

# REMOTE AFRICA SAFARIS LTD

## TAKWELA CAMP, NORTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

### INFORMATION SHEET



CHALETS	4 thatch chalets
OPENING DATES	15 <sup>th</sup> June – 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct
LOCATION	North Luangwa National Park, Eastern Zambia
RECOMMENDED STAY	3-5 nights
ACTIVITIES	Walking safaris, day and night game drives
TRANSFERS	30min flight from Mwanza airstrip OR 40min flight from Mfuwe (optional extra) AND 45min drive into camp & river crossing

Takwela Camp, the latest camp operated by Remote Africa Safaris, opened in July 2019. As experienced operators in the North Luangwa National Park, it was an exciting venture to expand the Remote Africa offering in this well-managed park which enjoys significant support from Frankfurt Zoological Society and a highly motivated complement of staff from Zambia's Department of National Parks and Wildlife.

Situated on Remote Africa's private land at the confluence of the Luangwa and Mwaleshi Rivers, Takwela has stunning views across a resident hippo pod to pristine bush on all sides.



Takwela accommodates up to eight guests in four ensuite chalets, with two double beds in three chalets and one king chalet. In keeping with the Remote Africa ethos, the camp is solar powered and built, primarily, from local natural materials and constructed with local skills. Activities include guided game drives and walking safaris, with regular stops to take in the surroundings, view wildlife and examine spoor. Enjoy a leisurely pace with a mid-morning tea and coffee break and, on the night drive, a sundowner stop for drinks and snacks.

Takwela is just a 25 minute scenic flight from our Lukuzi airstrip in South Luangwa, flying over the dramatic riverine landscape to Mwaleshi airstrip and then a 45 minute game drive and canoe crossing into camp. Transfers to / from Mwaleshi camp is part of a full morning walking safaris although direct transfers can be made with a one hour game drive.

Takwela offers an intimate wilderness experience and the rare opportunity to visit a beautiful and unexplored area of the North Luangwa. In true Remote Africa Safaris style, expect excellent guiding, warm hospitality and delicious food as you would when visiting any Remote Africa camp. Whilst the floodplain is not as extensive as in the mid-Luangwa, it is still prime wildlife country and can produce excellent viewing. This part of the park is home to healthy populations of lion, hyena, elephant, impala, leopard, wildebeest, wild dog and over 400 species of birds and much more. By virtue of its remoteness, guests will virtually have exclusive access to over 50kms of Luangwa river frontage and several natural springs!





**BANGWEULU WETLANDS**

Shoebill Island Camp

CHIMBWE AIRSTRIP

**NORTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK**

Mwaleshi Camp

MWALESHI AIRSTRIP

Takwela Camp

Chikoko Camp  
Big Lagoon Camp  
Tafika Camp

MWANYA / LUKUZI AIRSTRIP

Nsefu sector

Flatdogs Camp

MFUWE INT. AIRPORT

**SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK**

LUANGWA RIVER

ZAMBIA

**LOWER ZAMBEZI NATIONAL PARK**

Chula Camp

Kutali Camp

JEKI AIRSTRIP

ZAMBEZI RIVER