



## ACTIVITIES • FACTSHEET 2022

### SOSSUSVLEI EXCURSIONS

- Drive to the Sossusvlei dunes in a safari 4x4 vehicle accompanied by a Guide with in depth knowledge of the area
- Departure seasonally, depending on national park opening hours Activity is possible in the early morning or afternoon ( in the morning preferably for photography – departing before sunrise. In the afternoon preferably for experiencing the dunes more in private, less visitors will be there)
- Minimum of 2 guests or single supplement applicable; small groups only (maximum of 9 guests per vehicle)
- Activity duration is approx. ½ a day (approx. 6 – 7 hours)
- Rate includes a picnic in the dunes, guide, water, entrance fees

### SUNDOWNER DRIVE

On the Witwater Wilderness Reserve – 7000 ha.

- A relaxing way to end the day and enjoy beautiful views and a sundowner with drinks and snacks
- Starts in the afternoon, lasts 2 – 2 ½ hours, departure times change seasonally; guests are back at the lodge just before dinner
- minimum of 2 guests or a single supplement applicable, max. 9 guests per vehicle
- Opportunity to come face to face with the pro-Namib in a safari 4x4 vehicle
- Includes sundowner-drinks and snacks

### HORSEBACK RIDING

#### 1. CHAMPAGNE BREAKFAST RIDE

- Meet for an early morning tea or coffee and depart shortly after sunrise to ride for approx. 2 hours to a scenic breakfast spot and after breakfast back to the lodge, again about 2 hours to ride
- Enjoy a glass of sparkling wine and a continental breakfast spread, as well as great views
- Minimum of 2 guests or single supplement applicable, max. 8 participants
- Arrival at the lodge approximately 11am, depending seasonally, duration 4-5 hours
- Includes guide, water, continental breakfast, glass of sparkling wine

#### 2. HORSE SUNDOWNER RIDE

- Depart from the Desert Homestead Lodge after afternoon tea and walk down to the stables
- Ride through varied terrain for about 2 hours
- Meet back up team at sundowner spot for drinks of your choice and snack platters
- Ride back under the stars in time for Dinner at the lodge
- Minimum of 2 guests or single supplement applicable
- Includes experienced guide, water, sun-downer drinks + snacks





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### NAMIB MOUNTAIN TRAIL

Guided walking trail for experienced hikers

- Accompanied by an experienced guide the walk starts after an 'early bird' -coffee or tea at Desert Homestead Lodge
- 4 - 6 (approximately 12 km) hours walk and mountain crossing with a rest for breakfast and enjoying the spectacular view to the Namib Desert
- Arrive at noon at Desert Homestead Outpost, where a light lunch and relaxing at the pool awaits the hikers
- Minimum of 2 guests or single supplement applicable. Children accompanied by responsible adults only
- Includes guide, water during the hike, breakfast-pack, light lunch and non-alcoholic drinks
- Only bookable in combination with two overnight stays at Desert Homestead Lodge / Desert Homestead Outpost

### SELF GUIDED WALKING TRAILS

- Clearly marked
- Takes guests up onto a small mountain close to the lodge
- Lovely view, great way to stretch the legs and unwind after a long drive
- Ideal first afternoon or early morning activity

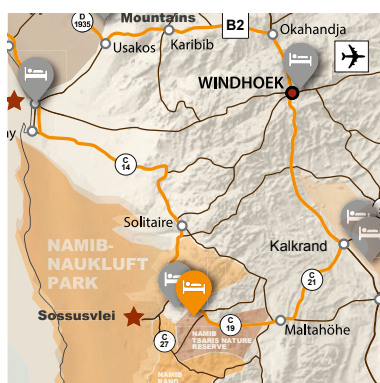
### OTHER ACTIVITIES IN THE AREA

- Quad biking
- Hot air ballooning (Transfer free of charge)
- Scenic flights

The staff at Desert Homestead Lodge and Desert Homestead Outpost will be happy to organize all activities of other providers in the area.

During the dinner an employee of the lodges informs the guests in detail about the activities of the upcoming day. You will also receive information about the respective start and departure times, depending on the season, as well as meeting points, required equipment, clothing and so on.

For participation in afternoon activities, check-in is necessary until 2 pm. In the case of a later arrival, it is not possible to guarantee a performance or attendance due to the different seasonal starting times.



### BOOKING

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