



LAGOON CAMP

FACT SHEET

Location:	Northern Linyanti
Concession:	Kwando private concession.
Rooms:	8 en-suite rooms (incl 1 x family unit)
Type:	Land and water camp, year round.
Activities:	Game drives (day and night), boat cruises, fishing, walking safaris.
Game Drives:	We operate using a guide <u>and</u> tracker, we also operate off road and at night.
Vehicles:	Land Cruisers. 3 x rows of 3 seats. Maximum 6 pax per vehicle. Open top.
Rates:	All inclusive.



THE CAMP

Nestled under ebony and marula trees the spacious, thatched covered rooms are the perfect place to relax during the day and soak up the atmosphere while looking across the lagoon towards Namibia.

Each room has a deck with comfortable loungers, the sliding door leads into a sunken lounge area with a gauze window offering spectacular views over the lagoon. Go up a step to the open plan bedroom area, with a large dressing area behind. This leads to the bathroom, with double sinks, claw-foot bath, indoor shower, separate flush toilet and also an outdoor shower. The bathrooms boast the same spectacular view as the lounge/bedroom area. The tent interiors are kept pleasant throughout the summer months by a mixture of overhanging thatch roofs, electric fans and the large gauze lined windows which allow cooling breezes through the tents.

The thatched main area of the camp is multi-level, the top area being the library which almost always has breeze sweeping through. The main area was designed to fit perfectly into the natural landscape and allow views of the river and wetlands from all areas. Just past the bar/lounge area is the plunge pool, and it's a short meander to the deck where a comfortable swing chair awaits.



THE ACTIVITIES

We operate our game drives using a guide and tracker, this adds to the experience on two levels. You have two sets of eyes searching out the action, looking for tracks – this ensures a good chance of sightings, especially predators. In addition, having the tracker out front, concentrating on tracking, means that the guide is more able to talk to clients, keep them informed and answer all their questions, it leads to a more relaxed, convivial game drive atmosphere.

As Lagoon is in a private concession we have the opportunity to drive off road in search of sightings – we have often been able to follow the wild dogs on their hunts. It also means we are able to drive at night with spotlights. 30% of fascinating mammals are mainly active at night, so this gives us more opportunities to view them.

Fishing is also offered at Lagoon for 10 months of the year, but is prohibited in January and February as this is peak breeding season. Basic equipment is supplied, but avid fly-fishers are advised to bring their own equipment.

There is a double deck boat available at Lagoon for sunset cruises, the perfect way to spend an evening, meandering the waterways and watching the sun go down



THE AREA

The Kwando concession is the largest in northern Botswana covering 232,000 ha of unfenced wilderness areas. There are only two camps situated within this private concession, the other is Lebala, which is to the south. Added together, there are a total of 16 guest tents in the area – so an exclusive wilderness experience is guaranteed.

The concession has 50km of exclusive river frontage. The western side of this vast area consists of dense woodland but Lagoon Camps nestles in a shady area on the banks of the Kwando River, here a band of riverine forest is interspersed with wide open plains, ideal for game viewing.



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