



MACHABA SAFARIS
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GOMOTI PLAINS CAMP

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AT A GLANCE

ABOUT GOMOTI PLAINS CAMP

Gomoti Plains Camp is named after the Gomoti River situated nearby with roaming flood plains based on either side of the camp strewn with towering palm trees, built with our iconic signature Machaba style tents, and decorations taking in the local theme of water and land, both essential to life in the Okavango Delta, offering our guests a unique safari experience incorporating the natural surrounding habitat.

Gomoti Plains Camp offers the perfect pairing with both Machaba Camps both in affordability, luxury and diverse offering. Gomoti Plains Camp offers extensive water activities with incredible wildlife diversity. The wildlife viewing in the area, both from vehicle or water is superb. Guests can look forward to Mokoro trips, motor boats (water dependant) and game viewing by vehicle and on foot. Being in a private concession, guests can also look forward to night drives and off road viewing.

Some of the more interesting finds in this new unique area include wild dog dens, large prides of lions, big herds of buffalo, recent sightings of leopard and cheetah and plentiful other wildlife throughout the area.

WHERE IS GOMOTI PLAINS CAMP LOCATED?

Gomoti Plains Camp is located just 18 km south-east of Chitabe Camp in the exclusive community area of NG32 which is a large community run concession, in the Okavango Delta. The Camp is situated on one of the smaller flood plains along the Gomoti River system.

INCLUDED & EXCLUDED IN OUR RATES?

- Rates are fully inclusive of accommodation, all meals, laundry, lodge activities, return vehicle airstrip transfers, alcoholic & non-alcoholic beverages (excluding imported and premium drinks), levies & taxes
- Rates exclude, international flights, internal flight transfers, premium imports, travel insurance, visas and discretionary tips.



FACILITIES AVAILABLE AT GOMOTI PLAINS CAMP

- Swimming Pool, with loungers
- Tented Main Area
- Library
- Picturesque views over the tributaries of the Gomoti river
- Spa Therapist – treatments include massages and facials done in guests rooms.
- Curio shop

GPS CO-ORDINATES

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WHAT GUESTS CAN EXPECT TO DO AT GOMOTI PLAINS CAMP

- Morning and evening game drives
- Walking (guide dependant)
- Mokoros (water dependent)
- Motorised boats (water dependant)
- Gameviewing from the comfort of your own tent
- Fishing
- After Dinner Night Drive

GETTING TO GOMOTI PLAINS

- Access to Gomoti Plain is by air only.
- Gomoti Plains is a 15 – 20 minute charter flight from Maun
- Gomoti Plains is a 50 – 60 minute charter flight from Kasane
- There is a 30 Minute drive from the airstrip to camp but can vary if water levels are high
- We can also book inter-camp flight transfers

NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THE ACCOMMODATION

- Luxury tented camp – 10 Tents in Total – Max 24 guests
- 8 x Luxury Tents
- 2 x Family Luxury Tents
- Children of all ages welcome. A private vehicle is required for children under 6 participating in game activities. No babysitting facilities available.





NOTES ABOUT SHARING AND CHILDREN:

1. Children aged 5 years and younger stay free, children 6-11 pay standard child rate (50% of adult sharing rate). Children 12+ pay full adult rate.
2. No more than two children under 12 years of age in family luxury tent with two adults. (Additional children on request, please speak to reservations)
3. One child and one adult in standard luxury tent pay adult + child rate.
4. One adult permitted to stay in family luxury tent with two other adults at full adult rate.
5. It is mandatory for a private vehicle to be booked for guests travelling with children under the age of 6.
6. No children under 12 allowed to participate on Mokoro and Game Walk activities.

A TYPICAL DAY AT GOMOTI PLAINS

A typical summer day at Gomoti Plains:

(Kindly note times may vary slightly and winter timings are different)

05h30	Wake up call at the room
06h00	Light breakfast in the main area
06h30	Depart for your morning activity: game drive, nature walk, mokoro
10h30	Return from morning activity
11h00	Brunch
	Afternoon at leisure – possible activities: Swimming pool, curio shop, spa
15h30	Afternoon Tea
16h00	Depart on afternoon game drive /river cruise (water dependant)
19h30	Return from game drive
20h00	Dinner under the stars (weather permitting)
	After dinner: optional night drive

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- Because Botswana is a malaria area, precautions are recommended. All travellers coming from or going through countries which have been declared yellow fever infected areas must provide an international health certificate of vaccination for yellow fever upon arrival into Botswana.
- The water in camp is safe to drink.
- Gomoti Plains has 220V plug points in all the tents which can be used to charge batteries and sleep apnoea machines, however, are not suitable for hairdryers and electric shavers.
- There is no wifi in the tents or main areas, limited wifi can be accessed near the office.
- No children under 12 allowed to participate in Mokoro and Game Walk activities.



- A maximum of 20kg of luggage per person is allowed for light aircraft flights, including hand luggage and camera equipment. Please ensure that all luggage is soft-sided. Only bags without wheels are permitted. Luggage dimensions should not exceed 25cm (10 inches) wide, 30cm (12 inches) high and 62 cm (24 inches) long.
- Passengers weighing between 110 – 120 kg (242 – 264 lbs.) please need to advise us when making a booking, so that we can in turn advise Mack Air for scheduling purposes. Passengers weighing over 120 kg (264 lbs.) will be expected to purchase an additional seat.
- Tent 4 is wheel chair friendly.

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 kikoï 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



GOMOTI PLAINS IMAGES & EBROCHURE

The Gomoti Plains Image Library can be accessed by clicking on the following link or copy and pasting them into your browser:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/fk6gpimpk00bfn5/AABsGXwlhzSfhIG7yo9qMkgza?dl=0>

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