

CLASSIC PORTFOLIO

Wild Expeditions  
**Camp Hwange & Muddy Teak**

HWANGE NATIONAL PARK, ZIMBABWE



# General Information

CLASSIFICATION	<b>CLASSIC:</b> Camp Hwange. Open all year. <b>CLASSIC:</b> Muddy Teak – Exclusive use. Annual Closure 1 Dec – 30 Apr.
LAND RELATIONSHIP	Private concession of 5,000 hectares within Hwange National Park.
OVERVIEW	Established in 2010 by a prominent Zimbabwean guide, Camp Hwange is strategically positioned between rugged mopane woodlands and sandy soil teak forests. Aside from fantastic game viewing, especially in the drier months from April through to November, it offers an excellent guided experience with a strong emphasis on walking and tracking.
IMPACT OF YOUR STAY	LOW   MEDIUM   <b>HIGH</b>   VERY HIGH Camp Hwange collaborates with research organizations and partners with an educational and community project just outside of Victoria Falls. Each guest pays a daily Conservation & Park Fee.
ACCESS	Victoria Falls (VFA) International Airport - Scheduled charter flights to Camp Hwange's private airstrip (Shumba Airstrip), followed by 15-minute game drive to camp. Enquire for road access.
CAMPS	Camp Hwange – 8 chalets, including a 2-bedroom family unit, on a per person per night rate Muddy Teak – 4 tented suites, including 1 family suite, on a min 4 guest base rate
CHILDREN	Children 8+ years. Families with kids aged 8–12 are required to book a private vehicle.
HEALTH	Malaria area - seek advice from a health professional.

## Need to know

OPERATING SEASON	Camp Hwange – Open all year Muddy Teak – Annual closure 1 Dec - 30 Apr	GYM / KEEP FIT	Through daily activities.
ELECTRICITY	220V mains off solar power.	SPA / MASSAGE	No
WIFI & MOBILE SIGNAL	Camp Hwange – Limited WiFi in main area. Muddy teak – No WiFi Limited mobile signal.	FOOD & WINE	Fully inclusive: all meals, & local drinks. No Halaal / No Kosher.
CHECK-IN CHECK-OUT	Flexible, depends on flight schedules.	GUIDE ROOM	No
CREDIT CARDS	No	OTHER FACILITIES	Main area pool, waterhole and log pile hides, library and museum.
SECURITY	Unfenced.	ACTIVITIES	Daily morning, afternoon, and evening game drives, walking safaris, all with Zimbabwean Pro Guides.

## Weather

Camp Hwange has incredible game viewing, especially in the dry season (between April and October) with large herds of elephants, buffalo, giraffe, sable and zebra, plus consistent sightings of the resident lion prides. This is also the best time to get out on foot and explore the mega-fauna with expert guides. During summer, days can get hot, but it's nothing a wet kikoi and ice-cold drink can't solve.

### JANUARY – MARCH

19 – 30 °C | 66 – 86 °F

The wettest months, generally with afternoon showers, but otherwise sunny, hot days.

### JULY – SEPTEMBER

10 – 33 °C | 50 – 91 °F

Superb game viewing continues with dry conditions. While temperatures rise in August, mornings and nights stay chilly—perfect for walking safaris..

### APRIL – JUNE

11 – 29 °C | 52 – 84 °F

Cooler temperatures follow the end of the rains, with chilly mornings and nights. This signals the start of peak wildlife viewing in the dry season.

### OCTOBER – DECEMBER

19 – 35 °C | 66 – 95 °F

The first rains arrive late October to early November, bringing life to the vegetation and signalling many species to give birth..

## CAMP HWANGE

TENTED CHALETS WITH THATCH ROOFS - CHILDREN 8+ YEARS

# CHALETS	8 Chalets (1 x 2-bedroom family Chalet) Max 16 adults, 2 kids	POOL	✓ main area
EXTRA BEDS	✓ Max 1	IN-ROOM WIFI	✗
TWIN BEDS	✓ All suites	MINI BAR	✗
BATHROOM	En-suite	AIR CON	✗
SHOWER	✓	FAN	✓ Ceiling fan
BATH	✗	MOZZIE NET	✓
HAIRDRYER	✗	LAUNDRY	✓ Included
ROOM SAFE	✓	DISABLED ACCESS	✗





TENT INTERIOR

## MUDDY TEAK

TENTED SUITES – CHILDREN 8+ YEARS

# CHALETS	4 Tented Suites (1 family Suite) Max 8 adults, 2 kids	POOL	✓ main area
EXTRA BEDS	X	IN-ROOM WIFI	X
TWIN BEDS	✓ All suites	MINI BAR	X
BATHROOM	En-suite	AIR CON	X
SHOWER	✓	FAN	✓ Ceiling fan
BATH	X	MOZZIE NET	✓
HAIRDRYER	X	LAUNDRY	✓ Included
ROOM SAFE	✓	DISABLED ACCESS	X



TENT EXTERIOR



MAIN AREA



ENJOYING THE SCENERY

# Activities & Experiences

## GAME DRIVES

Twice daily, whole day, and night drives.  
Guide plus optional tracker.  
Off roading for key sightings.  
Max 6 guests per vehicle.  
Guests 8+ years.

## GUIDED WALKS

1 armed professional safari guide, plus tracker.  
Max 6 guests per walk.  
Guests 12+ years.

## PRIVATE VEHICLES (Booked in advance)

Required for families with kids aged 8 – 12.  
Included for Muddy Teak bookings.

## BIRD WATCHING

Ideal on game drive as well as from camp overlooking the water hole.

## RHINO TRACKING (Booked in advance. Private vehicle required.)

Minimum age 12 years old.

## LOGPILE HIDES

Overlooking waterhole.  
Only accessible by vehicle.



## WILDLIFE SIGHTINGS

	HIGH	MEDIUM	LOW	DOES NOT OCCUR HERE
LION	✓			
LEOPARD		✓		
CHEETAH		✓		
ELEPHANT	✓			
RHINO - WHITE & BLACK				W&B
BUFFALO	✓			
GIRAFFE	✓			
ZEBRA	✓			
HIPPO	✓			
CROCODILE				X
WILD DOG		✓		
HYENA - SPOTTED	✓			
AARDVARK			✓	
MIGRATION				X
GENERAL ANTELOPE SPECIES	✓			
VARIETY OF BIRD LIFE	✓			
SPECIAL SIGHTING FOR THIS AREA	Sable, Roan, Eland, Serval, Kori Bustard, Martial Eagle			
OTHER	Exceptional dry season game viewing, with huge herds of elephant, buffalo, and zebra. This attracts the lion prides, leading to amazing predator – prey interactions.			

# Location & Access Map

## Flight Access



### FLY

#### LIGHT AIRCRAFT CHARTER (RECOMMENDED)

- Seat-in-rate 25 min charters with MackAir, AltAir, & Wilderness Air to Camp Hwange's private airstrip (Shumba Airstrip), followed by 15 minute game drive to camp.

### DRIVE

- 3-hour road transfer from Victoria Falls Airport to Robin's Gate, followed by 2 – 3 hour game drive to camp.
- 3 hour game drive from Hwange Main Camp into Camp Hwange.

LIBRARY & MUSEUM



BIRD WATCHING



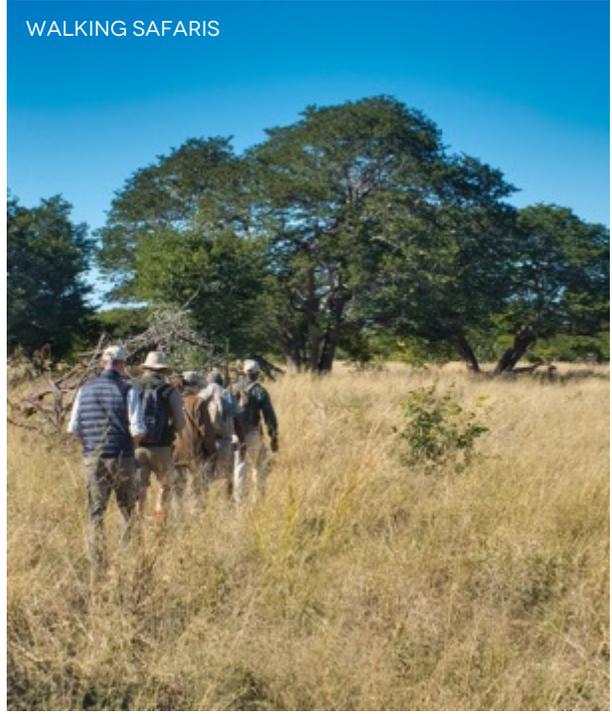
GAME DRIVES



PRIVATE AIRSTRIP



WALKING SAFARIS



FAMILY TENT

# WILD EXPEDITIONS

CAMP HWANGE &  
MUDDY TEAK

CLASSICS CLASSIFICATION	CLASSIC
IMPACT OF EACH GUEST STAY	MEDIUM
CHILDREN - MINIMUM AGE	8+
FAMILY ROOMS	✓
EXCLUSIVE CAMP / VILLAS	X
HONEYMOON OFFER	✓
LAND SAFARI	✓
WATER SAFARI	X
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	LOGPILE HIDES BLACK RHINO TRACKING
GET INVOLVED - CONSERVATION	X
GET INVOLVED - COMMUNITIES	X
WELLNESS & MASSAGE	X

#### CLASSIC CLASSIFICATIONS:

P – Premier: These camps/lodges feature luxurious amenities and are often priced at a higher tier.

C – Classic: These camps/lodges offer a more down-to-earth experience and are priced at a mid-level rate.

E – Expedition: These experiences are best suited for small groups or trips led by private guides.

#### IMPACT OF EACH GUEST STAY:

L – Low

M – Medium

H – High

VH – Very High

Based on the following 4 considerations we look at the positive impact that each guest is making by staying here:

- Transferability: What percentage of the daily rates is allocated to conservation and community initiatives?
- Removability: What impact would arise if the property were absent? Are there alternative lodges in the vicinity that continue to make positive contributions?
- Responsibility: To what extent does the property handle management privately, and how much is overseen as a concession under a collaborative arrangement?
- Fragility: How vulnerable is the surrounding environment and community?

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