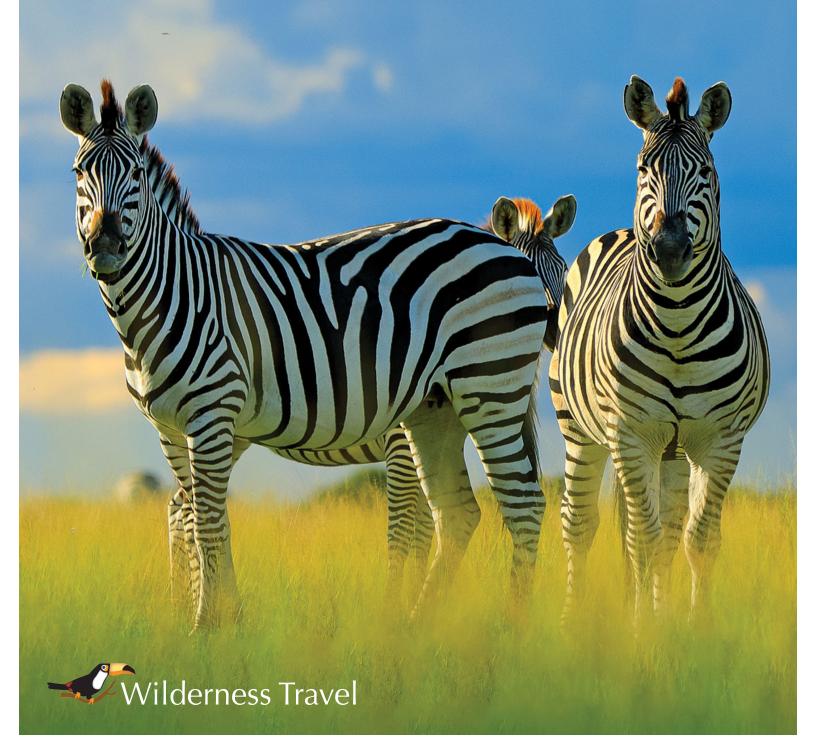
# Botswana Kalahari Safari: Zebra Migration

WILDLIFE OF THE MAKGADIKGADI AND NXAI PAN NATIONAL PARK



### Overview





#### TRIP DETAILS AT-A-GLANCE

**Length:** 10 days

Arrive: Maun, Botswana

Depart: Maun, Botswana

**Lodging:** 3 nights hotels, 5 nights mobile camps, 1 night sleep-out camp

Meals: All meals included

Activity: Wildlife & Natural History, Safaris

Trip Level: 1 2 3 4 5 6

Game viewing by 4WD vehicle and on foot, rugged road travel

#### **QUESTIONS?**

Our Area Specialists are your single point of contact and would be happy to answer any questions about your trip! 800.368.2794 | 510.558.2488

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- · Look for migrating herds of zebra, see meerkats and other unusual wildlife
- Explore on exciting game drives in custom-built 4WD vehicles—with guaranteed window seats
- Stay in private mobile camps set up exclusively for our group
- Spend a night in a special "sleep out" camp with open-air beds under the stars
- Extend your trip to Victoria Falls, one of the world's natural wonders

### Introduction







Botswana's famed Kalahari Desert holds some of the largest natural salt pans on the planet—some so large they're even visible from space. Most of the year, the pans are a dry savanna studded with thorn trees. But for a few weeks following the rainy season, the entire landscape transforms into a sea of fresh-sprouted grass, acacia-dotted islands, and rain-fed waterholes. A host of wildlife is attracted to this seasonal feast, including tens of thousands of zebra. The zebra walk more than 150 miles from the Chobe River to reach the Kalahari's Nxai Pans and Makgadikgadi Pans—making the longest documented land-mammal migration in southern Africa. We've crafted a WT-style mobile-camping safari to witness this epic migration and we'll also find the zebras' predators, including lion, hyena, and cheetah, and species not found elsewhere in Botswana, including springbok and gemsbok. We even have a special opportunity to see meerkats as they emerge from their burrows to scan the horizon and begin foraging for the day. Our private Hemingway-style mobile camps are set up for our groups alone, and we've included a night in a special "sleep out" camp with open-air beds under the African sky. Our camps provide solitude and comfort in the wild, great meals, and custom-built 4WD vehicles for exploration. The wide-open plains of the salt pans make for incredible game viewing, and at night, the sky above is a symphony of stars. Join us for a fascinating wildlife adventure!

TRIP DATES

April 29-May 8, 2025 May 1-10, 2026









#### **Overnight: Thamo Telele**

The newly refurbished Thalo Telele (named after the youngest resident giraffe) is set on a game farm outside Maun, and features seven spacious, tastefully furnished tents on raised decks, complete with en suite facilities—a stylish bath and open-air shower. The lodge's main thatched complex, opening onto a large tree-shaded deck, features a bar, lounge, dining room, and a small swimming pool. Several self-guided walking trails offer a chance to stretch your legs after a long flight (the farm is fenced off, so there are no predators in this private reserve), or just relax on the deck with your first Botswana beer and watch the birds frolic in the trees.

Meals: D

#### DAY 1 MAUN, BOTSWANA / THEMO TELELE LODGE

Upon arrival in Maun, Botswana, you'll be met for a transfer to Thamo Telele Lodge. Set on a 500-acre game farm on the outskirts of Maun, the lodge's simple chalet-type tent accommodations offer a wonderful welcome to Botswana. The rest of the day is free to rest and recover after the long flight, or to take a walk around the reserve. The trails are well marked and self-guided walks range from 30 minutes to 1.5 hours in duration. We gather for our trip orientation and Welcome Dinner in the evening.











#### Overnight: Botswana Mobile Safari Camping

Our private safari camps, set up for our groups alone, put you in the prime spot for phenomenal game viewing and direct access to pristine sections of the parks. You'll camp in a wonderful variety of locations, all far from the lodges, and be surrounded by Botswana's most magnificent terrain in absolute comfort. You'll enjoy meals in our big open-sided dining tent, and in the evenings, gather around the campfire beneath a starry sky. Our spacious private tents feature real beds (no cots!), and a private bathroom and shower

Meals: B, L, D

**Driving Time (Day 2):** Approximately 5 hours (3 on paved roads, 2 on sand tracks)

### DAYS 2-4 BAINES' BAOBABS / NXAI PAN NATIONAL PARK / MOBILE CAMP

We head to our first mobile camp in Nxai Pan National Park, set within the northern area of Makgadikgadi Pans National Park. En route we'll stop to visit Baines' Baobabs, a photogenic grove of ancient trees named for the artist-geographer Thomas Baines, who accompanied Livingstone on his second African expedition. Makgadikgadi has a dramatic lunar landscape that is a complete contrast to Botswana's verdant Okavango and Linyanti regions. But from November to March, the seasonal rains transform the Makgadikgadi into a world of powder-blue lakes that become a hub of wildlife activity, including the impressive zebra migration. We'll explore the surrounding area of Nxai Pan by vehicle on the lookout for species such as the dainty springbok and desert-adapted gemsbok (or southern oryx). We'll also be watching for the zebra herds that move through here in search of fresh grazing.









Overnight: Makgadikgadi Sleep-Out Camp

When was the last time you slept in a bed with a million stars overhead? Our special sleep-out camp features all the amenities of our regular mobile camps but instead of tents, we have comfortable outdoor beds under the stars. While there are no walls to your room, no animals will bother us here in the middle of the salt pans. A bucket shower and toilet are secluded behind a canvas screen. Warm water is available for showers and dinner and breakfast are served alfresco.

Meals: B, L, D

**Driving Time:** Approximately 4 hours (2 on paved roads, 2 on sand tracks)

### DAY 5 MAKGADIKGADI PANS NATIONAL PARK / SPECIAL SLEEP OUT

A morning drive brings us to a lunar landscape for an unforgettable adventure— a wilderness sleep-out under a blanket of stars—and an authentic experience of the natural world. Camping in the wild in the Makgadikgadi Pans National Park offers total immersion in this unique wilderness in safety and seclusion. Our special sleep-out camp features all the amenities of our regular mobile camps but instead of tents, we have comfortable outdoor beds under the stars (we'll have lightweight tents available in the very unlikely event of rain).









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Meals: B, L, D

**Driving Time (Day 6):** Approximately 3 hours, transitioning from the edge of the salt-pans to low mopane forests

### DAYS 6-7 MAKGADIKGADI PANS NATIONAL PARK / ZEBRAS, MEERKATS, AND MORE

Departing our sleep-out camp, we head out on the salt pans in search of meerkats. Research scientists have habituated several family groups of these endearing suricates (Suricata suricatta), a small species of mongoose. We should be able to get very close to the more habituated groups. Meanwhile, our camp crew will be setting up our mobile camp for Days 6 and 7 in an ideal spot overlooking the immensity of the pans. On early morning and late afternoon outings by vehicle and on foot, we search for migrating herds of zebra. We will also look for lesser-known mammals such as bat-eared foxes, honey badgers, and a host of other desert-adapted animals, including their often-elusive predators.









Overnight: Meno a Kwena Tented Camp
Meno a Kwena Tented Camp is perched
on a rocky bluff above the Boteti River in
Botswana, perfectly suited for visiting the
Makgadikgadi Pans. There are nine spacious
en suite Meru-style tents furnished with
beds. In addition, there is a traditional
fenced boma and a relaxing lounge area
overlooking the waterhole below, where
views include a menagerie of animals,
from herds of elephant to nomadic zebra.
The camp also has a viewing hide at the
waterhole for excellent access to the visiting
animals and great photo opportunities.

Meals: B, L, D

### DAYS 8-10 MAKGADIKGADI PANS NATIONAL PARK / MENO A KWENA LODGE / MAUN / DEPART

Our final two nights are at Meno a Kwena Tented Camp, set on a bluff overlooking the Boteti River in the western Makgadikgadi. The camp's nine spacious tents have beautiful views over the river. We can take game drives to look for the abundant wildlife at waterholes along the Boteti River. The camp even has a floating game-viewing hide at the river, a great place to see everything from elephants to eagle owls. The camp kitchen is open-air, with everything cooked over the open fire. For those who just want to relax, there is a small pool, a bar, a cool and shady deck, and a large lounge area with spectacular views. Our Farewell Dinner is on Day 9. On Day 10, we'll be transferred back to Maun by road in time for onward international flights.



#### **TRIP COST**

### Prices are per person, based on double occupancy 2025

\$9,495 (8-10 members) \$10,195 (4-7 members)

Single supplement: \$1,295 (limited single tent availability)

Park fees: \$425

Please contact us for future years' pricing

To offer the lowest possible cost, our trips are priced according to the number of participants on the trip. All costs are per person, based on double occupancy. If you wish to have a single room, you must pay the single supplement fee. Please note that Wilderness Travel staff, or guests of Wilderness Travel such as travel writers, photographers, or leaders-in-training, are not included in the tier pricing count.

#### **PAYMENT TERMS**

At time of reservation: \$600 90 days prior to departure: Balance

#### **CANCELLATION & TRANSFER FEE SCHEDULE**

Up to 91 days prior to departure: No Charge! 61-90 days prior to departure: 25% of trip cost 46-60 days prior to departure: 50% of trip cost

45 days or less: 100% of trip cost

#### TRAVEL INSURANCE

We highly recommend you purchase travel insurance. You can take advantage of a comprehensive Travel Protection Plan designed for Wilderness Travel by Travelex, or purchase other insurance on your own. See our website for details: www.wildernesstravel.com/insurance

#### TRIP COST INCLUDES

- Expert leadership of Wilderness Travel Trip Leaders and local guides
- Accommodations based on double occupancy
- All meals
- All ground transportation and baggage handling from meeting until departure
- All activities as indicated in Detailed Itinerary
- Safari camp staff
- Land and boat transportation, airport transfers as noted

#### TRIP DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Travel to and from the arrival and departure location as indicated in Detailed Itinerary
- Additional hotel nights outside the trip's scheduled dates
- Optional gratuities to Trip Leaders or staff
- Emergency medical evacuation insurance
- Other expenses of a personal nature (some alcoholic beverages, etc.)

### MANDATORY EMERGENCY EVACUATION INSURANCE

Please note: Insurance for emergency medical evacuation is required for this trip. Wilderness Travel offers a comprehensive Travel Protection Plan through Travelex Insurance that meets this requirement. For more details, visit our website: <a href="www.wildernesstravel.com/insurance">www.wildernesstravel.com/insurance</a>. Alternatively, you can purchase a different policy on your own, as long as it includes emergency medical evacuation coverage of at least \$250,000 per person. You can compare various options at <a href="www.insuremytrip.com">www.insuremytrip.com</a>.



# Mobile Camping—WT Style

There is simply no experience that compares to a mobile safari. Our expert Trip Leader and crew are with you for the whole journey, bringing incredible depth to your safari. It's a world apart from lodge-based safaris where you are handed off from guide to guide. The camp crew are wonderful, and you'll get to know them all—Mr. Fish, Kaiti, Baliyu, and Iktina, our great cook, as they welcome you back from your safari adventures each day, prepare your morning coffee just as you like it, and share laughs and stories of your safari adventures around the campfire at day's end.

#### **UNDER CANVAS**

Far from the busy lodges, our mobile camps immerse you deep in Botswana's most magnificent and wildlife-rich terrain in absolute comfort. You'll enjoy meals in our big open-sided dining tent, then gather around the campfire beneath

a starry sky. Our spacious private tents feature real beds (no cots!), and a private bathroom and shower. You'll drift asleep to the enchanting sounds of the African night.



"The camp crew was excellent. They went out of their way to make us comfortable and have a wonderful experience in the campsite. Everything was perfect!"

-Julie D., North Salem, NY

#### **ENJOY THE GOOD LIFE**

Savor gourmet picnics served in the bush, sundowner drinks amid grazing giraffes, and multi-course meals by candlelight in our own private camp, far from the safari crowds.

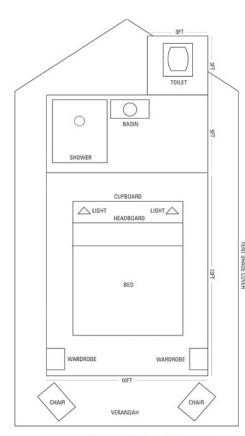
### GO-ANYWHERE GAME VIEWING

We get you off road! Delve deep into Botswana's wilds in our custom-built 4WD vehicles with guaranteed window seats, roof hatches with 360-degree views, battery-charging facilities, and an electric fridge.

#### STAFF TO GUEST RATIO OF 1:1

Enjoy the expert skills of your Trip Leaders, game spotters, highly trained chef, camp manager, and wonderful camp team who accompany you throughout your safari. Together, these safari magicians bring you an unforgettable experience of the African bush you won't get in a lodge!

### Safari Life Under Canvas



MOBILE TENT LAYOUT 10' X 18'

#### SPACIOUS TENTS

Your walk-in canvas tent (approximately 10 by 18 feet) is furnished with beds that can be arranged as two singles or one double, cotton duvets, sheets, pillows, and battery-powered lighting. A small veranda at the front has two wooden chairs, a small table, and a washbasin.

#### PRIVATE BATHROOMS

At the rear of the tent is your en suite bathroom, with a warm-water shower, sink, and toilet.

#### PERSONAL SERVICE

You'll have your own tent steward, along with complimentary laundry service in camp.

#### **ELEGANT DINING**

Meals are an event, with delicious, freshly prepared three-course meals, including wine and soft drinks. Camp cuisine is created by our talented camp chefs and served around an elegantly set dining table, candle-lit at night.

"Wow! I am so glad we decided on the Kalahari Explorer and mobile tent camping. I am NOT a camper, and truthfully, didn't realize exactly what it meant to be in a mobile tent camp. But I can honestly say I am so glad to have had this experience. I feel the richer for it."

-Vicky L., San Rafael, CA







### Life on Safari

Each day on safari unfolds in its own unique way—this is what makes the experience so wonderfully alive. Our schedule is planned around the optimum times for seeing and photographing the wildlife, and we keep things flexible to make the most of any special opportunities that come along—that's the beauty of being on a small group safari. We'll let nature make the final call!

#### 5:30 AM

Wake up call is early—but it is worth it, as morning is when the animals are very active. Savor a fresh-brewed cup of coffee or tea and continental breakfast, then we'll head out on our morning wildlife drive or walk, with refreshments served midway, and cozy blankets in the vehicles if the morning is chilly.

#### 11:00 AM

We're welcomed back to camp for lunch and time to relax, read, or watch wildlife activity at the local water hole.

#### 3:30 PM

After a mid-afternoon snack, we head out for afternoon game viewing. Our

Trip Leader and game spotters are phenomenal in their ability to track wildlife.

#### SUNSET

Indulging in a wonderful safari tradition, we'll pause in our game viewing to enjoy a "sundowner" cocktail at a scenic spot and watch the setting sun fill the sky with color.

#### 7:30 PM

Back in camp, we freshen up, then gather to savor dinner and stories. Take a seat by the campfire for a nightcap below the star-filled African sky, then head to your tent to drift to sleep to the sounds of the night.











### Extensions

To help you make the most of your adventure, please see below for our selection of curated trip extensions. Please view our website for detailed information, including full itineraries, accommodations, and complete pricing.



### AMONG THE ELEPHANTS AND RHINOS EXTENSION

Magnificent Hwange National Park, one of the largest national parks in Africa, is home to some 40,000 elephants along with lion, hippo, cheetah, and more. You'll also have the unique opportunity to visit two white rhinos at the Ngamo Rhino Sanctuary in Hwange—these are the first white rhinos to be reintroduced in this part of Zimbabwe. Enjoy game drives with the flexibility to get out and walk, lantern-lit dinners in the bush, a ride on a vintage railway car, and a walk to school with the local kids (you'll even learn a few words of their click language). 4 days. From \$2495.



#### CAPE TOWN EXTENSION

The town where modern South Africa was born has a glorious location on the mountainous Cape Peninsula along the blue waters of Table Bay. There is much to see, from Table Mountain to the famous botanical gardens at Kirstenbosch, where 10,000 species are cultivated on 1,000 acres. Close by is Stellenbosch and Franschhoek wine country and the Cape Point Nature Reserve, where the African continent ends. The itinerary can be customized as needed, please call for details. *4 days. From* \$1695.



#### **VICTORIA FALLS EXTENSION**

Victoria Falls, or Mosi-oa-Tunya, "the smoke that thunders," is one of Africa's most famous sights. Here the mile-wide Zambezi River drops 300 feet into a sheer chasm to create a spectacular thundering cascade. Above the falls, the river is placid, with palm-fringed islands and rainforested banks. In 1860, Scottish missionary and explorer David Livingstone was the first Westerner to report the existence of this mile-wide cascade, and he named this magnificent wonder for his queen. Since then, it has attracted visitors from around the world. The Zambezi River marks the border between Zambia and Zimbabwe, and visitors can walk across a bridge to view the falls from both countries. 3 days. From \$1325.

# Arrival & Departure

#### **ARRIVAL & MEETING PLACE**

Suggested Airport: Maun Airport (MUB)
Suggested Date & Time: Day 1, before 2:00 pm

**Meeting Place:** Upon arrival, you will be met by your Trip Leader or WT representative outside the arrivals hall at the Maun Airport.

#### **DEPARTURE**

Suggested Airport: Maun International Airport (MUB)
Suggested Date & Time: Day 10, after 1:00 pm

At the end of the trip (Day 10) we will transfer you to the Maun Airport to check in for flights departing after 1:00 pm. If you'd like to extend your stay to Victoria Falls, transportation and accommodation arrangements can be made at an additional cost.

#### INTERNATIONAL AIR TRAVEL

You are responsible for making your own arrangements for flights to and from Botswana.

There are many online consolidator websites for booking travel, but for more personal help arranging air transport, you can contact Exito Travel at 1-800-655-4053 in the US or 1-800-670-2605 in Canada. They are very adept at putting flight itineraries together, to even the most farflung places. More information can be found on Exito's website at www.exitotravel.com.

Depending on your routing, it is necessary to depart from the US one or possibly two days prior to Day 1 of the trip itinerary. The name on your airline ticket must match the name on your passport exactly, and your passport must be valid for at least six months after your date of return to the US.

Please do not purchase your tickets until you are confirmed on the trip and have reviewed your proposed air schedule with our office. Once tickets are purchased, please forward a copy of your email flight confirmation from the airline.

#### **EXTRA HOTEL NIGHTS**

We are happy to arrange additional hotel nights for you in Maun. Please contact our office to book these reservations.

# Trip Leaders

Wilderness Travel Trip Leaders have a passion and a joy for creating an unforgettable journey. We are extremely proud of them and the incredible travel experiences they make possible. For more information, including client comments about them and which specific departures they will be leading, please visit <u>wildernesstravel.com/leaders</u>.



#### **ANTHONY MONNAALETSATSI**

Anthony was born in the Okavango Delta and began his outdoor education early on, learning all that he could about the wildlife and nature around the delta from his parents. He went to school in Maun and became a driver at the Crocodile Camp, later enrolling in the Botswana Wildlife Training Institute. After receiving his professional guiding license, he began working as a guide in 2000 and worked for two different safari companies before joining the Wilderness Travel team in 2014. Outside of guiding, he enjoys traveling and has been to Germany, Italy, Romania, and all over Southern Africa.

# What to Expect

#### WHAT THE TRIP IS LIKE

This trip is rated **Level 2, Easy to Moderate**. It is a vehicle-based camping safari, with five nights in our mobile private camps, one night in a simple lightweight sleep-out camp, and three nights in lodges. It will be enjoyed by anyone in reasonably good health. Although the trip is not rigorous, it does involve some long driving days over rough roads and game tracks. Any African safari is an adventure, and the traveler to Africa should bring along flexibility, a sense of humor, curiosity about new peoples and places, and an openness to the unexpected.

#### **TERRAIN**

The great grass plains of the Makgadikgadi and the associated pan complexes of Sowa, Ntwetwe, and Nxai lie southeast of the Okavango Delta. Relics of one of the world's largest super lakes, these pans dried up thousands of years ago as a result of tectonic activity in the Earth's crust. The Makgadikgadi was formed some five million years ago and was once almost 100 feet deep covering an area of 8,600 square miles. As the water evaporated, huge glistening salt-encrusted pans remained which, in the heat of the day, are transformed into mirages.

#### **WEATHER**

The best game viewing period is during the "dry" season, which runs from late March to October. Because of the minimal rainfall during this season, the bush turns golden brown and in many areas is beaten flat, so game viewing is easier and animals concentrate around major water sources. The Okavango Delta's water level starts to rise during these months. October to April can be very hot, with most of the rainfall between December and February. This season characteristically has hot sunny days with afternoon thundershowers. This season is excellent for the viewing of newborn mammals, summer flowers, and the migration of rare birds. Predator viewing during this time remains quite good.

#### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

Our mobile tented camping safaris in Botswana provide a true bush experience without sacrificing comfort. Our comfortable walk-in tents feature cozy beds, linens, tent lamps, and have en suite bathrooms with a toilet, mirror, sink, and hot water shower. Our crew sets up camp and prepares all meals. Delicious food is served in a comfortable dining tent. You'll find camping delightful and very comfortable, and you will appreciate how close to nature you feel, away from the lights and distractions of the lodges. We spend one overnight (Day 5) in a simple lightweight sleep-out camp that allows us access to very remote areas. For this night, there are outdoor beds under the stars and a shared toilet tent.

#### **CUISINE**

Our local chefs are trained in a wide range of culinary skills, including mastering the art of preparing three-course meals on an open fire and baking fresh bread every day using a traditional Dutch oven. If there is one thing we are sure of, it's that you will never go hungry on our safari.

# What to Expect

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

We travel by Toyota 4WD Land Cruiser "go-anywhere" safari vehicles equipped with a refrigerator for cold drinks, AC power outlets for charging your devices, and a reference library on flora, fauna, and avifauna. The vehicles carry five trip members, with guaranteed window seating. During drives and walks, we can at times get quite close to wild animals. Being very quiet improves everybody's chances of observation. In the interest of safety, your Trip Leader explains limitations on movement while on game drives, in the safari vehicles, and around camp. Incidents with wild animals are extremely rare on safaris, but no trip can guarantee immunity from such incidents. Wilderness Travel is not to be held responsible for incidents involving the behavior of wildlife.

## Additional Information

#### CHOOSING THE RIGHT TRIP

Adventure travel often involves exotic destinations, unusual levels of physical exertion, or activities you may not have participated in previously. We work hard to help you choose the right trip for you, paying attention to your individual interests, abilities, and needs. If you have questions about the level of comfort or any of the activities described in this itinerary, please call Wilderness Travel at 1-800-368-2794 or email us at info@wildernesstravel.com.

#### **REFERENCES**

We'd be happy to put you in touch with a past client that has traveled with us.

#### **ABOUT NEW TRIPS**

This is a new adventure and one that we are particularly excited about offering. However, as with all new departures, flexibility and a spirit of adventure are always appreciated! Activities are described in the itinerary but they can vary, sometimes considerably, depending on weather conditions, the group, and other factors.

#### **VISIT OUR WEBSITE**

At www.wildernesstravel.com, you can book your trip online or find out about added departures, last-minute deals, and one-time Limited Edition adventures that aren't listed in our catalog. You can also access our complete library of detailed itineraries filled with enticing photos and videos, read bios of our Trip Leaders, find descriptions of trip accommodations, and check real-time availability of any trips that interest you.

### Toucan Club Rewards & Discounts



**MEN'S T-SHIRT** 



WOMEN'S T-SHIRT



PATAGONIA SYNCHILLA FLEECE VEST + KLEEN KANTEEN 27OZ WATER BOTTLE



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Here's how it works:

#### YOUR FIRST TRIP

As a first-time traveler, you receive a lightweight Wilderness Travel T-shirt and set of durable WT Luggage Tags. On subsequent trips, we're happy to send you a new WT T-shirt and set of Luggage Tags by request.

#### YOUR SECOND TRIP

A top quality Wilderness Travel stainless steel water bottle by Klean Kanteen and a cozy Wilderness Travel fleece vest by Patagonia (\$100 value).

#### YOUR THIRD TRIP

A versatile Wilderness Travel R-1 pullover by Patagonia (\$130 value).

#### YOUR FOURTH TRIP

Discounts on the cost of your trip begin! You receive a 4% discount on the tour cost.

#### **FIVE AND MORE TRIPS**

You receive a 5% discount on the base trip cost. On your sixth trip, you receive a 6% discount, and so on up to your 10th trip. The maximum discount is 10%, with a ceiling of \$500.

Note: Due to special pricing considerations, Toucan Club discounts do not apply to our Private Journeys or Special Events. However, your participation on these trips does count toward your Toucan discount on future departures of Wilderness Travel's regular adventures.

#### **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

Toucan Club travel discounts cannot be used in conjunction with any other discount, unless otherwise specified. Discounts are deducted from the base trip cost and shown on the final invoice. The base trip cost is the main land/tier cost and does not include single supplement fees, extensions, internal airfare, or other additional charges. Bonus gifts (T-shirts, luggage tags, vests, water bottles, and pullovers) will be mailed approximately three weeks prior to trip departure. Terms and conditions of Toucan Club bonuses are subject to change or cancellation at the discretion of Wilderness Travel, Inc.















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Trip of the Year: Outside Magazine, 9-time winner

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