

# Back to Zambia with Rich and Susie - June 2024 -



# **Itinerary Summary**

Dates	Nights	Lodge/Hotel	Acc type
31 May 2024	1 night	Latitude 15 Lusaka Home - Latitude 15 (thelatitudehotels.com)	Heritage Room Dinner, bed and breakfast
1 June - 4 June 2024	3 nights	Lion Camp Northern part of South Luangwa National Park African Wilderness Safari - Lion Camp, South Luangwa National Park	Canvas thatched Suites All inclusive
4 June – 7 June 2024	3 nights	Puku Ridge Southern part of South Luangwa National Park Luxury South Luangwa Safari Lodge » Chiawa Safaris	Luxury tent All inclusive
7 June – 10 June 2024	3 nights	Chiawa Lodge Lower Zambezi National Park <u>Chiawa Camp » Chiawa Safaris</u>	Luxury tent All inclusive

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#### Cost:

Sharing rate: USD\$11 895
Single supplement is USD\$1690

\*maximum 12 guests

\*30% deposit required to confirm your place on the trip

#### **Includes:**

1 x night Lusaka 15 Degrees Hotel - DBB

3 x nights Lion Camp - All inclusive

3 x nights Puku Ridge - All inclusive

3 x nights Chiawa - All inclusive

All internal scheduled charter flights

All transfers

All conservation fees

Gratuities

## **Excludes:**

International flight

Visa costs USD\$50 per person payable on arrival

Items of a personal nature

Pre or Post trips

# Non-refundable Deposit:

- Please note to hold your space on the trip at 30% non-refundable deposit is due on confirmation.
- Final payment is due 60 days / 8 weeks before we travel
- You can choose to pay the deposit by Credit Card or by bank transfer
- The bank details can be found on your invoice. Please ensure you pay USD into the USD account

## **Travel Insurance**

You are strongly advised to have your own insurance to cover your deposit, cancellation, baggage, personal accident and medical attention. Due to the remote areas in which we operate, it is vital that all guests are covered for emergencies and other unforeseen circumstances. We will not be held responsible for any guest travelling without insurance.

A 100% cancellation policy applies should you fail to join or start your safari/journey for any reason, including airline delays or missed connections. Please ensure adequate travel insurance is in place for this eventuality.

#### Cash & credit cards

While travelling in Zambia you can use your credit card and ATMs are available at the airport on arrival. I don't forsee you needing any cash unless you would like to give an extra gratuity to a guide or the general staff. Please note that I have costed in a gratuitiy per person throughout the trip.

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## Passport and visa info

American & Canadian citizens need to get a visa to visit Zambia. This visa can be purchased on arrival for 50USD (subject to change). It is a pretty quick and simple process.

Visitors to Africa must have a passport that is valid for at least 6 months beyond their intended departure date. Each country you visit generally requires at least 3 consecutive/side by side blank pages on entry for both visas and stamps. Should there be insufficient blank visa pages in the passport then entry into a country could be denied.

# **Covid Testing**

To enter Zambia you no longer need a covid test. Please check with your airline to see if they require a covid test or proof of vaccination in order to fly.

## **Bugs**

As you know, Africa has bugs. We are visiting Zambia in June which is the start of the winter season so Mosquitos will be less prevalent. Having said that I would still take profalactics for Malaria. Zambia is also known for its Tsetsi flies. You also get these flies when visiting Kenya and Tanzania. They are most prevalent in woodland areas which we will be avoiding but I cant promise that you will not see a Tsetsi fly. We will of course travel with all the necessary bug deterants on the trip.

#### **Health Requirements**

Malaria is a threat in most African countries so precautions must be taken. You are travelling in our Autumn time which is a change in season. I suggest you contact your doctor for advice.

The government of South African, Botswana, Zimbabwe and Zambia requires proof of yellow fever vaccination only if you are arriving from a country with risk of yellow fever. This does not include Canada or the USA. If you are traveling from a country other than the US, check this list to see if you may be required to get the yellow fever vaccine: Countries with risk of yellow fever virus (YFV) transmission.

#### Wi-Fi

Wi-Fi is available throughout your trip. Remember that on Safari wifi the connection may be slow and frustrating. I suggest you switch off while on safari ... if you can<sup>©</sup>. It's amazing to immerse yourself in the bush and cut yourself off from the real world for a few days, not many people have the opportunity to do so.

#### Hairdryer

There is no need to pack a hairdryer for your trip. It takes up a lot of much needed space and the camps wont have the correct power needs for it. There are hairdryers in your rooms at each camp – these are specifically made to work on the solar power generated by the camp.

#### Luggage

Please remember that we will be flying on small charter flights which have a strict 15Kg luggage restriction for cabin luggage and 5Kgs for hand luggage. My advice is to travel light as too much

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luggage is hard to move around with. There is a strict luggage restriction for all guests travelling by light aircraft transfers of 20kg (44lbs), 25cm (10 inches) wide x 30cm (12 inches) high and 65cm (26 inches) long per person in soft, manageable bags which may have one rigid side, this includes hand baggage and camera equipment.

Please tag your luggage with your name and contact details and keep your passport on you when travelling as you will need it to check-in to flights and at hotel receptions.

## Laundry

You are able to do Laundry throughout your trip and is included in the camp nightly rate.

#### **Gratuities**

I have costed this into the trip price as I don't want you to worry about anything on your holiday. Leave the gratuitiy to us. We will ensure that all staff are taken care of. If you feel that you would like to contribute more to a specific staff member please feel free to do so.

#### **Power**

In Zambia the power plug sockets are of type C, D and G. Check out the following pictures.

- Type C: also known as the standard "Euro" plug. This socket also works with plug E and plug F.
- Type D: mainly used in India, Sri Lanka, Nepal, and some African countries. This socket only works with plug D.
- Type G: this type is of British origin. This socket only works with plug G.







TYPE D



TYPE G

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