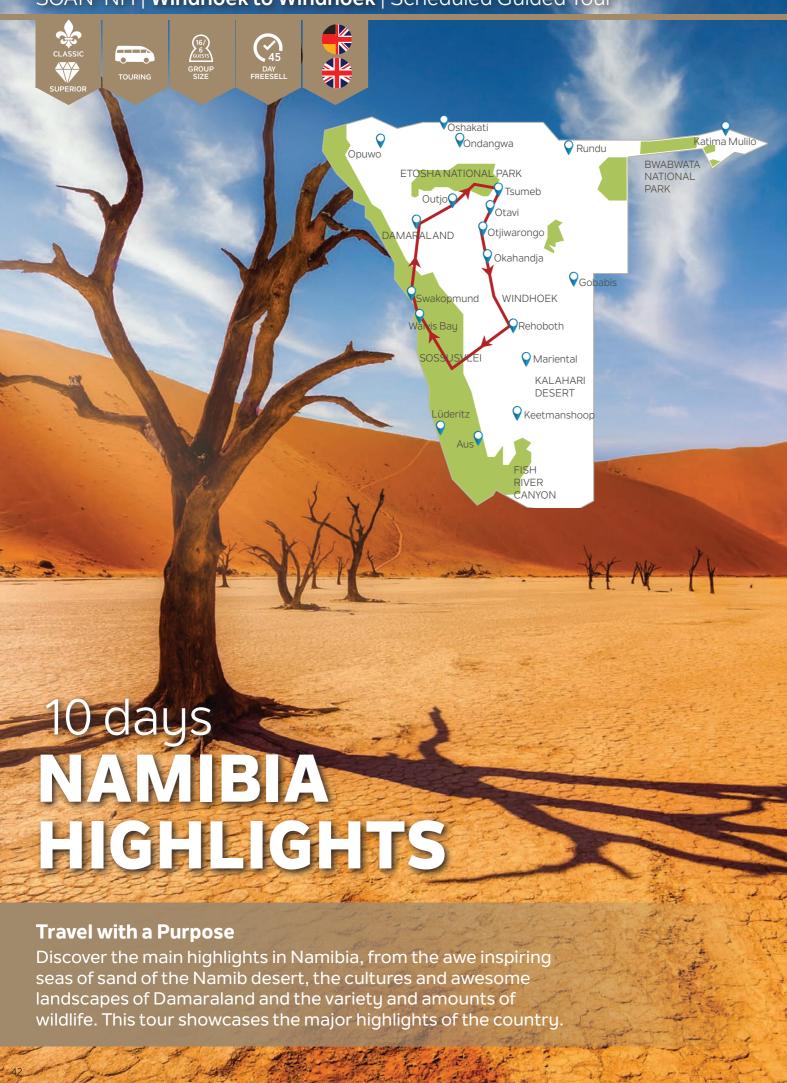
# SOAN-NH | Windhoek to Windhoek | Scheduled Guided Tour



# Day 1 | Wednesday

# NAMIB DESERT

Departing Windhoek, we travel to the Namib Desert. This is the gateway to Sesriem Canyon and Sossusvlei, with some of the highest dunes in the world. The afternoon is spent relaxing at the pool or taking part in optional activities offered at our lodge.

Classic: Overnight at The Elegant Desert Lodge.

Superior: Overnight at Sossusvlei Lodge - Light lunch and dinner .

# Day 2 | Thursday

#### SOSSUSVLEI / NAMIB DESERT

Entering the Namib Naukluft National Park shortly after sunrise. Be captivated by the surreal Deadvlei and Sossusvlei. Continue to the Sesriem Canyon, before returning to our lodge to enjoy the afternoon

Classic: Overnight at The Elegant Desert Lodge - Breakfast.

Superior: Overnight at Sossusvlei Lodge - Desert breakfast, light lunch and dinner.

#### Day 3-4 | Friday - Saturday **SWAKOPMUND**

Continue your journey to Solitaire, on the edge of the Namib Naukluft National Park, before travelling via the Kuiseb Valley towards the Atlantic Ocean. Reaching the coastal harbour town of Walvis Bay, visit the shallow lagoon, before continuing along the scenic route, we reach Swakopmund, often fondly referred to as the "playground of Namibia" where the rest of the day is spent at leisure.

Classic: Overnight at Hansa Hotel - Breakfast.

Superior: Overnight at Strand Hotel - Breakfast and marine cruise (light lunch day 3).

#### Day 5 | Sunday DAMARAI AND

Today our journey continues through Uis past the Brandberg, Namibia's highest mountain (2 579m), into the Damaraland, one of the least populated and most geologically diverse areas in Africa. This harsh, rocky environment is home to the elusive desert elephant, the black rhino and free-roaming antelope species. We arrive at our lodge in the afternoon, where we have the remaining day at leisure.

Classic: Overnight at Ondjamba Hills - Breakfast.

Superior: Overnight at Twyfelfontein Adventure Camp or similar -Breakfast, light lunch and dinner.

#### Day 6 | Monday

## DAMARALAND / BRANDBERG

Enjoy a hearty breakfast overlooking the breathtaking scenary of Damaraland. Embark on a nature drive exploring the area. If you are lucky, you might see the elusive desert elephant. The rest of the day you can relax next to the pool or follow one of the walking trails

Classic: Overnight at Ondjamba Hills - Breakfast, picnic light lunch Superior: Overnight at Twyfelfontein Adventure Camp or similar -Breakfast, light lunch and dinner.

### Day 7 - 8 | Tuesday - Wednesday ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK

Start our day in Twyfelfontein, a UNESCO heritage site where Bushman communities engraved and painted over 2 500 pictures some 6 000 years ago! After a visit to the nearby Living Museum of the Damara, we proceed to the Petrified Forest - a geological phenomenon. View the Welwitschia mirabilis plant – the oldest living desert plant in the world. Our onward journey takes us to the wildlife heaven of Namibia the Etosha National Park.

The next morning embark on a full day guided game drive in the Etosha National Park

Classic: Overnight at Eldorado Lodge - Breakfast.

Superior: Overnight at Epacha Game Lodge & Spa - Breakfast, light lunch and dinner.

#### Dau 9 | Thursdau ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK

Today your guide takes you on a morning game drive through the Etosha National Park. We may encounter animal species we have not seen the previous day.

Classic: La Rochelle Lodge - Breakfast.

#### **Group size:**

Classic: 2 - 16 guests per vehicle Superior: 2 - 6 guests per vehicle

#### **Departure details:**

Language: F Bilingual - English and German | # English Arrival flights on day of tour departure to be no later than 09h00. Same day flight departures out of Windhoek International are only possible after 19h00

#### **Departure days:**

Bilingual - Selected Wednesdays

NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR
8, 22, 29	6	10, 24	7, 21	20	17
MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT
1, 15	12	10, 24, 31	14, 21, 28	11, 18, 25	9, 23

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# **English - Selected Wednesdays**

NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR
15	-	-	-	6	3
MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT
29	26	-	7	4	2, 16

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#### Inclusions:

Accommodation: As specified

Meals: All meals as specified in the itinerary

**Drinks:** Superior - Selected beverages

Entrance Fees: Namib Naukluft National Park, Twyfelfontein, Petrified Forest, Living Museum of the Damara, Etosha National

General: Information pack (Classic) or deluxe travel planner (Superior), still mineral water, tourism levy and government taxes where applicable, 24hrs medical evacuation insurance

Green Seat: Bishop Kameeta Kindergarden

## **Exclusions:**

All international / domestic flights and taxes, visas, travel and personal accident insurance, personal expenses, excursions / activities not specified, gratuities

#### **Optional extras:**

- Activity Package (Classic version): Namib Desert nature drive (day 5), catamaran/marine cruise (day 7), Etosha full day open safari vehicle game drive (day 11)
- Meal Options: The classic tour can be booked with breakfast only or on half board basis. (Dinners in Swakopmund are not
- · Additional Excursions / Activities on request

Superior: Overnight at Mokuti Etosha - Breakfast, light lunch and

#### Day 10 | Friday DEPARTURE

Time permitting, en route to Wlndhoek, we may stop at the famous wood carvers market in Okahandja or the craft market in Windhoek. Spend the afternoon at your accommodation in Windhoek or transferred to the international airport.

#### Classic: Breakfast.

Superior: Breakfast and light lunch.

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