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Dinokeng/ Shamwari Group Expedition

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GLOBAL reach. **ADVENTURE** for all. **PROJECTS** to inspire.



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ABOUT DINOKENG & SHAMWARI GAME RESERVE

Project overview and
location

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Your Conservation Field Trip Explained

- A unique conservation experience based in South Africa
- Live in two Wild African Game Reserves
- The opportunity to experience hands-on wildlife conservation
- Working behind the scenes on a Game Reserve in Africa
- Tailor-made projects to suit your needs and interests
- Project Activities include:
 - Conservation Activities
 - Community Activities
 - Adventure Activities
- 12 night experience
- The most incredible wildlife experience you will ever have

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What is a Game Reserve?

- A game reserve is a large area of protected land where wild animals can live safely.
- Wildlife is free roaming throughout the reserve allowing them to thrive in their natural habitat.
- Reserves are either Government Owned (National Parks) or Privately Owned/Managed.
- Most reserves will have physical boundaries i.e. electrified fence line.
- Due to physical boundaries, wildlife must be managed due to restraints on population growth, migration and resources.
- Wildlife is protected but also utilised as a tourist attraction (Eco Tourism) which creates funding for conservation efforts and research.



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Dinokeng and Shamwari Game Reserve – Location



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Dinokeng Game Reserve

- 21,000 Hectare Game Reserve
- Only Big 5 Reserve in Gauteng
- Eco Tourism and Community Project
- Started in 2000 and Opened in 2011
- Malaria Free Area



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Home to the BIG 5



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Home to over 40 Species of Mammal



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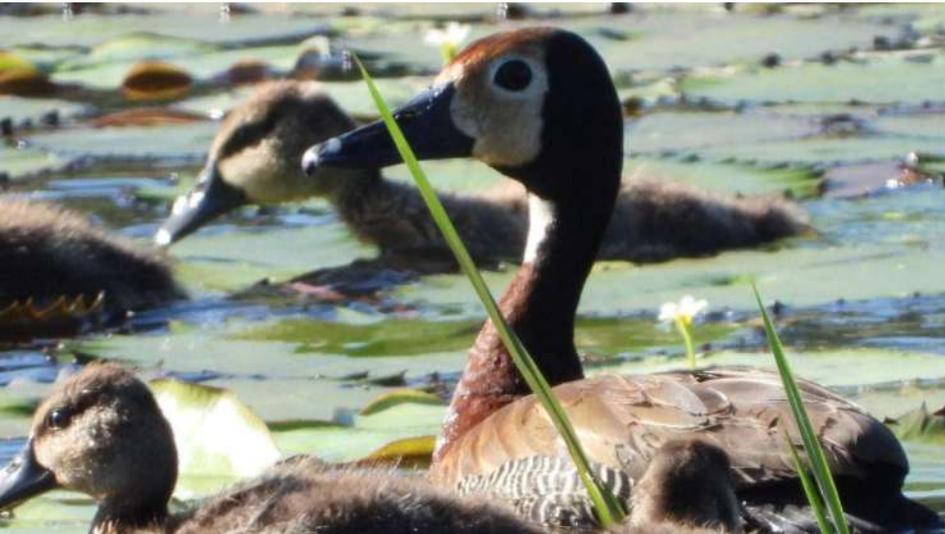
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Home to over 300 Species of Bird



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Shamwari Game Reserve

- 24,000 Hectare Privately Owned Game Reserve
- A pioneer in conservation in Southern Africa
- Award-winning team including:
 - Wildlife Vets
 - Conservationists
 - Ecologists
 - Anti Poaching
- Home to Born Free Foundation
- Vulpro, Vulture Conservation Project
- Lodge dedicated to our groups



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Shamwari Game Reserve - Location

- South Africa a world leader in conservation
- Privately owned Shamwari Game Reserve
- Malaria-free Eastern Cape



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Reptiles and Birds



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Game Drives



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Bush Walk



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Community Engagement



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Reserve Management



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Potjie / Camp Fires



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Presentations and Lectures

- Introduction to Kwalata
- The history of Kwalata and its unique history
- Conservation at Kwalata
- Presentation on anti-poaching at Kwalata
- Reflections on the project





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Bush Skills – Monitoring Drives



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Bush Skills – Bush Walks, Tracking Wildlife



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Reserve Maintenance



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Research – Elephant Monitoring



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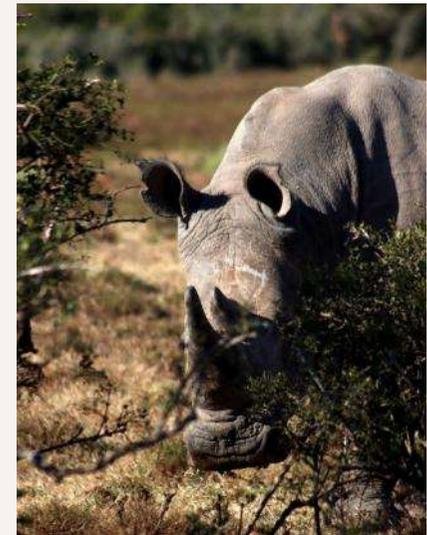
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Research – Rhino Tracking



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Research – Population Growth: Predators



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Night Game Drives



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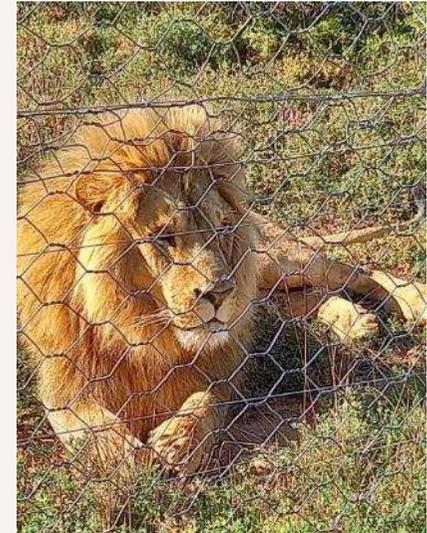
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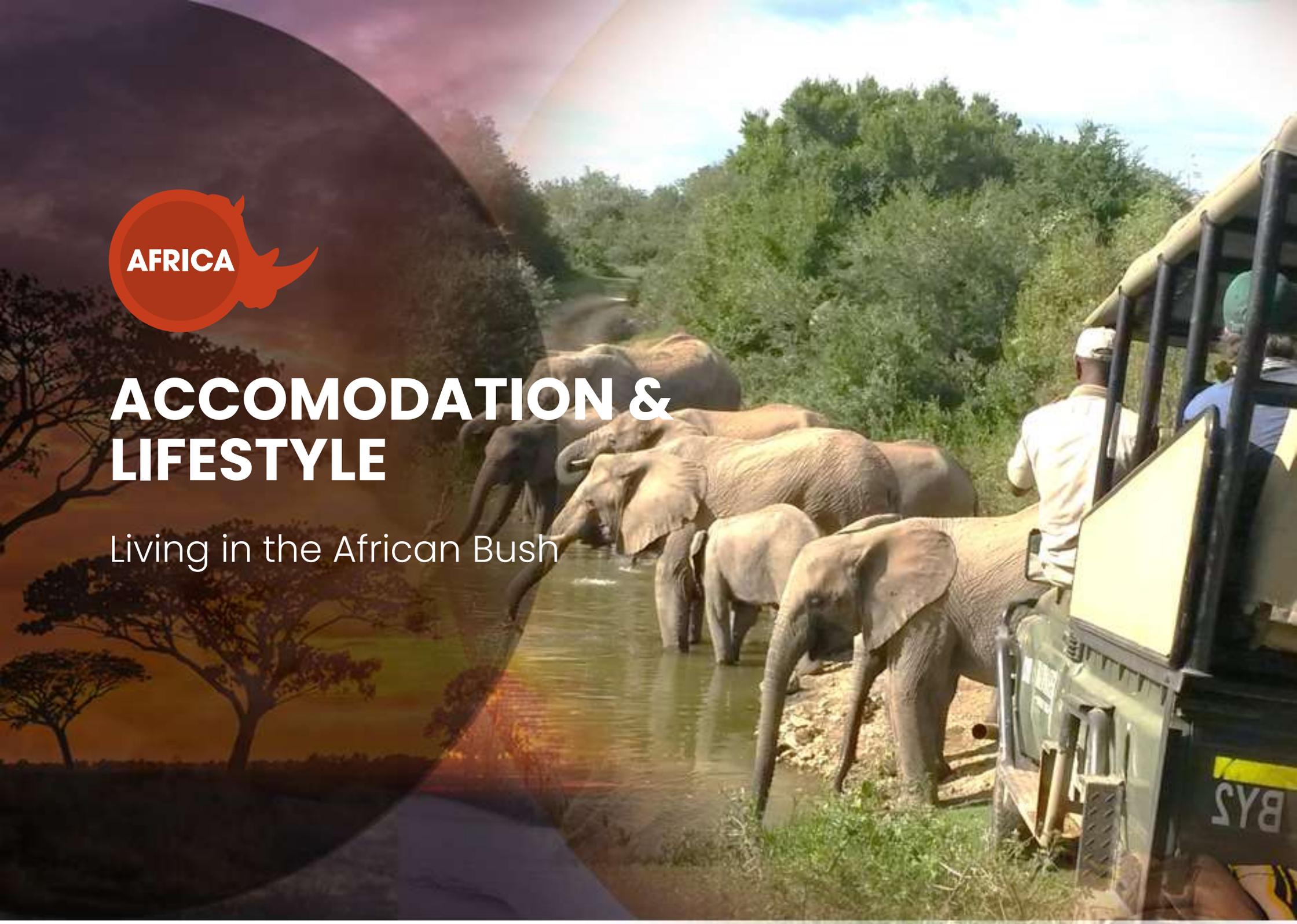
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Living in the African Bush

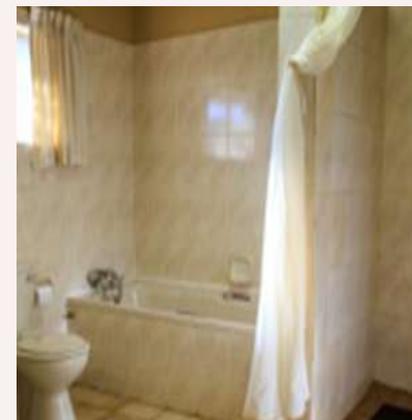
Dinokeng

You will be accommodated in a purpose-built lodge located on the reserve. Rooms are shared with ensuite bathrooms.

There is a communal area with lounge, bar and dining area as well as a small lecture room. There is a laundry service once a week.

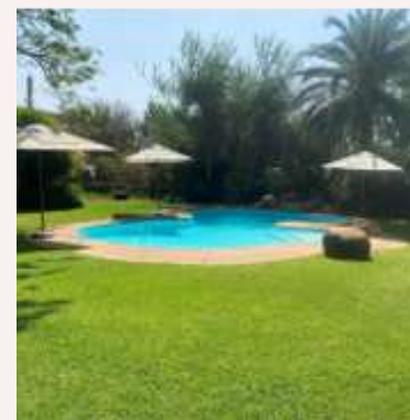
The lodge grounds offer a swimming pool, large garden area and boma; enjoy sitting around the fire in the evening.

Internet access is available although speeds are not as good as in the UK.



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Food at the Project

Three meals are provided daily. Meals will either be taken at the accommodation or as a pre-packed serving, depending on planned or unscheduled activities.

Dietary Requirements

Provision can be made for Vegetarian & Vegan diets and for those who have a medical condition such as Coeliac disease that requires a Gluten Free Diet and for those with severe allergies to dairy, eggs or nuts.



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Life on Reserve – Life long memories



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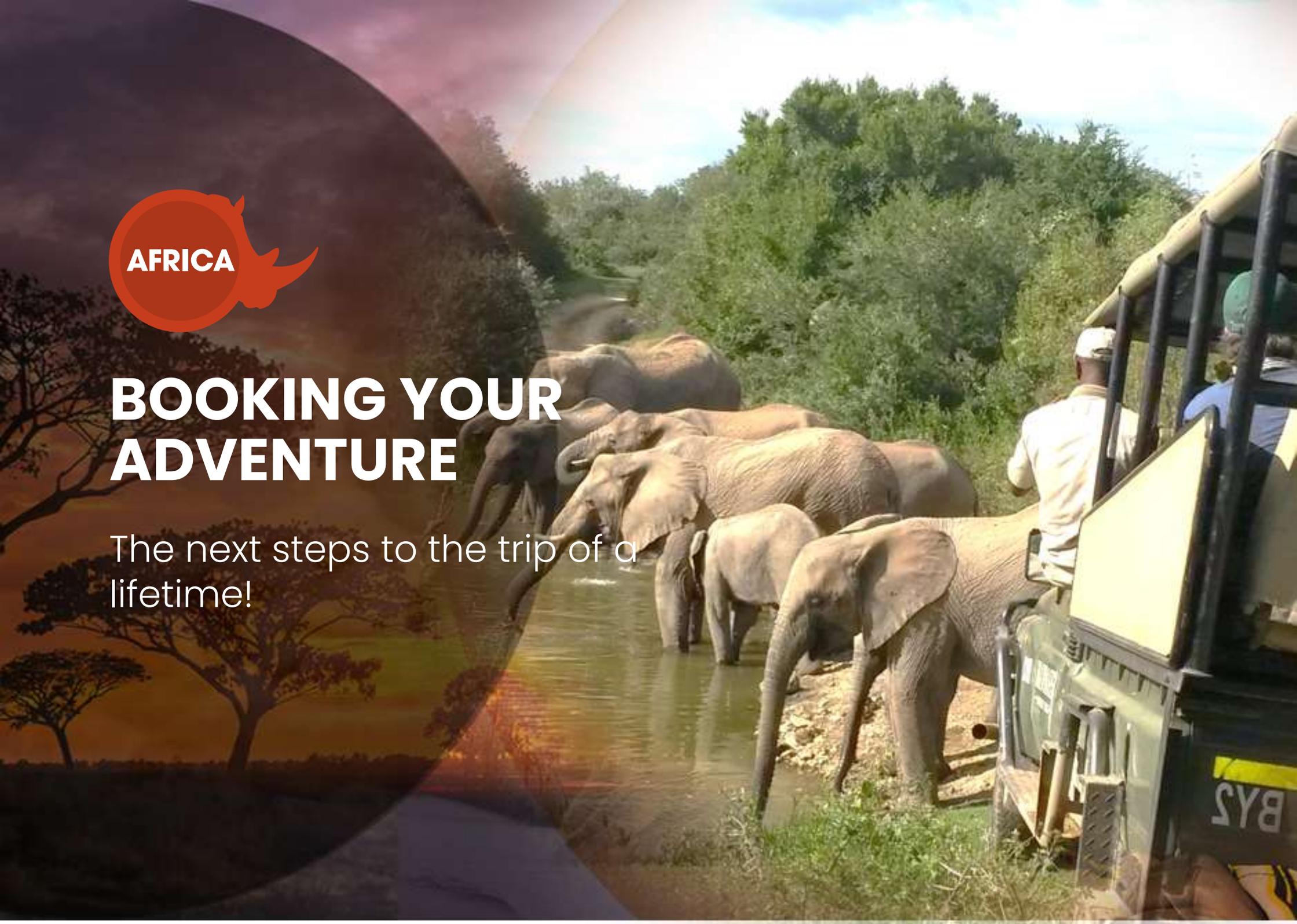
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BOOKING YOUR ADVENTURE

The next steps to the trip of a
lifetime!

WHAT'S INCLUDED

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What is Included?

- Flights
- Transfers to/from project
- Accommodation
- Three meals per day
- All activities as part of the project
- Airport meet/greet
- 24/7 In country support



NOT Included

- Personal Travel Insurance *
- Meals on travel days – before arriving & after departing from project
- Any activities not specified as part of the project
- Weekend activities
- Visas/travel documents
- Tips

* We recommend that you take out personal travel insurance as soon as your booking is confirmed.

THE NEXT STEPS

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Project dates & key deadlines

Travel dates:

Depart UK: 1st February | Arrive SA: 2nd February 2026

Depart SA: 14th February | Arrive UK: 15th February 2026

Trip cost:

£2795.00* Based on a group of 27 (confirmed once flights have been held)

Key deadlines are:

- Return online booking form by 13/06/2025
- Deposit payment, £300.00 by 28/07/2025
- 50% instalment payment of £1247.50 to be paid by 13/10/2025
- Balance payment of £1247.50 to be paid by 08/12/2025
- 19/01/2026 e-Tickets & final documents will be issued

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Group Web Page

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Booking Form

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Your Global Adventure Starts here!

Please use the form below to submit your provisional booking to your selected project. You have the option to pay your initial deposit with the submission of your booking form, or we will contact you for payment once your project placement has been secured.

If you'd like to contact us to ask any initial questions or find out more about what project you'd like to go on and when, you can get also get in touch using our short enquiry form, or by calling +44 (0) 207 193 7819.

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