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## **A Set Departure Safari**

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Experience a unique mobile safari into the Moremi Game Reserve in the famed Okavango Delta. The only reserve in the Okavango, the wildlife-rich Moremi is an exciting safari destination.

Moremi is home to elephant, lion, leopard, zebra, wildebeest, buffalo, red lechwe, impala giraffe, hyena, cheetah and the endangered African wild dog.

A mobile safari is the ultimate way to experience the natural grandeur of Botswana. On your journey you'll encounter true nature as well as the authenticity and rich diversity Botswana has to offer. Witnessing stunning landscapes and wildlife spectacles that will remain with you forever.

A Heritage Blue Ribbon Safari is a fully serviced mobile safari. All you need to do is sit back in comfort and enjoy your safari experience. With only twelve places available (six per vehicle), a Heritage Blue Ribbon Safari is for those looking for a truly exclusive safari experience.

# Moremi Heritage Blue Ribbon Safari Itinerary

## Day 1: Island Safari Lodge, Maun

On your arrival you will be met by your guide or one of our representatives to welcome you to our beautiful Botswana. Our team will be ready to assist you in anything that you may need assistance with. After a quick welcome we will then transfer you to Island Safari Lodge.

Located on the banks of the Thamalakane River, Island Safari Lodge is a cool and welcoming oasis in the heart of Maun. Shaded under a huge canopy of large trees, the lodge overlooks the river and floodplain beyond.

Island Safari Lodge is set on a 300 acre private island reserve, just 10 km from Maun Airport. The protected reserve has several walking trails running through the bush, perfect for a nature walk.

Relax by one of the two swimming pools or head to the restaurant and bar for the river view.

**Meals:** Dinner, bed and breakfast. Drinks not included.

## Day 2: Moremi Game Reserve

We will meet and depart for the bush by

6:00am.

You will head north towards Moremi Game Reserve for approximately 45km. From this point on you will be surrounded by the rich and diverse fauna and flora this area is famous for.

Moremi Game Reserve is in northern Botswana, part of the Okavango Delta, which becomes a lush animal habitat during seasonal floods. Spend the day exploring this verdant area, enjoying the pristine landscape and abundant wildlife. These experiences will stay with you forever and you'll be fortunate to have photographic opportunities of a lifetime.

Stopping at a suitable and scenic area, you will enjoy a light but wholesome lunch. You'll then continue to explore the area for the rest of the day, arriving in your campsite in time for the evening. Camp will be set up, so you can kick back and relax.

**Meals:** Full board. Drinks (local brands) included.

## Day 3: Moremi Game Reserve

After enjoying a light continental breakfast you'll depart to explore the reserve by open

game viewer on a morning game drive.

The unique ecosystem and characteristic of the Okavango Delta allows for a diverse spectrum of wildlife and, coupled with effective protective measures, results in huge herds of impala and tsessebe. In the dry season, large herds of buffalo, wildebeest, elephant and zebra come into the reserve from the dry Kalahari Desert in search of both food and water.

At midday you'll return to camp for lunch and afternoon siesta. In the afternoon embark on another game drive to explore this unique and legendary game reserve.

When you return to camp in the early evening, settle around a crackling campfire and share tales of the day's events. Enjoy dinner and drinks under the African night sky.

**Meals:** Full board. Drinks (local brands) included.

## Day 4: Moremi Game Reserve

After enjoying a light continental breakfast we depart on a morning game drive to explore Moremi by open game viewer.

The Moremi Game Reserve is home to over

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400 of the Okavango's species of birds, including the African fish eagle, crested crane and sacred ibis. The vast array of mammal, bird, insect, plant, fish and reptile species have adapted to the Okavango Delta's swamp conditions.

Return to camp midday for lunch and an afternoon siesta. In the afternoon, head out again on a game drive to track game across the reserve.

In the evening, return to camp for pre-dinner drinks around the camp followed by a delicious dinner prepared by our camp chef.

**Meals:** Full board. Drinks (local brands) included.

## Day 5: Moremi - Island Safari Lodge, Maun

This morning after enjoying a light breakfast, we start our return journey to Maun. You'll arrive in Maun in time for lunch, which you are welcome to enjoy at the Island Safari Lodge restaurant.

Take a cool dip in the swimming pool overlooking the river, relaxing in the comfort of your air-conditioned room or lounge at the restaurant area.

**Meals:** Dinner, bed and breakfast. Drinks not included.

## Day 6: End of Itinerary

Departure from Island Safaris for the next leg of your journey.

## Set Departure Schedule

03 Feb - 07 Feb 2020	\$1,690
03 Mar - 07 Mar 2020	\$1,690
03 Apr - 07 Apr 2020	\$1,945
24 Jul - 28 Jul 2020	\$2,030
16 Aug - 20 Aug 2020	\$2,030
07 Oct - 11 Oct 2020	\$2,030



# Safari Information

## Included With Your Safari

- Spacious tents (3m x 3m) with stretchers and bedrolls included and en suite private bush ablutions.
- Open dining room tents for a natural outdoor feeling, whilst still protecting you from the elements.
- Open sided 4x4 safari vehicle. Professional guide and camp assistants.
- National park and camping fees.
- The safaris are on a dinner, bed & breakfast and lunch basis to suite the duration of the safari. Should you be accommodated at Island Safari Lodge for a pre-night, breakfast will be included.
- All drinks included (soft, local alcoholic drinks, still water).

## What to Bring

### Luggage

- A soft bag or rucksack as they are easier to pack.
- One item of hand luggage (e.g. a small backpack) which can be kept at your feet

for easy access during activities.

Please do not exceed 20 kg of luggage.

### Clothing & Equipment

- Flashlight with spare batteries and bulbs. A head torch is a good idea as it keeps your hands free.
- Hat or cap. A wide-brimmed hat is best to shade your face and neck.
- Scarf and gloves during winter as we can experience very low temperatures.
- Warm fleece and windbreaker jacket. Windproof during the winter months (May - Sept), waterproof during the summer months (Nov - Mar).
- Swimming costume. You may like a swim when visiting a lodge or either pre or post safari.
- Natural colour clothing (i.e. no white or bright colour clothing). Bring T-shirts, shorts, a pair of lightweight long trousers and a lightweight long sleeve shirt (long sleeves are extremely useful for sun protection during the day and mosquito protection during the evening).
- Comfortable walking shoes and sandals.
- Camera equipment, binoculars and batteries. Bring spare memory cards for

digital cameras as the opportunity to download photos is limited.

- Adaptors for cables, chargers, USB, etc. Please label them so as to avoid confusion on safari.
- Small, spare power bank so you can recharge your camera batteries.
- Water bottle.

### Personal Toiletry items & Medication

- Personal toiletries and medication in a small bag.
- Sunscreen.
- Malaria prophylactics. Please consult your doctor before your safari.
- Mosquito repellent.
- Water proof/zip lock bags for storing personal items to keep dry and dust free.
- Personal first aid kit.

A first aid kit will be present throughout the safari but personal medicine must be brought for the duration of the safari.