



Bush & Beach Tour

The Perfect Combo

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This itinerary combines the best of Malawi's wildlife experience and Lake Malawi experiences. Malawi, now known as 'Africa's newest Big 5 destination,' offers unique wildlife viewing that is not disturbed by an influx of tourists. From the tranquility of Liwonde National Park, to the remote islands of Lake Malawi, our unspoilt country will charm you and turn you into a storyteller.



The Basics

- The main language in Malawi is Chichewa but English is taught at school and is widely spoken.
- Malawi has a good network of tarmac roads and journey times are usually between 1-4 hrs. We aim for you to arrive at your destination before dusk.
- Malawi has limited electricity supply (only 14% of the country is connected to mains electricity). Many hotels rely on back up generators and/or solar power.
- Malawi has good 4G connection across most of the country.
- Blantyre and Lilongwe are the country's main cities and both have good hospital facilities.

Emergency Support

- A dedicated team in Malawi available 24/7.
- A local guide will be with your group every step of the way. They will become an integral part of your team.
- We offer bi-annual guide training in first aid, advanced driving, basic mechanics & environmental awareness.
- Our guides take bi-annual exams to refresh their in country knowledge and emergency procedures.
- All Vehicles have seat belts and are fully insured with passenger liability insurance (buses).



Population: 19.89 million (World Bank 2021)

Size: 118,480 km

Average Annual Income
(per capita): \$579.7 per annum (IMF 2023)

Life Expectancy: 65.6 years (WHO 2019)

Religion:

Christian 82%, Muslim 13.9%, Other 1.9%, None 2.5%

Rated Africa's happiest country!

Overview

Malawi is Africa at its purest, offering unique and extraordinary travels. From its undulating mountains to the shores of its stunning lake, the fact that Malawi has traditionally been overlooked as a mainstream destination means that you will find hidden gems at every turn, Malawi supports a diversity of landscapes, ecosystems and cultures and is affectionately known as 'The Warm Heart of Africa'.

Family Travel

A peaceful, welcoming, warm hidden slice of Africa. Malawi is ideal for an off the beaten track family travel destination. Its peaceful history and good transport infrastructure make it easy and safe to get around and its raw culture and welcoming smiles are a highlight of the destination.

Expedition Outline



Day 1

Meet your Guide and transfer to Liwonde National Park. Evening 4 x 4 game drive. (FB)

Day 2

Day spent in Liwonde National Park. Activities include riverboat safari, 4 x 4 game drive and walking safaris.

Day 3

Day spent in Liwonde National Park. Activities include riverboat safari, 4 x 4 game drive and walking safaris.

Day 4

After breakfast and morning activity, transfer to the Southern Lakeshore. Arrive in time for lunch. (FB)

Example only- each of Bush & Beach Safaris are tailor made to your groups interests, budget and timeframe.



Expedition Outline



Day 5

Day spent at a resort on Lake Malawi. (FB)

Day 6

Road transfer to Cape Maclear, thereafter boat transfer to Mumbo Island Lodge. Arrive in time for lunch. (FB)

Day 7

Day spent on Mumbo Island Lodge. (FB)

Day 8

Day open on Mumbo Island (FB)

Day 9

Transfer back to Blantyre for your international flight. End of tour

Costings



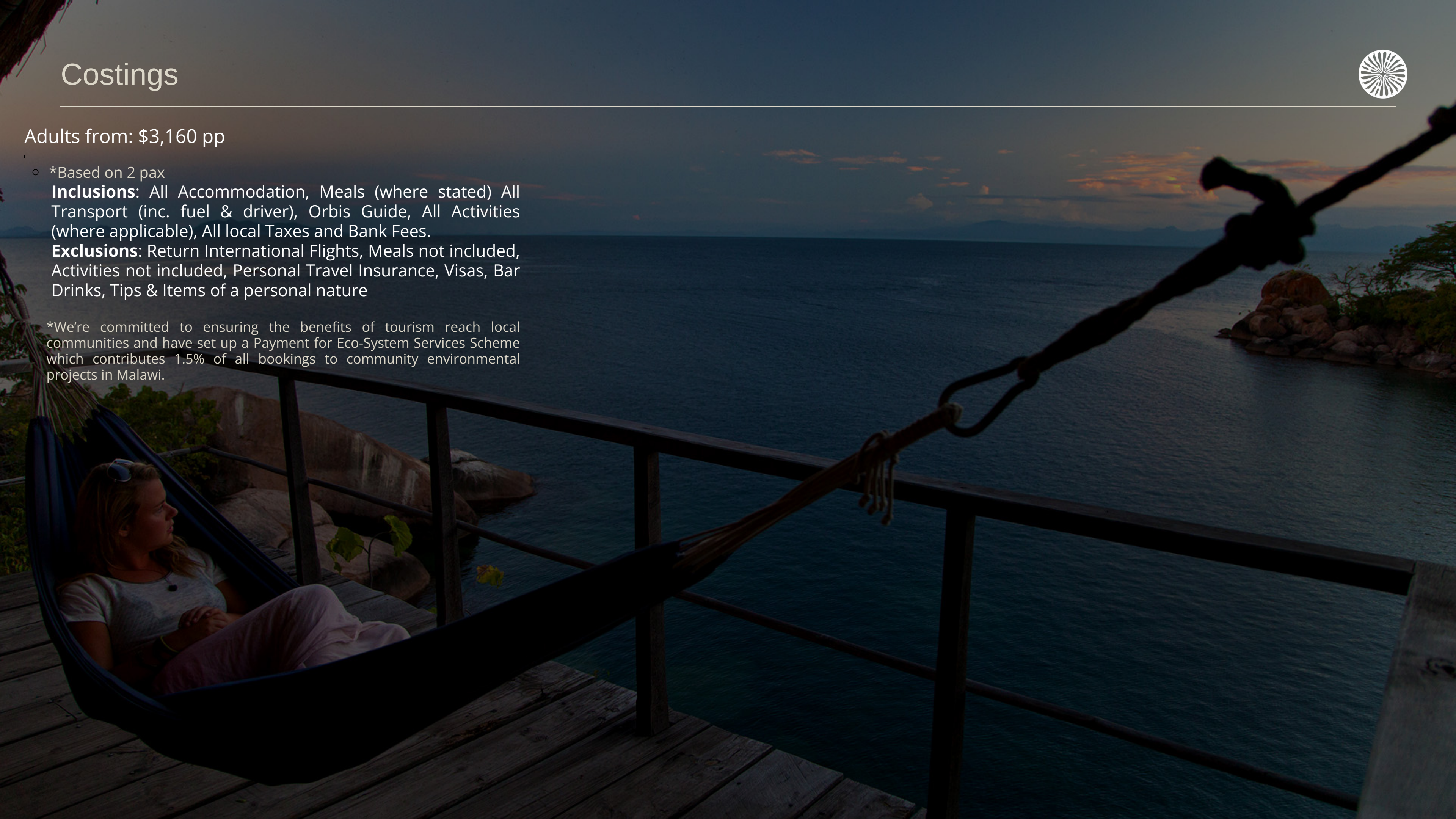
Adults from: \$3,160 pp

- *Based on 2 pax

Inclusions: All Accommodation, Meals (where stated) All Transport (inc. fuel & driver), Orbis Guide, All Activities (where applicable), All local Taxes and Bank Fees.

Exclusions: Return International Flights, Meals not included, Activities not included, Personal Travel Insurance, Visas, Bar Drinks, Tips & Items of a personal nature

*We're committed to ensuring the benefits of tourism reach local communities and have set up a Payment for Eco-System Services Scheme which contributes 1.5% of all bookings to community environmental projects in Malawi.





Who we are

Orbis DMC is a specialist expedition company working in Educational, Experiential & Philanthropic Travel to Malawi, Africa.

Operating exclusively in Malawi, we work with Schools, Universities, Charities, Businesses & Individuals creating highly personalised expeditions which connect people with the world as Global Citizens.

Owned and managed by Inno Kaliati and Dom Webb, the company's offices are in Mandala, Blantyre, Malawi and has over 15 years experience within the industry.

Orbis Brand Manifesto

- We believe in the potential of Malawi's people and that empowering them via tourism offers a chance to develop out of the poverty cycle.
- We believe that when promoting a fragile destination the benefits need to reach the local communities.
- We are committed to building the local economy in Malawi. By employing local people and creating sustainable growth through social enterprise, we aim to reduce the dependence on the aid industry.
- We believe in balance. Our tailored, educational and culturally diverse experiences awaken minds and inspire future generations.
- We are committed to developing Global Citizenship.