VFL-HRE Pop-Roof Landcruiser + Bush Trailer (Arrive & Drive Itinerary)

(incl. Fuel & Catering on days as specified)

#PAX	**3**
#DAYS	**12**
# Vehicles	**1**

(PAX incl. Assistant)

Custom pop-roof gameviewer Landcruiser + Bush Trailer kitted for up to 8PAX

DATE STAMP: 9-Nov-24

DATE	DAY	DAY-BY-DAY GUIDELINES	ACCOM.	TYPE	CATERING
	Monday	**Your adventure starts @ Victoria Falls (4x4 Handover & depart to Hwange NP).** Your driver will collect you from your Vic Falls accommodation take you on a 4hr drive through the Matetsi Safari Area to Robins Campsite in the Western section of Hwange NP.	**Hwange NP Developed Campsite**	**Camping with running water**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Tuesday	**Explore Western Hwange NP.** Game-drive the western section of Hwange National Park	**Hwange NP, Developed Campsite**	**Camping with running water**	**Bush Catering**
	Wednesday	**Dive through Hwange NP.** A full-day's game-drive through the heart of Hwange NP Hwange to overnight at your campsite in the Sikumi Forest area	**Sikumi Forest, Developed Campsite**	**Camping with running water**	**Bush Catering**
	Thursday	**Explore Sikumi Forest Area.** Stop in at the Wild Dog Conservation Centre. Afternoon Sundowners overlooking the waterhole before dinner.	**Developed Campsite, Sikumi Forest**	**Camping with running water**	**Bush Catering**
	Friday	**Break camp early, drive to Mlibizi, Embark Kariba Ferry <09:00** for 10:00 sailing for the 300km the length of the lake. Relax on the decks and enjoy the trip.	**Kariba Overnight Ferry**	**Sleep in Salon**	**Fully-Catered**
	Saturday	**Rock-star transfer to Sailing Catamaran, mid-water, direct from Kariba Ferry.** Your private sailing catamaran will appear over the horizon early morning and come alongside the Kariba Ferry (weather permitting) . You will disembark directly onto your own private sailing catamarn and head off across the lake to cruise the Matusadona shores. You will sleep on the decks in expansive wilderness with elephants dotting the shoreline. Your skipper will show you the ropes and keep you safe on the water.	**Lake Kariba Private Sailing Catamaran**	**Sleep under stars on deck/ on islands**	**Fully catered**
	Sunday	**Sail Lake Kariba** Your skipper will guide you as you sail the open water and cruise the Kariba Shoreline. Rate for sailing portion is all inclusive: Boat Hire, Zimparks Fees, Fuel (yes, you will need some!), Guide, Soft Drinks, Meals, Snacks and Boat hire. Excludes alcohol which you need to bring with you.	**Lake Kariba Private Sailing Catamaran**	**Sleep under stars on deck/ on islands**	**Fully catered**
	Monday	**Disembark Sail Boat, Assistant drives you to Mana Pools NP.** Drive through the bush to Makuti (last possible fuel) TOP UP THE FUEL TANKS, THIS IS YOUR LAST CHANCE. Proceed 150km to MANA RECEPTION, check in AGAIN and proceed to your CAMPSITE. BEWARE MONKEYS WILL RAID ALL UNATTENDED FOOD AND EVEN STEAL BACON OUT THE FRYING PAN AT MANA! KEEP ALL FOOD IN THE CAR WITH ALL WINDOWS CLOSED AT ALL TIMES. SERVE PLATES FROM THE TRAILER. NO FRESH FRUIT ALLOWED AT MANA OR ELEPHANTS WILL RAID. STICK TO MARKED TRACKS AND DO NOT DRIVE OFF MARKED ROADS UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.	**Mana Pools NP, Exclusive Riverside camp**	**Wild camping, pit latrine only. Water & shower @ Nyamepi**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Tuesday	**Explore Mana Pools.** You will drive yourselves with the vehicle inside Mana Pools National Park whilst your assistant will manage the campsite and prepare meals. You are encouraged to hire a Zimparks guide at USD10/hr to guide you in the vehicle and on foot inside the park, you can arrnage this at Mana Reception upon arrival.	**Mana Pools NP, Exclusive Riverside camp**	**Wild camping, pit latrine only.**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Wednesday	**Drive to Chitake Campsite.** Break camp after breakfast and drive up to beautiful Chitake Springs, where the river bed couldn't be better laid out for photographing the massive herds of buffallo coming down to drink and the bushes turn into lions in front of your eyes.	**Chitake Exclusive campsite, Chitake Springs**	**Wild Camping**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Thursday	**Explore Chitake** (use130l water stored on trailer). N.B. no walking at Chitake (due to afore-mentioned tendency of bushes to unexpectedly turn into lions), rather sit quietly in your chair under the fig tree at the spring and wait for animals to come to the water below, or go view the Baobab forest), look for broken pottery shards on the ground, please do not remove these out of respect, they are Shona burial pots. Buffalo herds can arrive to drink at any time at the spring, their arrival heralded by a cloud of dust on the horizon. N.B. Lions are most active at night, do not stray from camplight at night. No driving after dark and no camping at the fig tree (please, please, please abide by the Mana/Chitake code of conduct provided). Most action will happen early morning or at dusk so get up early and wait at the water till sundown. 5mins after the sun sets, if you sit quietly at the fig tree, thousands of sand grouse will whizz in centimeters above your head as they come in to drink from the spring. It is a quite surreal experience how they coordinate their arrival time. Within 15 mins they are done and will all be gone.	**Chitake Exclusive campsite, Chitake Springs**	**Wild Camping**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Friday	**Drive to Harare** (return 4x4). Break camp and drive to Harare. You must depart <08:30 so as to avoid driving in the dark	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**

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