

BEST OF BOTSWANA

Makgadikgadi Pans, The Okavango Delta, & Chobe National Park
September 25 – October 5, 2023

SOUTH AFRICA

Pre-trip Western Cape Extension – October 5 – 12, 2023

BIRDS & BEASTS - October 12 – 25, 2023

Post-trip Eastern Extension – Oct. 25 – Nov. 4, 2023

Participant Registration

Please complete 4-page registration form in full and return with deposits as follows:

\$750 for Best of Botswana

\$700 for South Africa Birds & Beasts (main tour)

\$300 for the Western Cape pre-tour Extension to the South Africa tour

\$500 for the East Coast/Drakensberg post-tour extension to the South Africa tour

Balance is due on or before May 25, 2023, for the Botswana tour or June 12, 2023, for the South Africa tour and extensions.

PRICING

Best of Botswana - Full price is \$4850. This is a 2022 price and will be adjusted, probably by 5 – 10%, for 2023. Price is in US dollars.

Western Cape Extension to South Africa tour - ZAR 33,900 (\$2260 at 15:1 exchange rate)

South Africa Birds & Beasts (main tour) - ZAR 72,500 (\$4833 at 15:1 exchange rate)

East coast/Drakensberg ext. to the S. Africa tour - ZAR 51,300 (\$3420 at 15:1 exch. rate)

Cost in US dollars for the South African tours will be determined using current currency exchange rates at the time final payment is made.

Make checks payable to *Cheepers! Birding on a Budget*. Mail deposit and 3-page form to:

Cheepers! Birding on a Budget LLC

PO Box 385

Spring Valley, OH 45370

Tour Specifics

Check all that apply:

I am registering for the Best of Botswana tour for \$4850 (price to be adjusted)

I am registering for the Cape pre-tour Extension for ZAR 33,900 (USD \$2260 at 15:1 exchange rate)

I am registering for the Birds & Beasts South Africa Tour for ZAR 72,500 (USD \$4833 at 15:1 exchange rate)

I am registering for the East Coast & Drakensberg Plateau post-tour Extension for ZAR 51,300 (USD \$3420 at 15:1 exchange rate)

Signed _____

Name (as it appears on your passport) _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email address _____

Birthdate _____ Age at start of tour _____ Male _____ Female _____

Passport Number _____

Place of Issue _____ Expiration Date _____

PHYSICAL CONDITION

Excellent

Good

Average

Poor

Dietary Restrictions _____

Allergies _____

Health concerns (blood pressure, heart condition, etc) _____

Personal Physician _____ Phone _____

I acknowledge that I am solely responsible for any hospital or other costs arising out of any bodily injury or property damage sustained through my participation in this voluntary travel. In this regard, my health and accident insurance policy information is as follows:

Health Insurance Provider _____

Policy number: _____

Signed _____

It is strongly recommended that trip participants purchase short-term traveler's insurance covering accident/life, lost baggage, and trip cancellations due to family emergencies and/or illness.

Do you have trip insurance? yes _____ no _____

If yes, name of company _____

Policy Number _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name _____ Relationship _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

ACCOMMODATIONS

I will be rooming with _____ Number of Beds (1 / 2) _____

I prefer single accommodations and will pay the single supplement(s) as designated:

~ \$500 UD for Best of Botswana

~ ZAR 4,100 (USD \$273) for the Western Cape extension

~ ZAR 6,800 (USD \$453) for Birds & Beasts (S. Africa main tour)

~ ZAR 5,200 (USD \$347) for the East Coast/Drakensberg Extension

I would like to be assigned a roommate. If none is available, I will pay the single supplement(s).

Terms and Conditions

Reservations for this tour require a deposit of \$750 for Botswana, \$700 for Birds & Beasts (S. Africa main tour), \$300 for the Western Cape pre-tour extension, \$500 for the East Coast/Drakensberg post-tour extension.

Payment in full is due on or before May 25, 2023 for the Botswana tour, June 12, 2023, for the South Africa tours and extensions.

All cancellations must be notified in writing.

If cancellation is received more than 6 months prior to departure, you will receive a full refund of your deposit.

If cancellation is received between 4 and 6 months prior to departure, 50% of your deposit will be refunded.

If cancellation is received less than 4 months prior to departure, your deposit will not be refunded.

If cancellation occurs after full payment is made, a refund will be given only if the vacant spot is filled.

Trip Cancellation Insurance is strongly recommended.

Cheepers! Birding on a Budget LLC reserves the right to make changes in the itinerary if the need should arise due to unforeseeable circumstances such as weather, landslides, and other natural phenomena, as well as suggestions by local guides in order to take advantage of an unusual birding opportunity. Lodging is subject to change based on availability.

All participants are required to sign the following *Release, Waiver of Liability and Covenant Not to Sue*.

RELEASE, WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE

(Read carefully before signing)

The undersigned hereby acknowledges that participation in any travel involves some risk and assumes all such risks. The undersigned hereby agrees that he/she does hereby waive liability, release and forever discharge ***Cheepers! Birding on a Budget LLC, Cheepers! Africa***, Jim Beckman, Cindy Beckman, and Errol de Beer from any and all claims, demands, rights and causes of action of whatever kind of nature, arising out of all known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen bodily and personal injuries, damage to property and the consequences thereof, including death, resulting from undersigned's voluntary participation in or in any way connected with such travel.

I further covenant and agree that I will not sue ***Cheepers! Birding on a Budget LLC, Cheepers! Africa***, Jim Beckman, Cindy Beckman, or Errol de Beer for any claim for damage arising or growing out of my voluntary participation in travel.

Name of Participant (*Please Print*): _____

Signature / Date: **X** _____ / _____