Tucked away in a grove of mopane trees and mysterious woodlands, this safari lodge sanctuary offers its visitors am unbeatable location close to the north land and water-based safari activities. In total there are 10 tented suites.



#### MBOMA ISLAND EXPEDITIONS

Magical Mboma Island Expeditions is a piece of pristine paradise located in a remote area on the tip of the game rich Moremi Game Reserve. Situated on the floodplains of the meeting point of the Delta's fresh waters and the Moremi's savannah terrain, means that Mboma is ideal for both land and water based safaris. Mboma boasts views of the endless floodplains fringed by real fan palms. Dottedacross the plains you'll notice scores of red lechwe and lumbering elephants







#### **CAMP LINYANTI**

Camp Linyanti should be visited by anyone passionate about raw Africa and favours safari quality over luxury accommodation. This uncrowded northwestern corner of Chobe National Park is a water wonderland which makes it appealing for game viewing as well as game drives. The accommodation at Camp Linyanti sings of traditional safari, blending in with the environment and keeping things simple, yet elegant. There are 5 individual canvas tents, elevated slightly from the ground with stairs leading onto private wooden decks, and up to the interior of these unique, circular tents.



#### **CAMP SAVUTI**

Camp Savuti epitomizes the Botswana safari experience. From the abundant game viewing to the authentic, tented accommodation, this is the traditional way to spend time in one of Africa's most superb wildlife regions. 5 authentic canvas tents are subtly hidden among the bush willows, raised on wooden stilts, and offering en-suite facilities and outdoor showers. Wooden verandas offer views of the Savuti Channel.



#### **BOTETI TENTED CAMP**

Beautiful Boteti Tented Camp is located a few metres from one of the tributaries of the Okavango Delta, the Boteti River. The Boteti River is a life source of water for the arid Kalahari plains and famed Makgadikgadi Pans National Park. Considering the river is the only reliable water source in the area, it's no surprise that it's a magnet for predators. Boteti Tented Camp sleeps 10 people in 5 Meru-style canvas tents built on wooden platforms. Each expansive tent sleeps 2 people maximum, and has ample space to move around. Each tent has a wooden chest for storage, bedside table, work desk, and an en suite bathroom surrounded by a wall of rustic wooden poles. Comfort at its finest!



### **RACK RATES**

	GREEN SEASON	SHOULDER SEASON	HIGH SEASON	
	1 December 2022 to 31 March 2023	1 April to 30 June 2023 & November 2023	1 July to 31 October 2023	
	Rack Rate	Rack Rate	Rack Rate	
Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge	Standard Room =	halet = US\$300		
Mboma Island Camp	US\$690	US\$690	US\$805	
Camp Linyanti	US\$630	US\$730	US\$870	
Camp Savuti	US\$630	US\$730	US\$870	
Mankwe Tented Retreat	US\$370	US\$485	US\$690	
Boteti Tented Camp	US\$580	US\$580	US\$580	

<sup>\*</sup>Rates are per person sharing per night, please see single supplement details below.

#### **RATES INCLUDE**

All meals, game activities, teas & coffees, park fees & taxes at all camps.

At Camp Savuti & Camp Linyanti all local drinks (soft drinks, local beer & house wines).

At Mboma Island Expeditions all local soft and alcoholic beverages.

At Mankwe Tented Retreat a selection of soft and alcoholic beverages as well as 2 daily experiences (Sundowner game drive, Half day game drive, Night drive or Nature bush walk).

At Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge complimentary camp transfers ex Kasane Airport, 2 x activities (3 hour game drive + 3 hour afternoon sunset cruise), park entrance fees.

At Boteti Tented complimentary camp transfers ex Maun Airport, Camp 2 Hour Mokoro on arrival day, and the option of one full day activity per day (Nxai Pan, Makgadikgadi, Moremi, or Delta mokoro)

#### RATES EXCLUDE

All items of a personal nature or any item not described above. Moremi/fees if self-driving.

At Camp Savuti & Camp Linyanti Imported alcoholic drinks.

At Mboma Island Expeditions premium alcoholic drinks.

At Mankwe Tented Retreat optional extras, premium alcoholic drinks, and Chobe gate fees (when completing a Chobe game drive).

At Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge all soft and alcoholic beverages, optional extra activities, laundry.

At Boteti Tented Camp all soft and alcoholic beverages.

#### SINGLE SUPPLEMENTS

No single supplements apply in Green & Shoulder seasons; however, a 50% single supplement applies in High Season.

At Mankwe Tented Retreat, a 30% single supplement applies in Green, Shoulder and High Season.

At Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge, a 50% single supplement applies in Green, Shoulder and High Season.

#### **CHILDREN RATES**

At Camp Savuti, Camp Linyanti, and Mboma Island Expeditions children aged 6-11 pay 50% of the adult rate.

At Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge children aged 6-10 pay 50% of the adult rate. Children aged 11 pay full adult rate.

At Mankwe Tented Retreat children aged 2 and over are accepted at the lodge and pay 50% of the adult rate.

At Boteti Tented Camp children of all ages are welcome. Children 0 -2 years pay 25% of the adult rate, and children aged 2-11 pay 50% of the adult rate.

Children aged 12 and over pay the full adult rate.

<sup>\*\*</sup>A minimum 2-night stay is required to book at Mboma Island Expeditions.

# LIGHT **AIR TRANSFER** RATES

	Maun				
Mboma	300	Mboma		_	
Camp Savuti	300	300	Camp Savuti		
Camp Linyanti	300	300	300	Camp Linyanti	
Camp Linyanti	300	300	300	500	Kasane
Kasane	500	500	500	500	

#### **ROAD TRANSFERS**

Maun Airport to Mankwe Tented Retreat: US\$ 280 per vehicle (max.8 pax)
Mankwe Tented Retreat to Maun Airport: US\$ 280 per vehicle (max.8 pax)

#### **NOTES**

- \* US\$15 per person Departure Tax as been included above from Maun & Kasane Airports.
- \*\* US\$20 per person landing fees on take-off and landing has been included above when using Xakanaxa & Khwai airstrip.

#### **CHILDREN**

Children pay the same rate as adults.

#### **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

- Rates will be subject to fuel surcharges if fuel increases more than 15% above current prices
- Rates are subject to Government fee increases on Navigation fees, departure tax and VAT
- Rates are subject to major exchange rate fluctuations
- 20kg luggage per person (including hand luggage) in soft bags (no wheels)
- Passengers over 110kg may have to purchase an extra seat please inform us prior to travel if this is the case
- Passengers travelling on a seat in plane basis may have up to 3 stops en-route to destinations
- We reserve the right to stipulate departure and arrival times of passengers being transferred between the various camps
- Should a specific time be requested, we will try our best to accommodate but should we be unable to accommodate then flight will revert to a private charter and a new costing will be quoted on.

#### **RATES NOTES**

Rates are quoted in US\$. Rates are subject to change without prior notice.



# ACCESS TO THE CAMPS ON THE TRAILS OF BOTSWANA CIRCUIT

#### MBOMA ISLAND EXPEDITIONS

The airstrip used for Mboma Island Expeditions is the Xakanaxa airstrip. Mboma is accessed via a road/game drive transfer from the airstrip to Mboma Island Expeditions. Guests that fly in will be transferred by road into Mboma or they can self-drive from Maun to Mboma Island Expeditions.

Please note that self-drive guests that fly into Maun on the scheduled flights from Johannesburg & Cape Town are not able to self-drive on the day of arrival, as it is a 5-hour drive. They can only access Mboma in time on the day of arrival by flying to the Xakanaxa airstrip. Connecting between Mboma Island Expeditions and Camp Savuti and Camp Linyanti is done via their airstrips of Xakanaxa, Savuti and Saile respectively.

#### MANKWE TENTED RETREAT

On the Trails of Botswana circuit, Mankwe Tented Retreat is accessed via road transfer to and from Maun Airport.

#### **BOTETI TENTED RETREAT**

On the Trails of Botswana circuit, Boteti Tented Camp is accessed via road transfer to and from Maun Airport.

#### **CAMP SAVUTI**

Camp Savuti is accessed via a light air transfer into the Savuti airstrip. From there it is a short road transfer into camp. To get between Camp Savuti and Kasane and/or Maun would be via a flight. To transfer guests between Camp Savuti and Camp Linyanti. A 2-hour road transfer can be arranged with the camp at an additional cost.

#### **CAMP LINYANTI**

Camp Linyanti is accessed via a light air transfer into the Saile airstrip. From there it is a road transfer into camp. To get between Camp Lintanti and Kasane and/or Maun would be via a flight. To transfer guests between Camp Linyanti and Camp Savuti. A 2-hourroad transfer can be arranged with the camp at an additional cost.

#### **CHOBE MOPANI FOREST LODGE**

Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge is located in the Kasane Forest Reserve, a relatively unexplored concession bordering the Zambezi National Park in the northern stretches of Botswana. The nearest airport is Kasane Airport just 40 minutes via road. We offer complimentary airport shuttle service which must be pre-booked prior to arrival. The lodge is also easily self drive accessible

#### **AIRSTRIPS**

Mboma Island Expeditions: Xakanaxa Airstrip

Camp Savuti: Savuti Airstrip Camp Linyanti: Saile Airstrip



# **TIMING**

#### **ROAD TRANSFERS**

- Maun Airport to Mankwe Tented Retreat: approx. 1.5 to 2 hours hours via road
- Maun Airport to Boteti Tented Camp approx. 20 minutes via road
- Kasane Airport to Chobe Mopani Forest Lodge approx. 40 minutes via road

#### **AIRSTRIP TRANSFERS**

- Xakanaxa airstrip to Mboma Island Expeditions: approx 1.5 hours via road
- Savuti airstrip to Camp Savuti: approx 20 to 30 minutes via road
- Saile airstrip to Camp Linyanti: approx 1.5 hours via road

#### **BOAT TRANSFERS**

• Mboma Boat Station to Mboma Island Expeditions: approx 1 hour via boat

#### **LIGHT AIR TRANSFERS**

- Maun to Xakanaxa: approx 25-30 minutes via light air
- Maun to Savuti: approx 50-70 minutes via light air
- Maun to Saile: approx 60-80 minutes via light air
- Kasane to Xakanaxa: approx 60-90 minutes via light air
- · Kasane to Savuti: approx 40-50 minutes via light air
- Kasane to Saile: approx 50-60 minutes via light air



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