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***EXCLUSIVE CABORRA BASSA / NHEDNDA TIGERFISH
EXPEDITIONS***

Lax-a is proud to present private exclusive guided tours for groups of 3-4 fishermen with South Africa's best guides to the giant Cahorra Bassa dam, teaming with big Tigerfish and lots of other species.

General Camp and area overview

Cahorra Bassa is one of Africa's larger fresh water land masses and its main tributary is the mighty Zambezi River. The dam lies within Mozambique to the western central side forming a 'corner' where it meets with Zambia and Zimbabwe.

The lake is more than 280 km long and has millions of hectares of unutilized and spectacular, mountainous, wild life country that surrounds its varying shore line.

Nhenda camp is situated in one of the remotest parts of the dam and boasts miles of private, untamed waters. The camp at Nhenda is designed and built to blend into the wild. It consists of 4 rooms and a main lounge/dining area that overlooks a calm secluded bay teeming with different fish species. The lodge is not a 5 star venue but the rooms are clean and comfortable, the food is tasty and filling and the beer cold. This is a very special private venue that has some of the best tiger fishing on the continent. If you are a group of 3-4 anglers, you will have it all for yourself.



The area that surrounds the lodge has a large number of wild life (game) species and one cannot help wondering if this is what Africa would have been like 100 years ago. Often the roar of lions can be heard from the camp fire. Night game drives add to the excitement of a true African fishing safari. Hippos and crocodiles are the custodians of this great water mass and can be seen whilst fishing or cruising around the many hidden bays and river inlets within the Nhenda concession.



The fishing

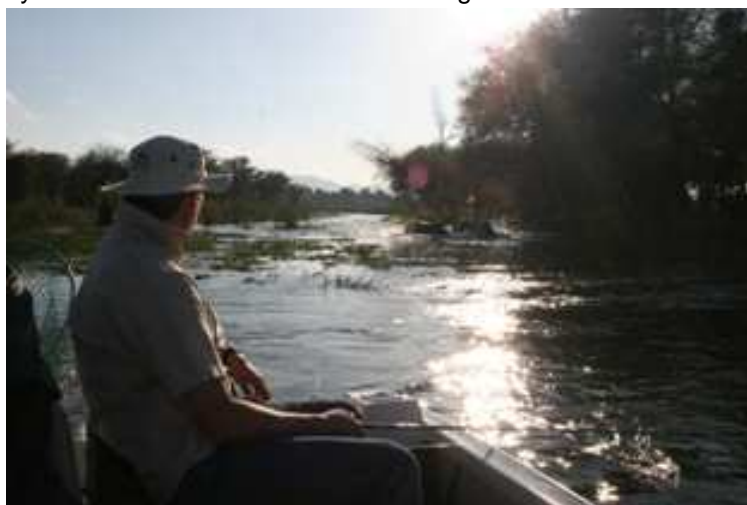
Cahorra Bassa has a wide variety of fish species to target apart from its renowned Tigerfish, such as Vundu, Chessa and a host of different bream species. The Tigers are the main predators and the most sought after and can grow in excess of 25-30lbs in this area. The average large Tiger which visitors to Nhenda release are 10-18lbs.

Tiger fish in this remote area move into the quiet bays and inlets to ambush and hunt smaller fish species and when hooked on fly or light tackle give up a spectacular display of their strength both in and out of the water. Very few moments are as pleasurable as when a large

Tiger that has just smashed into the fly and clears the water against a pristine African backdrop.

Our guides know the area very well and have the skill and knowledge to create a memorable experience for each and every client.

Fly fishing is done on-shore and from open motorized ski-boats. Only 2 anglers per boat will be allowed to maximize the fly fishing and for safety reasons.



Warning:

- This is a malaria area
- Clients may not want to return home after this trip.

Season: March – December (March, April, May, October, November and December are very good)

How to get to Nhenda

Flight from Johannesburg to Maputo (Mozambique) and from Maputo to Tete.

Flight from Johannesburg to Maputo leaves 8:40 am and arrive 9:40 am.
Flight Maputo to Tete leaves at 11:00 am and arrives 13:00 pm (same day).

Flights from Johannesburg are only on Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday.

You will normally meet with your guide in Johannesburg Airport.

Driver of Nhenda will pick up clients and drive to Cahorra Bassa shores, 3, 5 hours drive.

Skipper from Nhenda camp will drive clients across the dam with a ski-boat to the Nhenda camp, 45 minutes.



Prices in US\$: group of 3 persons, 2850 pp; group of 4 persons, 2240 pp

INCLUDED IN THE PRICE:

- Boat and road transport from Tete to camp
 - 6 nights in Nhenda camp full board
 - 5 days fishing
 - All boat and fuel costs (50L fuel per boat per day)
 - Guide and skippers
- Game drive at night

- Local beer

Excluded:

- Flights from South Africa to Tete return
- Alcoholic beverages
- Gratuities



Lax-a's Southern Africa program

Lax-a specializes in Southern Africa and can help you organize all your hunting, fishing and general tourism trips to South Africa, Namibia and all the neighboring countries. Working with different operators and lodges we can tailor make your hunting / fishing / tourism trip..

Lax-a is globally the largest fishing outfitter and has a 22 year track record of operating a broad fishing and hunting program all over the world. We now have an Africa Representative permanently based in Windhoek, Namibia, with more than 20 years of experience from the region.

Request our special brochures for the following exclusive and good value for money packages:

Fishing:

Giant Tarpons in Angola. *It is has long been well known that the West coast of Africa hold the largest Tarpon in the world – in countries such as Angola, Gabon, Congo and Sierra Leone, but they have until now by and large only been caught on conventional tackle and a range of security and logistic factors have made access to fishing for them very difficult. After our successful trips in 2008 and 2009 where many 80KG+ Tarpons were landed we are planning 2-3 groups in the high season early 2010. Trips starts from Luanda*

Tigerfish in Mozambique, Namibia and Zambia. *We arrange special private tours for small groups of 3-4 anglers to a remote corner of the huge Caborra Bassa dam on the lower Zambezi river. These trips are guided by some of South Africa's most experienced guides. There are many large Tigers in the 5-8 KG range with a possibility of a 10-12 KG trophy of a lifetime. Good accommodation and food, but not 5 star. If you want a truly 5 star experience we can organize Tiger Quests on the **Impalila Island lodge**. These trips are accompanied by one of South Africa's leading fly fishermen with more than 20 years of Tiger fishing experience. Trips start at Johannesburg airport. The season is June to November.*

Trout and Yellowfish on the roof of Africa. *Lesotho and the surrounding parts of South Africa offer some very interesting trout fishing for wild Rainbows as well as indigenous Yellow fish. There are a huge amount of Freestone rivers here in 2-3 KMs height over sea level. The area is very remote, with difficult access and very few people. Together with the best guides in the area we offer fully inclusive tours for small groups or individual anglers. The remote rivers are accessed by 4 x 4 vehicles or horseback. This is ideal for a 4-6 day extension to your visit in South Africa. The season is mid September – mid May. Clients will be picked up in Bloomfontein or East London airports.*

Hunting

Hunting on the edge of Lesotho (South Africa)

The Eastern Cape has long been one of Southern Africa's major hunting destinations. We work from the little town Rhodes located in the remotest mountain areas. This area is well known for its Mountain Reed buck and Vaal Rhebuck hunting, the latter being one of Africa's most challenging antelope species to hunt. The area also boasts a large number of Blesbuck and Black Wildebeest as well as the extremely sporty Greywing Francolin that only occur 7000ft above sea level. The antelope hunting is done either on horseback or on foot, depending on the terrain and hunters are required to be relatively fit for this. Hunting for Greywing Francolin is done on foot and over English Pointers and the bag limit is between 6 and 10 birds per gun per day. Clients will be picked up in Bloomfontein or East London airports.

Hunting in the Karoo (South Africa)

Various packages including Steenbuck, Bushbuck, Impala, Springbuck, Blesbuck, Kudu, Nyala, Impala, Lechwe, Sable, Eland, Blue and Black Wildebeest, Oryx, Warthog, Bushpig, Giraffe, Zebra, Jackal, Lynx, Baboon, Monkey etc. All wild life on this 8.000 Hectar ranch breed and fend for themselves in a natural manner. The clients will be met at Port Elizabeth Airport by the Professional Hunter and be transported to the game ranch approximately 2 hours drive into the bush.

Hunting in Namibia

Lax-a has just finalized and tested a new exclusive package letting you hunt on 3 different farms in 3 very different parts of this amazing country, allowing you to sample all the best hunting Namibia has to offer in one trip. We also offer several other packages including budget packages based on self catering in a remote bush camp.

Namibia with its wide open spaces, varied desert and Savannah landscapes and stunning game parks is Africa's premium tourist destinations. It has a very low crime rate and is ideal for a self drive vacation. Namibia is our speciality and we can organise your combined hunting and safari trip. The trip starts in Windhoek International Airport.

For the South African hunting packages, the professional Hunter can have guns and ammunition available for the clients use to minimize hassles with travelling documents and permits.

