

Southern Africa Music Festival and Safari Tour

Join this incredible experience combining two of Africa finest music and arts festivals with the Big 5 of the Kruger National Park.

15th - 29th May 2019

Mozambique Azgo Festival
South Africa Kruger National Park
Swaziland BushFire Festival

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From: \$ 2,950 (excl. Flights)





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Package includes the following:

- 1 night accommodation in Melville Johannesburg – The Lucky Bean Guest House <http://www.lucky-beanguesthouse.co.za/> or the Melville Turret <http://www.melvilleturret.co.za/>
- 4 nights' accommodation at Hotel Terminus in Maputo <http://www.terminus.co.mz/?lang=en>
- 4 nights' accommodation in Kruger National Park at two different camps Lower Sabie (basic huts with shared ablutions) and Pretoriuskop (basic bungalows with ensuite bathrooms)
- 3 nights' accommodation at the MTN Bushfire Festival in the comfortable Lux Camping Site <https://www.bush-fire.com/useful-info/glamping/>
- 2 nights' accommodation at the Hallmark Hotel in Johannesburg <http://www.newmarkhotels.com/accommodation/hotels/hallmark-house/>
- 14 breakfasts
- 1 lunch (Soweto Walking Tour)
- All transport (at both Festivals transport will include 1 drop off and 1 pickup from/to festival/accommodation each day)
- Mafalala Tour
- Maputo City Sightseeing Tour – informal half day tour
- 4 night Kruger National Park Safari (including: accommodation, specialist safari guides, open safari vehicle game drives, unlimited daily safaris, 1 x night drive, park entry fees, conservation fees)
- Azgo Full Festival Pass (VIP ticket)
- Bushfire Full Festival Pass (VIP ticket)
- Soweto Walking Tour (including lunch)
- Entry to Apartheid Museum (with tour included)
- Experienced guide for full duration of tour

Not included:

Visas, lunches, dinners, activities not listed in the list above, entry fees to optional gate fees, drinks, snacks, items of a personal nature

Rate:

AUD 2,950/person sharing

Single supplement: top up of AUD 568/person

Optional extra activities (quoted in ZAR):

Nucleo de Arte Gallery (in Maputo) – entry fee (not yet confirmed)

Walking safari in Kruger – ZAR 570.00/person

Entry to the Orbit Jazz Club in Johannesburg – (gate fee not confirmed)

Itinerary

Date	Day	Activity	Accommodation	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
15-May-19	Wed	Arrive into Johannesburg - meet All Out Africa guide at the airport (time and place to be confirmed once we have everyone's flights). Drive to Melville and drop bags at the guest house before heading into Melville for brunch. After brunch check into Guest House and rest in the afternoon. Dinner in Melville. Melville is a very pleasant and distinctly bohemian suburb of Johannesburg with many great restaurants, cafes and bars.	Lucky Bean Guest House - (3 singles, 2 twins) The Turrett Melville (3 singles) Melville Johannesburg	Not included	Not included	Not included
16-May-19	Thurs	08:30 - Depart Lucky Bean and The Turrett for Maputo (8 hour road transfer with border crossing to Mozambique). Lunch stop at a road side garage with restaurant. Border crossing to Mozambique can take up to 2 hours but the All Out Africa guide will lead you through the process (get visa at the border if you have not already obtained one). Arrive in Maputo late afternoon and check in at Hotel Terminus. Dinner at leisure in Maputo (guide will give restaurant suggestions). Maputo has many very good restaurants to choose from.	Terminus Hotel - Maputo (4 singles, 3 twins)	Included - Lucky Bean	Not included	Not included
17-May-19	Fri	Breakfast at hotel. 10:00: Join the Mafala Walking Tour and learn about local culture in the heart of the city. Later a hop on guide will join you in the vehicle and you will be able to explore many of the sites including the historic fort, the old railway station and the amazing craft centre. Lunch will be at leisure (guide will suggest restaurants). In the evening attend a concert at CCFM (Centre Cultural Franco-Mozambican) - optional.	Terminus Hotel - Maputo (4 singles, 3 twins)	Included - Terminus Hotel	Not included	Not included
18-May-19	Sat	Breakfast at hotel. 09:45 - depart hotel for the AZGO Festival. All Out Africa guide will drop you at the venue and then will schedule two pick up times through the day for a shuttle back to the hotel. AZGO starts at 10am and runs through until 06:00 on the Sunday. See the website for more information on the line up and other highlights http://azgofestival.com/en/	Terminus Hotel - Maputo (4 singles, 3 twins)	Included - Terminus Hotel	Not included	Not included
19-May-19	Sun	Breakfast at hotel and time to relax all morning. Late morning depart the hotel for lunch at the famous Maputo Fish Market. In the evening attend Nucleo de Arte gallery http://nucleodarteing.blogspot.com/ (optional)	Terminus Hotel - Maputo (4 singles, 3 twins)	Included - Terminus Hotel	Not included	Not included
20-May-19	Mon	Breakfast at hotel. 10:00 - depart Maputo City for the Kruger National Park. The road transfer to Crocodile Bridge entry gate is approximately 3 hours including the border crossing from Mozambique back into South Africa. Just before entry to Kruger your guide will stop at a small town called Komatipoort where you can shop for snacks and use ATMs etc. On entry to Kruger at Crocodile Bridge you will transfer into open safari vehicles and the safari begins! For the next four days you will explore the wildlife rich southern region of the massive Kruger National Park.	Lower Sabie Rest Camp - (4 x singles, 3 x twin sleeper huts)	Included - Terminus Hotel	Not included	Not included
21-May-19	Tues	05:30 - the day begins with hot drinks and biscuits to give you a kick start before heading out into the African bush at 06:00 to search for the Big 5. Breakfast will be included at a remote bush café. Your first day in Kruger will be a full day of safari. For lunches and dinners the guide will stop at any of the parks cafes and restaurants.	Lower Sabie Rest Camp - (4 x singles, 3 x twin sleeper huts)	Included - Kruger café	Not included	Not included
22-May-19	Wed	05:30 - it will be an early start again this morning and you will head out to new areas of the park to search for more wildlife. The safari will return to camp before lunch and you will have time to relax at the camp in the afternoon before joining the sunset drive safari which departs just before sunset.	Pretoriuskop Rest Camp - (4 x singles, 3 x twin sleeper huts)	Included - Kruger café	Not included	Not included
23-May-19	Thurs	This is a good morning to go on the optional Morning Walking Safari. Alternatively you can go out for a safari with the All Out Africa guide. The whole group will meet back at camp for a late breakfast and then some time to relax in the camp around the swimming pool. Late afternoon safari for those that want to.	Pretoriuskop Rest Camp - (4 x singles, 3 x twin sleeper huts)	Included - Kruger café	Not included	Not included

24-May-19	Fri	Sleep in a bit after the previous 3 early starts. Breakfast at 09:00 at the camp café. 10:15 - depart Pretoriuskop Rest Camp for Swaziland. The road transfer will be approximately 6 hours including the border crossing from South Africa to Swaziland. Arrive at Malkerns, home to Bushfire Festival. Check into your luxury ensuite tents and freshen up before heading to the Bushfire Festival! Bushfire is a 3 days event and ends on the Sunday night. For more information on the festival and the line up go to http://www.bush-fire.com/ .	Rush Glamping (6 singles, 3 twins)	Included - Kruger café	Not included	Not included
25-May-19	Sat	Breakfast at your luxury tent and then spend the day enjoying all that the Bushfire Festival has to offer from music, Fair Trade Crafts, a variety of delicious food and an opportunity to Green Your Fire! Bushfire Saturday start from 10:00 and closed at 04:00 on the Sunday. Check the website for line-up and highlights.	Rush Glamping (6 singles, 3 twins)	Included - Delux camping	Not included	Not included
26-May-19	Sun	Breakfast at your luxury tent and then spend the day enjoying all that the Bushfire Festival has to offer. Bushfire Sunday start from 10:00 and closed at 20:00. Check the website for line-up and highlights.	Rush Glamping (6 singles, 3 twins)	Included - Delux camping	Not included	Not included
27-May-19	Mon	Breakfast at your luxury tent and pack up. At 10:30 - depart Swaziland for Johannesburg. The road transfer will be approximately 5 hours arriving at Johannesburg Maboneng Precinct in the late afternoon. You will check-in in to the Hallmark Hotel and then be able to explore the precinct into the evening http://www.mabonengprecinct.com/	Hallmark Hotel - Maboneng Precinct - Johannesburg (4 singles, 3 twins)	Included - Delux camping	Not included	Not included
28-May-19	Tue	Breakfast at hotel: Morning visit to the Apartheid Museum to learn about the system of segregation that shaped South Africa from 1948 to 1994. After learning about the Apartheid system you will then go on a Walking Tour of Soweto Township where you will pass many of the key commemoration sites in the struggle against apartheid. In the evening you will be taken out to The Orbit Jazz Club http://www.theorbit.co.za/ (optional)	Hallmark Hotel - Maboneng Precinct - Johannesburg (4 singles, 3 twins)	Included - 12 Hallmark Hotel	Included - on Soweto Tour	Not included
29-May-19	Wed	Breakfast at hotel. 10:00 (time to be confirmed based on flights) road transfer to OR Tambo International for flights home.	N/A	Included - 12 Hallmark Hotel	Not included	Not included

Optional extras that need to be pre-booked:

There are many optional extra activities to consider while on your tour but one that needs to be pre-booked in the Morning Walking Safari in Kruger (run by park rangers): ZAR 570/person (5 hour round trip). Let us know if you'd like to add this to your reservation?

What to take:

Note: Please pack as lightly and compactly as possible. 1 x 25 kg bag will be sufficient. May in southern Africa is the beginning of the dry winter. The weather is generally perfect for travel as it is sunny and dry most days. The evenings and morning can be quite cold especially if you are on an outdoor activity like a safari. Please pack a range of clothing for warm to hot days and cool to cold nights. In addition to your everyday clothing, it is important that you include the following:



General

- Binoculars for game viewing (we have pairs in the vehicle but bring your own if you have)
- Toiletries
- Sunglasses (high UV protection)
- Sun cream (a range of factors)
- Sun hat
- Small torch (head torch is preferable and highly recommended)
- Camera
- Water bottle
- Mobile phone – set for roaming

Special clothing

- Neutral clothing for optional bush walk
- Trainers for the bush walk
- Swimwear (there are pools at most accommodations)
- Warm fleece or jacket for cold nights and mornings (especially while on the open safari vehicle in the early morning)

Medical Kit

- Anti-malarial tablets (Maputo and Kruger are low risk Malaria areas in winter – consult your own doctor for advise)
- Personal First Aid Kit
- Personal medication e.g. anti-malarial tablets/prescription drugs/inhalers
- Painkillers
- Plasters
- Mosquito repellent

Adaptors - make sure to bring your own adaptors from Australian to South African plugs

Currency

- South African Rands (ZAR) – obtainable from ATMs on arrival (Rands usable in Swaziland)
- Mozambican Metical (MZN) – obtainable from ATMs on arrival

Visas? - it is your responsibility to check if you require a visa for your travel.

South Africa – Australians DO NOT need a visa for travel

Mozambique – Australians DO NEED a visa for travel and this can be obtained on entry (approximately AUD100 – can only be paid with Rands cash)

Swaziland – Australians DO NOT need a visa for travel

