

Wildlife Filming Safari

- **Itinerary** Luangwa Safari House 4 nights & Nsefu 3 nights
- **Included** All safari costs plus return Lusaka/Mfuwe flights
- **Not included** International flights, gratuities, visas and airport taxes plus your own camera with video function
- **Valid** scheduled set departure dates available

The LUANGWA VALLEY, which marks the end of the Great Rift Valley, is one of the last unspoilt wilderness areas and possibly the finest wildlife sanctuary in Africa. It covers an area of over 9000 sq. km. through which the meandering Luangwa River runs. The ox bow lagoons, woodland and plains of the valley host huge concentrations of game - including elephant, buffalo, leopard, lion, giraffe, hippo - and over 450 species of birds.

Spend a week with Emmy nominee & multiple award-winning wildlife filmmakers, **Will & Lianne Steenkamp**, and learn what it takes to make the most of your own wildlife videos whilst on safari. Will & Lianne have filmed several wildlife documentaries in South Luangwa including [Leopard Legacy](#) and [The Hippo King](#). What's in store...

- ❖ Practical experience with world-class professional wildlife camera equipment & edit facilities.
- ❖ One-on-one workshops to learn the ins and outs of wildlife filmmaking.
- ❖ And of course, great game viewing experience!
- ❖ Get some inspiration from how Will and Lianne work [here](#).

You just bring your own filming camera (a standard one will do)!



Day 1 On arrival at Lusaka International Airport you will be meet and assisted onto your flight to Mfuwe, South Luangwa National Park, your home for the next week. A guide from Robin Pope Safaris will meet you and drive you to Luangwa Safari House through village life and even a chance for you to experience your first game viewing in the Luangwa. Depending on your arrival time, you may have time for an afternoon activity to start your Filming Safari.

Will and Lianne will join you for dinner and then share with you details of what to expect during this week with them. **LUANGWA SAFARI HOUSE**



Day 2 A full day to explore this area of the Park. You will often get up before dawn so you're in the park in time for the fantastic dawn light. Will and Lianne will join you on both game drives today.

The highlights today will be having them demonstrate filming techniques and then giving you an opportunity to also use the 'big rig' professional camera equipment, fully assembled as per professional shoots. A theory session will be held this afternoon focusing on ethics, approach, technology, camera, editing and execution. on some afternoons focused on the theory side along with practical editing. **LUANGWA SAFARI HOUSE**



Day 3 Today you will continue with exposure to using the 'big rig' with a couple of people taking turns to film. Will & Lianne will host a practical editing session inclusive of 2 edit facilities, further enhancing your experience. **LUANGWA SAFARI HOUSE**

Day 4 We will mix today with a final filming in this area of the Park and a non-filming game viewing activity. **LUANGWA SAFARI HOUSE**



Day 5 Your transfer to Nsefu is by game drive, making the most of the trip up to the Nsefu Sector. There is much to see and experience along the way. Nsefu Sector offers quite a different safari experience to the area you have explored thus far in South Luangwa. It certainly gives a lot more of the remote wilderness experience, so the safari can only get better.

Will and Lianne will give you a talk and demonstration of aerial filming during the afternoon. After your evening drive, you will explore the concept of night filming. **NSEFU CAMP**



Day 6 African sunrises are magical just like the sunsets! Today you will enjoy an earlier morning than usual to explore sunrise filming and game viewing. Also, with a wildlife viewing hide in camp, you will have an excellent

opportunity to learn about filming from hides plus a demonstration as well. Over the campfire, Will and Lianne will share their experiences of making films around Nsefu. **NSEFU**



Day 7 The final full day in South Luangwa, you will have an opportunity to explore the Nsefu Sector fully.
NSEFU CAMP



Day 8 After an early breakfast you will be transferred back to Mfuwe Airport for your flight to Lusaka for your onward connection. If time permits, you can even enjoy a final game viewing activity before heading off. **END OF SAFARI**