

N/a'an ku sê Activity Centre Activities



SHARE IN THE SPIRIT – N/A'AN KU SÊ ACTIVITY CENTRE ACTIVITIES 2019

Let us show you the best of N/a'an ku sê Activity Centre. Our professional guides are highly experienced. Speak to the lodge reception to pre-book an activity at N/a'an ku sê Activity Centre.:

Share in our ethics...

Welcome to N/a'an ku sê Lodge and Wildlife Sanctuary – a place of peace and a second chance for so many animal species.

The N/a'an ku sê Foundation is home to several cheetahs and other magnificent carnivores that can never be released back into the wilds of Namibia, due to being human imprinted – a factor that would significantly reduce their survival chances in the wild. The reasons for them being human imprinted are manifold – many were kept as pets or came to N/a'an ku sê as cubs orphaned at birth.



At N/a'an ku sê we have a clear policy that does not allow the petting nor touching of any of the cheetahs or caracals during walks, and that any pictures taken should be of the animals ONLY. This of course also encompasses the taking of “selfies” with the animals – extremely tempting, but detrimental to the ethics of the N/a'an ku sê Foundation.

Images of humans together with wild animals, no matter how habituated those animals may be, promotes that which the N/a'an ku sê Foundation strives to prohibit – exotic pet trade, exploitation of wild animals and the erroneous implication that a research based sanctuary facility is little more than a petting zoo.

Failure to comply with our **NO HUMANS IN PHOTOGRAPHS WITH CHEETAHS OR OTHER CARNIVORES** policy WILL result in the activity being immediately stopped!

Full Carnivore Feeding Tour:

During the course of this drive you will visit our senior baboons, caracals, lions, cheetahs, African wild dogs and leopards. Watch them being fed by our experienced guides and listen to their stories. The scenic route that takes you to our magnificent carnivores lends the opportunity of spotting some of the free-roaming reserve animals. This is not just a great way to learn about these amazing animals, it is also a unique up close photographic opportunity. A superb introduction to conservation and the work we do here at N/a'an ku sê.

When:	Daily at 10:00 or at 15:00
Where:	Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost:	N\$ 750.00 pp, N\$375.00 per child (3-12 years of age)
Duration:	2 ½ - 3 hours
Min participants:	1



Caracal Walk:

Take a walk with our habituated caracal and our guides. During this walk you will get to see how these animals behave in the wild, stalking birds and small mammals as they regain their natural instincts and hone their hunting skills. You will also experience the serenity of the Namibian veld.

When:	Daily at 08:00
Where:	Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost:	N\$1 450.00 per person, NO CHILDREN
Duration:	1 – 1½ hours
Min participants:	1 (Sorry, no children allowed)



Ancient San Skills Academy:

This academy is a joint venture between the N/a'an ku sê Foundation and the Nyae Nyae Conservancy. It aims to serve as a reciprocal training venture where visiting San groups from the Nyae Nyae Conservancy stay at N/a'an ku sê to display their cultural heritage and skills to visitors. Take the opportunity to visit the San Bushmen in their traditional village and witness their ancient culture and traditions first hand. The San will show you plants they use for medicinal purposes, how they make fire and set traps, tell you how they hunt and regale you with stories, song and dance.

When:	Daily at 10:00 or at 15:00
Where:	Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost:	N\$650.00 per adult, N\$325.00 per child (3-12 years of age)
Duration:	Minimum 1 hour
Min participants:	2 (Children welcome)



Hunting with the San Bushmen:

This wonderful activity lets you follow in the footsteps of San Bushman hunters! Learn about tracking and hunting, and of course, any meat obtained (if it's a lucky hunting day) goes back to the San Bushman community.

When:	You decide, as long as you book in advance!
Where:	Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost:	N\$2 725.00 per person
Duration:	at least 5 hours
Min participants:	2 (Children Welcome)



Cheetah Experience:

Habituated cheetahs have lost their fear of humans – a fear that is crucial in elevating their survival chances in the wild. For this reason, some of the magnificent spotted sprinters at N/a'an ku sê need to remain in captivity, having come to the sanctuary from various conflict situations at very young ages, requiring dedicated care to ensure their survival. At N/a'an ku sê we fully nurture and encourage their natural behaviour, captivity resembling the life of their wild counterparts as closely as possible. Enjoy time with our habituated big cats, in the hands of an experienced and knowledgeable guide. Simply not to be missed!

- When:** Daily at 08:00
Where: Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost: N\$1 450.00 per person, NO CHILDREN
Duration: 1 - 1½ hours
Min participants: 2 (NO CHILDREN)
Max participants: 8 (to ensure our wonderful cheetahs enjoy an experience that is not overcrowded which could lead to undue stress)

**PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE CHEETAHS ONLY PERMITTED.
NO IMAGES OF PEOPLE AND CHEETAHS IN THE SAME SHOT.**



Baboon Walk:

Meet our playful primates and experience the joys of monkey fun on a not-to-be-missed baboon walk. All of our baboons came to N/a'an ku sê either after losing their mums (Namibia's Chacma baboons are tragically persecuted on an almost daily basis), or having been rescued from situations of abuse. Our baboon buddies adore the interaction and bounding through the bush on their daily walks. Why not join in and get to know first-hand just how incredible these animals are?

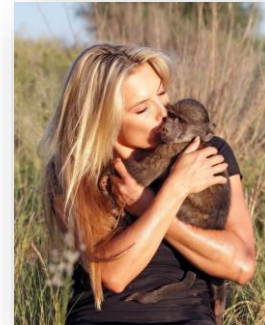
- When:** Every morning Monday to Saturday. Check with reception for departure time.
Where: Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost: N\$750.00 per person, NO CHILDREN
Duration: Approximately 2 hours
Min participants: 1 (Sorry, no children allowed)



Behind the Scenes with Marlice van Vuuren:

Follow in Marlice's footsteps and get an intimate view of the workings of a wildlife reserve and sanctuary. On this in-depth activity you will gain insight into the real N/a'an ku sê world and the inner workings of sanctuary life and the myriad of animal species currently being cared for. Enter the riveting world of research carried out at N/a'an ku sê, and gain intimate knowledge into the field of human-carnivore conflict mitigation. Become smitten with our gorgeous sanctuary orphans and bond with the baby baboons (there's nothing like it). Become fully immersed in Marlice's magical world!

- When:** Departs at 08:00
Where: Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost: N\$1 850.00 per adult, N\$925.00 per child (3-12 years of age)
Duration: Minimum 4 ½ hours
Min participants: 1



ZANNIER RESERVE ACTIVITIES

Sunrise / Sunset Game Drive:

Our experienced guides will take you with our well-equipped open game drive vehicles around the pristine 9,000-hectare reserve, showcasing some of the most incredible wildlife in Africa! Early drives at sunrise are ideal to observe the Namibian plains waking up, while evening drives reveal the elusive beauty of the nocturnal savannah. An experience that you will never forget...

- When:** Confirm the time when making the booking
Where: Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost: N\$1 250.00 per adult (Drinks and snacks provided)
Duration: 2 ½ hours
Min/Max participants: 2 - 6



Visit of the Shiloh Wildlife Sanctuary:

The Zannier Reserve by N/a'an ku sê is home to the Shiloh Wildlife Sanctuary, a valuable center aiming for caring rhinos or elephants that have been injured or orphaned in poaching incidents. Enter this wildlife animal clinic managed by the N/a'an ku sê Foundation and discover the incredible work of passionate vets who are rescuing and taking care of endangered animals.

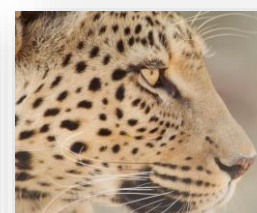
- When:** Confirm the time when making the booking
Where: Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost: N\$950.00 per adult, N\$400.00 per child (3-12 years of age)
Duration: 1 ½ - 2 hours
Min/Max participants: 2 - 6



Wildlife Tracking:

Get on your walking shoes, grab your binoculars, and spend an afternoon with a ranger and San Bushman tracker in search of wildlife like elephants, leopards, rhinos and much much more. Go on an amazing elephant safari and enjoy the wildlife. Besides being a magnificent opportunity to explore nature, you will also learn much about the issues surrounding elephants' conservation. Whether they are hidden in the bush waiting for a prey or comfortably basking in the sun, leopards are extraordinary wild animals. Appreciate their wonder and gain true knowledge of their characteristics. Rhino tracking offers a great opportunity to learn about the habits and characteristics of this threatened species, the issue of rhino poaching, and on-going conservation efforts.

- When:** Daily at 10:00 or at 15:00
Where: Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost: N\$1 450.00 per adult (Drinks and snacks provided)
Duration: 2 ½ hours
Min/Max participants: 2 - 6



Zannier Game Drive

Enjoy a bush drive with our experienced guides, before stopping off at a hidden viewing spot where drinks and snacks will be served. Lose yourself in our incredible Namibian scenery views, and then keep an eye out for our nocturnal animal friends on your leisurely drive back to the Activity Centre.

- When:** Confirm the time when making the booking
Where: Departure from the Activity Centre
Cost: N\$1 250.00 per adult, N\$625,00 per child (3-12 years of age)
Duration: 2 ½ hours
Min/Max participants: 2 - 6



RESERVATIONS

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