



# Travel Information Sheet

Kindly take a few minutes to complete this short travel information sheet on behalf of you and your fellow travellers.

Full names of all travellers:	Country of residence & nationality:

Email address:

Date of arrival: DD/MM/YYYY	Date of departure: DD/MM/YYYY	# of nights staying:

Preferred room arrangement:	<i>tick</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>tented chalet with a double bed</li> <li>tented chalet with twin beds</li> <li>safari house (consisting of 1x double and 1x twin room; minimum 3 travellers)</li> </ul>	

Dietaries / Food restrictions:

Medical concerns / Allergies:

Medical insurance details – be sure your insurance cover includes evacuation cover:  
 (Please provide the name of the Medical Insurance Company, name of the primary member and the Insurance Number - if you have these.)

Next of kin (Please provide name, relationship & phone number):

Any special occasion whilst you are visiting us? (e.g. anniversary, birthday, honeymoon,...)

Special Interests (e.g. nature walks, birding, star gazing, island sleep out,...):

*Kindly fill in your travel logistics on the next page.*

## TRAVEL LOGISTICS

Method of arrival:	<i>tick</i>
• by air to Kafue NP, Chunga airfield	
• by road transfer	
> transfer pick up point & time: <i>e.g. international airport, Lusaka at 15:00</i>	
• by inter camp transfer	
• by self-drive	
> time of departure:	
> arriving via the Spinal Road in through the Kafue National Park at the Kaingu carpark	
> arriving via the Itezhi Tezhi road D769 through the GMA	
Method of departure, next destination or drop off point & if applicable in time for: <i>e.g. arranged road transfer to Lusaka international airport in time for SA flight at 16:00</i>	

*Twalumba! Thank you very much! We look forward to welcoming you at KainguU.*



### ACTIVITIES:

Our diverse range of activities is unmatched in the Kafue. Located on a stunningly beautiful part of the Kafue River, providing the perfect backdrop for guided game viewing by vehicle and boat, birding and fishing, river cruises, island picnics, nature and rock walks, canoeing and island sleep outs. This diversity, and of course our highly experienced guiding team, enables the guest to pick and choose and have a tailored experience as far as possible. In short the KainguU activity experience is something we pride ourselves on.

### LODGE FACILITIES:

**Accommodation:** 6x tented chalets, 1x safari house

**Electricity:** KainguU lodge is solar powered. Each accommodation is equipped with 12V lighting and at the 220V charging station (with British, European, American & Australian sockets) in the main area you can recharge your batteries and electrical devices.

**Communication:** There is no mobile phone coverage but limited Wifi is available for basic communication.

**Credit card facilities / payments:** Our credit card machine does accept VISA and MasterCard. This incurs a 3% surcharge. Cash payments can be settled in USD or Kwacha.

**Water:** Situated on top of granite boulders, our water is pumped from the river by highly efficient solar pumps. It is safe for washing and tooth brushing. Filtered water for drinking is provided in your accommodation and in the main area.

**Climate:** Situated on a plateau 1030 meters above sea level, KainguU enjoys a year-round moderate climate (coldest in July at night down to 4°C, hottest in October at midday 38°C).



## *What to bring on a safari*

### **Clothing:**

Depending on the time of year you visit you might be very cold or very hot or both in one day! July here at Kaingu can get down to low single digits (Celsius) and the wind chill on an open vehicle or boat can make this a lot colder still. If you are coming in the winter months then gloves, scarf (silk or similar) and a woolly hat are pretty much essential. Several layers are a good idea – worth considering is one of the fairly new soft shell type jackets which give the warmth of a fleece but are far more wind resistant.

In the summer months a fairly warm outer shell is often still needed on boats and vehicles in the early mornings. Loose fitting summer clothing is essential. Temperatures during the day can reach mid to high 30s and so think of it as like the height of an Andalusian summer. In other words hot!

You don't have to be clad in head-to-toe khaki, but fairly muted tones are best – and essential if walking in the bush, avoid blue or black.

Footwear: decent walking shoes or trainers are generally enough, or lightweight walking boots. In the evening you might want to change into some lightweight sandals and let your feet also take a rest.

Either winter or summer please bring a hat. A wide brimmed one works well, and if it has a cord so it doesn't blow into the river and disappear towards lake Itzhi Tezhi then that is a bonus.

Sunglasses are another obvious but totally vital essential.

### **Extras:**

- sun cream
- malaria prophylaxis is recommended, please consult your physician
- essential medication (pack it in your hand luggage)
- binoculars, a pair of 8x40 or 10x40 will be the best
- camera with rechargeable batteries & charger, extra SD-cards,
- torch (or flashlight) with rechargeable batteries & charger
- water bottle, most camps have water filters, and there is nothing worse than dealing with sacks of plastic bottles

### **VISAS:**

Please enquire with your Zambia Embassy / High Commission as to whether a visa is required prior to travel or on arrival in Zambia.

Your passport should be valid for at least six months from date of expiry and two empty facing pages for visa endorsement are required.

