



## The Definitive African Experience

### MALAMALA & MASHATU COMBINATION

Combines 2 nights at MalaMala with 3 nights at Mashatu Game Reserve. This 5 night package includes the flight between MalaMala & Mashatu (or vice versa)



### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

**Friday:** Guests met on arrival at MalaMala Airfield and transferred by road to the camp.

**Friday - Sunday:** Spend two nights at MalaMala Main Camp

**Sunday:** Charter hop from MalaMala to Limpopo Valley Airfield (via Polokwane) – approximately 2 hours.

**Sunday - Wednesday:** Spend three nights at Mashatu Main Camp

**Wednesday:** Road transfer to Pont Drift Border Post.

End of Arrangements

### 2010 - PER PERSON QUOTED IN US DOLLAR: GROSS

Rate Period	Package Description	US\$ Per Person Rate	US\$ Single Room Supplement *	Child rate
05Jan '10 to 15 Dec '10	Mashatu Main (3), MalaMala (2)	USD 2 705	USD 1 070	USD 1 798

- This single supplement applies only if travelling with other passengers.
- **BASED ON A MINIMUM OF 4 PASSENGERS TRAVELLING**

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## Inclusions:

- En-suite accommodation, all meals and snacks, game drives in open 4 wheel drive safari vehicles at MalaMala & Mashatu Game Reserves.
- Scheduled charter flight between MalaMala & Mashatu (and vice versa)
- Transfers between the airstrips and camps at MalaMala & Mashatu Game Reserves.

## Exclusions:

- Bar purchases, communication costs, and any items of a personal nature.
- Laundry at Mashatu Game Reserve.
- Any ad hoc adventure activities at Mashatu Game Reserve such as cycling safaris, horse riding safaris and walking safaris.
- Visas, compulsory insurance and gratuities.
- The rates exclude scheduled flights / transfers to the camps to begin the package (from Johannesburg) and onward flights / transfers at the end of the package (ending in Johannesburg) and the corresponding airport taxes / cable car fees.

### PACKAGE ITINERARIES:

For more detailed descriptions, please do not hesitate to contact our reservations office.

- These itineraries operate weekly, subject to the availability of accommodation and are based on a minimum of 4 confirmed guests.
- Children under the age of 12 years are welcome at Mashatu Main Camp and MalaMala Main Camp.

### TRANSPORT TO MASHATU GAME RESERVE

There are DAILY flights between O.R. Tambo International Airport (Johannesburg) and Polokwane Airport and the option of either a seat-in-plane air transfer to Mashatu, or a road transfer from Polokwane.

By Air / Road:

#### CODES:

JNB – Johannesburg International Airport

PTG – Polokwane Airport (previously Pietersburg)

TLD – Limpopo Valley Airfield (Mashatu Game Reserve)

#### APPROX. TRAVEL TIMES:

Airlink – 1 hour

Road transfer – 2 hours

Charter flight – 40mins to an hour depending on the type of aircraft and number of guests booked

From Polokwane:

To Polokwane			From Polokwane		
Flight	Departs	Arrives	Flight	Departs	Arrives
<b>Monday to Sunday</b>					
SA 8801	JNB 06h35	PTG 07h35	SA 8818	PTG 14h20	JNB 15h25

**Airlink + Charter flight 2010:** ZAR 4150.00 nett per person one way (minimum 2 passengers).

**Airlink + Road transfer 2010:** ZAR 2370.00 nett per person one way (minimum 2 passengers).

In the event that you book the Airlink flights independently, the connecting transfer costs will be as follows:

**Charter flight 2010:** ZAR 2950.00 nett per person one way (minimum 2 passengers).

**Road transfer 2010:** ZAR 1170.00 nett per person one way (minimum 2 passengers).

Please note that additional flights are available on the Johannesburg / Polokwane route. However we are only able to offer the above fares based on the above flight times. Any flights outside of these times will incur additional costs based on the number of guests travelling in the party.

### **Travelling to MalaMala:**

From O R Tambo International Airport Johannesburg (JNB)

**Federal Air - directly into MalaMala Game Reserve** issued by MalaMala Game Reserve on behalf of Federal Air)

Federal Air operate a daily shuttle service between O R Tambo International Airport Johannesburg and MalaMala Game Reserve

The schedule is:-

Daily, O R Tambo (JNB) / MalaMala, 12h40 / 13h55

MalaMala / O R Tambo (JNB), 10h50 / 11h55

Adult rate – age 13 and above: R 2 350.00 per person one way including airport taxes, passenger taxes and VAT

Child rate - aged 12 and under: R 1 855.00 per person one way including airport taxes, passengers taxes and VAT

June / July 2010: Adult rate – age 13 and above: R 2 650.00 per person one way including airport taxes, passenger taxes and VAT

\* All rates are subject to change.

\*\* Routings and departure times may vary day to day depending on the actual camp and guest requirements as well as the landing conditions.

- Reservations for Federal Air must be made through MalaMala reservations office and will be invoiced accordingly on the confirmation of reservation with the accommodation booked.
- Flight reservations close 72 hours in advance.
- The seat rates quoted above also includes a complimentary meet and greet service at O R Tambo International Airport and the use of the Federal Air First Class lounge facilities.
- Please note that Federal Air routing may not always be direct and the aircraft will land at 1 or possibly 2 other airfields en route to or from MalaMala Game Reserve to drop off or collect other passengers travelling within this region.
- In the event there are less than 5 passengers in total for MalaMala Game Reserve (either arriving or departing) confirmed on the flights on a particular day, Federal Air reserves the right to disembark and collect passengers from Skukuza Airport. MalaMala will provide complimentary road transfer to and from Skukuza Airport – a drive of approximately 45 minutes through the reserve.
- Luggage allowance is restricted to 20kg's per person. A complimentary luggage storage facility is available with Federal Air.
- Please ensure a connection time of 2 hours for domestic flight transfers and 3 hours for international flight transfers.
- On arrival at the MalaMala Airfield, guests will be met by representatives from the camp and transferred by road through the reserve.



### Explore and have fun in the most unbelievably pristine game viewing areas in Southern Africa

MalaMala Game Reserve, the first private photographic safari destination in South Africa, offers an authentic African experience. It is situated on the largest tract of land between the Sabi Sand Reserve and the world famous Kruger National Park. MalaMala offers incredible sightings of Africa's wildlife - including the Big 5 (lion, leopard, elephant, rhino and buffalo), as well as a multitude of smaller creatures, in an environment that remains reflective of a time when man had yet to arrive. How better to experience this wildlife wonderland than through the MalaMala rangers who are employed for their knowledge of the African bush and their ability to communicate with people. They are highly qualified, formally trained men who are thoroughly conversant with all aspects of ecology. Apart from conducting informative game drives, the ranger is the guests' host for the duration of their stay and can impart knowledge of Africa that enthralls, enlightens and entertains.

The MalaMala magic is not only the bush experience: Superb service remains the focus of all staff. Understated luxury and tranquility are synonymous with each of the 18 rooms at **MalaMala Main Camp** (including a disabled unit and family rooms). Each room is furnished with every amenity, including "his" and "hers" bathrooms, 24 hour temperature control, mini bar, room safe and a private deck with magnificent panoramic views of the surrounding bush. Guests can relax in the Buffalo lounge which leads onto a large wooden deck that provides elevated views of animals watering in the Sand River. There is a swimming pool, a complimentary laundry service, wine cellar, bush gym, bar, library and safari boutique.



**Mashatu Main Camp** is located in the remote eastern corner of Botswana, at the confluence of the Limpopo and Shashe rivers, in an area known historically as the Tuli enclave – a diverse wilderness of savannah, riverine forests, marshland, open plains and sandstone outcrops. The name is derived from the magnificent Mashatu trees, which occur throughout this immense tract of privately owned land.

This area is home to no less than seven of Africa's giants: the African elephant, the lion, the giraffe, the baobab tree, the eland, the ostrich and the kori bustard. Mashatu Game Reserve, an area of history and legend, offers some of the most exciting game viewing in Africa in open 4-wheel drive safari vehicles, guided by expert rangers and experienced trackers. It is home to large herds of elephant, prides of lions and cheetah. Up to 350 species of birds can be seen here. Along the river courses, huge Mashatu trees provide shade for eland, impala, wildebeest, giraffe and zebra, whilst at night the bat-eared fox, African wildcat and the magnificent leopard search for prey.

Mashatu Main Camp accommodates 28 guests in insect proof luxury suites, each with a large comfortable en-suite bathroom. French doors open onto the African bush where guests can relax and savour the sights and smells of the bush. There is a magnificent viewing deck directly off the bar or "gin trap" together with an elevated lounge overlooking the waterhole.