

CHIMPS, WILDLIFE AND FISHING SAFARI

7 Days / 6 Nights

Explore Uganda's unique fish species in Lake Victoria "the world's 2nd largest fresh water lake" and the great River Nile "the longest river in the world". This is spiced up with Chimpanzee tracking experience in Kibale National Park, a photo opportunity at the point where the Equator line crosses Lake Victoria and then off to the wonderful wildlife of Murchison Falls National Park including its stunning sunrise/set. Explore Bigodi community and a guided top of the world hike to enjoy stunning views of Fort Portal and the Rwenzori Mountains.



Entebbe – Murchison Falls National Park – Kibale Forest National Park – Entebbe

Price Quoted in USD (Per Person sharing)

People	Mid-range	Luxury
2 pax	3,750 pp	4,765 pp

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Fishing on Lake Victoria and the Nile
- Lake Victoria – at the Equator
- Chimpanzee Tracking experience
- Viewing Murchison Falls
- Cultural encounter at Bigodi
- Explore Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary
- Top of the World Hike

INCLUSIONS

- 06 Nights' accommodation
- Meals as described in the itinerary plus daily mineral water
- Activities and entrance fees as planned in the itinerary
- 01 fishing permit p/person and a fishing guide
- 01 Chimp permit per person
- Speedboat for fishing trips
- Return airport transfers
- An English Speaking driver guide
- Transport in a 4WD Land Cruiser (From Day 3 until departure)
- Entebbe Transfers in a Minibus X2 Days
- AMREF Medical evacuation cover

Excluded: All optional activities and services not mentioned above.

YOUR Itinerary

DAY 1 – Arrival and transfer to the Hotel in Entebbe

Journey Time: Less 30 Minutes

Arrival at Entebbe International Airport and meet our safari guide at the waiting area. He will offer luggage assistance and with a transfer to the hotel.

Overnight: Midrange: The Boma Entebbe – or similar
Luxury: Protea Hotel Entebbe – or similar
Meal Plan: Bed and Breakfast

DAY 2 – Sport Fishing on Lake Victoria – Full Day Experience

Pickup Time: 08:00AM. After breakfast at the hotel; transfer to the meeting point (Banga Beach) for briefing prior to the start of your fishing activity.

Planned Excursion: Embark onto the boat and go explore Lake Victoria's fish species. This takes not more than 08 hours; and you will be served a picnic lunch with a couple of drinks plus coffees and mineral water. Fishing on Lake Victoria offers an opportunity to catch the Nile Perch (weighing 8-80 kg) by trolling with lures. Important Notice: Carry enough sun protection; hats, sunglasses, Sunscreen, sandals, insect repellent, a camera, binoculars, light day wear with a rain jacket and sweater since the weather is unpredictable.

Return to the hotel refresh; with dinner at an outside restaurant.

Overnight: Midrange: The Boma Entebbe – or similar
Luxury: Protea Hotel Entebbe – or similar
Meal Plan: Bed and Breakfast

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DAY 3 – Journey to Murchison Falls National Park via Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary

Journey time: Approx. 7 Hours

Pick-up Time: 06:00AM.

Early breakfast at the hotel and check-out. As scheduled, depart Entebbe for Murchison Falls National Park – Lunch en-route at a restaurant.

Planned Activity: En route to Masindi 04 Hour' Drive out of Entebbe, make a stopover at Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary to track the Rhinos before proceeding to Murchison Falls National Park.

From the Rhino Sanctuary, continue with the journey to Murchison Falls National Park. Upon entrance into the park; drive to the top of Murchison Falls: Whilst at the top, you will view a permanent rainbow at a secure deck amid roars of the Nile with a permanent precipitation. The view is rewarding and explains why Murchison Falls features on most travellers' bucket lists. From the waterfall continue with an Evening Game Drive or check-in at the lodge to relax and recuperate.

Overnight: Midrange: Twiga Safari Lodge – or similar

Luxury: Paraa Safari Lodge – or similar

Meal Plan: Half-Board (Dinner and Breakfast)

DAY 4 – Sport Fishing on River Nile – Full Day Experience

Pickup Time: 06:30AM. After breakfast meet your guide/skipper at Paraa for a briefing prior to the fishing adventure (You will have a picnic with a few drinks and mineral water).

Planned Excursion: Sport Fishing on River – Be guided on the do's and don'ts for fishing in the wilderness. At Murchison Falls, fishing is done close to the base of the water fall, over the rocky river banks or slightly lower downstream in the hippo pools. You will be fishing by casting lures, but be cautious of the Hippos and Nile crocodiles along the banks.

Important Notice: The average daily temperatures could hike up to 40 degrees Celsius especially at mid-day and anglers are advised to be well equipped with enough sun protection such as sun tan lotion, hats and long sleeved shirts, trousers and insect repellent to get rid of Tsetse flies. Basic equipment will be supplied, but you are advised to carry extra personal supplies. Returning to the lodge in the evening will be for dinner and relaxation.

Overnight: Midrange: Twiga Safari Lodge – or similar

Luxury: Paraa Safari Lodge – or similar

Meal Plan: Half-Board (Dinner and Breakfast)

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DAY 5 –Journey to Kibale National Park via Bigodi Community

Journey Time: Approx. 6 Hours

Pickup Time: 06:30AM.

Have an early breakfast at the lodge and checkout. As planned, depart Murchison Falls for Kibale Forest; arriving at Bigodi for a traditional lunch at Tinka's Homestead. Next is Bigodi Cultural visit and birding; planned activities include: Birding in Bigodi swamp, Bigodi coffee tasting, taste traditional banana beer and vodka, purchase local arts and crafts plus cultural songs/dance. Dinner and overnight at the lodge.

Overnight: Midrange: Turaco Treetops – or similar

Luxury: Chimpundu Lodge – or similar

Meal Plan: Half Board (Dinner and Breakfast)

DAY 6 –Chimpanzee Tracking | Guided Top of the World Hike

Pickup Time: 07:00AM. Early breakfast at the lodge and head to the park for briefing. You will have a traditional lunch at Tinka's Homestead.

Planned Activities:

Chimpanzee Tracking Experience (Kibale Forest) –Briefing starts at 08:00AM with other park formalities observed – Your primate trek starts not later than 08:30AM for 1–2 Hours. Wear hiking boots, face mask, trousers, an insect repellent with mineral water.

Kibale's Guided "Top of the World" Hike |Hike across lush gardens, banana, coffee and tea plantations amid views of crater lakes, Kibale Forest and the Rwenzori Ranges.

After your memorable adventure, return to the lodge and refresh for dinner.

Overnight: Midrange: Turaco Treetops – or similar

Luxury: Chimpundu Lodge – or similar

Meal Plan: Full Board (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner)

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DAY 7– Depart Kibale to Entebbe Airport and Onward Departure

Journey Time: Approx. 6 Hours

Pickup Time: Flexible depending on flight timing. Breakfast at the lodge followed by a check-out. Thereafter, set off from Kibale to Entebbe Airport (Lunch is at a restaurant). We recommend departure flights from 06:00PM is recommended. On arrival at the airport, proceed to check-in for your onward departure.

Meal Plan: Breakfast plus lunch at a restaurant

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End of Safari

DISCLAIMER:

The journey time(s) stated in the itinerary is an estimation and it is subject to variation depending on traffic and road conditions. | Listed accommodation options are subject to availability at the time of booking. If not available, similar properties will be considered. | Kindly note that we cannot determine which of the five sectors of Bwindi you will be allocated as this will depend on availability at the time of booking. | Rates are subject to change without a prior notice due to factors out of our control. We will notify you concerning any top-ups to be included in your final invoice.