

# KORO RIVER CAMP



Tuli - Botswana

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### **Fast Facts**

- Based in the Tuli Private Game Reserve in Botswana, with over 10 000 hectares of undisturbed traversing.
- 6 master bedroom tented suites and 1 family tented villa with two junior suites sleeping six, all with private plunge pools
- Central deck, bar, lounge and boma
- · Limited Wifi
- Star-beds sleep out deck can accommodate 4
- · Low risk malarial area
- Family friendly
- On site predator and human wildlife conflict research

## Location

The central Tuli is a vast, wild landscape in excess of 60,000 hectares bordering the Northern Tuli. It is completely unfenced and is home to numerous species of fauna and flora, among them elephant, eland, brown and spotted hyena and bat eared fox to name but a few. Koro has become known for its phenomenal leopard sightings that go hand in hand with the research that is run from Koro Camps. The birdlife is prolific especially along the riparian forests that clearly mark the majestic Limpopo river's journey. Beautiful secluded permanently seeping natural springs in the hills are a major game and bird attraction, particularly for elephant into the dry season. The Tuli skyline is a spectacular mix of inslebergs or rocky outcrops, huge Candelabra trees and Giant Baobabs which have, in part given the area its local name "land of giants", the other part of the name lies in the gentle giants, the elephant that wander the area making it as beguiling today as yesteryear.

#### Access

By road - Koro is a mere 550kms from Oliver Tambo International. A high clearance vehicle can make it all the way, alternatively we will meet and transfer you from Platjan border post to the camp. From Gaborone it is 550kms and from Polokwane it is 240kms. By Air – Angel Gabriel offers direct flights from Lanseria Johannesburg to Limpopo Valley Airport (1.5hrs) where we collect and road transfer the final 50kms. Flights are also offered to Polokwane from where we would arrange a road transfer for the remainder of the trip. Angel Gabriel also offer set weekly flights from Maun as well as Madikwe which opens up packaging options.

# Camp

With a timeless air of intrigue and luxury, Koro River Camp nestles comfortably into the shady, wild banks of the Limpopo River. There is an untamed, intangible air around the camp and it is this enveloping comfort that provides a catalyst for breaking boundaries, personal reflection and healing....we call it re-souling!

The common areas consist of an inviting and shaded deck, indoor dining room and bar, a private cosy lounge where one can hide with a book or a pair of binoculars, a small exclusive gift shop, a wellness sala for some quiet pampering and a central boma fireplace. Privacy is of the utmost consideration making Koro the ideal safari retreat!





### **Activities**

We seek out the unusual, we opt for the different and we strive for all that is wild in our opportunistic attitude to each day.

#### ON OFFER:

- Game drives (and night drives)
- Guided walks
- Magical sundowners with a fire on top of a koppie
- Stake outs at hides with beverages and binoculars
- Visit the ancient rock art and go back in time
- Picnics
- Bush dinners
- Bush breakfasts
- Drives/ walks and presentations by the Koro research team
- Special events and packages
- Star Safaris, Yoga Retreats, Cooking Safaris
- Specialist Elephant Tracking and so much more...
- Spa sala for some pampering
- Private Plunge pool and loungers, the ideal retreat time
- Reading Lounge with fan and fireplace to suit the season



Dare to Explore!

# Conservation

Conservation tourism is the core of all our operations and is very important to Albert Hartog, founder of The Africa Experience, Albert set up a foundation, TIMBO AFRIKA to fund and support numerous conservation and community projects. At Koro, TIMBO AFRIKA funds an accredited PhD level field study, focussing on the ecology of leopards and hyenas of the Tuli. This includes the highly endangered Kalahari icon, the brown hyena. We invite our guests to participate in monitoring activities and field observations. Our deep rooted philanthropic and conservation passion has created various community development programs. A 'bee barrier' project is underway to help alleviate elephant conflict with local farmers, and wildlife education programs are supported at the Mathathane primary school. Visits to the village sites outside are highly recommended. All tourism profits go directly back to the foundation to be plowed back into the conservation of the area, its cultural heritage and its people.

# **Easy Reference Table**

TENTS	6 x master tented suite, 1 x family tented villa with 2 junior suites	OUTDOOR SHOWER	Yes
SIZE OF TENT	36m <sup>2</sup>	INDOOR SHOWER	Yes
PRIVATE DECKS	Yes	ВАТН	Yes
SIZE OF DECKS	100m <sup>2</sup>	BED SIZE	King size, extra length
PRIVATE PLUNGE POOL	Yes	COMMON POOL AREA	No
MEALS SERVED AT SUITES	Yes	INROOM BAR	Yes
GUESTS	Max 18	WIFI	Limited
CENTRAL DINING	Yes	HAIRDRYERS	On request
ROOM FANS	Yes	CENTRAL POOL	No
OTHERWISE ABLED	Yes on request	CENTRAL LOUNGE	Yes
CHILDREN ON SAFARI	Yes with restrictions if under 10	FIREPLACE	Yes
CHILD RATE	Yes on request	MEETING PLACE	Yes
FAMILY SUITE (TENT 7)	Max 6 Guests	GUESTS PER VEHICLE	8
STARBEDS	Yes, Max 4 guests	WELLNESS SALA	Yes
CLIMATE	Rainy season Oct-March emps 24° to 36°	MALARIAL AREA	Low risk - Please take appropriate precautions.

For tailor-made journeys privately guided safaris and special packages, please do not hesitate to contact us

