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

(incl. Driver, Fuel & Catering as specified)

#PAX	8	(PAX incl. Assistant)
#DAYS	13	
# Vehicles	1	Custom pop-roof gameviewer Landcruiser + Bush Trailer kitted for up to 8PAX

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DATE	DAY	DAY-BY-DAY GUIDELINES	ACCOM.	TYPE	CATERING
	Sunday	**Assistant drives you to Mana Pools NP.** Rendezvous Sunbird Guest House Harare @06:00 for the +/- 9 HOUR DRIVE to Mana Pools National park. Set up camp (4-man canvas dome tents + Bush trailer then settle in to your Exclusive Riverside campsite. Afternoon Game Drive in the pop-roof Land Cruiser then dinner and bed.	**Mana Pools NP, Exclusive Riverside camp**	**Wild Camping**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Monday	**Explore Mana Pools.** You can drive yourselves with the vehicle inside Mana Pools National Park whilst your driver/chef 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 (arrange @Reception upon arrival).	**Mana Pools NP, Exclusive Riverside camp**	**Wild Camping**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Tuesday	**Explore Mana Pools.** Zimparks ranger to guide you in vehicle and on foot.	**Mana Pools NP, Exclusive Riverside camp**	**Wild Camping**	**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 (bushes turn unexpectedly turn into lions here), 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).	**Chitake Exclusive campsite, Chitake Springs**	**Wild Camping**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Friday	**Drive to Kariba Town** Break camp 10:00am and retrace back to Makuti then down through the bush to KaribaTown where you will stay at a bush camp on the lakeside where zebras walk through the bar and elephants drink from the swiming pool.	**Kariba Lakeside Camp with pool**	**Developed Campsite**	**Own - Camp Restaurant & Pub**
	Saturday	**Embark Sail with Elephants Safari Sailing Catamaran .** Your sailboat will appear at the lakeshore in front of camp (weather permitting) and you can walk across the floodplain to embark 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 Sailboat,**	**Sleep under stars on deck/ on islands**	**Fully catered (bring own alcohol)**
	Sunday	**Sail Lake Kariba** Your skipper will guide you as you sail the open water and cruise the Kariba Shoreline. Fully catered except alcohol which you organise at Kariba prior to sailing.	**Lake Kariba, Private Sailboat,**	**Sleep under stars on deck/ on islands**	**Fully catered (bring own alcohol)**
	Monday	**Rock-star transfer to Kariba Ferry, midwater direct from Sailboats.** Midwater crossover to ferry from sailboat like a Rock-star somewhere offshore around Tashinga (weather permitting). Reunite with your driver and rig & continue on the Ferry for the 300km the length of the lake. Relax on the decks and enjoy the trip.	**lake Kariba, Overnight Ferry**	**Sleep in Salon**	**Fully-Catered**
	Tuesday	**Disembark Ferry Drive to Sikumi Forest, adjacent Hwange NP.** A scenic drive through the Gwaai River valley, to your campsite inside Sikumi Forest Reserve overlooking a waterhole where large herds of elephant come down to drink.	**Sikumi Forest,Developed Campsite,**	**Camping with running water**	**Bush Catering Brunch & Dinner**
	Wednesday	**Dive through Hwange NP.** A full-day's game-drive through the heart of Hwange NP Hwange to overnight at a developed campsite deep inside the reserve.	**Hwange NP, Developed Campsite,**	**Camping with restaurant**	**Own account-Camp Restaurant**
	Thursday	**Explore Western Hwange NP area.** Game-drive the Western region of Hwange.	**Hwange NP, Developed Campsite,**	**Camping with restaurant**	**Own account-Camp Restaurant**
	Friday	**Drive to Victoria Falls (Return 4x4) .** 4hr drive through the Matetsi Safari Area to Vic Falls. You will be dropped at a lodge of your choice within city limits .	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**

N.B. Cooling large volumes of drinks is always a challenge. The driver will manage refrigeration to the best of their ability but supply of cold drinks will be limited.

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