



Set on remote Xaxaba island, on the passage routes of many species, our lodge has long been the ideal base from which to explore the Okavango Delta's network of waterways and islands. Its design captures the spirit of the Delta, blending cleverly into the landscape while offering super-stylish facilities and contemporary comforts.

When the Delta's flooded, usually between June and September, the water wonderland comes to life and is best explored by boat\*. In the drier months, activities include game drives, night drives, nature walks, village visits and an exhilarating horseback and helicopter safari.

\*Water activities are seasonal, water levels high from June to September.

# AT A GLANCE

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

12 tented rooms positioned to afford total privacy and sweeping vistas.

## WINING & DINING

Open air restaurant, barbeques, Fish Eagle Bar, and various private dining options

#### **FEATURES**

Private plunge pools, spa, curio shop, TV lounge and library

#### LOCATION

Okavango Delta, Botswana

20min / 38miles / 62km from Maun Airport

#### **IDEAL FOR**

Multi-gen families
Solo travellers
Couples
Celebrations
Honeymooners

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## UNIQUE SELLING POINTS

Located in the heart of the Okavango Delta
12 private tented rooms
Day and night game drives
Helicopter rides
Horseback safaris
Mokoro excursions\*







# TENTED ROOMS

## DELUXE TENTED ROOMS (12) 82 SQ M (880 SQ FT)

All tented rooms are housed on raised wooden platforms shaded by a traditional African thatch roof. Complete with a rim flow plunge pool large private decks furnished with easy chairs. Each room features an indoor shower, a walled outdoor shower with a window looking onto the Delta, as well as a large indoor bathtub and a walk-in wardrobe.

1 Rooms / Sleeps 2

# **Key Features:**

Private plunge pool

## ROOM INCLUSIONS

# ALL ROOMS INCLUDE

Complimentary minibar • Twice- daily housekeeping service • Bespoke bath amenities • Air-conditioning • Complimentary laundry service • Luxurious gowns and slippers





## RESTAURANT & BARS

#### **OPEN AIR RESTAURANT**

Gather here for breakfast before your morning safari or at lunchtime to choose enticing specialities.

#### **BARBEQUES**

Savour tender grilled meats with all the trimmings and a refreshing beer. Relax in the glow of hanging lanterns and the magical campfire ambience.

#### FISH EAGLE BAR

Take a seat in our stylish bar, named after the majestic bird of prey that swoops to catch fish in nearby waters.

## PRIVATE DINING

Let us set up a romantic table on the private deck of your room. Enjoy delectable flavours, fine wine and discreet service as you spot elephants and giraffes moving across the horizon.

## **FEATURES**

#### SPA

Choose from our selection of therapies to enjoy in the comfort of your room or on your private deck. Relax and absorb the gentle sounds of the Delta – the call of a fish eagle, an elephant swishing by – as our therapist gives you a soothing massage or rejuvenating facial.

#### **RELAXING PAST TIMES**

Ask the lodge manager for an artist's easel and brushes if you feel inclined to sketch some of the amazing sights you've seen, or challenge a friend to a game on our magnificent chess set. (We keep these items hidden from the baboons and vervet monkeys, who are inclined to collect treasures for their own creative use!), enjoy stories shared with friends around our open air fire pit next to a warm cracling fire.

### SWIMMING POOL

Relax and soak up the views from your private rim flow plunge pool.

#### **CURIO SHOP**

Browse our store to discover a range of mementos, books, accessories and exclusive Belmond Safari clothing. Our selection of locally crafted gifts ranges from wood and stone carvings to sarongs, ethnic jewellery and woven baskets.

## TV LOUNGE AND LIBRARY

Catch up on some local news or enjoy our reference library to learn more about Botswana and it's wildlife.



## **INCLUSIVE ACTIVITIES**

Day and night game drives

Mokoro excursions\*

Powerboat rides\*

Bird watching

Star gazing mythology

Spoor identification with a specialist guide

Specialist talk by guide: 'Lake Makgadikgadi'

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# **EXPERIENCES**

#### HORSEBACK AND HELICOPTER SAFARI

A first in Northern Botswana, this exhilarating safari begins at first light with a 10-minute helicopter flight, before you saddle up for a guided horseback ride through the grassy floodplains and palm-lined islands of the delta.

Discover more experiences

# BEYOND BOTSWANA

Whether staying in the heart of the wild African landscape or the buzz of the city, Southern Africa is a land of a thousand flavours.

- Savute Elephant Lodge, Botswana Factsheet
- Mount Nelson, Cape Town <u>Factsheet</u>

## OTHER RESOURCES

- O Instagram
- 🔼 Image Gallery
- ⊕ BelmondPro
- **Ⅲ** Brochure / Experience Brochure
- Property Video

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