

CHOBE BAKWENA LODGE

January 2023 to December 2023

STO. All rates in \$ USD

	Jan 2023 to April 2023				May 2023 to Oct 2023				Nov 2023 to Dec 2023			
	2 night package		3 night package		2 night package		3 night package		2 night package		3 night package	
	PPS	SINGLE	PPS	SINGLE	PPS	SINGLE	PPS	SINGLE	PPS	SINGLE	PPS	SINGLE
RACK PER PERSON TOTAL	1004	1346	1484	1993	1178	1597	1729	2367	1004	1346	1484	1993
RACK PP Per Night	502	673	495	664	589	799	576	789	502	673	495	664
STO PER PERSON TOTAL	774	1038	1142	1535	905	1230	1329	1822	774	1038	1142	1535
STO PP Per Night	387	519	381	512	453	616	443	607	387	519	381	512

Rates are fully inclusive as follows:

Includes:

- Accommodation, all meals, laundry, levies & taxes
- Wine, beer, cider, soft drinks, water
- Two activities per day (e.g. 2 night stay = 4 x activities and 3 night stay = 6 x activities)
- Transfers to and from Kasane airport (flying guests only) and to & from Zambia/Zimbabwe border (Botswana side only)
- Chobe National Park Fees

Excludes:

- Spirits, premium whiskeys and premium wines
- Collection of self-drivers from Airport or Kasane Town

Additions:

SHARED Transfers one way per person sharing (PRIVATE pay double)

Victoria Falls (kids < 9 yrs. @ 50%) \$70 & \$140 (Private)

Livingstone (kids < 9 yrs. @ 50%) \$85 & \$170 (Private)

PRIVATE ACTIVITIES (Game Drive / Boat Cruise)

Price per night per vehicle \$350

Honeymoon Suite SURCHARGE

Price per night \$100

Tour Leader / Guide Chalet

Per person per night* \$220

* Inc. meals, activities & excl. drinks & Chobe National Park Fees

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Room Types & Policies

- All rooms are charged at the same rate except for the honeymoon suite (see rate on previous page)
- No triples available. All rooms are sold as either double or single occupancy except for the family room that sleeps four (parents + two children)
- Guests will be allocated **either** a treetop or river view chalet and lodge will not specify the room type unless specifically requested
- If one adult is sharing with a child under 11yrs, the adult will pay the per person sharing rate
- For longer than a 3 night stay, calculate the 3 night rate divided by 3 and then multiply by amount of nights staying
- We regret: No discounts for SADAC / 2 night minimum stay / fully inclusive rates only
- NB: Treetop Chalets staircases are not suitable for elderly people over 70 years
- Changing of rooms on different nights is not permitted

Bringing the kids?

- Children of all ages are welcome
- **Rates:** Free for 0-2yrs, 3-11yrs pay 50% of adult per person sharing rate, 12+yrs full price
- Private activities are **compulsory** for families travelling with children 11 years & under
- Please enquire regarding available facilities

Other

- Check in time is 1pm and check out time is 11am
- To guarantee an activity on day of arrival guests must reach the lodge by **2pm**
- To guarantee an activity on day of departure guests must not depart before **11am**
- No need to pre-book activities, your itinerary will be discussed with your guide upon arrival
- No discounts for group bookings or tour leaders
- Educational visits are only awarded during low season
- Bakwena is located only 5 mins drive from Zambia & Zimbabwe border, so kindly arrange transfers directly to/from the lodge rather than requesting pick ups to/from Kasane Airport

Booking & Payment Terms...

- Rates are inclusive of value added tax (VAT) which is 12%
- Provisional bookings are held for a maximum period of 2 weeks.
- 50% deposit required to secure the booking and full payment to be made 30 days prior to guest arrival

Cancellation Policy for both fit & groups:

For all bookings cancelled:

- 60 to 30 days prior to arrival – **50% of total amount due**
- 29 to 15 days prior to arrival – **75% of total amount due**
- 14 to 0 days prior to arrival – **100% of total amount due**
- When paying please use the Invoice number as your payment reference. Payment options:
 1. Direct bank deposit into Bakwena lodge's FNB account.
Bakwena Lodge
6233 3481 977
First National Bank
Kasane, Botswana
285167
FIRNBWGX
 1. Online with your credit card by going to
<https://chobebakwena.com/pay>

Frequently Asked Questions

- Wi-Fi complimentary and available in all rooms and in main area
- Good cell phone reception
- Air conditioners in all rooms
- Credit card facility available
- Adaptors available upon request
- It is customary to tip one's guide in person, otherwise there are Tip boxes available at Reception for guides and all staff.
- Limited facilities for the disabled – bookings will need to be approved on a case by case basis
- US20 Surcharge for storing luggage at Bakwena
- Sleep Apnea guests need not worry, we have power 24/7
- No pets allowed

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To keep you busy & see all that the chobe has to offer

Game Drives & Boat Cruises

After a 15-20min drive you will reach the entrance to the majestic Chobe National Park. From here you will meander through the bush and along the banks of the river on the tail of elephant, impala, lion....

There will be opportunity for a brief leg stretch and to quench your thirst with tea or coffee in the morning or something a little stronger in the afternoon!

Experience the Botswana Culture

It's not only the stunning game that we want you to get close and personal to – a guided bicycle tour and/or village walk offers you the chance to experience and understand the local customs and culture and take a little slice of village life back home with you. Please enquire with one of the Bakwena team so that a tour can be arranged for you

0500: Personal **wake up** call

0530: **grab a bite** of continental breakfast

0600 - 1030: **cameras at the ready** for morning activity – time of return to lodge dependent on game sightings

1130 onwards: **Eat** lunch at leisure

1230 – 1430: **RELAX**, read, snooze, swim, wander, bird watch, lounge...

1430/1500: **TIME FOR TEA...** afternoon tea & light bites

1500 -1830: more **GAME VIEWING** as the **SUN SETS** during your afternoon activity

1900/1930: **WINE & DINE** amid the sounds of the bush

Unguided Victoria Falls Day Trip

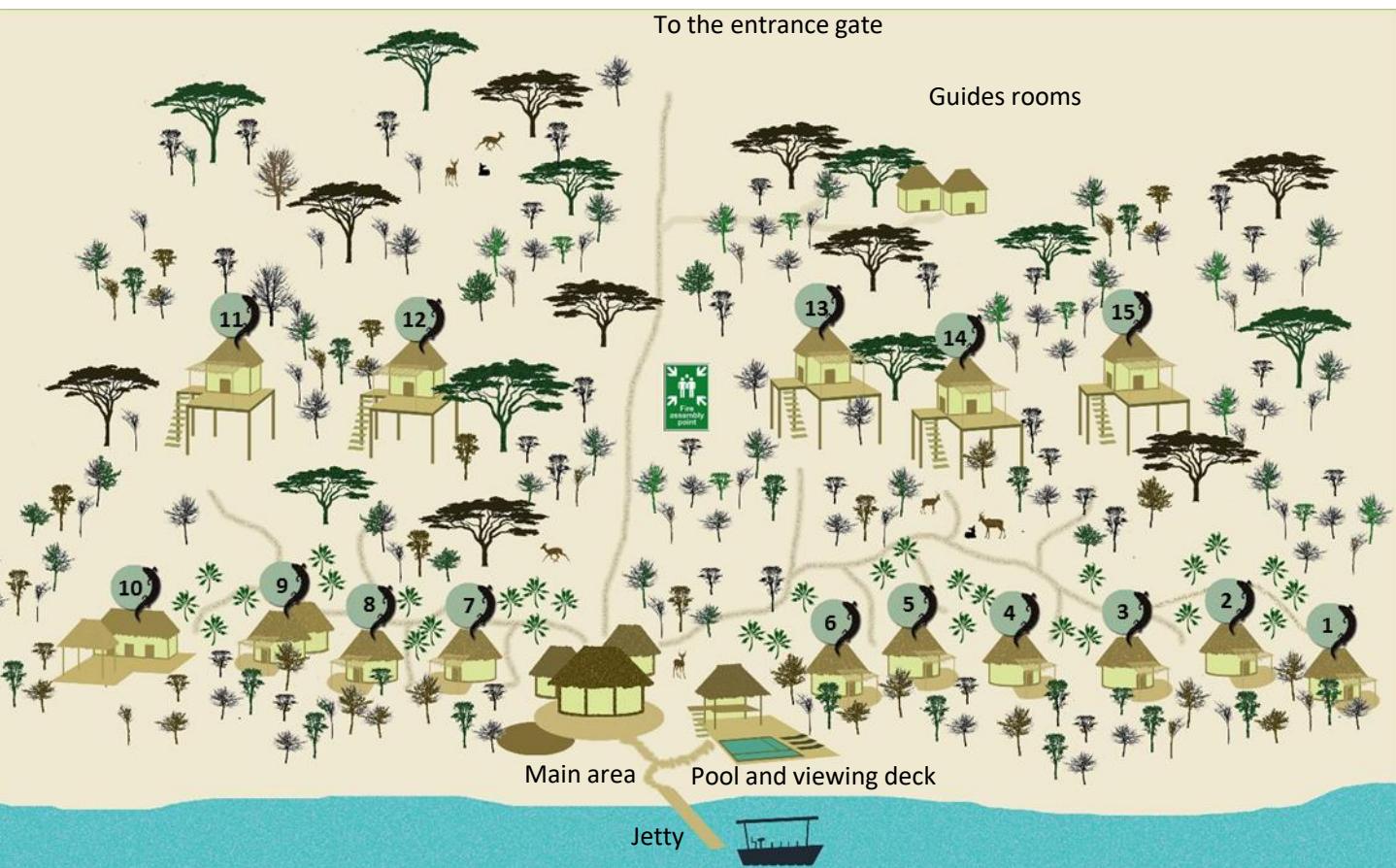
An optional paid for extra or you can exchange 2 x lodge activities for this trip. (3-night stays only).

A full day activity to experience the magic of the Falls in neighbouring Zimbabwe. You will be transported by air-conditioned mini-bus to the entrance of the National Park for a tour of the Falls. You will then be collected and transported to lunch, into town, to the local markets or for a spot of shopping, as you wish. *Please note although we will happily make suggestions this is an unguided activity and excludes park fees, visa fees (USD\$ cash only for park & visa fees) and lunch and the transfer may be shared with other guests)*

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Rooms 1 to 8:

Riverine Chalets: Twin/King

Room 9:

Family Room (Sleeps 2 adults and 2 children)

Room 10:

Honeymoon Suite

Rooms 11 to 15:

Treetop Chalets Twin/King