

NAMIBIA ROAD BIKE CYCLE TOUR ITINERARY - 8 NIGHT'S/9 DAYS, APPROX 800KM'S/480 MILES

Day 1

Meet and greet at Windhoek Airport (Hosea Kutako) where we'll transfer you to the City to stay at <http://jordanibb.com/>. Team briefing/Q and A session and then evening meal together nearby

Day 2

Up to 100km's out and back on the C23 after early breakfast; day to check all our bikes are good before driving South 250km's to Mariental. Lunch in Windhoek and then overnight stay at <http://www.bastionfarmyard.com>



Day 3

Today we ride to the edge of the Kalahari desert, 100 km's + to Aranos on the C20. After lunch we then take a trip into the red dunes. Return and stay at <http://www.bastionfarmyard.com>



Day 4

Today we drive South 230 km's after early breakfast to Keetmanshoop. We then cycle across the Fish River Canyon, the second largest Canyon in The World, for 100 km's + on the B4. (Lot's of photo opportunities here) Lunch + Stay in Aus. <http://www.bahnhof-hotel-aus.com/>



Day 5

Today we cycle 130 km's across the Namibian Desert, The World's oldest. We lunch and stay in Luderitz by the coast at <http://nesthotel.com/> Free time in the afternoon where there is plenty to do or alternatively take some time out to relax.



Day 6

After breakfast we visit Kolmanskop Ghost Town which was famous for its diamond rush. Then it's the last chance after to ride and see the Namib riding 120 km's inland from the coast. See if we can spot the feral horses en route. Stay and lunch again at <http://www.bahnhof-hotel-aus.com/>



Day 7

Continuing inland on the B4 we ride the remaining 110 km's to Goageb, marvelling at the scenery as we go. Lunch and overnight at Keetmanshoop http://www.tripadvisor.co.za/Hotel_Review-g480217-d2327443-Reviews-Pension_Gessert-Keetmanshoop_Central_Plateau.html

Day 8

We continue East on the C16 for the LAST chance to ride in the Kalahari and Namibia itself, up to 150 km's. Return to Keetmanshoop for lunch and then transfer Northwards to Mariental again. Stay at <http://www.bastionfarmyard.com/> for our final evening meal, a traditional Braai(BBQ).

Day 9

After breakfast we transfer you to Windhoek Airport for a midday / afternoon departure.

NOTES

1. This is a malaria free tour; only in the North is this prevalent.
2. This is one of the least populated countries on the planet, and Towns are few and far between, so don't expect the small towns to have what you normally expect. Windhoek is the only place at the start of the tour if you have forgotten something when you packed.
3. Any supplements and energy bars/drinks etc you need you will have to either bring or buy on the first day and then enough to last the whole journey (just in case).
4. The beauty of the Country is the tranquillity and the wide open spaces; don't be surprised to be cycling for over an hour on straight and seemingly endless roads. That said you'll have no problem with traffic (what traffic?). We can also organise safari's into Etosha either at the beginning or end of your tour from Windhoek if you wish to make the most of your visit here