

3 DECEMBER - 11 DECEMBER 2027

OKAVANGO DELTA GREEN SEASON

PHOTO SAFARI **WITH DARREN DONOVAN AND JOHAN ENSLIN**

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INTRODUCTION

The Okavango Delta is one of Africa's most remarkable wilderness areas, and the green season reveals a side of the Delta that few visitors experience. Summer rains transform the floodplains into a vibrant mosaic of lush grasslands, seasonal wetlands and woodlands, creating a landscape alive with colour, movement and new life. Dramatic skies, fresh vegetation and lively wildlife sightings provide photographers with a completely different perspective on this extraordinary ecosystem. What we love is the short carpeted green grass floodplains which make for a lovely canvas and backdrops for your subjects.

This safari explores two exceptional regions of the Delta, each offering its own photographic opportunities. From the open floodplains surrounding Little Sable to the diverse habitats of Mokolwane, you'll spend your days searching for elephant, lion, leopard, wild dog, buffalo and an abundance of plains game, while the summer months bring wonderful bird activity with colourful migratory species arriving from across Africa and beyond. This is the time for impalas to have their young, with nursery herd all across the delta. These conditions provide exciting opportunities for wildlife photography in the Okavango: lush green backdrops, babies everywhere and lively predator sightings and dramatic skies all add up to what we consider the best time in the Okavango delta.

Led by Darren Donovan and Johan Enslin, this small-group photographic safari has been designed to maximise time in the field while taking advantage of the unique conditions of the green season. With two dedicated photographic guides and just three guests per private safari vehicle, the safari offers an exceptional guide-to-guest ratio, allowing for personalised tuition, greater flexibility at sightings and individual photographic support throughout the journey. Combined with outstanding camps and seamless logistics, it is an immersive photographic experience in one of Africa's most iconic wilderness paradise.



PHOTOGRAPHY HIGHLIGHTS

- Photograph the Okavango Delta during the vibrant green season, when lush landscapes and dramatic skies transform the delta.
- Capture predator behaviour featuring lion, leopard and African wild dog across two exceptional Delta concessions.
- Photograph large herds of elephant and buffalo moving through floodplains, woodlands and seasonal wetlands.
- Exceptional opportunities for bird photography, with resident species joined by colourful summer migrants.
- Create atmospheric wildlife images using soft green season light and dramatic cloud formations.
- Receive personalised photographic guidance from Darren Donovan and Johan Enslin throughout the safari.

SAFARI HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore two contrasting regions of the Okavango Delta, staying at Little Sable and Mokolwane.
- Experience the Delta during the vibrant green season, when lush landscapes and dramatic skies make the delta alive with activity.
- Enjoy twice-daily game drives in open 4x4 safari vehicles led by experienced guides and trackers.
- Travel with just three guests per private safari vehicle, providing exceptional space and flexibility for photography.
- Benefit from two dedicated C4 photographic guides throughout the safari, offering one of the highest guide-to-guest ratios in the field.
- All scheduled flights between Johannesburg and Maun, charter flights between camps, accommodation, meals, selected beverages, conservation levies, Wi-Fi and laundry are included.



PRICING & DETAILS

$ 15 800
SHARING COST P/P

$ 17 650
SINGLE COST P/P

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8 NIGHTS | 9 DAYS

DETAILS

SERVICE STARTS	OR Tambo International Airport
SERVICE ENDS	OR Tambo International Airport
TOUR	Okavango Delta Green Season Photo Safari December 2027
YOUR GUIDES	Darren Donovan and Johan Enslin
MAXIMUM GUESTS	8 Guests
MINIMUM GUESTS	6 Guests
DEPOSIT	30% Deposit confirms your booking. Balance payable 8 weeks before tour start date.

A detailed pre-departure document detailing climate, clothing, travel logistics, travel information, camera gear and other safari information will be sent to you 6 weeks prior to your departure date.

✓ THE ABOVE COSTS INCLUDE

- Return flights between Johannesburg and Maun.
- All scheduled road transfers and charter flights between camps.
- Accommodation as specified in the itinerary.
- All meals throughout the safari.
- Soft drinks, local wines, beers and selected spirits. Premium beverages are excluded.
- Twice-daily game drives in open 4x4 safari vehicles led by experienced guides and trackers.
- Three private safari vehicles for the group.
- Conservation levies.
- Wi-Fi.
- Laundry.
- Darren Donovan and Johan Enslin as your dedicated C4 photographic guides throughout the safari.

X COSTS NOT INCLUDED

- International flights not specified in the itinerary.
- Visa costs and vaccination requirements. *Please refer to our terms and conditions.
- Travel and medical insurance. *Please refer to our terms and conditions.
- Additional accommodation, transfers or activities not specified in the itinerary.
- Purchases of a personal nature.
- Gratuities for guides, trackers and camp staff.

Our full terms and conditions are available on request or can be viewed by following this link

YOUR SAFARI

DAY 1 - 2

INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL

1 NIGHT

Your safari begins at O.R. Tambo International Airport in Johannesburg, where you'll meet your fellow guests before settling into the InterContinental Hotel. Conveniently located beside the airport, the hotel provides a relaxed start to the journey, allowing time to rest after international travel and prepare for the adventure ahead.

DAY 2 - 6

LITTLE SABLE

4 NIGHTS

After breakfast, you'll board your scheduled flight to Maun before continuing by light aircraft into the heart of the Okavango Delta. On arrival at Little Sable, you'll settle into camp before heading out on your first afternoon game drive.

Over the next four days, you'll explore the surrounding floodplains, woodlands and seasonal wetlands on morning and afternoon game drives. The green season transforms the Delta into a landscape of vibrant vegetation and dramatic skies, creating exceptional conditions for wildlife photography. Elephant, buffalo, lion, leopard and African wild dog are all found within the concession, while the arrival of summer migrants provides outstanding bird photography throughout your stay. Travelling in three private safari vehicles allows the flexibility to maximise photographic opportunities while receiving personalised guidance from Darren Donovan and Johan Enslin.

DAY 6 - 9

MOKOLWANE

3 NIGHTS

A scenic charter flight transfers you deeper into the Okavango Delta to Mokolwane, where a new landscape and fresh photographic opportunities await. Morning and afternoon game drives continue to focus on the changing behaviour of wildlife during the green season, with time to work patiently with subjects in beautiful natural light.

The varied habitats surrounding camp support an impressive diversity of wildlife and birdlife, allowing each drive to reveal something different. Whether photographing predators, large elephant herds or intimate moments between smaller species, the emphasis remains on slowing down, observing behaviour and making the most of every sighting.

DAY 9

DEPARTURE

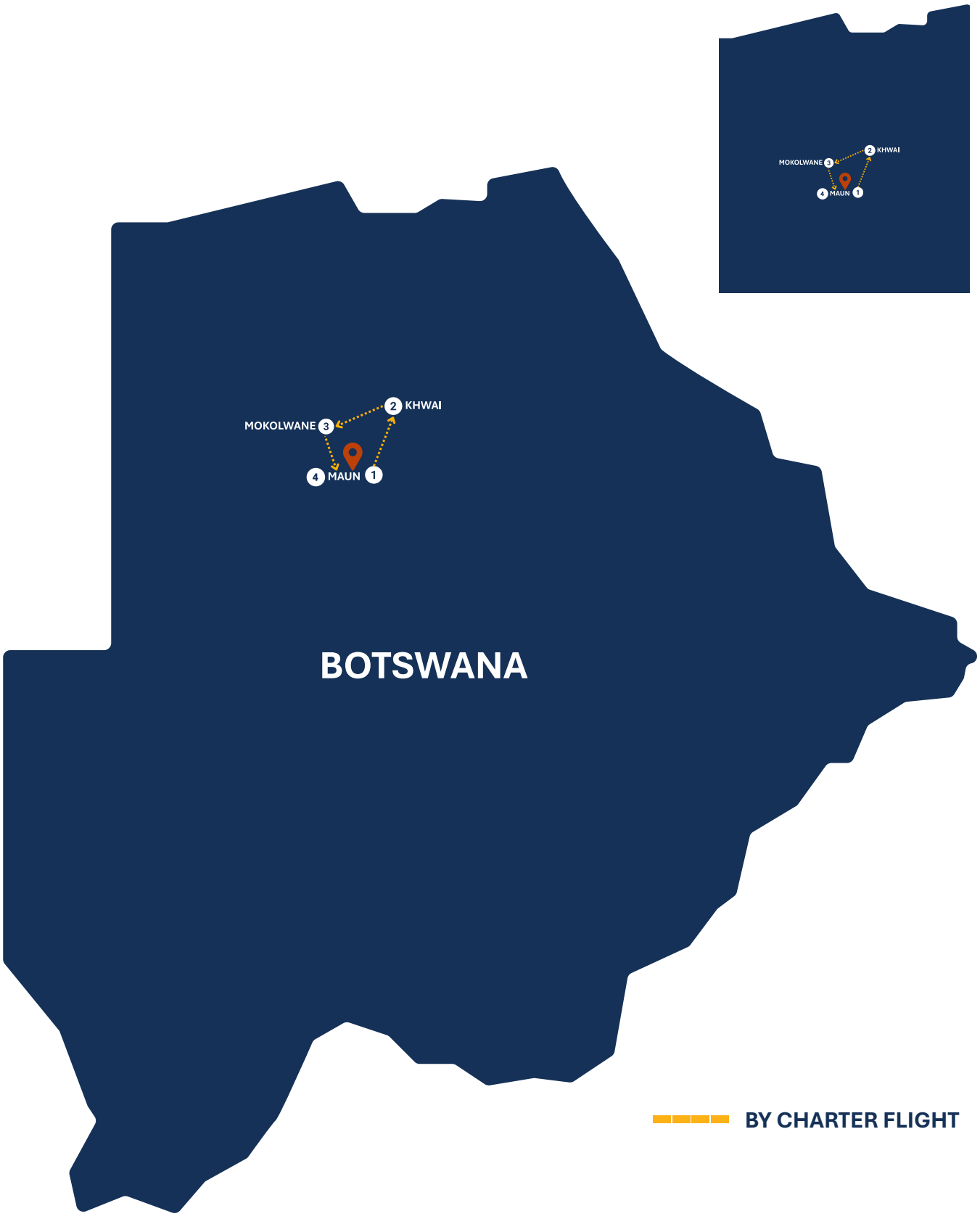
After a final morning activity and breakfast, you'll transfer by light aircraft to Maun before boarding your scheduled flight back to Johannesburg. On arrival at O.R. Tambo International Airport, your Okavango Delta Green Season photographic safari comes to an end, taking with you a collection of memorable wildlife encounters and images from one of Africa's most remarkable wildernesses.

YOUR LOGISTICS OVERVIEW

DAY	TRANSFERS	ACCOMODATION
DAY 1 3 DECEMBER	• Arrive at O.R. Tambo International Airport • Walk to the InterContinental Hotel	INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL 1 NIGHT
DAY 2 4 DECEMBER	• Scheduled flight from Johannesburg to Maun • Charter flight into the Okavango Delta	LITTLE SABLE 4 NIGHTS
DAY 5 8 DECEMBER	• Charter flight between camps	MOKOLWANE 3 NIGHTS
DAY 8 11 DECEMBER	• Charter flight to Maun • Scheduled flight to Johannesburg	-



YOUR JOURNEY











YOUR GUIDE



DARREN DONOVAN

WILDLIFE PHOTOGRAPHER

Darren started his career as a safari guide in South Africa's Sabi Sands, where he specialised in birding and animal behaviour. After witnessing the most amazing sightings on his game drives with guests, he quickly realised that he was missing a camera. His photographic journey began with him being drawn to the unusual and artistic depiction of wildlife through photography. He believes in capturing the mood and emotion of a moment in time, and that keeps fuelling his passion. He constantly pushes the boundaries of what he knows and experiments with the unknown!

With 13 years of guiding in some of the top lodges and reserves in South Africa, Darren not only has the experience of hosting photographers, but also perfected his craft in teaching others to take their own amazing photographs through technical and artistic application. These include teaching guests the camera settings, designing the frame, and anticipating the moment that may be coming by watching the behaviour of the subject. These skills, enthusiasm and a profound professional respect for the bush has made him a sought-after bird and photography guide in the industry.

YOUR GUIDE



JOHAN ENSLIN

WILDLIFE PHOTOGRAPHER

Born in Namibia and shaped by the stillness of its wild places, Johan Enslin brings nearly a decade of guiding experience across Southern Africa to every safari. His deep understanding of wildlife behaviour, combined with a quiet, observant approach in the field, allows him to anticipate moments before they unfold. With an eye for detail and a natural connection to the landscapes he calls home, Johan helps guests experience the bush at a slower, more considered pace while creating meaningful photographic opportunities.

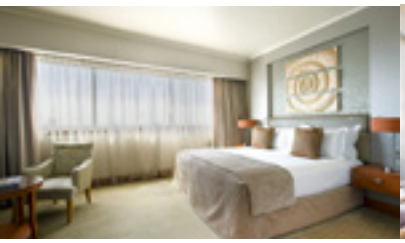
As both a professional safari guide and wildlife photographer, Johan believes that the strongest images come from patience, careful observation and an understanding of animal behaviour. His calm teaching style encourages photographers of every experience level to refine their technical skills while developing a deeper appreciation for the ecosystems they are exploring. Whether guiding across the Okavango Delta, Namibia or other wilderness areas of Southern Africa, Johan combines local knowledge, photographic expertise and genuine hospitality to ensure every safari is both rewarding and unforgettable.

YOUR ACCOMODATION

INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL

Located just steps from the arrivals hall at O.R. Tambo International Airport, the InterContinental Johannesburg O.R. Tambo Airport offers a seamless and comfortable start to your safari. Spacious rooms, refined interiors and attentive service provide a welcome opportunity to relax after international travel before continuing into the Okavango Delta. With excellent dining and convenient access to the airport, it is the ideal place to begin your photographic journey through Botswana's wilderness.



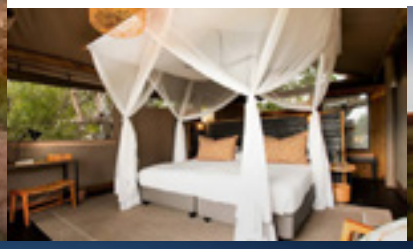


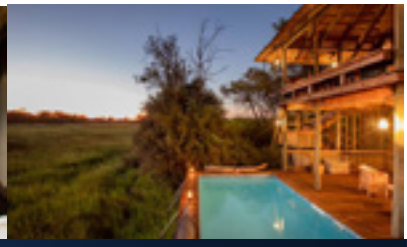




LITTLE SABLE

Set within a private concession in the Okavango Delta, Little Sable overlooks seasonal floodplains and open grasslands that come alive during the green season. Stylish tented suites offer comfort while maintaining a strong connection to the surrounding wilderness, with wildlife often moving through camp between game drives. The camp's location provides access to a diverse mix of habitats, creating outstanding opportunities to photograph predators, elephants, plains game and exceptional birdlife. It is an intimate base from which to experience the quieter side of the Delta during one of its most beautiful seasons.





YOUR ACCOMODATION

MOKOLWANE

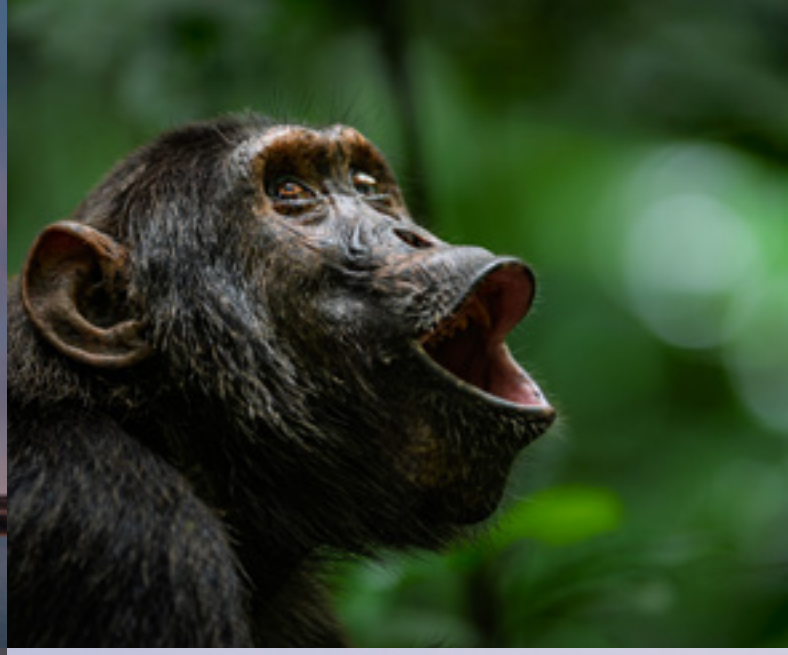
Surrounded by woodlands, floodplains and seasonal waterways, Mokolwane offers an authentic safari experience in the heart of the Okavango Delta. Comfortable tented accommodation blends naturally into the landscape, allowing guests to immerse themselves in the sights and sounds of the bush. Morning and afternoon game drives explore a diverse concession known for its rich wildlife and exceptional birdlife, while time in camp provides the opportunity to relax and reflect between photographic outings. Mokolwane is a fitting conclusion to a safari shaped by the ever-changing light and landscapes of Botswana's green season.

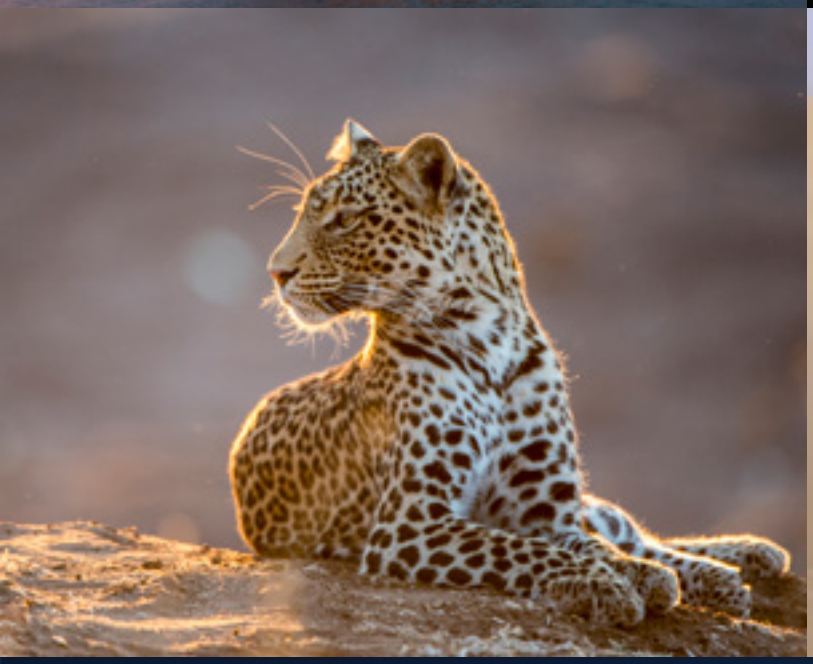














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