

Adventure to **Namibia**

Start: Cape Town – Windhoek
 Windhoek – Cape Town
 Type: Luxury bus travel & Lodging
 Reference: NAM 4
 Physical: A basic level of fitness is required to be able to enjoy this trip to the fullest.



Is this the right trip for you?

- This itinerary features some long travel days which can be even longer due to the bumpy African roads.
- Namibia temperatures rise in the summer months, (September – November) before the rain comes to 34 - 38° C.
- What you see on your trip may not be the same as seen by other or in pictures, due to it being a seasonal destination and migratory patterns of animals are not interrupted by fencing.
- As the early bird catches the worm, there might be a few early mornings starts to make sure of best safari times or to miss morning traffic on long travel days.
- This trip is mainly lodging in 2-4-star facilities that complement the setting and location we are in. All the chosen facilities were visited and inspected beforehand to make sure it is up to our standard.
- This trip is operated in a 22 seated luxury 4x4 bus. We endeavour not to take more than 20 people at a time. Single accommodation is therefore limited.
- In the case where we have less than 11 bookings the tour will be done with a 14-seater Toyota Quantum.

Namibia tour bookings: 2025

Pay R6 500 p.p. deposit (within 14 days) after confirmation, and the balance 60 days before the tour departs.

2025 TARIFF - NAMIBIA	
Sharing (p.p)	R47 000
Single (p.p)	R56 000

Tour #:	Dates 2025:	Departure point:	Tour end point :
Nam 4/1	Tue. 18 March – Sat. 29 March	Depart with bus FROM Cape Town	Fly FROM Windhoek TO ORT/CPT FULL
Nam 4/2	Sat. 05 April – Wed. 16 April	Fly TO Windhoek from ORT/CPT	Arrive with bus IN Cape Town FULL

TOURPROGRAM – 12 DAY TOUR OF NAMIBIA:

Include: One-way flight included
 (ORT/CPT to WHD) (WHD to ORT/CPT)
 11 Nights' luxury accommodation
 Registered tour guide
 Transport
 Entrance fees as indicated
 Meals as indicated
Exclude: Lunch
 Gratitude
 Beverages

**Please note that all entrance fees
 as indicated below daily
 description is included in the price**

12-day Namibia tour from Cape Town to Windhoek (4/1)

DAY 1: The first day of our tour we depart from Cape Town. Our destination for the day will be Vanrhynsdorp. Here we will overnight at Namaqua Lodge.

Included: Dinner

DAY 2: We depart from Vanrhynsdorp and head to Vioolsdrif Border Post. Once officially in Namibia, we make our way to the Fish River Canyon. We will spend the night near the Canyon.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Fish River Canyon

DAY 3 & 4: After breakfast we travel via Aus to Luderitz in the Karas region. Along the way, we might catch a glimpse of the famous wild horses of the Namib Desert. The awe-inspiring beauty of the desert promises to put us at peace as we travel through it. Just over the next sand dune, the coastal town of Luderitz awaits where we will take a guided tour of Kolmanskop. We will return to Aus where we will spend two nights.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Kolmanskop

DAY 5: Today we travel from Aus. If the road allows us, we will follow the very scenic D707 into the Namib-Naukluft National Park where we will stay for 2 nights at Moon Mountain Lodge.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Namib-Naukluft National Park

DAY 6: Sossusvlei and all its glory are what await the day. The Namib-Naukluft National Park boasts with the oldest dunes in the world. These rustic red dunes tower endlessly through the park and around the pan with its specially adapted vegetation and the occasional oryx and ever curious ostrich. We find the mysterious fairy circles on the foot of some dunes.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Sossusvlei

Excluded : 4x4 drive to Deadvlei (Budget R250 per person)

DAY 7: Today we follow a route through the Khomas and Erongo regions to the coast. Close to Walvis Bay we visit the beautiful flamingo colony at the bay. From here we travel towards Swakopmund where we will spend two nights at Bay View Resort at Long beach. Find a list of optional activities on page 7 of this document.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

DAY 8: After breakfast, we have a short trip planned to explore Oasis Goanikontes, the moonlandscape and the living fossil or Welwitschia plant. The mesmerising lichen fields can also be seen along this route. After the trip, you will have the rest of the day to yourself to explore Swakopmund.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Moon landscape & Welwitschias

Excluded: Any activities extra in Swakopmund & Walvis Bay

DAY 9: From Swakopmund, we make our way north through the Oshikoto region to Etosha National Park. We will spend 2 nights in Okaukuejo resort in Etosha National Park. We choose this camp because of its wonderful waterhole where one can view game until late at night.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Etosha National Park

DAY 10: Early morning we get our cameras ready for the exciting game drive in the park. This activity is optional, and you can choose to spend your time in the camp or drive along.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Etosha National Park

DAY 11: We begin our way back home. We depart from Etosha National Park towards Windhoek. We will spend the night here at Arebbusch and enjoy a sumptuous meal before bed.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

DAY 12: The tour ends after breakfast. We will arrange a flight back to South-Africa from Hosea Kutako International Airport. If you would like to stay longer in Windhoek a different date for departure can be arranged. Please note that this flight is included in your tour price.

Included: Breakfast

12-day Namibia tour from Windhoek to Cape Town

(4/2)

DAY 1: Today you will fly into Windhoek and arrive at Hosea Kutako International Airport where a shuttle will be waiting to take you to Arebbusch Travel Lodge where you will be staying for the first night before the tour starts.

Included: Flight and shuttle service

DAY 2: We depart from Arebbusch around 06:00 to Outjo where we will be able to enjoy lunch at an authentic German bakery. From here we head to Etosha National Park where we will be staying for the next 2 nights at Okaukuejo rest camp.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Etosha National Park

DAY 3: Early morning we will participate on a game drive through the park. This activity is optional and you can choose to spend your time in the camp or drive along.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Etosha National Park

DAY 4: After our time in Etosha we make our way towards the ocean. We follow our route south-west to Swakopmund. We have a trip planned to explore Oasis Goanikontes, the moonlandscape and the living fossil or Welwitschia plant. The mesmerising lichen fields can also be seen along this route. Close to Walvis Bay we visit Dune 7 and see the beautiful flamingo colony at the bay. From here we travel towards Swakopmund where we will spend 2 nights at Bay View Resort at Long beach.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Moon landscape & Welwitschias

DAY 5: Explore the quaint town of Swakopmund. You may wish to book an optional day tour (for own account) in Swakopmund. Many optional activities are on offer; visit the aquarium, various museums, or the crystal gallery. Find a list of optional activities on page 11 of this document.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

DAY 6: Today we travel into the mesmerizing Namib Desert. Follow a route through the Kuiseb and Gaub valley into the Namib-Naukluft National Park. Here we will be staying for the next 2 nights at Moon Mountain Lodge.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

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Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Kolmanskop

DAY 10: From Aus we travel to the Fish River Canyon. Here we will take our time to enjoy the view from the main lookout point close to Fish River Canyon.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

Entrance fee included: Fish River Canyon

DAY 11: After an amazing tour through Namibia we leave back to South-Africa through Noordoewer/Vioolsdrift boarder post. We follow the N7 to Vanrhynsdorp where we will spend the last night of the tour at Namaqua Lodge, home of Namaqua Tours.

Included: Breakfast & Dinner

DAY 12: The last day we travel through the citrus fields of the Olifants River Valley and the Swartland back to Cape Town after what would be an amazing tour.

Included: Breakfast

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES:

The list of optional activities is to use as reference. When you are on the tour, please inform your tour guide for him/her to make the booking as soon as possible. This is for your own account and not included in your tour package. It is given in the program to help you better budget for your tour and your own personal experience. Where activities are considered medium or high risk, we work with operators whose safety and experience we have assessed. You might find a specific activity cheaper elsewhere, but we cannot vouch for their safety or quality. The same applies for activities not listed. These prices are subject to change without prior notice. Payments can mostly be made with credit card, but some activities are on a cash only basis. Please feel free to ask ahead of the tour if you have any uncertainties.

Sossusvlei	
Hot Air Balloon	R7 200 per person (SADC tariff) Includes sparkling wine breakfast. Shuttle between hotel and balloon. Money can be paid into our bank account. Bookings very important.
Swakopmund	
Living Desert	R900 per person Highly recommended Cash only or you pay money into our bank account. Booking important.
Hot Air Balloon	R6 300 per person. Includes sparkling wine breakfast. Shuttle between hotel and balloon. Money can be paid into our bank account. Bookings very important.
Desert Explorers	Quad biking Camel ride Go-carts Various activities available. No bookings in advance required. Bookings can be booked at the adventure centre.

All rates are subject to change without prior notice.

Important to note:

- Single supplement is available in a very limited number due to the number of rooms available. Please contact our office via email info@namakwatoere.com or phone +27 (0) 272191633 to confirm if we have space available before a single booking is made.
- Single bookings can always be changed to a double/twin booking if you decide to bring a friend/partner along. A full refund will be made for the difference between sharing and single in case full payment has been received. No administrative fees will be charged.
- When booking a flight from our end destination, please consult the office via email or phone to make sure that you do not book a flight (or other transport arrangements) too early.
- The office will be able to assist in making bookings for flights and shuttles. Please note that we do not receive any flights at discounted rates. This is just an extra service we offer to make booking your holiday easier. No administrative fee will be charged to this service.
- Your passport must be valid for at least **SIX (6)** months or longer after return date.
- **Deposit and Cancellation Policy:**
 - The deposit for the tour is payable **two weeks** after your booking unless otherwise arranged with the office. The deposit is non-refundable and if you cancel the tour, Namaqua Tours will charge an administration fee of R1 000 **per person**. The remaining funds already received will be transferred to a tour of your choice within **12 months from the cancellation date**.
 - Cancellation policy:
If a tour is cancelled within the periods listed below, a certain percentage of the tour price will be retained by Namaqua Tours and will not be refunded (this does not apply to the non-refundable deposit):
 - More than 90 days (3 months) before departure – 25% non-refundable
 - Between 60 and 90 days (2-3 months) before departure – 50% non-refundable
 - Between 1 and 30 days (2-4 weeks) before departure – 75% non-refundable
 - Failure to show up for the tour – 100% non-refundableTour fees will only be refundable if valid proof of illness or death is provided. In such cases, discretion will be applied and the situation will be discussed.

Road conditions and infrastructure in Namibia:

Roads in Namibia and throughout Africa are often in poor condition, which makes it hard on our vehicles. We take great pride in our bus and ensure it is serviced regularly and is in a good condition, but breakdowns do happen. Some of the roads we travel on are long, full of dust and not exactly smooth sailing. This means that the travel time indicated is just a rough guide and dependant on various factors that are not always in our control. We know that it can be tough, but the destinations at the end of the day are extra-ordinary!

Medical & health information:

Travellers, old and young are required to be in good health to participate fully on this trip. We expect all travellers to read carefully through the program and assess you on the stress of activities mentioned in the day-to-day program. If in the opinion of our tour guide or leader, any traveller is unable to participate in activities or on the rest of the tour; they reserve the right to exclude them from the activity or tour at any stage, without refund. The appropriate documentation will be provided for travel insurance.

We insist that when over the age of 70 you consult a doctor for an opinion on your travel to a particular country and or location. All clients should consult their doctor or medical professional on information regarding vaccinations and anti-malaria medication requirements before departure. We recommend that you carry your own small first aid kit containing personal required medication and an extra pair of reading glasses. Rehydration salt, motion sickness tablets and diarrhoea blockers are also advisable to have on hand.

DRINKING WATER

As a rule, we consider all tap water to be not suitable for human consumption, as it may contain different levels of minerals or bacteria than the water your stomach is used to at home. Your body may not be used to this, and it can cause illness. It will upset your stomach and it will spoil the rest of your trip. Many of the accommodation facilities we use provide guests with safe drinking water and bottled water is readily available throughout the trip. Please make sure to bring along a water bottle to fill up during the tour.

Why travel with Namaqua tours?

Who are Namaqua Tours and what do we do differently?

- We are a family business and have been in the tour industry since 1985.
- Our tour guides are the most competent, helpful and the friendliest guides that you will ever find.
- Each tour member's personal needs will be met by our trained personnel.
- There is no rushed tour program. Our bus driver is also on holiday and not under any pressure, therefore we can always feel safe and relaxed.

Interesting facts about Namibia:

- Namibia and all its regions are widespread - so be prepared to travel long distances.
- Namibia covers an area of 824 270 km²
- It consists of mainly desert and semi-desert terrain with tropical wetlands in the Eastern parts of the land.
- Namibia is a country of exceptional diversity, language, and tradition. There are 11 ethnic groups with nomadic and semi-nomadic lifestyles.
- The days may be very hot, but the nights are usually fantastic. Most of the facilities that we make use of have air conditioning.

www.facebook.com/namakwatoere

After each tour, the photos of that tour will be uploaded to Facebook. This is just another free service that Namaqua Tours offers.

What happens when Namaqua Tours cancel a tour?

- The tour will only take place for a minimum of 6 people.
- Namaqua Tours undertake not to cancel any tour as far as possible. In case of cancellation, we will either move you to a similar tour and date that suits your program, or funds will be paid back in full.

How do I book a tour at Namaqua Tours?

- When you have decided to book one of our tours, complete the application form. Then e-mail or fax it to our office at info@namakwatoere.com. You can also do a booking online on our website. We shall then do the rest (hotel and flight bookings if indicated as such by you). You will receive a tour reference number and the bank particulars of Namaqua Tours. **This reference number must appear on your deposit slip.** This tour reference number must also be indicated on all correspondence regarding the tour that you booked.
- We DO NOT supply bank particulars without a booking form. The only reason for this is that tour members deposited money in the past without a tour reference number and that they did not do a booking per fax or e-mail. It has happened that prospective tour members deposited money, but that that specific tour was already fully booked.

Kind regards



Namaqua Tours Team

Hotel accommodation for those who would like to stay prior to or after the tour:

Namaqua Tours negotiated for better tariffs on your behalf at the various hotels or lodges. To qualify for this rate the booking must be done through our office. Please note that this is not part of your tour package. It is optional extra. This rate is not limited to a certain number of nights.

	City Lodge - Grand West – Cape Town (3 ***)	Departure: 09:00
Single Room	R1 896	
Double/Twin	R2 131	
Breakfast	Full breakfast included in rate 06:30 - 09:30	
Lunch Dinner	No Restaurant Various restaurants available at Grand West Casino	
Shuttle Service	R350 – R30 extra for 2 nd person from Airport. Uber options are less expensive.	
Parking	Free – long term available	
Wi-Fi	15 min free - extra vouchers available	
Extra	Lounge with bar facilities Grand West Casino & Entertainment - various restaurants & theatres	
Website	https://clhg.com/hotels/125/GrandWest-Hotel	
Tel	(021) 535 3611	

	Hotel Verde Airport – Cape Town (4 ****)	Departure: 09:30
Single Room	R1 860	
Double/Twin	R2 160	
Breakfast	Full breakfast included in rate Weekdays: 04:30 - 09:30 Weekends: 04:30 - 10:00	
Lunch Dinner	A la carte restaurant Lunch: 12:30 – 15:00 Dinner: 18:30 – 22:30 Room service: 10:00 – 22:30	
Shuttle Service	Free to/from airport Free from hotel to Waterfront Depart 13:00 from hotel to Waterfront Depart 17:30 from Waterfront to hotel (This service must be booked)	
Parking	Free when your booked in R125 per night when you are on tour	
Wi-Fi	Free	
Extra	Lounge with bar facilities & Gymnasium	
Website	http://www.hotelverde.co.za/	
Tel	(021) 380 5500	

	Road Lodge Airport – Cape Town (1 *)	Departure: 09:15
Single Room	R1 010	
Double/Twin	R1 140	
Breakfast	Continental Breakfast only: R90 p.p. Weekdays: 06:30 - 09:00 Weekends: 07:00 - 10:00	
Meals	Restaurants available at airport, or call <i>Mr Delivery</i> for takeaways	
Shuttle Service	R110 (+R30 p/p extra)	
Parking	Free	
WiFi	15 min free - extra vouchers available	
Website	https://clhg.com/hotels/308/Cape-Town-International-Airport	
Tel	(021) 934 7303	

	Arebbusch - Windhoek (3***)
Single Room	N\$ 985
Double/Twin	N\$ 1 232,50
Luxury Single	N\$ 1 295
Luxury Double	N\$ 1 630
Breakfast	Full breakfast included in rate 06:30 – 10:00 (breakfast pax available on request)
Shuttle Service	From N\$600 per Shuttle
Parking	Free
WiFi	Free
Meals	In-house restaurant available
Website	www.arebbusch.com
Tel	+264 (0) 61 252255

- Flights – Please contact the office for more information.
- Travel Insurance – Please contact us for a quote.

All accommodation must be booked through the Namaqua Tours office to qualify for prices as indicated.

BOOKING FORM

TOUR MEMBER 1:

Surname:

Mr/Mrs/Miss – Initials:

Full name(s) – As states on ID and Passport

Nickname:

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Maiden Name:

ID no:

Tel no:

Passport Number:

Cell no:

Passport expiry date:

Email:

Home Address:.....

TOUR MEMBER 2:

Surname:

Mr/Mrs/Miss – Initials:

Full name(s) – As states on ID and Passport

Nickname:

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Maiden Name:

ID no:

Tel no:

Passport Number:

Cell no:.....

Passport expiry date:

Email:

Home Address:.....

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Tour date:.....

Date	18 – 29 March	Starts Cape Town ends Windhoek – 1 one-way flight included: WHD - CPT/OR Tambo	
Date	05 – 16 April	Starts Windhoek ends Cape Town – 1 one-way flight included: CPT/OR Tambo - WHD	

Accommodation during tour	Single	Double	Twin
Flights to Cape Town / Johannesburg	From Airport		
Flights from Cape Town / Johannesburg	To Airport		

Hotel booking in Cape Town	Yes	No	
Date before tour:.....			Date after tour:.....
City Lodge – Grand West			Special request:
Hotel Verde			
Road Lodge			
Arebbusch			
Do you need help with shuttle service	Yes	No	
Embarkation point:	City Lodge	Hotel Verde	Road Lodge
Time:	09:00	09:30	09:15
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Next of kin name and surname:.....

Contact no:.....

Signature:.....

Date:.....