

# **General Information**

All activities are conducted in our open game viewers Capacity per vehicle is approximately 6 – 8 people All activities are subject to amendments due to Weather | Animal movements | Availability | Other circumstances If any activities are pre-paid (we prefer all payments for additional activities to be done directly at the lodge), then there is no refund if not utilized All rates are subject to change without prior notification

## **Included Activities**

Apoka Safari Lodge rates includes two game activities per overnight. They consist of the following options which will be finalized at the Lodge in order to determine the most suitable itinerary as conditions vary from day-to-day (Weather | Animal movements | Availability | Other circumstances).

### • Game Drive: morning or afternoon

- o Conducted in Kidepo Valley National Park by an experienced Lodge Guide
- Duration is approximately 3 hours
- Game drives generally start at 06h30 (morning) and 16h30 (afternoon)

### • Game Drive: Hot Springs

- Included for guests staying 3 nights or longer only
- Conducted in Kidepo Valley National Park by an experienced Lodge Guide & UWA Ranger Guide
- Duration is approximately 5 6 hours (44 kilometres | 2 hours away)
- o The game drive to the Hot Springs generally starts at 06h30
- The location offers a small spring, but the game viewing and birding is fantastic. Ostrich and other endemic species are commonly found here.

### • Walking Safari: Morning / Afternoon

- Conducted on foot in the Kidepo Valley National Park by an experienced Lodge Guide & UWA Ranger Guide
- o The activity starts with a vehicle which is used to drop / collect guests from a designated point
- Duration is approximately 2 3 hours
- Walks are best done in the morning starting at 06h30, or late in the afternoon (although afternoons can be hot or rainy)

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### **Extra Activities**

Apoka Safari Lodge offers costed activities over and above those included and detailed above. They consist of the following options and we **prefer that these are booked and paid for at the Lodge** in order to determine the most suitable itinerary as conditions vary from day-to-day (Weather | Animal movements | Availability | Other circumstances). There is NO refund on any pre-paid unused activities

- Game Drive: night drive: i.e. irrespective of whether this is one of two game activities per overnight OR a third activity per overnight:
  - o Conducted in Kidepo Valley National Park by an experienced Lodge Guide & UWA Ranger Guide
  - Duration is approximately 2 hours
  - Night game drives generally start at 19h30/20h00 (latest driving times in the park are 22h00) **Cost: lodge:** (to be paid directly [in cash] to Apoka Lodge) +
    - \$150 per vehicle

### Cost: UWA ranger guide: (to be paid directly [in cash] to Uganda Wildlife Authority when at the Lodge)

- \$ 100 per <u>Vehicle</u> Foreign Non Resident / Foreign Residents
  UGX 100,000 per <u>Vehicle</u> East African Citizen
   <u>Use of UWA guides is mandatory for night game drive.</u>

  If it is a group of mixed Residencies, then the higher rate prevails
- Game Drive: <u>additional</u> Day-time Game Drive i.e. A third activity over and above the two rate-included game activities per overnight:
  - Conducted in Kidepo Valley National Park by an experienced Lodge Guide
  - Duration is approximately 3 hours
    - Cost: lodge: \$150 per vehicle (cost to be paid directly [in cash] to Apoka Lodge) + Note that if this additional game drive visits an area where an UWA Ranger Guide is required (such as the hot springs), then there is a further additional cost to UWA Cost: LIWA: (cost to be paid directly [in cash] to Llagnda Wildlife Authority when at the Lodge)
      - **Cost: UWA**: (cost to be paid directly [in cash] to Uganda Wildlife Authority when at the Lodge)
      - \$30 per vehicle Foreign Non Resident / Foreign Residents
      - UGX 30,000 per vehicle East African Citizen
        - If it is a group of mixed Residencies, then the higher rate prevails
- Walking Safari: Additional Day-time Walking Safari: i.e. A third activity over and above the two rate-included game activities per overnight:
  - Conducted on foot in the Kidepo Valley National Park by an experienced Lodge Guide & UWA Ranger Guide
  - $\circ$  ~ The activity starts with a vehicle which is used to drop / collect guests from a designated point
  - Duration is approximately 2 3 hours
  - Walks are best done in the morning starting at 06h30, or late in the afternoon (although afternoons can be hot or rainy)
  - **Cost: Lodge: \$100 per Vehicle/group** (cost to be paid directly [in cash] to Lodge)
  - **Cost: UWA ranger guide costs:** (cost to be paid directly [in cash] to Uganda Wildlife Authority when at the Lodge)
    - \$30 per Foreign Non Resident
    - \$15 per Foreign Resident
    - UGX 10,000 per East African Citizen
      - If it is a group of mixed Residencies, then the higher rate prevails

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- **Private Vehicle Hire** i.e. Irrespective of whether this is one of two game activities per overnight OR a third activity per overnight:
  - Private vehicle use never guaranteed prior to travel can only be booked and confirmed at the lodge
  - **Cost: Lodge** (to be paid directly [in cash] to Apoka Lodge)
    - \$300 per vehicle per 4 hours

Note that if this additional game drive visits an area where an UWA Ranger Guide is required (such as the hot springs), then there is a further additional cost to UWA (to be paid directly [in cash] to Uganda Wildlife Authority when at the Lodge)

Cost: UWA:

- \$20 per Vehicle Foreign Non Resident / Foreign Residents
- UGX 20,000 per Vehicle East African Citizen
  If it is a group of mixed Residencies, then the higher rate prevails

### • Lorukul Village Visit

- Conducted by vehicle to the village and then a walking tour of the village
- A mini game drive is conducted on the return journey
- This forms part of the two rate-inclusive game activities per day no additional game drive offered
- o Duration is approximately 3-4 hours
- $\circ \quad \mbox{The tour usually departs at 15h30}$
- **Cost: Lodge:** (to be paid directly [in cash] to Apoka Lodge)
  - \$30 per person
  - Proceeds go towards funding projects at the village

### • Morungole Mountain Climbing to the IK Tribe

- o A full day trip to the lk people, located on top of Mount Morungole
- o This is a unique and authentic experience visiting one of Africa's most remote tribes
- This activity replaces the two rate-inclusive game activities per day no additional game activity offered
- o Duration is a full day and is suitable for those staying 3 nights or longer
- The vehicle departs for the 1.5 hour drive to the base at 06h00 in the morning and returns to the Lodge at around 18h00
- **Cost: Lodge:** \$130 per person (to be paid directly [in cash] to Apoka Lodge)
- o Cost includes Lodge Vehicle & Guide | UWA fees | UPDF fees | Ik Tribe fees
- NOTE: This trip is suitable for those who are fit only. The hike is tough: approximately 4 hours from base to the tribe & 4 hours back. Hiking is up/down a steep, narrow incline

### • Park Fees

- A day's entrance fee is strictly valid for 24 hours from time of entrance.
- All visitors will be required to present valid identification documents to confirm resident status.
- Children are persons aged between 5 15 years. Persons below 5 years are exempt.
- Vehicle Entrance Fees paid separately.
- Cost to be paid directly to Uganda Wildlife Authority at the Lodge and is due for everyone staying at Apoka. Park fees must be paid in cash UWA do not have credit card or other facilities.

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Per Person Per Day - ADULTS	\$	40	\$	30	UGX	20,000
Per Person Per Day - CHILDREN	\$	20	\$	10	UGX	5,000



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