


Suggested Itinerary

AT WOLWEDANS, GUESTS GO
SLOW. TO DISCONNECT, TO
RECONNECT. WITH
THEMSELVES, WITH NATURE,
AND WITH HUMANKIND

Wolwedans

A photograph of a desert landscape at sunset. The foreground is a large sand dune with distinct ripples. The middle ground shows a valley with sparse vegetation and distant mountains. The sky is filled with dramatic, colorful clouds in shades of blue, purple, and orange, with the sun setting behind the mountains, creating a bright glow.

It is time now, I
said, for the
deepening and
quieting of the
spirit among the
flux of happenings.

MARY OLIVER

4 NIGHT SUGGESTED ITINERARY





WHERE TO STAY

DUNE CAMP

The smaller more intimate camp with 6 tents, perfect for couples. Dune Camp Family Suite has 2-tents and is ideally suited to a family or 2 couples.

DESERT LODGE

Positioned in one of the most enviable locations that the NamibRand has to offer, Desert Lodge has a stunning outlook with 10 tented rooms.

PLAINS CAMP

The exclusive villa is the most private option at Wolwedans and has 4 suites, ideal for a family or group of friends. Sleeps up to 10.

MOUNTAIN VIEW SUITE

The exclusive suite is the most romantic setting at Wolwedans and comes with a private guide, vehicle and chef. Sleeps 2.





DAY 1: Arrival Day

WELCOME TO WOLWEDANS

DEPARTURE FROM WINDHOEK WITH FLYNAMIBIA

Depart WDH (Windhoek) at 09h40

Arrive FYRW (Kerweeder Airstrip) at 10h30

This 45-minute flight operates year-round on Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat.



ARRIVAL

You will be met at Kerweeder airstrip by your Wolwedans guide, followed by a 45-60 minute scenic drive to camp as you get your first glimpse of this breathtaking landscape. Arrive at camp in time for lunch.

An early lunch for fly-in guests is included in the rate.

AFTERNOON

Enjoy a short drive with an evening sundowner as you bid farewell to your first day in the desert.

Included activity on all rates.



WHERE TO STAY

WOLWEDANS COLLECTION

For the Desert Dunk itinerary and scheduled flights in and out of Kerweeder; choose between:

Dunes Camp

Plains Camp

Mountain View Suite

Desert Lodge



DAY 2: GAIN A GRAIN OF PERSPECTIVE

MORNING:

Bushman Walk

After breakfast in camp, set off on a guided walk into the desert with your expert Bushman tracker who will interpret the signs on the dunes and share his readings. From golden moles that swim through the sand to side-winding snakes that move with ease, the desert holds the most remarkable stories for those who know how to read the sand.

Included activity on all rates.

Heart & Home Village Tour

The Bushmen walk ends at the Wolwedans Village which is the epi-centre of all operations and the heart of life in the desert. Here you have a guided tour to understand where the life source water comes from, how power is harnessed from the sun and how fresh produce is grown and farmed. This is the essence of the Wolwedans Foundation, AridEden mission and why Wolwedans is widely recognised as a leader in sustainable business and tourism. An organic produce lunch is served in the gardens.

Included activity on all rates.

AFTERNOON:

E-Bike Dune Riding

Hop on a 'fat' E-bike and follow the winding roads through the reserve, cruising over hills, sand dunes and vast plains. Ending with well-deserved sundowner and the most breath-taking views.

Included activity on all rates.





DAY 3: THE BIG DAY OUT (FULL-DAY SCENIC DRIVE)

MORNING: Scenic Drive

Wake to the sun coming into your tent and after breakfast in camp, head out on the signature Wolwedans experience, the full day scenic drive. Explore the southern side of NamibRand with its varied landscapes of granite boulders, inselbergs and rolling sand dunes. Game drive across the sand dunes and enjoy the array of colours found on the plains and mountains. Whilst you drive, learn about small and large desert dwellers and their quest for survival and the diverse flora of the region, as well as the NamibRand's fascinating geology.

Included activity on all rates



LUNCH:

A packed picnic lunch can be enjoyed in the 'Hard Rock Café.' This location is the perfect stop for lunch in the deep shade of granite rocks with views across the open desert plains.

Included activity on all rates.

AFTERNOON:

The drive heads north and crosses over the Chateaux Plains before climbing the dune belt and heading back to camp. Once back in your tent, enjoy a plunge in your private 'Wolwedans Chiller' before sundowners either from your room, or the main area of the camp.

This is a time for a moment of solitude. Stretch out on your yoga mat and soak up the intense stillness of the NamibRand. A late afternoon massage can also be arranged in the privacy of your tent.

Massage treatments are an extra cost at all camps.





DAY 4: HIGH IN THE SKY

MORNING:

Hot air ballooning

Depart Wolwedans early in the morning for either a short 1-hour (Kwessi launch site) or a 2-hour (Geluk launch site) drive to the Namib Sky hot air balloon site (the launch site depends on wind conditions).

Once airborne, you'll feel like a mere speck in the universe - and a very lucky one at that. Floating above the NamibRand gives you a birds' eye view of the dune montage and the mysterious fairy circles. The balloon flight ends with a champagne brunch in the desert. From here, transfer back to camp with your Wolwedans guide; expected arrival in time back in camp is around midday.

Additional cost; please book in advance.



AFTERNOON:

Horse riding

Whether it's at a flat-out gallop or a sedate walk, all level of riders are welcome to horse-ride at Wolwedans. Watching the landscape go by through a horse's ears is magical. There is also an option to end the horse ride with sundowners on the dunes.

Additional cost; book in advance or while in camp.



EVENING

Antares Night Sky Safari

Once the sun has set and the night sky comes to life, join us for an 'Antares' – a naked eye star safari. The NamibRand is one of a handful of International Dark Sky Reserves in the world, and the only one on the African continent. We have no light pollution and the stars glitter and sparkle in the inky- black sky, undisturbed by anything or anyone.

Included activity on all rates.



Day 5:

LEAVE YOUR MARK AT THE ARIDEDEN PROJECTS

Once you have packed and are ready to leave camp, head to the Wolwedans Village and leave your mark and gratitude for this time in the desert by choosing between:

Planting a Tree: Beneficiary being the Wolwedans Horticulture programme.

Packing a Stone Circle: Beneficiary being the Wolwedans Foundation Culture Fund.

Adopting a Fairy Circle: Beneficiary being the NamibRand Conservation Foundation.

Additional cost; book while in camp.

LINGER LONGER

Stay 4 nights, Pay 3

Valid all year, in all camps.

Departure

A late lunch can be enjoyed either in camp or at Wolwedans Village.

Late lunch for fly-in guests is excluded in the rate.

Once you have checked out, take a 30-minute road transfer to the Kerweeder airstrip for your flight.

DEPARTURE FROM KEERWEDER WITH FLYNAMIBIA

Depart FYRW (Keerweder) at 15h00

Arrive WDH (Windhoek) at 15h50

This 45-minute flight operates year-round on Tue/Thu/Sun.

PRIVATE CHARTER

There is an option to charter directly in and out of the Wolwedans Airstrip at the Wolwedans Village from anywhere in Namibia. This charter to WDH makes connection to earlier flights possible.

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