

MANA RIVER CAMP

MANA POOLS
ZIMBABWE

ACTIVITIES AT MANA RIVER CAMP

	Game Drive
	Walking
	Bird Watching
	Photographic
	Arm Chair Safari
	Canoeing (with prior arrangement)

ABOUT MANA RIVER CAMP

Mana River Camp is positioned on the banks of the mighty Zambezi River nestled between this enormous perennial river and a much visited water pan, particularly enjoyed by elephants for mud bathing. Shade in the camp is provided by riverine forest predominately *Trichilia Emetica* and the fabled *Faidherbia Albida* (apple ring or Anna Tree)

The beauty of this camp is that it is a mobile tented camp known as a TEC – Temporary Extended Camp. The whole camp is taken down at the end of each season, before the wet season begins. This gives the feeling of the old, real bush, camping experience. The camp is unfenced and many different animals may be viewed from the camp, whilst enjoying the tranquil atmosphere.

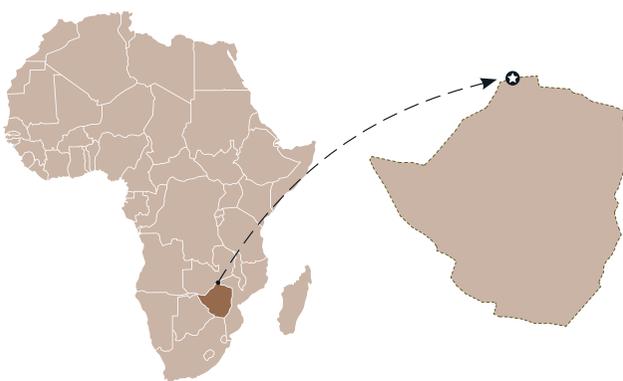
Common visitors into camp are elephants. These giant pachyderms seem to want to introduce themselves to guests.

The camp offers 6 beautifully positioned tents along the Zambezi River, including one guide tent. One can simply sit back and enjoy the vast views of the mighty river.

Being part of the Machaba Family, we have the great benefit of having our permanent sister camp, Ingwe Pan, based further inland at the Ingwe Pan in Mana Pools.

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WHERE IS MANA RIVER CAMP LOCATED?

MANA POOLS NATIONAL PARK – (2196 square kilometres) is situated in the north of Zimbabwe on the banks of the Zambezi River, the fourth longest river in Africa. Mana Pools National Park enjoys the designation for being a UNESCO World Heritage Site, a RAMSAR site and also has the status of belonging to the UNESCO Middle Zambezi River Biosphere Reserve.

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.

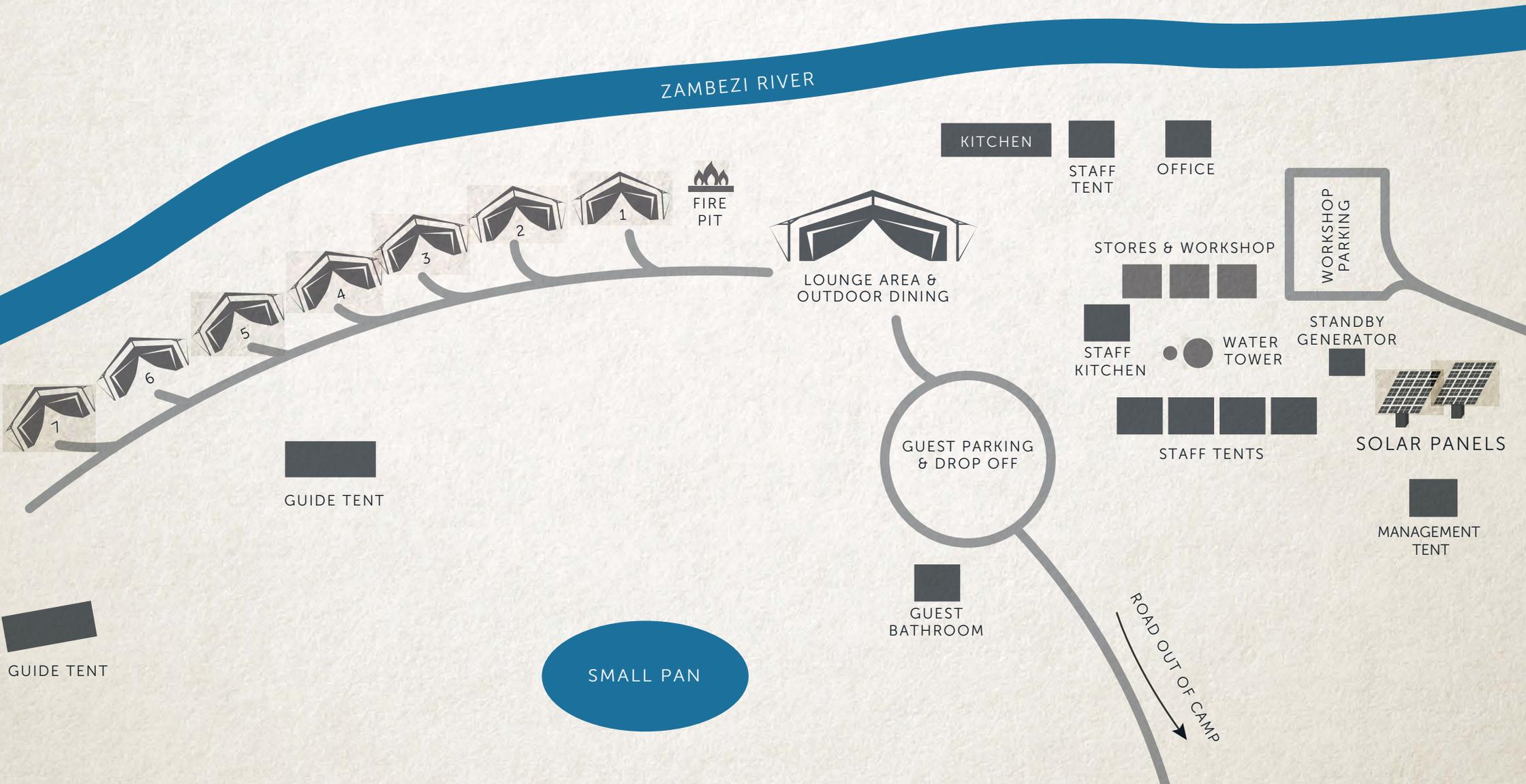
SUMMER

- 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

MANA RIVER CAMP LAYOUT





FACILITIES AVAILABLE AT MANA RIVER CAMP

AREA & CONCESSION	Mana Pools
CO-ORIDINATES	S 15°44'23.7 E 29°19'31.6"E
WIFI	Designated area
ACCEPT CHILDREN	No children under 6 years / unless exclusive use
NUMBER OF TENTS	6 Tents
PRIVATE VEHICLE	X
GUIDE ROOM	✓
NUMBER OF GUESTS PER VEHICLE	6
WALKING	✓(Minimum age is 16 years of age)
CANOEING	✓ (With prior arrangement Minimum age is 12 years of age)
GAME DRIVE	✓
FISHING	On request / from bank
AIRCON OR FAN	Fan
HAIRDRYER	X
PLUG POINTS	240 V
BATH	X
POOL	X
AIRSTRIP	Mana Main 1200m
DISTANCE FROM AIRSTRIP	45 Minutes
ACCESS	Self drive or fly in
SPA	X
SAFE	X
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

- Mana Main Airstrip to Mana River Camp - 45 minutes to 1 hour
- Mana River Camp to Ingwe Pan - 1 hr 15 minutes to 1 hr 30 minutes

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

*Disclaimer:

Please note that the times outlined above are indicative and may vary depending on the camp, season, and other factors. Each day's schedule is tailored to provide the best experience, so please expect flexibility in timings

