

VERNEY'S CAMP

HWANGE NATIONAL PARK
ZIMBABWE

ACTIVITIES AT VERNEY'S CAMP

	Game Drive
	Walking
	Bird Watching
	Photographic
	Arm Chair Safari

ABOUT VERNEY'S CAMP

Verney's Camp is based in a private concession in the heart of Hwange National Park in Zimbabwe. The Camp is located at Verney's Pan, which is situated on a large open floodplain surrounded by teak forest typical of Hwange National Park. The waterhole at Verney's plays host to numerous animals and is a playground for the famous elephant herds of Hwange. Verney's Camp is part of the Machaba Safaris group and is built in keeping with Machaba Safaris' winning recipe that matches the timeless wonder of a classic safari to Africa. It is aimed at the affordable luxury travel market worldwide for both the novice and the well-seasoned safari traveller.

Ten tents are tucked away perfectly under the shady arms of the teak trees bordering the open waterhole in front of camp.

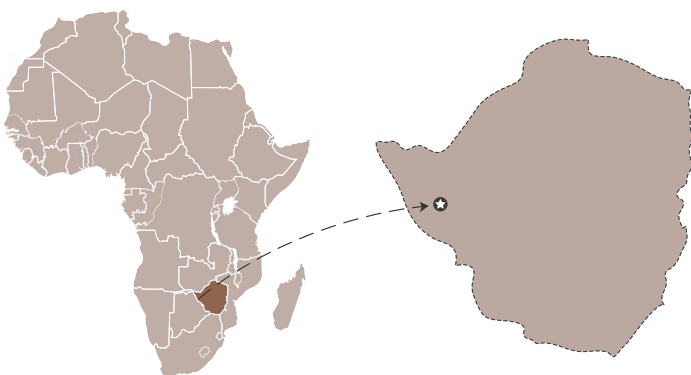
Each tent has been carefully positioned to ensure the best serenity and privacy so that guests can enjoy the natural beauty of the area. Each room is comfortably appointed and has en suite shower, flush toilet, and double vanity which are all beautifully designed to retain the authenticity and magical feeling of being on safari. Verney's Camp has eight double/twin rooms and two family rooms, all of which are on wooden decks, and are connected by natural pathways on the ground.

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WHERE IS VERNEY'S CAMP LOCATED?

Situated on the central side of the south eastern part of Hwange National Park, Verney's Camp is a private concession of 10 000 hectares (24,7 acres). It is in a remote part of the National Park that is not accessed by regular Park visitors, however the camp does have access to the public parts of the National Park.

WHAT TO PACK?

Clothing on safari should be comfortable and colours should blend in with nature as much as possible. Beige, greens, browns, tan and khaki coloured clothing is advisable. Evening dress is 'smart casual', no formal wear required.

YEAR ROUND

- Layers – the best way to dress on safari, due to fluctuating temperatures. We recommend cotton. Long sleeves and trousers will protect from both sun and insects.
- Fleece/warm sweater or warm jacket for morning and evening game drives
- Hat – broad brimmed for protection against the sun.
- Sunglasses – dark ones to cut the glare.
- Light cotton shirts and T-shirts; Blouses or shirts
- Shorts, trousers and chinos
- Shoes – good, comfortable sturdy closed shoes/boots and socks for walking.
- Flip flops/thongs for use in outdoor showers.
- Sunblock, insect repellent and lip salve.
- Binoculars – each person should have their own so as not to miss out on any sightings.
- Camera with spare batteries, memory sticks, film, and the correct charging apparatus.

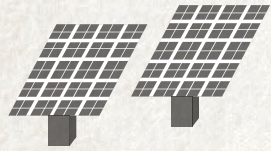
SUMMER

- A kikoi or light sarong has a multitude of uses.
- Light, compact jacket (windcheater) for the rainy season.
- Swimwear

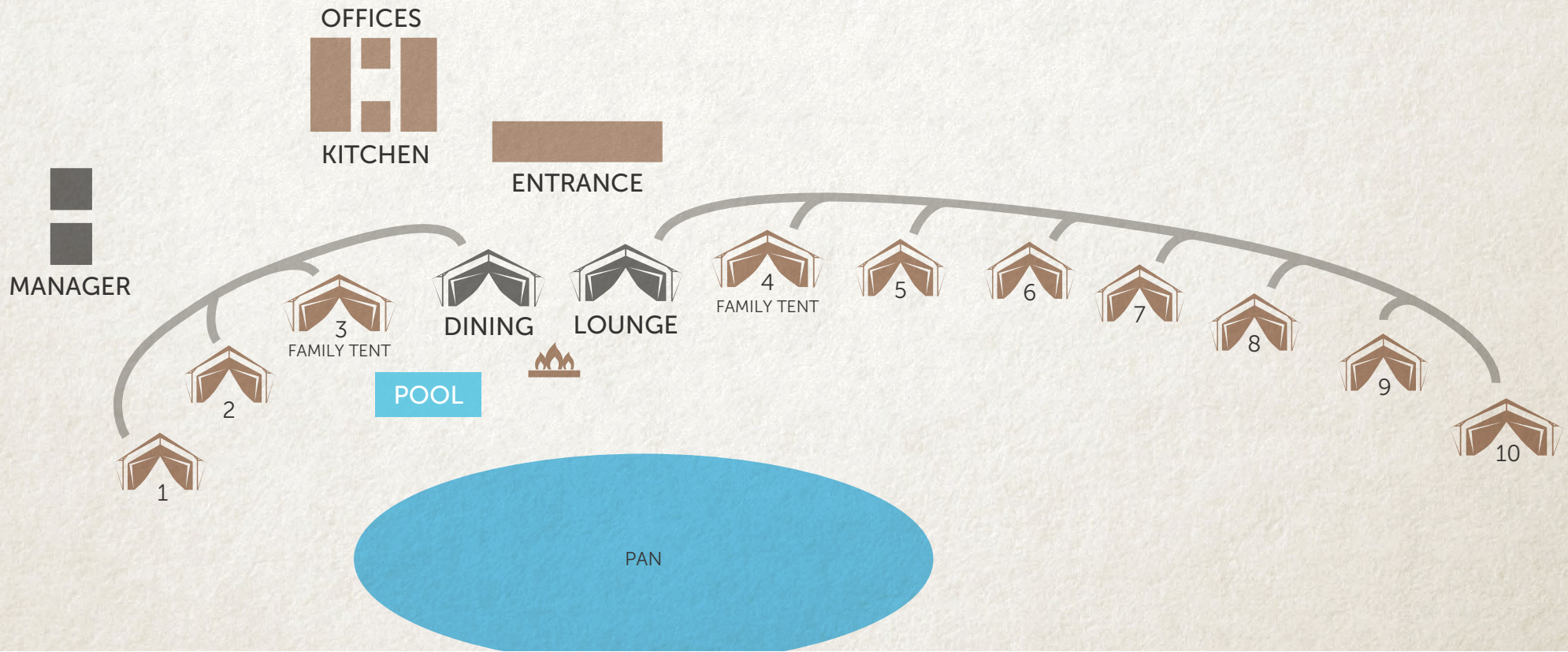
WINTER

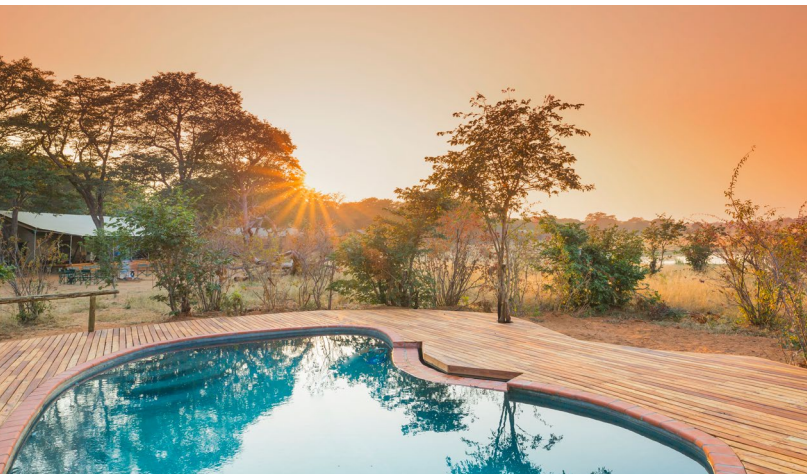
- It gets very cold in the evenings and early mornings, and quite hot during the day – so layers are essential.
- Warm leggings and thick socks – good to wear during cold weather.
- Hat – woollen beanie for warmth.
- Gloves & Scarf

VERNEY'S CAMP LAYOUT



SOLAR PANELS





FACILITIES AVAILABLE AT VERNEY'S CAMP

AREA & CONCESSION	Hwange National Park
CO-ORDINATES	S18 57.62 E 026 49.05
WIFI	In Room
ACCEPT CHILDREN	All ages
NUMBER OF TENTS	8 Luxury tents / 2 luxury family units
PRIVATE VEHICLE	✓ (Must be booked on private basis with children under the age of 6)
GUIDE ROOM	✓
NUMBER OF GUESTS PER VEHICLE	6
WALKING	✓ (Minimum age is 16 years of age)
MOKORO SEASONAL	X
BOATING SEASONAL	X
GAME DRIVE	✓
FISHING	X
AIRCON OR FAN	Fan
HAIRDRYER	X
PLUG POINTS	240 V
BATH	X
POOL	✓
AIRSTRIP	Manga 1200m
DISTANCE FROM AIRSTRIP	50 Minutes
ACCESS	Self drive or fly in
SPA	X
SAFE	✓
LAUNDRY	✓

ESTIMATED FLIGHT TIMES

VICTORIA FALLS AIRPORT				
40	VERNEY'S CAMP			
20	30	DETEEMA SPRINGS		
2 Hours	2 Hours	1:50 Hours	INGWE PAN	
2 Hours	2 Hours	1:50 Hours		MANA RIVER CAMP
	2 Hours	2: 30 Hours	1:15 Hours	1:15 Hours HARARE AIRPORT

*Please note that these are guidelines. Depending on the flight route clients may in fact have one or two stops enroute to their destination.

ESTIMATED ROAD TRANSFER TIMES

- Victoria Falls to Hwange Main camp - 3 hours
- Hwange Main Camp to Verneys Camp - 1 hr 30 minutes
- Verneys Camp to Deteema Springs - 4 hr 30 minutes to 5 hours
- Verneys Camp to Hwange Airstrip - 2 hours
- Verneys Camp to Manga Airstrip - 1 hour

A TYPICAL DAY :

WINTER TIMES	SUMMER TIMES	ACTIVITY
05:30	05:00	Wake Up Call
06:00	05:30	Continental Breakfast
06:30	06:00	Departure From Camp
11:30	11:00	Brunch Is Served
15:00	15:30	Afternoon Tea In Main Area
15:30	16:00	Depart For Afternoon Activity
18:30	19:00	Arrive Back At Camp
19:30	20:00	Dinner Is Served

