

&Beyond Xaranna Okavango Delta Camp

## Why stay?

EXCEPTIONAL GAME VIEWING
Enjoy luxurious solitude on your
very own Delta Island, within
an enormous and exclusive
90,500-hectare (223,630-acre)
Big Five wildlife concession. Leave
the crowds behind and enjoy
a full-day safari exploring this
pristine wetland system brimming
with abundant wildlife without
seeing another vehicle.

DIVERSITY OF THE DELTA
Experience all the ecosystems the Delta has to offer on land, water and from the air. Our expert guides love exploring the biodiversity of unique habitats that are species-rich with an abundance of fauna and flora.

Our welcoming staff will be on standby to take care of your every need and ensure you leave with memories to last a lifetime. You will arrive as friends and leave as family.

HOLISTIC RETREAT
Connect with yourself in tranquil surrounds and rejuvenate the mind, body and soul. Dine on locally inspired, sustainable and wholesome food, balance your chakras with a yoga session, enjoy wellness therapies and succumb to serenity.

It's been a phenomenal trip with incredible sightings, brilliant food, the usual impeccable and friendly service, and all in a camp like no other – just the most beautiful and mind blowing place!!





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### Camp amenities



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#### EXTENDED JETTY

Opening up onto a seasonal lagoon, the feature jetty is used for mokoro and boating activities, romantic private dinners and exceptional star gazing.

#### **GUESTS AREA VIEWS**

The atmosphere of the camp is cool, light and airy, in keeping with the gentle beauty of its environment. All guest areas are carefully positioned to ensure expansive views across the Delta.

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#### MASSAGE TREATMENTS

Indulge in one of our many relaxing in-room wellness treatments at your private sala for a truly authentic African experience that rejuvenates the mind, body and soul.

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#### **SAFARI SHOP**

Within the camp's beautiful Safari Shop, expect to find a range of quality, handpicked handicrafts and fashion wear that showcase the very best of vibrant Botswana. These unique items provide the perfect memento of your stay in Africa.



#### **TESLA SOLAR POWER PLANT**

80% of the camp's energy consumption is provided by a solar photovoltaic (PV) hybrid system – the first of its kind in Botswana - including a Tesla Powerpack Battery Energy Storage System (BESS).

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After your evening game drive, enjoy a pan-African al fresco dinner in the boma served beneath the stars and around the open fire on the edge of a shimmering lagoon.

### **BUSH BRUNCH**

Make the most of your safari time and allow our kitchen to prepare a delicious meal to be enjoyed while out exploring the concession with your guides.



#### **PRIVATE SALA** & PLUNGE POOL

Enjoy a lazy afternoon unwinding in your private sala and enjoy a massage, sip cocktails or lose yourself in a good book and take a refreshing dip in your private plunge pool after your captivating safari.



#### **GET ACTIVE**

If you feel like a spot of exercise, a convenient Gym-in-a-basket comes with a yoga mat, dumbbells, skipping rope, pilates ring and resistance band that can be found in your room.



#### **PERSONAL BAR**

Your suite boasts a private mini bar including our featured craft "Hope on Hopkins" vodka, as well as Absolut's raspberry flavoured vodka, which are accompanied with premium Franklin & Sons mixers.

#### SAFARI ACCESSORIES

Each tented suite comes with a complimentary pair of Swarovski Optik CL Companion 8x30 binoculars, for your use through the duration of your stay and a take-home Guides' Journal featuring wildlife illustrations and maps.

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# Lodge overview

#### CAMP

Maximum number of guests	18
Number of rooms	9
Family accommodation	Children of all ages are welcome.  1 triple tent available - max 2 adults and 1 child under 12 years.
WILDchild programme	Yes
Pilot / Guide accommodation	No
Room types	9 tented suites
Distance between rooms	Approx. 30m (98ft)
Check in / Check out times	12h00 / 14h00
Lodge closure	Open year-round

#### DINING

Food / Dietary options	Kosher food not available
Private butler service	Yes
Plated service	Yes
Private dining	Yes

### PAYMENT TYPES ACCEPTED

Credit cards accepted	Visa, MasterCard
Currency	Pounds, Euros, Dollars, Rands accepted

#### **FACILITIES**

Power	220v AC
Internet access	Yes, Wi-Fi in tented suites only
Wine store or cellar	No
Boma	Yes
Bar	Yes
Interactive kitchen	No
Swimming pool	Private plunge pools
Wellness offering	Healing Earth treatments in-room or at tented suite sala
Fitness	Gym-in-a-basket available in-room
Conference facilities	No
Wheelchair access	No
Complimentary laundry service	Yes
&Beyond Safari Shop	Yes

#### **OTHER**

Vehicle type	9 seater open safari vehicle (Max 6 guests per vehicle)
Private 4x4 safari vehicle	Yes, depending on availability and at additional cost

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### **Inclusions**

#### RATE INCLUDES

Accommodation	<b>~</b>
Three meals daily	~
Soft drinks, house wines, local brand spirits and beers, teas and coffees and refreshments on game drives	<b>~</b>
Laundry	~
Safari experiences (game drives, walking safaris, mokoro adventures*, motorised boat cruises*, catch-and-release fishing*, photography, stargazing and birding)	~
Africa Foundation community visit	~
Back-of-house sustainability tour	~
A complimentary pair of Swarovski Optik CL Companion 8×30 binoculars per room for use during your stay	~
Guides' Journal with illustrations of fauna and flora to record your sightings	~
Concession map with Xaranna's illustrated Star Birds checklist	~
Emergency medical evacuation insurance	~
VAT	~
Transfers to and from the lodge airstrip	~
Park fees	

#### RATE EXCLUDES

Administration fee	×
Telephone calls	×
Safari Shop purchases	×
Gratuities	×
All items of a personal nature	×
Champagne, cognacs, fine wines, premium brand spirits and cigars	×
Private vehicle (available at an additional cost)	×
Scenic helicopter flights	×
Wellness treatments	×



NOTE: Unmanned Aerial Vehicles: Please be advised that the use of unmanned aerial vehicles (drones) is prohibited in the conservation areas we manage, until such time as their impact on wildlife and anti-poaching initiatives can be assessed. This rule will apply throughout Africa, as our partners in various countries and regions have adopted a similar stance.







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### Land and sky experiences

A Botswana safari is an experience of a lifetime, and there is so much on offer in the Delta – from twice-daily game drives and walks, to the spectacular star-studded night skies.









#### SAFARI GAME DRIVES

Enjoy twice-daily game drives that set off early in the morning or late in the afternoon (continuing after nightfall), in the company of local career guides who will do their best to ensure that all your wishes are met. You will be encouraged not only to go in search of the Big Five, but also to appreciate the wonderful array of flora and fauna dotted across the Okavango Delta.

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#### WALKING SAFARIS

If you're looking for a thrilling view from the ground, this is your chance to discover a multitude of natural wonders in the company of your experienced safari guide. Tread in the tracks of the Delta wildlife, breathe in the scent of crushed wild grasses, and feel your senses come alive.

#### **FAMILY SAFARIS**

&Beyond offers a host of entertaining activities for children, bringing alive the magic of Botswana. Whilst on a family safari, you can rest assured that your children will always be safe and well cared for (both during activities and at the lodge). Every minute is supervised by our guides and lodge staff, who provide hours of amusement and invaluable information to the children in their care.

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#### PRIVATE SAFARIS

Tailored especially for you, this exclusive safari allows you to explore the Delta with your very own dedicated guides and vehicle. Game drives can be as long or as short as you wish, covering your personal interests, from the insect kingdom to great herds of buffalo or prides of lion. Meals can be savoured at the camp, or alternatively, enjoyed away from the lodge.

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#### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

Our expert guides will use their extensive experience in wildlife behaviour to try to get you into the best position for the shot of a lifetime. At &Beyond Sandibe Okavango Safari Lodge, our customisable vehicles come with charging points for camera equipment and camera bean bags on clamps, providing excellent support for any camera and lens combination.

#### SCENIC HELICOPTER FLIGHTS

Take to the skies for a bird's-eye view over the Okavango Delta's signature of blue waters against the green and brown tapestry of papyrus fringed islands and open floodplains. From these heights, even those far-flung and inaccessible corners of the Delta can be seen, fully showcasing the incredible diversity of landscapes and wildlife.

#### STARGAZING

Gaze at the Southern Hemisphere's night skies in complete awe. With little to no light pollution in the area, you will be amazed by what is above. Take a closer look at the planets and constellations with your guide while out on a drive, or sit out on your private deck at night and see if you are able to spot a lucky shooting star.



#### BIRDING

Botswana is a top African birding destination, with the waters in the Okavango offering great year-round diversity. Guests flock to the area in search of several specials such as the Pel's fishing owl, African pygmy goose, lesser jacana and slaty egret, to mention just a few. Our knowledgeable guides enjoy the challenge of finding your particular favourites.

### DISCOVER THE OKAVANGO DELTA Adventures of a lifetime

# Seasonal water experiences

Within the Delta, water levels change yearly. Enjoy these seasonal experiences at Nxabega Okavango Tented Camp and Xaranna Okavango Delta Camp.







#### MOKORO ADVENTURES

Pastel-coloured lilies float upon verdant lily pads, butterflies captivate with their iridescent wings and tiny painted frogs cling to the reeds as you take to the tranquil waterways in a traditional mokoro (dugout canoe). Keep a careful look out for the variety of fish darting through the crystal-clear water below you.

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#### CATCH-AND-RELEASE FISHING

The best catch-and-release fishing excursions take place from &Beyond Nxabega Okavango Tented Camp due to its proximity to the Panhandle region. Here, the Okavango River feeds into the labyrinth of channels and lagoons that makes up the heart of the Delta wetland. Try your hand at catching a variety of fish, including the predatory tiger fish.

#### MOTORISED BOAT CRUISES

Explore the Okavango Delta's intricate network of winding channels and opaque lagoons on board a sleek, motorised boat that covers great distances, showcasing magnificent views of the watery landscape. The unique perspective from the boat offers great sightings of pods of hippos, wildlife attracted to the water's edge and beautiful birdlife.

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# Impact experiences

Everything we do at &Beyond is centred around our core ethos of "Care of the Land, Care of the Wildlife and Care of the People" and we strive to provide a truly authentic experience.



#### AFRICA FOUNDATION COMMUNITY VISIT

Enquire about this feel-good community excursion to the Sexaxa Village, outside of Maun. On the day of your departure, go see the work that &Beyond and Africa Foundation have completed at the Sexaxa School. It is with our guests' support that this inspiring project has flourished, and now young children no longer need to walk a total of 10km (6mi.) to get to and from school each day. Please note that this excursion depends on your departure time.

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### BEHIND-THE-SCENES SUSTAINABILITY TOUR

We would love to show you our sustainability story. From installing the first solar power plant in the Delta at &Beyond Sandibe in 2014, to using a solar photovoltaic (PV) hybrid system at &Beyond Xaranna, the first of its kind in Botswana, with Tesla Powerpack Battery Energy Storage System technology. Audits, heating systems, water bottling plants, wastewater management - we're committed to reducing our direct carbon footprint.



#### LOCAL CRAFTS

Browse through our Safari Shops and expect to find a range of quality, handpicked handicrafts and fashion wear that showcases the very best of Botswana. Peruse their range of excellent eco-souvenirs; a portion of your purchase will support local community or conservation initiatives. Don't leave without stunning hand-woven baskets, or intricate handcrafted Bushman décor.

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## Seasonal highlights

#### YEAR-ROUND ACTIVITIES

✓ Safari game drives	✓ Photography	✓ Wellness treatments**
✓ Walking safaris	✓ Scenic helicopter flights**	✓ Africa Foundation community visit
✓ Family safaris	✓ Stargazing	✓ Back-of-house sustainability tour
✓ Private safaris**	✓ Birding	

#### TIMING IS EVERYTHING

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Mokoro adventures*	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Χ	Χ
Motorised boat cruises*	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa
Catch-and-release fishing*	Х	Х	Х	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa,Xar	Nxa	Nxa	Nxa

KEY | Nxa - & Beyond Nxabega Okavango Tented Camp; Xar - & Beyond Xaranna Okavango Delta Camp; X - Not available

It is fair to say that we have been mind-blown by the overall experience. We loved it all and really felt like family.

&BEYOND GUEST





<sup>\*</sup>This information is given based on data and can only be used as a reference because water levels change annually. Weather patterns are unpredictable.

\*\*This activity is at an additional cost



# Open and airy

Designed to keep you close to nature, be captivated by spectacular views over the Delta and hear all the sounds of the wild from the comfort of your chic tented suite.

TENTED SUITE INTERIORS



&Beyond Xaranna Okavango Delta Camp accommodation

### TENTED SUITES

**9 tented suites** / Maximum 18 guests

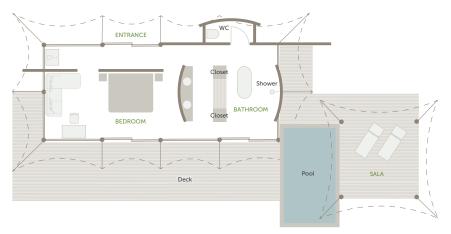


**SUITES WITH A VIEW** Immersed in nature, nine ensuite safari tents are cool, light and airy blending into the environment. Each charming suite boasts a magnificent bathrooms haven for a massage and your private plunge pool, the ideal spot to watch

# romantic four-poster bed, with spacious sunken tubs and al fresco showers. An outdoor sala is the perfect animals at the lagoon.

#### **ROOM FACILITIES**

Room sizes	94m² / 1012ft²
Private veranda	Yes, with private sala
Private plunge pool	Yes
Personal bar	Yes
Air conditioning / heating	Yes
Overhead fans	No
Mosquito nets	Yes
Bath	Yes
Shower	Indoor and outdoor shower
Seperate W.C	Yes
Telephone	Yes
Hairdryer	Yes
Internet access	Yes
In-room safe	Yes
Plug type	220V AC Plug Type C, D Adapters available
Triple bed option	1 (children 12 years and younger only)
Twin bed option	Yes (however, beds are within the same bedframe)
Double bed option	Yes
Accessibility	Not suitable for those with mobility issues



Typical tented suite layout

