

Red Chilli Hideaway 2 Day Ziwa Rhino and Shoebill Safari

Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary is a collaborative effort between the Rhino Fund Uganda (a Ugandan NGO committed to the restoration of Uganda's rhinoceros population) and the Uganda Wildlife Authority.

The sanctuary offers a secure place where rhino populations can be expanded by breeding, protected from human and non-human predators and gradually be re-introduced into Uganda's national parks, while at the same time allowing the public to enjoy these majestic animals, as the project moves forward. The sanctuary also provides a safe haven for a healthy population of smaller game species, notably the beautiful bush buck and an abundance of wetland birdlife, including the rare and elusive shoebill stork.

This 2 day trip will allow you an afternoon walk in the bush, tracking and observing Uganda's only White Rhino population as well as the opportunity to experience the wetland wildlife on an early morning canoe safari experience.

ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS:

We have two different accommodation options for this safari. Please specify which option you would prefer when making your reservation:

- A Luxury Bush Camp operated by White Nile Walking Safaris (Limited period only): The bush camp is set up a short walk away from Amuka Lodge with comfy twin beds (including bedding & towels), hot and cold bucket showers and sturdy weatherproof tents. All meals are included and are freshly prepared in the camps bush kitchen. A great experience for those wanting to experience a night under canvas. Use of the pool at Amuka Safari Lodge is also available.
- Amuka Safari Lodge is a luxury bush lodge with spacious double or twin en-suite rooms. As with the bush camp option above, all meals on safari are included. This should be the preferred option for those who prefer flushing loos and electric lights.

DAY 1:

- 9:00 Please be at the Red Chilli reception by 9am at the latest. Depart in a customised pop-top safari minibus with driver/guide (max 8 passengers per trip).
- 12:00 Arrive at Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary around midday. Check in to your accommodation and enjoy a leisurely lunch.
- 14:00 At around 2pm you will set off for your Rhino tracking with an experienced Rhino Fund Uganda ranger. The total tracking time will vary according to where the rhinos are currently situated within the sanctuary but you will be able to enjoy an hour in the close vicinity of the rhinos once found. After you have finished tracking you will return to your accommodation, where dinner will be served.

DAY 2:

- 6:00 One of the most sought after birds in Uganda is the Shoebill Stork. Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary affords a rare opportunity to observe these prehistoric looking birds which nest within their wetland. Water birds are plentiful and this early morning canoe safari is a must for anyone who loves nature or is interested in birding. Your canoe trip should take between 3 to 4 hours.
- 12.00 Enjoy an early lunch before returning to Kampala. You should be back in Kampala by 16:00, depending on traffic conditions on the day.

From \$325 pp to \$540 pp

(Prices are dependent on the total number of people on safari)

All costs included, except drinks & personal items

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WHAT WE SUGGEST YOU BRING:

A photocopy of your passport, including the visa page; torch; malaria prophylaxis; insect repellent; sturdy walking shoes and long trousers for rhino tracking; plenty of drinking water/snacks; any other personal affects, light coloured clothing (NB There are tsetse flies in the Sanctuary, which are attracted to blue or dark-colours!)

THE SMALL PRINT:

Dinner and Breakfast in the Sanctuary is included in the price.

Cost includes park entry fees, rhino tracking fees, game drive ranger fees (when available), guided walk fees, canoe shoebill trip, transport/fuel, shared accommodation.

Trip cost excludes all drinks/other personal items and other meals, unless the meals specified for Amuka Lodge

Staff tips are never expected but always appreciated.

A 50% cash deposit or payment in full is required to secure your reservation. Tour bookings are only confirmed once this has been received. Deposits can be made at Red Chilli Kampala or by bank transfer with prior arrangement. We accept Visa credit/debit cards & Uganda Shillings or US Dollars cash (**notes printed after 2006**) Visa transactions are subject to a 4.2% bank charge. All bank transfer fees should be paid by the sender. Please note that should you choose to pay in Uganda Shillings the exchange rate can vary and the balance due will be charged at that day's rate. We recommend paying in Dollars to avoid any confusion.

We endeavor to book out all trips to a max of 8 pax. In the event that a trip has less than 6 people booked, we reserve the right to cancel, or reschedule the trip. In the event of cancellation, deposits will be refunded in full.

Pick-ups en route may be considered if **FULL PAYMENT** is made in advance – please enquire before booking.

The price includes a free night's camping/dorm bed at Red Chilli Kampala the night before departure (subject to availability and not transferable to another person or to be used as part payment for a room upgrade. Not redeemable for cash). **Please reserve in advance if required.**

Discounts are available for East African residents and Ugandan Nationals, subject to a valid UWA recognized ID. Please inform us when booking if you are seeking to claim a discount.

Baggage is limited to **1 medium backpack** per person. Excess baggage can be stored at Kampala free of charge.

If you are arriving at Red Chilli Kampala on the morning of departure please report to the reception by **7.15am**. We cannot wait for latecomers and will not refund deposits should this occur.

Children **below** the age of 10 are not permitted on scheduled trips but please enquire about our exclusive trips.

Take all sensible precautions against malaria.

Do not approach any wild animals you may see around the camp/park, & do not startle them with flash photography.

Drink plenty of water at all times & protect yourself from the sun – Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary is hotter than Kampala.

Take care of your valuables at all times. We cannot accept responsibility for any loss.

Please leave yourself plenty of time between the scheduled return of the trip and any ongoing travel connections. We cannot accept responsibility for any missed connections due to late return.

TOUR CANCELLATION POLICY

If you have to cancel your booking, please get in touch with us as soon as possible. Deposits made prior to the arrival date will be refunded on the following basis:

Cancellation – Days before booking date:	Cancellation fee (% of total tour bill due):
1. More than 31 days	0%
2. 14 – 30 days	10%
3. 7-14 days	20%
4. 4-7 days	35%
5. 3 days or less	50%

Please note that if you have made a deposit by bank transfer and require a refund by the same method, you will be responsible for all bank charges for both transfers.



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