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Valid from 1st January to 31st December

The 2018 rates quoted in US Dollars exclude 18% VAT. Rates exclude Christmas and New Year period.
For more information about these rates, please contact our reservations team on:
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Rates Accommodation (Including breakfast)

Accommodation Type vs. Bedding arrangements	Cottages (Ensuite)	Cottages (Not Ensuite)	Tented Cottage	Camping
Single	USD60	USD30	USD30	USD10
Twin	USD80	USD50	USD50	
Double	USD80	USD50	N/A	
Triple	USD120	N/A	N/A	
Quadruple	USD160	N/A	N/A	

NOTE:

- Extra bed charge for an adult is USD 40 (children below 10 years is USD20) per person, per bed, per night.
- Camping charges excludes breakfast

Rates: Foods & Beverages

- Web based Heritage A la carte menu available under useful information
- 3-course meal cost USD10 per person.
- Accommodation rates include breakfast
- Price list of assorted drinks: soft drinks, beers, wines, liquor, gins and whisky available at the bar.

Rates: Exclusive Use Lodge

Hiring of lodges exclusively is ideal for weddings, birthdays, Seminars, Team Building Safaris or any type of gathering where you might like the place to yourselves! You'll have full use of the lodge for the number of guests stated.

Rate of lodge/per day

Heritage Safari Lodge USD 2500

AMENDMENTS

- Amendments involving a change in date or deduction in pax will be liable for cancellation charges at the discretion of Heritage Safari Lodge.

PAYMENTS

- All payments shall be done in United States Dollars (US Dollars (\$)) by Cash, VISA, Cheque (subject to realization of Credit), Bankers Draft or by a wire transfer (free of any financial transaction charges).
- All payment(s) to be made in favour of "Heritage Safari Lodge Limited"

VARIATION

- The rates mentioned here are subject to change without prior notice; however every effort will be made to maintain them. In the event of a change in government local taxes or legislated changes affecting the rates mentioned herein, Heritage Safari Lodge reserves the right to pass on the increases to the contracted party.

LIABILITY

- Eco Lodge Africa Limited, does not and will not accept responsibility for any incident of any nature involving any client(s) who is/are at the property.
- The Tour Operator/Agents are requested to inform the Guests to complete the Check-in procedure along with the indemnity form.
- Heritage Safari Lodge will not carry any liability and the Guests/Clients should carry their personal insurance(s).

BANK DETAILS

Stanbic Bank (Uganda) Limited
Heritage Safari Lodge Limited
Account No. (USD): 9030008194962
Branch: Gulu
SWIFT code: SBICUGKX
SWIFT Code Breakdown; Bank code: SBIC, Country Code: UG, Location Code: KX, Branch Code :XXX

ACTIVITY SHEET

Heritage Safari Lodge offers a number of wildlife, nature viewing activities around the Lodge as well as opportunities for relaxation and adventure.

Activities	Group Size	Rack Rate
Day Game Drive to Murchison Falls National Park (approx 3-4hrs)	min. 2 pax	\$80
Community Excursion by boat (approx 3-4hrs)	min. 2 pax	\$80
Sun downer Nile Cruise (approx 3-4hrs)	min. 2 pax	\$80
Guided Nature Walk (approx 2 hrs)	min. 1pax	\$20
Children 18 and below will not be allowed		
Bonfire BBQ (private)	min. 2pax	\$10
Sport Fishing Safari	min. 2 pax	\$100
Heritage Hot Spring stroll	min. 1pax	\$5

Currency: United States Dollars (US\$)

- All activities are subject to weather conditions on the day, safety, availability and at the discretion of Lodge Manager
- Activities NOT conducted are non-refundable
- All activities are subject to availability if not pre-booked
- Prices are subject to change without prior notice
- Pre-booking is encouraged otherwise it is required.

Your Safari and Riverside Experience Starts Here

Our Activities

All Subject to favorable weather conditions.

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Scheduled Game Drives to Murchison Falls N. Park

This is where we tap in to the soul of Murchison Falls National Park wildlife along the designated game tracks, Victoria Nile and the Delta. We tour the surrounding wilderness and see a rich variety of wildlife on, day and evening drives.

Guided Nature Walks

To set on foot into the surrounding Heritage wildlife is a rare experience. Get up close and personal with our skilled local community guides and explore the surrounding wilderness.

Evening Sundowner

We depart approximately 3 hours before sunset and cruise our way along the Albert Nile. Along the way we expect to encounter a variety of wildlife; birds, fish, hippos, elephants during the late afternoon and early evening while returning to the lodge. Upon arrival, we break out an assortment of beer, house wine, soft drinks and enjoy the sunset over the hills of West Nile. A great way to end the day.

Community Excursion

The Alur community are our immediate neighbours across the Albert Nile.

INFORMATION

- Deluxe Cottages: 7
- Standard Cottages: 3
- Safari Tents: 3
- Tour guide/ Drivers Rooms: 1 (located in the common area)
- Bonfire place
- Marina/Jetty
- Power: 240 volts/50 Hz
- Laundry: available
- Mosquito Nets: available
- Malaria area: guests should take appropriate preventive measures for malaria
- Time: GMT +3.00
- Hair Dryer: upon request
- Credit Cards: Visa & MasterCard (surcharge 4%)

LOCATION

GPS Coordinates & Elevation of the area:

- Latitude 2028' 46.63"N
- Longitude 340 32' 15.40" E
- Altitude 640m (ASL)

ACCESS

Heritage Safari Lodge lies in the Albertine rift of the East African Rift. Valley It is located on the northern side of the Murchison Falls National Park (Paraa – the place of hippos) containing the "big five and highest number of animals." From its panoramic riverside location on the eastern bank of the Albert Nile you are 5 minutes drive away from the Tangi Gate of the Park, to instantly enjoy, your morning or evening game drive. The alternative is game and bird viewing by boat ride. The climax of either tour is the hike to the top of Murchison Falls itself. Pakwach town (place of leopards) offers opportunity for cultural tourism.

The Lodge is approximately 370km N.W of Kampala, Uganda's capital city. After the Karuma Falls bridge, about 270km on the Kampala-Gulu road, make a left turn into the Karuma-Pakwach road, and about 100km away, descend the Albertine rift, and signposted is the Lodge, about 2km off the highway. From Gulu, the Lodge is 110km to the west. From D.R. Congo's Paidha and Kaya border posts it is 70km and 110km respectively. By air from Entebbe or Kajansi to Pakuba airstrip which is 10 km from the Lodge.

MURCHISON FALLS NATIONAL PARK

Murchison Falls National Park is a national park in Uganda managed by Ugandan Wildlife Authority. The park lies in north western Uganda, spreading inland from the shore of Lake Albert around the Victoria Nile. It is named for the Murchison Falls waterfall, itself named for a president of the Royal Geographical Society. The park is known for its wildlife which has partly recovered from a massacre by poachers and troops under Idi Amin. Together with the adjacent 748 square kilometres (289 sq mi) Bugungu Wildlife Reserve and the 720 square kilometres (280 sq mi) Karuma Wildlife Reserve, the park forms the Murchison Falls Conservation Area.

The park is sometimes referred to as Kabalega National Park. Kabalega was the Omukama of the Kingdom of Bunyoro, around the end of the 19th century. He resisted colonization by the British, was arrested and was exiled by the British to the island nation of the Seychelles. Kabalega died in Jinja, in 1923 en route to Bunyoro from exile.

LOCATION

Murchison Falls National Park is located in Bulisa District in western Uganda and in Nwoya District in northern Uganda. The park is situated approximately 300 kilometres (190 mi), by road, northwest of Kampala, Uganda's capital city. The coordinates of the park are: 02° 15' N, 31° 48' E (Latitude: 2.2500; Longitude: 31.8000).

OVERVIEW

Murchison Falls National Park is Uganda's largest national park. It measures approximately 3,840 square kilometres (1,480 sq mi). Together with the adjacent Bugungu Wildlife Reserve and the Karuma Wildlife Reserve, the park is part of the 5,308 square kilometres (2,049 sq mi) Murchison Falls Conservation Area (MFCA). [2] The park is bisected by the Victoria Nile from east to west for a distance of about 115 kilometres (71 mi). The park is the location of the famous Murchison Falls, where the waters of the majestic Nile River squeeze through a narrow gorge, only 7 metres (23 ft) wide, before plunging 43 metres (141 ft) below. Also in the park, adjacent to the Masindi-Gulu Highway, are the Karuma Falls, the location of the 600 MW Karuma Power Station, Uganda's largest hydropower station, currently under construction and expected to come online sometime around 2018. [3]

In Murchison there are four of the "big five". Buffalos, elephants, lions, leopards are best to be seen in the northern part (above the Nile). Due to excessive hunting and poaching, Rhinos became extinct by 1983, but were re-introduced into Uganda in 2005 by Rhino Fund Uganda. White rhinos are now being bred again in the 7,000 hectares (27 sq mi) Ziwa Rhino Sanctuary, which is located 70 kilometres (43 mi), south of the park. Their mission is to reintroduce small herds of rhinos (around five at a time), whilst retaining a nucleus breeding herd in the sanctuary.

CHECK IN & CHECK OUT

Check in time: from 15:00hrs. Early check in may be available upon request.

Check-out time: 11:00am.

Day rooms allowing a check out time before 18h00 may be arranged at 75% of the contract rate. Subject to availability.

CLIMATE

FACILITIES

The lodge is powered by solar energy batteries for lighting and hot water. There are power sockets in the cottages that can be used during generator time. The Lodge does not have facilities for disabled persons and infants.

ACTIVITIES

Game Drives, Sundowners, sport fishing, Bird Watching, Community Excursions and Nature Walks can be arranged at the Lodge accompanied by our naturalist guides. Costs apply for these services (pre-booking of activities is appreciated).

TRANSFERS

INTERNET/MOBILE SERVICES

Limited WiFi internet is available at no extra cost. All Mobile networks are available.

INDEMNITY:

All guests must execute the Indemnity form at lodge during check-in to enable us to provide required services.

Welcome To *Heritage*
Safari and river side experience





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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Where is Heritage?

Located, 3 km from the Tangi Gate of the Murchison Falls National Park.

How do I get there?

Uganda is served by direct flights from the UK and other major European, Asian and Middle East hubs, with daily flights to Entebbe. On arrival in Entebbe, it's approximately 1 hour flight to Pakuba airstrip. Alternatively, a road transfer from Kampala takes approximately 5½ hours.

Do I need a visa?

Travelers from the EU, USA, Asia and the East African community countries do not require a visa to enter Uganda, but you must have at least two blank pages in your passport on arrival. Your passport should also be valid for at least 6 months beyond your intended return date. Travelers from other countries may require a visa, so please check with your nearest Ugandan Embassy or Consulate.

Can I bring my children?

Children of all ages are in great hands at Heritage and very welcome to stay at the Lodge. Children can go on game drives with their parents or a guardian but are unable to participate in safari walks. Special food and beverages or simple snacks and light meals, such as sandwiches, can be prepared.

Just what is...?

...an infant? A guest under the age of 6
...a child? A guest between the ages of 6 and 12
...an adult? A guest aged 12 years and over
Infants stay free of charge provided they share with at least one adult.

Children are charged as follows:

1 child sharing with 1 adult will be charged USD 20 per night on top of the Adult Single Rate
1 child in her/his own room is charged the Adult Single Occupancy Rate
2 or more children in their own room are charged the Adult Single Occupancy Rate for the first child plus USD 20 per child per night for each additional child. In some rooms we can accommodate children on rollaway or fold-out beds. In these cases where adults are paying double or triple rates, extra children will be accommodated at a rate of USD 20 per child, per night.

Can I hire Heritage exclusively?

Absolutely! Whether it's for a birthday, anniversary, wedding or just a great opportunity to experience a safari with family, friends or colleagues, the Heritage team is on hand to cater for all requests. You have the choice of hiring one of the cottages separately or both the cottages together. Please ask us for more details.

What's included at Heritage Safari Lodge?

Heritage Safari Lodge has 10 cottages which are perfect for smaller groups and families. Located just a short stroll from each other and away from the Main House, Bar and Dining.

How about cash? What is the currency?

The currency at the Heritage is the local currency and the US Dollar. Get your currency before you leave home or visit an exchange centre in the major towns and cities. There is a POS VISA machine at the lodge and normally accept most major cards. You are welcome to pay in cash for any extras or we can just charge these to your room. We accept all major debit/credit cards to cover any additional expenses you may incur. Tipping is entirely up to you. If you have any questions about tipping, you can discuss this with the lodge manager.

When is the best time to visit? What will the temperature be?

Whenever you like. The landscape changes with every season, so each visit will give you a different perspective on the African Bush. The dry season in northern Uganda is from November to March, when the daytime temperature averages 34°C/93°F. The weather is hot and dry, the vegetation brown and dry and the nights are warm, cool and crisp. Game viewing can be very exciting in then sunny season as food and water become scarce due to the dry weather. As the animals get desperate, you'll see them compete for food. Age-old enemies such as lions and hyenas prepare for battle. It's the survival of the fittest – nature at its wildest.

Is there air conditioning?

No. The cottages are ingeniously designed to be low energy and have natural air convention hence the elimination of air conditioning.

What clothing and footwear will I need?

For game drives, you should wear pale or neutral colors. In the dry season (November to March), these should be lightweight, but take a windbreaker or light jacket for evenings. In the wet season (May to September) take a jumper/sweater, fleece or warm jacket too. Trainers/sneakers are fine for safari walks, and it's a good idea to bring a hat and sunglasses – for all seasons. You can wear whatever you like around the lodges and dining rooms. Formal wear isn't always practical, but of course it's up to you.

Do you cater for special diets?

Our African inspired menu is one of the highlights of your stay. But we understand that some people have special requirements and personal favorites too. Let us know in advance, and we'll do our best to make sure we have exactly what you need.

Do I need to take precautions against malaria?

The Albertine province is in a malaria endemic area so it is very important to seek advice on appropriate precautions before you travel. During your stay it is still important to cover up with insect repellent. We provide an excellent one in your room, but bring your own stick or roll-on repellent to take out on game drives and for when you first arrive at the Lodge. All rooms have mosquito nets too.

What can I do during the day?

Well of course there are the daily game drives and river cruises. One starts early in the morning around 6am and the other leaves in the afternoon at about 3pm. Each drive lasts for approximately 3-4 hours and the cruises 3 hours.

When not occupied on a game drive or river cruise in the park, take a nature walking safari after breakfast to learn about the local plants and wildlife and for some more in-depth knowledge on how to track animals around the lodge or indulge in Heritage History experience. Try a few African wines from the Bar and after dinner enjoy an African bon fire and listen to folk tales or gaze at the stars at the Heritage observatory.

Can I get involved with work in the community?

Yes you can! Heritage's charitable arm, Wajoli is committed to helping disadvantaged communities living adjacent to the lodge. Wajoli's work is achieved both through the provision of basic needs, such as access to food, water and health services, and by empowering communities with sustainable development initiatives.

While staying at Heritage, you can go on a variety of excursions with all proceeds donated to the local community. Help out at one of the local crèches and teach the kids a new song or spend an afternoon visiting one of the many other communities. Volunteer safari you can now incorporate a volunteering experience into your stay at Heritage. Our team will create bespoke itineraries to participate in hands-on projects within the local communities, based around your own skills and interests. Just ask our reservations team for more details.

Arrival and departure details

Check-in is officially 2pm. If you want to arrive earlier we'll make every effort to have a room ready for you, but if not we'll look after your bags so you can start enjoying yourself. Check-out is officially 11am however we are flexible. Just ask us the night before you leave. Medical information we have first aid equipment at the lodge along with staff trained in administering first aid. Doctors provide personal consultations to guests with minor aches and injuries, but this will be charged, so make sure you have appropriate travel insurance.

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Heritage Safari Lodge at a glance



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Your Safari and Riverside Experience begins Here

- Luxurious & Thatched Cottages
- Bonfire & Campsite Ground
- Bar & Restaurant
- Game Drives & Boat-cruise
- Nature & Community walk
- Heritage Hot Springs

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