

18 reasons why you should go on a Namibia self-drive safari

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Namibia is the ideal self-drive safari escape if you're thinking of getting away from the hustle and bustle of the city to experience an authentic African safari.



Track down the desert-adapted elephants of Damaraland, witness the massive seal colony at Cape Cross or explore the sand-ridden ghost town of Kolmanskop. A Namibia self-drive safari is an unforgettable experience. Here are 18 reasons why you should experience it for yourself.

Damaraland

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@wearewilderness #damaraland #endlessssafari

A photo posted by Marius Coetzee (@endlessssafari) on Feb 17, 2016 at 10:52am PST

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One of my favourite #wildlife #photos from #damaraland, #namibia. A #still and #lonesome #oryx in the foreground #juxtaposed against the #energy of the #battle in the background. The #sunlight penetrating through the #dust creates a #raw and #earthy feel. #thisisafrica #nature #photography #travelmoments #animalplanet #natgeowild #wanderlust

A photo posted by Krystal Bojan (@kaybeestravels) on Apr 24, 2016 at 7:16am PDT

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One of my magic sky color moments in Damaraland - Namibia. #namibia #damaraland
#naturephotography #sunset #skyporn #amazing #africa #travel #wearewilderness #wantback

A photo posted by Michael Meier (@michaelmeierphotography) on Apr 20, 2016 at 11:31am PDT

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Etosha National Park

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. Photography by @ (Denis Roschlau). Two Elephants sharing one face. #Etosha #Namibia #Wildlife
#Elephants *A photo posted by Wildlife - Animals (@wildlife.hd) on Apr 20, 2016 at 10:24pm PDT*

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A lioness in Etosha nation park, Namibia. The Etosha-Kunene lion area, shared with neighbouring Angola, is thought to contain 455 lions in 123,800km2. in Etosha National Park Namibia #southafrica #animalplanetfan #animal #animals #animalphoto #animalplanet #instamood #animalphotography #photoanimals #nature #animalworld #like4like #cats #follow #awesome #cool #lion #animallovers #catphoto #birds #wildlife #cat #namibia #etosha

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Sundayzzz 💎💎 #etosha #cheetah #wanderlust #namibia #travel #nikon #earlymorning

A photo posted by @im8hoursahead on Apr 24, 2016 at 1:41am PDT

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More dreamy-ness ☺□□□

A photo posted by Emma McEvoy💎💎♥️□ (@e_mcevoy) on Nov 22, 2015 at 9:42pm PST

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#kolmanskop #ghosttown # in #namibia #urbex

A photo posted by Matthieu Gallet (Paris, Fra) (@eyes_wideopen) on Mar 14, 2016 at 11:07am PDT

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#namibia #ghosttown #kolmanskop #desert #justwhenithoughtiveseenitall .. By far the illest place i ve ever been to.. A ghost town in the desert

A photo posted by tillvonsein (@tillvonsein) on Jan 15, 2016 at 12:05am PST

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Cape Cross

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Surf is cranking but it's a little crowded #seals #capecross #namibia #carryersafari
#searchingforskeletonbay

A photo posted by Tim Carryer (@timcarryer) on Aug 5, 2015 at 11:53am PDT

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💎💎 Cape Cross, Namibia 💎💎 Aug. 24, 2015 This place the Namibian coast is home of more than
one hundred thousand seals. Este lugar na costa da Namíbia é moradia para mais de cem mil focas.
#capecross #namibia #africa #seal #sealcolony

A photo posted by Wanderson Diego (@wdiegomt) on Sep 14, 2015 at 10:08pm PDT

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세계 최대 물개 서식지 cape cross. 귀욤💎💎 #seal #capecross #namibia #trip #africa #travel #nature
#atlanticoccean #worldtravel #animal #자연 #동물 #나미비아 #아프리카 #세계여행 #물개 #케이프크로스
#꽃청춘 #나미비아원정대 A photo posted by 이수정 (@l.sujung_) on Apr 17, 2016 at 4:13am PDT

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Skeleton Coast

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Without a doubt, the best flight I've ever had. Routing Lüderitz to Swakop with @funforlouis ➔
#SkeletonCoast #Heaven #Namibia

A photo posted by Juan-Peter Schulze (@the_candourist) on May 26, 2015 at 7:48am PDT

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Baño en la Costa de los Esqueletos! #SkeletonCoast #Namibia

A photo posted by Gotzon Mantuliz (@gotzonmantuliz) on May 7, 2015 at 2:34am PDT

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#natgeotravel #discover #photooftheday

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#twyfelfontein #giraffe #damara #damaraland #namibia

A photo posted by Hans-Christian Pauly (@hcpy) on Aug 22, 2015 at 2:58pm PDT

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More #twyfelfontein ... this time @danfromnam having an Indy moment. Look closely and you can see the animals engraved over 200,000 years ago. This place has big time history. #archaeology

#Namibia *A photo posted by Collyn Ahart (@collyn) on Dec 3, 2015 at 6:41am PST*

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A close up of the organ pipes, a unique rock formation in #namibia. #geology #travel #africa
#twyfelfontein *A photo posted by José López (@weareallpilgrims) on Apr 8, 2016 at 10:37am PDT*

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