



## FACT SHEET

Cradled amongst Camelthorn trees and vistas of undulating Kalahari sands crusted in golden grass, Otjimbondona Kalahari offers those seeking luxury, exclusivity and tranquility the ideal African retreat.

### Location

This tranquil retreat is situated 120km south east of Windhoek and 80km from the Hosea Kutako International Airport on a 3000-hectare Private Nature Reserve on the fringes of the Namibia Kalahari basin.

### History

The Slaney family acquired the farm Otjimbondona in 1922. Otjimbondona is a Herero word and means “the place where the small camelthorn trees grow”.

The original farmhouse was built in 1923 by the well-known Italian mason, Filipo Philisario, who also built the historic Avis railway bridge as you enter Windhoek from the airport.

The owners wanted to maintain some of this history and decided to build the Manor House area around the initial house, which was made up of only 2 rooms. These two rooms were built out of local stone (klip), which was dressed on site and they have now been turned into an enchanting library, reception and curio area. Take a step back in time and enjoy the timeless elegance of the Manor House with grand views over the private nature reserve.

### Unique selling points

- UNDERSTATED ELEGANCE - elegance in pure, uncomplicated luxury
- AUTHENTICITY-a rich heritage setting the benchmark for luxury with genuine heartfelt Namibian hospitality.
- WARMTH- people are at the heart of the lodge. A sense of belonging – for guests and staff.
- LOCATION - far away but near enough
- TRANQUILITY – peaceful & calm
- ROMANCE & HONEYMOON- designed for couples in love, whether on honeymoon or renewing romance together.
- ESCAPE- back to nature – enjoy the silence

### Luxury Villas

Four luxurious Villas offering modern comforts in an exquisite Kalahari landscape, each decorated to depict a different theme – landscape, fauna & flora, people and Nguni cattle.

The timeless feel of this beautiful boutique lodge flows through into each of the four spacious Villas, individually decorated and complete with fireplace, private deck, plunge pool and sala. You will enjoy the heritage feel along with the modern conveniences and above all, the Namibian hospitality that your hosts, Anita & Wilfried, are able to offer

The Villas offer complete privacy to complement the romantic setting.

## Villa facts

### Lounge

- Fireplace
- Television (DSTV)

### Bedroom

- Extra large beds
- Air Conditioner
- Safe
- En-suite bathroom
- Bathtub & separate shower
- Separate toilet

### Kitchenette

- Mini Bar
- Nespresso Coffee machine & Kettle

### Outside

- Private terrace
- Plunge pool
- Private sala
- View onto waterhole

## Activities & Facilities

- Namibian farming
- Game drives
- Nature drives
- Arnheim cave visit
- Guided Nature walks
- Birding
- Star Gazing
- Wellness treatments
- Yoga
- Chill Sala
- Sauna & Gym
- Infinity pool
- Library
- Curio shop
- Conference & meeting room
- Meerkats
- Scenic flights (on request)



## Contact

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- Credit cards accepted Mastercard and Visa
- Day room available
- No pets allowed
- Smoking only in designated areas
- Wi-Fi available

## Special excursions & packages tailor-made to suit individual needs

- Incentive and small conference groups
- Luxury meeting facility
- Corporate Break-away packages
- Intimate weddings
- Honeymoon packages
- Scenic flight and fly-in safari packages
- Day visit packages

## Child Policy

- Child policy is tailor-made to suit individual requests.

## Access

### BY ROAD

3 km past Hosea Kutako international airport turn, right onto M51 to Nina. Stay on the M51 for 80 km until you arrive at the Otjimbondona gate to your right. Transfers to the lodge and to the airport can be arranged on request.

- GPS Co-ordinates:
- 22.794204, 18.137805

### BY AIR

Private fly in transfer can be arranged from Hosea Kutako, Eros airport or any other destination in Namibia. The lodge has a private airstrip.

GPS Co-ordinates:  
S22°50' E18°07'  
Elevation 4700 ft  
1000m long runway

