



3 DAY

SOSSUSVLEI SHUTTLE TOUR



THE START OF A LEGACY

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A three-day excursion, accommodation included, offers a stress-free experience at Sossusvlei and the Namib Desert, one of the most spectacular sites in the world. En route to the desert, we journey down Sreetshoogte Pass to the Namib Desert floor. Unexpected canyons and vlei's, and unique local settlements add awe-inspiring scenery and diversity to the trip. The magnificent star dunes of the Namib are a photographer's dream and the spectacular landscape will leave memories to last a lifetime.

HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ *Inclusive of transport, accommodation, meals and excursions*
- ✓ *Choice between Soft Adventure Camp (Standard) and Namib Naukluft Lodge (Superior)*
- ✓ *Departs daily from Windhoek or Swakopmund / Walvis Bay*
- ✓ *Explore the Namib Desert, Dead Vlei, Sesriem Canyon and Namib Naukluft*
- ✓ *Climb one of the over 300 m high Sossusvlei dunes*





ROUTE & ITINERARY

DAY 1:

You meet at Eros Airport, Windhoek at 07h00 for an early morning flight to Sossusvlei in the Namib Naukluft Park. Sossusvlei is reputed to have the highest dunes in the world. The view of the shadow-lined dunes from the air is well worth seeing. You land at Sesriem from where you undertake an excursion by vehicle into the dunes. The dunes reach heights of 300m and more, for those inclined and fit enough to climb them. You return to the aircraft and fly along the coast via Conception Bay towards Swakopmund. The flight includes (weather permitting) an aerial view of the famous Eduard Bohlen shipwreck at Conception Bay. After landing and refuelling at Swakopmund, you continue with a low-level flight north along the Skeleton Coast over the seal colony at Cape Cross. Thereafter you fly east, over the desert, to the Ugab formations—a nearly lifeless 'moon landscape' of numerous black ridges that stand out in stark contrast to the white desert floor—before landing at Kuidas camp in the Huab Valley, Damaraland, where you stay for the night. Amongst the rocks within walking distance of the camp are ancient rock engravings. Your pilot-guide will arrange for a light picnic lunch to be served en route during the day's itinerary.

DAY 2:

After breakfast you depart by Landrover to explore the colourful red lava and yellow sandstone of the Huab River formations and to be introduced to the ecological aspects of this environment with its wide diversity of flora and fauna. This includes the *Welwitschia mirabilis*, a tree

that has been dwarfed by the rigours of the desert climate. You have lunch at Kuidas camp before flying along the coast to Terrace Bay in the Skeleton Coast Park.

The most prominent shipwrecks along this part of the coast are the Montrose and Henrietta, still relatively intact. At the coast you access the roaring dunes by Landrover, which always proves to be a stimulating experience. You also visit the beach with its profusion of multi-coloured pebbles consisting of agate, lava, granite and others. Interesting to see are old bleached whale bones scattered along the beach above the high tide mark. You return to the aircraft and continue north to our Purros camp in the Hoarusib Valley in Kaokoland, where you stay for the night

DAY 3:

After breakfast a scenic drive along the Hoarusib Valley to visit a settlement of the nomadic Himba people. You might be lucky enough to come across the desert-dwelling elephant which frequent this valley. A planned encounter is unfortunately not possible. From here you continue north along the Skeleton Coast by aircraft to the Kunene River on the Angolan border. The Kaiu Maru shipwreck and pieces from old sailing vessels lie scattered along this part of the coast. From the airfield you take a scenic drive by Landrover to our favourite lunch site. After lunch you continue through the mountains and dunes of the Hartmann Valley which extends to the Kunene River, reaching our Kunene River camp in the late afternoon, where you spend the last night.

DAY 4:

An early morning boat trip on the Kunene River as it flows through scenic desert landscape, observing bird life and possibly some crocodiles. Birds vary from aquatic species on the perennial waters, to endemic desert varieties and those that inhabit dense riverine vegetation. After lunch at the camp, you fly back to Eros Airport, Windhoek, arriving in the late afternoon



INCLUDED

- ✓ Accommodation as indicated – can change depending on availability and request at time of booking
- ✓ Meals as indicated
- ✓ Meet and greet upon arrival
- ✓ Airport transfer on arrival
- ✓ Activities as indicated including park entry fees
- ✓ Set shuttle seat rate flights as indicated
- ✓ Airstrip transfers as necessary
- ✓ Tour file with detailed itinerary, map with route descriptions, vouchers etc.
- ✓ 24 hour personal and friendly support
- ✓ Fast and efficient response to service providers

EXCLUDED

- × Items of a personal nature
- × Optional extra activities
- × International flights
- × Holiday or personal insurance
- × Staff gratuities
- × Visas and visa applications



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Google Rating

5.0 ★★★★★

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Chisopa - ZM



Quick and efficient

We received prompt response to all our queries
and the tour package was excellent



Angelo - DE

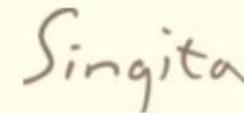


Great service - great activities

The activities were great and well organised.
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and good communication

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