





## Zimbabwe's New Hot Spot - Verney's

Zimbabwe is experiencing an exciting tourism revival since its change in leadership in 2017 and, in support of this increased interest, Machaba Safaris, well known for its three camps in Botswana's Okavango Delta, opened its first Zimbabwe-based safari camp in May 2018. **Verney's Camp** has a fantastic location, tucked away in a remote 10,000 hectare private concession in the south eastern section of Zimbabwe's iconic Hwange National Park — and if the guest feedback so far is anything to go by, it is set to become one of Zimbabwe's favourite new hot spots for discerning safari lovers "in the know".

Verney's boasts just ten luxury safari tents (including 2 family tents), all built on wooden decks at ground level, tucked perfectly under the shady arms of the teak forest and overlooking a busy waterhole frequented by Hwange's famous elephants. Each tent has been carefully positioned for maximum privacy and enjoyment of the views, connected by natural pathways to the central guest area. Tents are beautifully appointed complete with ensuite bathroom with shower, toilet and double vanity basins.

Verney's offers excellent value for money and a true wilderness experience including excellent guided game drives and walks. But staying with Machaba is not just about the guest experience. It is also about supporting a country and its people as they strive to regain their once booming tourism industry - as well as supporting ethical operations. Machaba is a family-owned company that prides itself in its community development and initiatives ensuring the wildlife, local communities and guests all benefit. Machaba co-sponsors a local school in Hwange National Park which guests can visit as a half day tour. The tour also stops at a small rural village and the Wild Dog Research Centre.

## **BOOK IT**

Machaba's new <u>Classic Zimbabwe</u> package includes 2 nights at Old Drift Lodge at Victoria Falls and then 3 nights at Verney's Camp from just \$2,608 per person sharing including 5 nights' accommodation, all meals, laundry, lodge activities, return vehicle airstrip transfers, alcoholic & non-alcoholic beverages (excluding imported and premium drinks) and taxes. This package also includes the road transfers from Vic Falls Airport to Old Drift Lodge (30 mins), from Old Drift Lodge to Hwange Main Camp (2.5 hours) and the flight from Manga to Vic Falls Airport (45 mins).

Machaba also offers other packages combining Verney's with its 3 camps in Botswana's iconic Okavango Delta, namely Machaba Camp, Little Machaba and Gomoti Plains. For more information please visit <a href="https://machabasafaris.com/verneys-camp/">https://machabasafaris.com/verneys-camp/</a>.





