OKAVANGO
SKIMMER
PHOTOGRAPHIC SAFARIS

BOTSWANA

2027



A safari built for photography.

There is a particular pleasure in watching wild animals absorbed in one another. The small exchanges, the play, the care of their young. Through the viewfinder, you begin to look for a photograph that holds something of that intimacy.

Later, that photograph can bring you back to the encounter, and to the feeling of being there in the Delta.



Six nights in Moremi, within the Okavango Delta. Four guests, with local guiding expertise and photographic support throughout.



PHOTOGRAPHY

Field craft and camera craft.

Before you travel, James discusses your equipment and the photographs you want to make.

On each drive, Joe or Rocky and James work together on behaviour, position and composition. James helps you prepare shutter speed and autofocus before the moment.

Informal image reviews and an optional Lightroom session continue the photographic support in camp.





A private camp.

Three nights at each of two private camps, chosen for contrasting habitats within Moremi.

The camp chef and hospitality team prepare breakfast, lunch and three course dinners. Meals and drinks, including the camp bar, are included.

A room under canvas.

Your own canvas room, with a full size bed and private ensuite.



Individual occupancy is included in the price.

Your photographic host

James Nicholls hosts both departures. He qualified as a field guide in South Africa in 2022 and provides the photographic support throughout the week.



James Nicholls

PHOTOGRAPHIC HOST

“We were born there with those animals, born right into the Delta. That is where our school is. That is where our university is.”

JOE BAYEI





Joe Bayei

Rocky Bayei

Father and son, both licensed Botswana guides. Joe has guided in the Delta since 1992. One of them leads each departure.

The week

DAY 1

Maun

You are met on arrival and taken to your guesthouse.

DAYS 2 TO 4

Moremi

Road transfer into Moremi. Three nights at the first private camp, with game drives and photographic support.

DAYS 5 TO 7

Moremi

Three nights at a second camp, chosen for contrasting habitats. Two mokoro excursions are included during the week.

DAY 8

Return to Maun

A final morning drive, followed by the road transfer to Maun for onward flights.



Included

One night in Maun and six nights in Moremi.

All camp meals and drinks, including beer, wine and spirits.

Game drives in a private vehicle and two mokoro excursions.

Park, camping and conservation fees.

Daily photographic support, evening image reviews and an optional Lightroom session.

Road transfers to and from Maun.

Beanbags and two gimbal heads.

Solar lighting and equipment charging are available in camp.

Travel and other costs

Arrange flights to and from Maun, mandatory travel and medical insurance, and any required visas separately.

Dinner on the first night in Maun is paid directly. An optional Elephant Havens visit is USD 100 per person. Allow for gratuities and personal purchases.



5 to 12 June

17 to 24 July

USD 6,995 per person

Seven nights. Four guests maximum.

Individual occupancy is included. Up to two solo places on each departure.

Booking

A 25% deposit confirms your place. The balance is due 90 days before departure. Payment is by bank transfer.

Booking terms

Financial protection



Enquire about a departure

Contact James with your preferred dates and the number travelling.

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