



OKOSONGORO

SAFARI RANCH

A **370.000 hectare**
wildlife paradise
in the heart of
Namibia



Hunting & Guestfarm



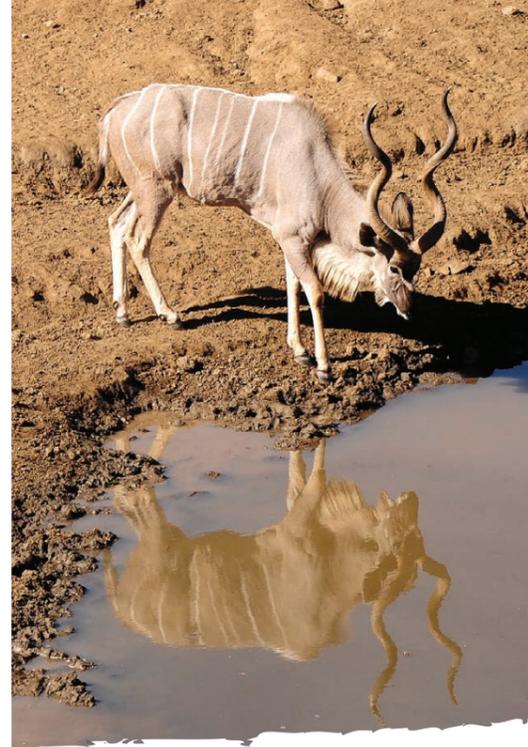
Welcome to Okosongoro Safari Ranch

Here your hosts, the Clausen family, are looking forward to joining you on your hunting adventure. Peter, Uta, Kurt and Silvia Clausen are born Namibians of German heritage, living as third and fourth generations on Okosongoro. This makes our ranch one of the oldest and most experienced safari businesses in Namibia.

The name "Okosongoro" has its roots in the Herero language, meaning "Place of the Zebra".

Okosongoro is well-known for its broad diversity of animal species and trophy hunting opportunities. For the past 40 years, we have hunted according to the principles of sustainable utilisation and protection of natural resources.

Every hunting safari is organized and led by us personally, and you can experience a unique insight into the multi-faceted everyday life of a Namibian working farm. Guided excursions on open-backed safari vehicles over our diverse farmland will bring unforgettable moments, breathtaking impressions and a tangible closeness to Africa. With great pleasure and pride, we aim to facilitate the realization of your Namibian dream.



Discover in Okosongoro, with its more than 35 species, a farm with one of the greatest hunting varieties available in Namibia.

Since 1974, we have offered our guests a unique and personal hunting experience in Namibia. The variety of landscape, homely surroundings and richness of wildlife makes our farm particularly attractive; an adventurous yet comfortable and cozy home-away-from-home for hunters and guests alike.

What makes Okosongoro stand out above the rest? Our abundance of game provides every single guest with daily opportunities to view and enjoy the splendid variety of wildlife, birds and nature that this farm has to offer.

Okosongoro is truly a paradise for both hunters and nature lovers. With more than 35 species of game and a rich bird life, guests will discover a hunting area spanning 370 000 hectares: the Kalkfeld Conservancy, of which 19000 hectares are our own exclusive hunting area. As a result, changing between farms during hunting safaris is unnecessary, while excursions outside the hunting area - for example to Swakopmund and Etosha National Park, or to the Erongo with its Bushmen and much more - are gladly organized for you.

Peter Clausen is a farmer and professional hunter who has discovered a great passion for game farming, an occupation which he carries out with scientific accuracy. Through selective hunting, the quality of game is outstanding and the game populations are exemplary, optimising the health of each species as well as the environment. Our hunting methods offer tracking on foot and occasional use of blinds. Hunting of caged animals (canned hunting) and the use of feed to attract animals is not permitted. It is very important to us that we hunt mature trophy animals in order to encourage sustainability of game herds.

Our hunters and bow hunters can look forward to the tradition of 'Weidmannsheil' as there are no extra costs for above-average trophies. Furthermore, during your hunting safari there will be no other hunters on Okosongoro, which means that you will receive a highly personalized and exclusive hunting experience.

The hunting season in Namibia lasts from the beginning of February until the end of November. Due to occasional rain, we recommend hunting on Okosongoro from the middle of March onward; however hunting possibilities are excellent throughout the hunting season.



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Accommodation details

Here you are awaited by a traditional Namibian farm house surrounded by an oasis, inviting you to a pervasive sense of well being. A private family atmosphere with comfortable accommodation is on offer. Enjoy tasty farm meals as well as barbecue evenings and "bushman fondue" under the clear night skies of Africa.

Okosongoro is the ideal place for a hunt under the stars of the south, regardless of whether you visit us alone or with your family. Five comfortable guests rooms (three doubles and two singles) and a family unit, all with 24 hour electricity, are available for you to choose from. There is also cell phone reception and WiFi availability. For your comfort and convenience, laundry services are on offer from Monday to Friday.

Here you will also find a typical Namibian farmyard with its many domestic animals, beautiful garden, large shade trees, cool swimming pool and a children's play ground, all of which invites those who visit to relax.

Alongside hunting, there are also many opportunities for game viewing and wilderness walks. With us, you can experience a combination of adventure and relaxation which can be tailored to your preferences.



Your hunting team

Hunt organizer: Okosongoro Safari Ranch - Peter, Uta and Kurt Clausen
Professional Hunters: Peter Clausen und Peter Reinhardt
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Game species

More than 35 species of game leave their tracks on Okosongoro, amongst them Kudu, Oryx, Warthog, Eland, Hartebeest, Zebra, Gnu, Springbok, Impala, Steinbok, Duiker (Common), Dik-Dik, Sable, Roan, Tsessebe, Nyala, Lechwe, Giraffe, Hippo and many more including Leopard, Cheetah, Caracal, Serval, African Wildcat, Brown Hyena and Jackal.





Points to remember when organizing your trip

VISAS: German, Austrian and Swiss passports do not require visas. **Passports:** must be valid for at least six months after the end of your trip.

VACCINATIONS: no vaccination requirements. For your own safety, please consult with a health care practitioner in your own country, or your local Institute for Tropical Diseases.

CLOTHING: light cotton clothes (including shorts) in darkish earthy colours is recommended, and European summer hunting clothing is ideal. Due to our thorny bushveld, we recommend long sleeve shirts, long pants and ankle high, light, well worn shoes/boots. For the cool morning and evening hours, we recommend a warm jacket such as a Parka, pullover and gloves. Very important to remember are a wide rimmed hat, binoculars, camera, sunglasses, sunscreen and insect repellent.

TIME DIFFERENCES/ZONES: Local time in Namibia during summer is GMT + 2 and in winter it is GMT +1 due to daylight savings. This time change takes effect on the first Sunday in April and lasts until the first Sunday in September. This means that during the summer months in Europe, the time is the same as in Namibia. During European winter, the time is one hour ahead of Namibia.

MEDAL TROPHIES: For many years, a large number of medal trophies have been hunted on Okosongoro Safari Ranch. Should your trophy merit such an award, medals can be bought at the Namibian Professional Hunters Association. The proceeds from these medal sales in turn helps to support several social projects e.g. Hunters Support Education.

Climate

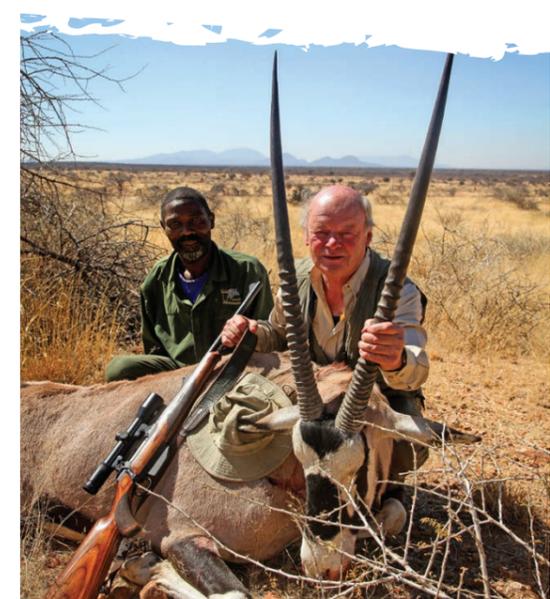
As a result of low rainfall, Namibia has a very dry, healthy climate. The temperature in summer varies between 18-36 degrees Celsius and in winter between -4 and 20. Our summers stretch from November to March, autumn is in April/ May, winter is from June to the end of August and spring is in September/October.

Weapons and Ammunition

For successful hunting, we recommend that you book a safari of at least seven days of which five days are hunting days. Bringing weapons into Namibia is a straightforward process: hunters must declare their weapon when they arrive at the airport and show the relevant ownership documents. A maximum of 80 rounds of ammunition is allowed per caliber/weapon. We recommend that you bring your own weapon of 7x64 caliber upwards. Two weapons are available for rental, should you require them: one 30-06 and one 8 x 68 S.

Heavy weapons have proven themselves to be useful in this environment and are recommended. Furthermore, our professional hunters, hunting guides and trackers do their best to offer a great and successful hunt for you.

Please note that the bringing of handguns into Namibia is prohibited.



INCLUSIONS:

The following are all included in the price of your safari: all meals and accommodation, services of a professional hunter/bow hunting guide, hunting licenses, field preparation of trophies, transport of the trophies to the shipping agent in Windhoek, daily laundry services (Mon-Fri), Value Added Tax, radio equipped 4 wheel drive hunting vehicles.

Please note that prices are subject to change at short notice.

EXCLUSIONS:

The following are not included in the price of the safaris: flights from your home country, hotel charges before and after safari, all beverages, firearms and ammunition, trophy fees of animals bagged or wounded and lost, helicopter flights over the farm, air charter fees, tips and gratuities for staff, insurances, packing and transport of trophies from the Windhoek shipping agent to home country.

Please note that the farm cannot be held responsible for loss, injuries, accidents and delays.



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Please contact us for inquiries and personal advice, we are available any time and welcome your interest in our safari ranch.

Your Okosongoro team greets you

Peter, Uta, Kurt and Silvia Clausen and the friendly, dedicated staff on Okosongoro.



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