



Mofa Community Visit



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3 nights **Bumi Hills Safari Lodge** | 3 nights **Somalisa Camp** | 3 nights **Thorntree River Lodge**

The Mola Community is located in a remote region near **Bumi Hills Safari Lodge** on the shores of Lake Kariba.

Between 1958 -1963, the area was drastically changed during the filling of Lake Kariba - one of the world's largest man-made lakes. This displacement forced the community and wildlife to less fertile lands and resulted in high competition for natural resources between humans and wildlife.

The **African Bush Camps Foundation** focusses on Education, Community Empowerment and Conservation projects with the communities in the area; from working with communities to improve school facilities, educational material for students, supporting a local health centre, encouraging holistic land management practices and partnering on a human-wildlife coexistence programme.

The goal is to assist these communities to empower themselves through partnering with them on interconnected, multi-layered initiatives.

See below for your itinerary to the Mola Community.



Visiting the foundation's projects can be arranged and consist of a half day visit (not on a Saturday or Sunday).

Visits are dependent on activities at the time.

08:00 am: Depart Bumi Hills Safari Lodge for Mola with a game drive through the concession and neighbouring communities.

08:45 – 09:05 am: First stop at Mola Rural Health Centre

In an effort to improve service delivery at Mola Rural Health Centre, the Foundation sources health equipment and helps support staff in tough working conditions. Here guests will visit the Mola Rural Health Centre and communicate with staff. This will help you understand how the health centre operates, what challenges they face and the services they provide to the community.



09:05 - 09:35 am: Travel through the Mola Community towards Mangwara Village

09:35 - 10:05 am: Visit to Mangwara Primary School

The **Mangwara Primary School** was established in 2012 with an enrolment of 337 pupils and ten teachers. It has become an important educational centre within the Mola community. With the number of students enrolled and the minimal infrastructure, Mangwara faces many challenges. African Bush Camps Foundation helps support Mangwara by supporting their teachers, building new classroom blocks and improving their educational environment. Guests will meet a staff member and enjoy a tour of the school.



10:05 – 10:35 am: Tea break – Mangwara Primary School

10:35 - 11:35 am: Travel to Mayovhe Secondary School



11:35 - 12:05 pm: Visit to Mayovhe Secondary School

African Bush Camps Foundation is working with **Mayovhe Secondary School** by sponsoring new textbooks, stationery and upgrading ablution facilities. Guests will have a guided tour through Mayovhe Secondary School.

12:05 – 13:00 pm: Travel back to Bumi Hills Safari Lodge

13:00 – 14:00 pm: Lunch at Bumi Hills Safari Lodge

Optional afternoon presentation from **Bumi Hills Anti-poaching Unit (BHAPU)** - Dependant on operational activities underway

Bumi Hills Anti-poaching Unit carries out activities through land-patrol, lake-patrol and wildlife crime investigations. This will give you a fascinating insight into the work going into protecting the wildlife and ecology in the area.

