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MALAWI AND ZAMBIA SLOW TOUR IN THE SAFARI LAND

In natural sanctuaries of the continent: South Luangwa national park, Liwonde National Park, Senga Hills Forest Reserve. With tranquility.

12 days of travel with possible extensions

this calculation is not including the flights

ALL YEAR!

WHAT WE WILL SEE

Malawi and Zambia slow tour in the safari land. In **South Luangwa National Park**, the heart of a charming ecosystem that boasts antelopes, zebras, buffaloes, elephants and an abundance of predators: lions, jackals, hyenas, cheetahs, small herds of wild dogs now endangered, and not least and relatively easy to spot, the leopard. We will live the thrill of a safari in close contact with the environment; in **Liwonde National Park**, which boasts high density of elephants, antelopes, buffalo and abundance of crocodiles, hundreds of species of birds inhabit the park: a real ornithological paradise.

On the magical Shire River we will explore the territory in harmony with the rhythms of nature.

On **Lake Malawi**, the 'lake of stars', one of the largest in the Rift Valley, to breathe the atmosphere of the villages, markets and the amazing hospitality of local people and within the **Senga Hills Forest Reserve**, combining the beach the chance to spot some species rarely seen elsewhere as the hyrax, inserted in a rare beauty with one of the most beautiful bays on Lake Malawi.

Malawi is indeed a warm and welcoming country: its people have a warm and hospitable heart that in no other country in Africa we have ever heard.

Away from tourism, despite the poignant beauty of its landscape, its hospitable and incredibly friendly people, the kilometers of pristine beaches of golden sand, Malawi is a country not yet discovered by tourism and this makes it even more fascinating.

DURATION: 12 days. Possibilities of extend your trip on **Lake Malawi**.

LOOK AT THE [GALLERY](#)

Expedition 01
in 4x4

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THE TRAVEL - Expedition 01, Zambia and Malawi tour

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One of the most interesting aspects of the expedition is to live deeply in the different faces of these two countries, Malawi and Zambia, spending in a few days in unforgettable places; 11 are the nights you spend between the South Luangwa National Park and Liwonde National Park and Senga Hill Forest Reserve.

The South Luangwa National Park is the heart of a beautiful ecosystem that boasts antelopes, zebras, buffalos, elephants and an abundance of predators: lions, jackals, hyenas, cheetahs, small herds of wild dogs now endangered, and not least and relatively easy to spot the leopard. The park also hosts two rare endemic subspecies: the Thornicroft giraffe and Cookson wildebeest. A true paradise from the ornithological point of view with more than 700 species of birds. The park is famous for leopards: this solitary feline, though, it is difficult to spot, but during the night safari we will have more possibilities. Lions and hyenas are easy to spot. Here you will have the opportunity, in addition to classic jeep safari to experience a walking safari: one of the most picturesque and fascinating experiences that you can do in South Luangwa National Park, one of the few areas in Africa where it is allowed to do this activity.

The Liwonde National Park is the largest national park in Malawi. meanders along the legendary Shire River which has high density of elephants, antelopes such as Lichtenstein's hartebeest (*Alcelaphus lichtensteini*) and sable antelope (*Hippotragus niger*), buffalo, zebras, hyenas, warthogs, baboons and an abundance of hippos and crocodiles; hundreds of species of birds inhabit the park which is a real ornithological paradise. The vegetation is very diverse, ranging from forests of mopane, the palm trees, the grassland, the acacias while the hills dominate the forests of miombo. For this the Liwonde is the only place in Malawi, where the inseparable Lilian Lovebird (*Agapornis lilianae*) nests. The park is also an Important Bird Area (IBA) recognized internationally with significant populations of rare or endangered species. In this green season it will be easy to spot birds during the mating season of the broad-tailed paradise whydah. We also visit the Rhino Sanctuary, an important black rhino reintroduction project, the rhino is protected as an animal in danger of extinction.

Lake Malawi, the third largest lake in Africa, by the clear waters and white sands is a home to about 550 species of fish of beautiful colors. It is the natural habitat for many varieties of birds. Markets and villages are the perfect setting with their colors, their scents and the joy and the traditional hospitality of local people. Senga Hills Forest Reserve, combining the beach the possibility of spotting some species rarely seen elsewhere as the hyrax, inserted in a rare beauty with one of the most beautiful bays on Lake Malawi.

The major African cities with their amazing rhythms and contrasts, the colonial architecture and the magical atmosphere as the sun prepares the evening show of the sunset.

There will be stops in the villages, in the markets where we often stop to buy the excellent fruits!

If you want to extend you can extend the trip on the beautiful beaches of Lake Malawi.



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GUIDES

Drivers and professional guides are selected on the field during our many travels and have distinguished themselves for their high training, experience and reliability. They are local guides we have carefully chosen following an idea of sustainability of travel and social commitment, to ensure the traveler the most profound experiences that generate benefits for local communities. If required, an Italian speaking guide join you.

MEANS OF TRANSPORT

All distances will be covered by means of 4 × 4 Toyota Land Cruiser or Land Rover or similar.

ACCOMMODATION

In the capital, Lilongwe, we will spend two nights in a nice lodge, situated in a green area in the city, near the airport. We will spend



two nights in a nice lodge in a dominant position on Lake Malawi. The nights at the South Luangwa National Park on the banks of the Luangwa River, in a position of absolute beauty in the lodge equipped with showers and toilets and restaurant. In Liwonde National Park will spend spend the nights in an exciting lodge on the Shire River, one of the best camp in Malawi, [Mvuu camp](#), within a structure equipped with showers and toilets and restaurant. The room in the lodge / chalet / hotel, is intended, unless otherwise requested, in double or, in rare cases, triple; They could be replaced for technical-organizational problems without distorting the original plan.

The facilities have been carefully chosen following an idea of land conservation and sustainability of travel, preferring positions in close contact with nature.

To get the list of lodge and camping [write to us!](#)

PERIOD/SEASON

Temperatures depend largely on the season, from the latitudes and altitudes. On the right (download .pdf) an indicative table of average temperatures in the different seasons. The hottest month is November, the coolest month is June / July. The dry season is from April / May to November. The wet season runs from December to March / April, during this time you can see the parks in their green splendor and some puppies of mammals are born in this period. We recommend both seasons, both in fact have a special charm. [Contact us](#) for more information on the current season, they are not all the same every year!

TEMPERATURES AVERAGE ° C	FEBRUARY	JULY	NOVEMBER
Lilongwe and Chipata	min 18 - max 27	min 7 - max 23	min 20 - max 32
S. Luangwa national park	min 22 - max 33	min 9 - max 28	min 25 - max 35

ROADS

We will cover approx 1600 km



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A SAFARI GUIDE

The **game drive**, (the English definition that describes the excursion in 4 × 4 organised for the sighting of animals), will take place both day and night.

In S. Luangwa National Park is where the so-called "night drive" inside the park with an open 4 × 4 vehicle is authorized. It is not required to do any special preparation except the desire to get up at dawn and patience required in search of animals.

The boat safari on the Shire River is an exciting experience in the warm heart of Africa. A professional guide will accompany us for the duration of the safari to better enjoy the close contact with nature. The experience is very interesting especially for close point of view that you can enjoy boating; observing animals during their daily activity on the banks of the river is really a privilege for photography enthusiasts!

The walking safari is one of the most exciting and fascinating experiences that you can do in South Luangwa National Park, one of the few areas in Africa where it is allowed to do this activity. Accompanied by a professional guide and an armed ranger exploring a small area of the park to discover an unknown world of tracks, signs and smells and countless suggestions that only nature can offer. It is not required to have any physical preparation, but only the respect of a few simple rules dictated by the nature of the places.

Photographers during the safari will always be permitted to bring their own camera equipment. The guides will seek primarily to position the vehicle in the best position, where safety and security permits.

Then the vehicle must be in the right place at the right time to see what you want; we prefer that a sanctuary of nature such as the South Luangwa preserve this spirit of adventure that so characterizes it. The South Luangwa has strict rules: after 20:00 it is forbidden to tour the park.

Important information: in the parks or in the camps, will be made to sign a disclaimer of responsibility required to access given the nature of the place.

The tour can be modified in terms of place and at any time for technical, organizational or security reasons without distorting the original plan.



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TRAVEL PHILOSOPHY

We call our trips, “expeditions”, a word which seems to better encompass the spirit of adventure and discovery of wild places, the capacity of necessary adaptability and the desire of sharing this experience with others.



Our programs are carefully prepared and are born from our personal experiences over the years of the places where we spend most of the year. This allows us to share the knowledge of the environment and local communities to whoever wishes to experience an adventure rather than an organized trip. During our expeditions, we like to improvise, a ballgame in a small out-of-the-way village or take a break to taste the local cuisine, or stop to meander through the colorful stands of fruits and vegetables in an outdoor marketplace.



We don't travel with air conditioning observing Africa through closed windows, but we live breathing in the smells and even getting a little dirty from the red earth without thinking all day about how much further we're going, when will there be roads of asphalt or what will we eat for dinner that night.



We experience Africa smelling the atmosphere, absorbing the colors, experiencing the local fruit and vegetable markets, being surrounded by children on the road without prejudice.



People who travel with us are not just thinking about reaching a destination but about enjoying the infinite moments during the trip to appreciate the spectacular sights of Africa even when we stop and there is nothing to do. “Doing nothing” transforms your sense of hearing into listening and your sense of watching into seeing. We prefer to “lose” time in order to better appreciate the wonders of Africa.



We don't appreciate those who always want to know “what can we do for fun”, what activities or hobbies, when there really is nothing to do but wait for the sunset or for a lion to yawn: Africa has a different rhythm of life. We don't appreciate those who travels with their entire house in their suitcase and who wants to find all the comforts of home on the road; stress must stay at the airport because it does not fit with this continent.



Who are appalled and shocked at a local food dish or who cry because there is no hot water need not apply; these are luxuries we give up in respect for the communities of a Continent that suffers poverty and underdevelopment.

We don't appreciate those who do not have respect for animals or nature, who waste water, energy and resources without environmental respect, who does not ask for help and does not give help and who does not take care of our equipment.

This is our philosophy: think like us and you will be rewarded.



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TRAVEL PROGRAM

DAY 1 BLANTYRE, MALAWI

Arrive in Blantyre, Malawi's second city at 12:20. customs and immigration formalities. Meeting with the guide, if you want shopping in the city and hotel accommodation in cities (double rooms) with restaurant. *Bed and breakfast.*



DAY 2 BLANTYRE - LIWONDE NATIONAL PARK

Traveling to the Liwonde National Park, perhaps the best known park of Malawi. Lunch at the camp. **First safari** in the afternoon, where, if we are lucky we see elephants that sometimes cross the river by swimming, as well as hippos, crocodiles, several species of antelope, vervet monkeys, baboons and hundreds of species of birds. Possibly we will enter the Rhino Sanctuary, the black rhino sanctuary, an area of 50 km² where different species of mammals are protected and where the black rhinos are particularly protected. Overnight in lodge on the banks of the Shire River. *Full board*



DAY 3 LIWONDE NATIONAL PARK

In the morning wake up at dawn and after breakfast drive to the first boat safari to better spot and photograph the wildlife of the park. The boats are motorized and will come accompanied by a resident safari guide who will maneuver the boat and who works in the camp throughout the year; he will be available to us for all boat safaris and he will switch off the engine in the most significant moments, always considering safety. Afternoon boat safari to enjoy the sunset and more sightings. Overnight at the lodge on the banks of the Shire River. *Full board*



DAY 4 LIWONDE - SENGA HILLS FOREST RESERVE

Starting at dawn and arrive in Senga bay, pleasant bay between fishing villages on the shores of Lake Malawi. Overnight at the lodge in a dominating position over the lake. *Full board*

DAY 5 SENGA BAY

The fish eagle are not difficult to spot, as well as the many fishermen with their canoes brave the waters of the lake. Overnight at the lodge as the night before. *Full board*

DAY 6 SENGA BAY - SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

Departing at dawn to cross the border between Malawi and Zambia towards Chipata. After refueling for the approaching trip to the Luangwa valley, passing through the capital, Lilongwe, including small towns, villages and markets. After the frontier customs formalities we enter Zambia. Chipata is the first city and after the crossing begins the long trail to S. Luangwa. On the way you can stop to visit a truly exceptional factory fabrics and entirely made in Zambia. Accommodation at the camp on the Luangwa river. In the afternoon watch elephants and hippos from the location of the lodge. *Full board*



TRAVEL PROGRAM

DAY 7 SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

Starting at dawn for the morning safari, when the light is best to follow the traces of felines and try to even spot the rare wild dog, canine endangered living in South Luangwa, one of the few African parks where you can spot them. Return to camp and relax. A night safari to see the predators during the hunt. With the light spotlight, which is fitted to the vehicle that we will use for the safari, we can photograph animals in a very natural way. Here we saw hunting lion, many hyenas, leopard hunting and generally predators in full swing. Overnight as the night. *Full board*



DAY 8 SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

The rich diversity of habitats will be evident during safaris in 4x4 in the South Luangwa National Park in search of lions, leopards, hyenas, genets, civets, nightjar. After the early morning game drive, return to camp, relax. Night Safari in the evening. Overnight at the lodge on the banks of the Luangwa River as the previous night. *Full board*

DAY 9 SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

Safari in the morning and night. Day dedicated to the sighting of animals during the cooler hours of the day: in the morning, just after dawn, and in the afternoon, before and after sunset. We will try, as every day, to maximize the chances for spotting all animals. In the morning it is easy to see herds of elephants cross the river, as well as impala and puku devoting themselves to the defense of their territories. Baboons are committed to daily grooming and some small babies always falls from the top of some "sausage tree" fortunately without being hurt. Overnight as the night before. *Full board*



DAY 10 SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

4x4 safaris in the morning, enter the park with the possibility to do the "walking safari" accompanied by an armed ranger and a professional guide, to delve into the heart of the park. The purpose of the walking safari is not to get as close as possible to the wild animals, but learning through their tracks, to enjoy the feeling of walking in the bush. Return to the camp. Relax. And from 16:00 until 20:00 go for the night safari. Overnight at the lodge on the banks of the Luangwa River. *Full board*



DAY 11 SOUTH LUANGWA - LILONGWE

We travel a few hours to arrive in Lilongwe, where the night is spent in a pleasant lodge a few kilometers out of town. *Bed and breakfast.*

DAY 12 LILONGWE - FLIGHT.

Transfer to international airport for the return.

*[[Write us](#) for Accommodation and lodge list]

POSSIBILITIES OF EXTENSIONS

- LAKE MALAWI BEACHES
- INDIAN OCEAN
- VICTORIA FALLS

TO KNOW

the expedition may be modified on site and in any moment due to technical, organizational or safety reasons without upsetting the initial plan.



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include VAT 16,5%, Tourism Levy 1%

PARTECIPANTS: 2, PRIVATE SAFARI OR MORE

DISCOUNTS

The following discounts are possible:

- Group discounts for of minimum of 4 people
- family discounts: for children and young boys/girls under 12 years
- 10% for travelers who already took part at least in a travel with AFRICA WILD TRUCK (minimum base of 4 persons)

Discounts are subject to variations and can't be combined together.

THE FEE INCLUDES

- 4x4 vehicle including insurance
- English speaking guides authorized by Minister of Tourism (or Italian, with additional cost)
- all transports, to and from the airport, road taxes
- all game drives activities in Liwonde national park (3 game drives) all S. Luangwa national park game drives (4 morning drive and 4 night drives)
- all national parks entry fees in Liwonde and S. Luangwa national park
- all overnights in lodge as to program - no camping
- all meals as per full board indication (all, except for Blantyre and Lilongwe)
- 50 US dollars that AWT entirely donates to AROUND AWT (see page 11)
- VAT (16,5%), TOURISM LEVY (1%) and government taxes.

THE FEE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Flights
- Malawi and Zambian Visa
- Supplemento camera singola (40Usd in più a notte)
- Single supplement
- Euroassistance/Globy or similar travel insurance (cancellation, luggage, health insurance highly advisable – it is possible to stipulate it with the above cited agency or online – write to us, we will help you to find the best solution!)
- Meals where indicated *bed and breakfast*
- Drinks
- any possible personal expense
- tips
- anything not expressly specified under "The fee includes"

ATTENDANCE MODE

The fee can be paid in different modes that will be defined on the moment of registration.

- With bank transfer. At the time of booking we will send you all details and the procedure to pay on Africa Wild Truck's account in Malawi.
- With VISA credit card. Directly on your arrive in Malawi, at Africa Wild Truck's office. (+5% on Visa)
- With cash, on your arrival in Malawi, at Africa Wild Truck's office, that has a regular license and government authorization to accept any currency (€, US\$, £, Rand, etc..)

In case of travel quit, the amount paid will be refunded in case of participant replacement; in case it is not possible to replace the participant the amount paid will not be given back if travel insurance hasn't been stipulated; read our enclosed "Terms and conditions".

WE ACCEPT

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Contact info@afriawildtruck.com to book or to ask informations.



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TRAVEL TIPS

HEALTH

No obligation to vaccination.

We recommend these vaccines:

- tetanus
- typhoid fever
- hepatitis A and B

Concerning malaria, disease transmitted by the bite of the female Anopheles mosquito, its prevention is accomplished, first of all, with a mechanic prevention i.e. avoiding getting stung, following these rules:

- sleeping under mosquito tents
- using insecticide to get rid of possible mosquitos
- after sunset, when mosquitos are more active, avoiding leaving parts of the body uncovered, wearing light-coloured long trousers and long-sleeve shirts, because dark colours attract mosquitos and spraying parts of the body uncovered with Autan Extreme

For the use of any possible antimalarial drugs we suggest that you consult your Public Health Service; health norms change very rapidly.



TRAVEL MEDICAL KIT

We suggest that you take with you a small supply of these medicines:

- analgesics/fever reducers: acetylsalicylic acid and nimesulide
- antibiotics like ciproxin or amoxicillin or clavulanic acid
- antimalarials: anyway carry with you 2 packs of Lariam for emergency cases
- antidiarrheals: loperamide or kaolin in case of symptoms (to use only if really necessary!)
- rehydration salts: in case of fluid leaks
- against car or air sickness: a pack of pills or chewing-gums
- antihistamines: in case of allergic reactions
- scissors, tweezers and thermometer
- suntan cream
- insecticides (like Autan Extreme)

LUGGAGE

Due to space and cohabitation reasons each person shall have just a big backpack (max 15 kg), with max. dimensions 30x40x50 cm (60 liters) besides a standard small bag with photographic equipment.

We recommend that you comply with the dimensions.

We recommend mountain backpacks with shoulder straps.

CLOTHES LAUNDRY

It will be possible to wash your clothes where we will stop at least for 2 nights

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EQUIPMENT

Required documents and Visa

It is necessary to have a passport valid for at least 6 months after departure date with at least two free pages; for the entry in Malawi the Visa is obtainable under 75 Usd payment. In Zambia, at the border, at the cost of 50Usd. [Write us](#) for more informations

CLOTHING

- comfortable shoes
- technical sandals
- easy to dry slippers for the shower
- windbreaker
- k-way
- sweatshirt/pile
- cotton/linen long trousers
- cotton/linen long sleeve shirts
- cotton T-shirts
- bathing suit
- panty
- belly pack for passport
- sunglasses
- cap

OTHER

- towel
- binoculars
- head torch-light
- water bottle
- camera/videocamera/spare batteries!!
- passport photocopy and 2 passport photos

PERIOD

Temperatures widely depend on altitudes and latitudes. Contact us for further information!



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ECO TOURISM

AFRICA WILD TRUCK SUPPORT

Africa Wild Truck travel philosophy has the aim to minimize the potential negative impacts that derive from tourism socially, economically and environmentally. We know that tourism has got a big potential of bring benefits in remote areas as economical growth, develop and conservation. Travel in a responsible way means follow a specific travel philosophy that we hope is useful to preserve the beauty and the culture of this marvellous Continent to future generations.

SOCIAL COMMITMENT

We think that the contact with local people and cultures is one of the essential aspects of a travel. Comprehension, tolerance and mutual respect between different cultures often mean also simple rules to follow that will be exposed to the traveler before as well as during the travel. We encourage the traveler to have an open attitude and learn customs and traditions, as well as basic words in local language.

We live here and we give local people a job so that travelers, once more, may have the possibility to interact with African people and so that money is directed to the population.

We support some territorial and social maintenance projects, both directly, involving our travelers into donating to AROUND AWT and indirectly, visiting distant areas bringing economic development and suggesting to donate one's own contribution to projects as conservation or social projects

We are supporting associates and members of associations like AITR, Italian Association for Responsible Tourism and TIES, International Ecotourism Society.

We live here so we have the possibility to monitoring the political and social situation of our destinations, communicating, if possible, all relevant information to travelers before leaving.

ECONOMIC COMMITMENT

We lean on suppliers, products and services representing the option that is the most ethical available, even when it means paying a price reasonably higher compared to other options on the market.

We use accommodations which are chosen carefully, following an idea of conservation of the territory and sustainability of the travel, preferring positions in close contact with nature. Where possible we lean on small accommodations managed by local people that live on the territory, like us.

We don't lean on facilities or suppliers where we know there is exploitation of labor.

Where possible we stock up in the markets, buying fruit and vegetables directly from small producers, thereby supporting small economies.

We encourage travelers to buy local artifacts that do not harm the environment and that do not support illegal trafficking.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENT

• We use the Internet and e-mails as main means of communication; this minimizes the waste associated with the use of printed paper.

We use, where possible, recycled paper for all our printed releases.

We support and donate part of our takings to organizations like AROUND AWT and other associations also through the programming of the travels/expeditions. We are members of the TIES, International Ecotourism Society and of AITR, Italian Association for Responsible Tourism.

We minimize the waste like electric energy and water using the truck's batteries to recharge the electric material and managing the reserves of water in an accurate way.

We recycle: nothing is thrown away in Africa! Where possible we deliver part of what we think is no longer useful, to those who need it. Besides we follow, where possible, this simple rule: what in Africa is harmful for the environment and cannot be recycled must be taken back home! Used batteries are a simple example.

We use small facilities that minimize negative impacts on the environment. We lean, where possible, on facilities built with local materials, as well as facilities that use renewable sources of energy like solar panels.

YOUR SUPPORT

Inform on your travel destination before leaving. Read books and consult tourism guides to collect information on culture, politics, geography, religion and traditions of the places you are going to visit. Learn a few basic words you'll need to communicate; sometimes a few words can make you get on touch more with the local culture. Inform on how to behave to respect customs and beliefs.

Dress in a respectful way. It's really easy to cause embarrassment or offend with an inappropriate clothing.

Buy local objects and use local services; this increases the local economy. But be careful what you buy: do not feed illegal trafficking or types of trade that are harmful to nature.

Pay a fair price for what you buy. Negotiating is always part of the local life; small sums of money mean big sums for a local family.

Ask permission before taking photographs and if you promise someone to send a photo, or a gift, please, keep your promise.

Avoid showing wealth and opulence especially in poor communities, where you are a guest.

Help local communities supporting development projects, rather than giving huge tips to individuals. Together we can develop new ideas. Take a look at the projects we support like AROUND AWT.

If you want to leave something, as for example giving material to a local school, or cloths to whom needs them, try to give them to an influential person. In this way the material will be divided as fairly as possible. Do not give money or medicines to individuals: we know projects to which we can give this type of material.

Never feed wild animals, especially within the parks: wild animals have not to depend on man for their subsistence.

Respect the environment: avoid leaving garbage around and if you smoke, please, do not leave your cigarette butts.

Once home think how you can help the development programs to help the country you've had the privilege to visit. Choose a Tour Operator that follows a travel philosophy that supports eco-tourism.

We support some social maintenance projects, through scientific popularization, writing guides and articles, photography, donations, our projects of AROUND AWT, visiting distant areas and so bringing economic development; if you know topics, groups, projects we don't know share them with us: we can support them and ensure that many people may be involved.



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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

HOW TO BOOK

- Having confirmed availability, a 30% DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED TO CONFIRM YOUR BOOKING. Once we receive proof of payment together with your completed *Booking Form*, your booking is confirmed and accepted by us.
- UNLESS PRIOR AND DIFFERENT ARRANGEMENTS, FINAL PAYMENT IS NORMALLY DUE 8 WEEKS BEFORE DATE OF DEPARTURE
- PAYMENT BY VISA AT OUR OFFICE ARE WELCOME (ONLY VISA, NO MASTERCARD OR OTHER CARDS). NOTE THAT OUR VISA IS CONNECTED WITH THE LOCAL ACCOUNT AND THE RATE OF EXCHANGE OF THE DAY IS FROM XE.COM. A 5% VISA CHARGE IS APPLICABLE WITHIN MALAWI
- If paying in Malawi Kwacha please note we use the HIGHER BUYING rate of commercial money bureaus.

CANCELLATION/ REFUNDS

- CANCELLATION MUST BE IN WRITING AND ARE ONLY EFFECTIVE ON RECEIPT OF WRITTEN NOTIFICATION.

CANCELLATION POLICY

- IF NOTICE PRIOR TO 60 DAYS BEFORE DAY OF DEPARTURE 50% FORFEITED.
- FROM 59 DAYS TO 28 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE LESS 80%
- 100% LESS THAN 27 DAYS NOTICE

INSURANCE

A Travel insurance covering cancellation, curtailment and all medical expenses including air evacuation is compulsory for all clients traveling with AFRICAWILDTRUCK. It is under traveller's responsibility to make sure that the insurance covers travel activities (planned or voluntary) and all traveler's needs. Some travel activities of a dangerous nature (eg, diving, horseback riding, biking, etc ...) bring with them the risks to the health of the traveler or even death. It is responsibility of the traveller to be familiar with these activities and accept the risks that may arise from their practice, as well as make sure your travel insurance policy covers the practice of these activities. The traveller is required to have read and to carry while traveling the insurance policy.

HEALTH

While being able to give guidance on the obligations of vaccinations, we are not doctors. It is responsibility of the traveler to make sure you have detailed advice from the medical side. AFRICAWILDTRUCK cannot be held responsible for any damages or problems arising from this failure. Travelers with health problems, pregnant women or those who have just returned from a trip in other countries need to carefully control the obligations and comply with the instructions of your doctor. Medical expenses incurred for any admissions or check-ups are the responsibility of the traveler.

OBLIGATIONS OF TRAVELERS

It is responsibility of each traveler be provided with an individual passport for all the countries visited, as well as tourist and transit visas and health certificates that may be required. They must also follow the rules of prudence and diligence, all the information supplied by the organizer, as well as regulations and administrative or legislative provisions relating to the country or countries visited. The participants are called upon to answer for all damages that the organizer may suffer as a result of their failure to fulfill obligations above. The traveler must provide the organizer with all the documents, information and evidence in its possession relevant to the exercise of the right of subrogation against third parties responsible for the damage and is responsible to the organizer of the injury caused to the right of subrogation. The traveler must notify the organizer in writing, at the time of booking, any possible special needs (eg vegetarian meals) that may be the subject of specific agreements on the travel arrangements provided that it is possible to implement.

BAGGAGE

For reasons of space and coexistence, the traveler can have only one big backpack up to 15 kg with maximum dimensions of 30 x 40 x 50 cm beyond the classic handbag with camera equipment. We recommend that to respect the dimensions. In case of excess weight and size could be a fee of € 50 per kg.

RESPONSABILITY

Neither AFRICAWILDTRUCK (herein called "the company") nor any person acting for, through or on behalf of the company shall be liable for any loss or damage whatsoever and without restricting the generality of the foregoing shall particularly not be responsible for loss or damage arising from any errors or omissions contained in its brochure / website or any other literature, late or non-confirmation or acceptance of bookings, loss or damage caused by delays, sickness, injury or death, whether occasioned by negligence or not.

In addition the company shall have the right at any time at its discretion to cancel any tour or the remainder thereof or make any alteration in route or time should any cause in the opinion of the company make it necessary to do so, and shall not be liable for any loss or damage whatsoever arising from such cancellation or alteration.

AFRICAWILDTRUCK reserves the right to expel any traveller / terminate a tour with any traveller who is in breach of this Terms and Conditions and/or breaking laws; displaying rude behavior or committing act that could injure or harm any person (staff included); any behavior that disobey AFRICAWILDTRUCK instructions in relation to health and safety; any behavior against AFRICAWILDTRUCK travel philosophy. Termination of the tour will be carried out by any AFRICAWILDTRUCK representative and not subject to any appeal. In such cases the traveller will not be entitled to any reimbursement from AFRICAWILDTRUCK, nor will AFRICAWILDTRUCK be responsible for any additional costs incurred by the traveller as a result of the termination

DATES

Travel dates may be subject to minor changes at any time. The dates indicated on the website are subject to change www.africawildtruck.com that will be communicated as early as possible.

PICTURES

All the images collected during the trip from AFRICAWILDTRUCK in the form of photograph or video may be used by AFRICAWILDTRUCK marketing or promotional purposes for the company, including type material printed, video, or internet.

TRAVEL PHILOSOPHY

Before you book a trip with us, you must have read and accepted our *Travel philosophy*. During our expeditions there is a need to carry a good deal of flexibility. The routes may be changed on site without compromising the success of the trip, in fact, they should be considered as an indication of our intentions, rather than actual obligations of the contract. The weather conditions, as well as local events, may sometimes cause changes in itinerary, overnight stays, and transport. We accept your reservation knowing that you have understood the peculiarity of these trips, which may include the inconvenience and discomfort. Refunds will not be given for any unused services.



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