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## The ' Pride of Africa ' in Namibia May 2009

**Pretoria • Kimberley • Fish River Canyon • Windhoek • Etosha Pan • Swakopmund**

From its new home at Capital Park, Pretoria, Rovos Rail invites you on a journey of discovery through some of the most historic and scenic areas of Southern Africa. For seven days and six nights, the train will carry you in world-class style and comfort from the savannahs of the Highveld to the Atlantic Ocean, reuniting by rail the republics of South Africa and Namibia, formerly South West Africa.

The 3 400-km journey takes the Pride of Africa from Pretoria to Kimberley, centre of one of the world's most famous diamond rushes, where there's an opportunity to visit the Big Hole and experience the atmosphere of the 1870's.

Then it's on through stark vistas of the arid Northern Cape into Namibia at Ariamsvlei. There is an excursion to the spectacular Fish River Canyon – second in size and splendour to the Grand Canyon – and then across the Kalahari Desert to Windhoek, a lively, cosmopolitan city with a strong German flavour. After a city tour and an afternoon game drive the train continues overnight to Tsumeb and the game rich Etosha National Park. A night is spent in the Mokuti Game Lodge on the eastern edge of the Park and the journey continues on to Swakopmund, a perfectly preserved 19th-Century German Hansa town set between the dunes of the Namib desert and the roaring Atlantic Ocean. It is an unforgettable end to a remarkable journey.

**Pretoria - Swakopmund  
 06 May – 12 May 2009**

**Day 1 Wednesday 06 May**  
 15h00 Depart Pretoria from Rovos Rail's private Capital Park station.

**Day 2 Thursday 07 May**  
 09h45 Arrive in Kimberley. Tour of the Big Hole and City of Kimberley.  
 12h30 Depart Kimberley.

**Day 3 Friday 08 May**  
 10h45 Arrive Holoog Siding. Visit to the Fish River Canyon with lunch at Canyon Lodge.

**Day 4 Saturday 09 May**  
 10h00 Arrive Windhoek Station. Museum visit and Windhoek City Tour. Lunch at Okapuka Ranch with an afternoon game drive.  
 18h00 Depart Okapuka.

**Day 5 Sunday 10 May**  
 10h40 Arrive Tsumeb. Transfer to Mokuti Lodge for lunch, game drive and overnight.

**Day 6 Monday 11 May**  
 Early morning game drive into the Etosha Pan.  
 13h00 Depart Tsumeb.

**Day 7 Tuesday 12 May**  
 12h00 Arrive in Swakopmund.

**Swakopmund – Pretoria  
 13 May – 19 May 2009**

**Day 1 Wednesday 13 May**  
 12h00 Depart Swakopmund.

**Day 2 Thursday 14 May**  
 10h40 Arrive Tsumeb. Transfer to Mokuti Lodge for game drive and overnight.

**Day 3 Friday 15 May**  
 Morning game drive into the Etosha Pan.  
 13h00 Depart Tsumeb.

**Day 4 Saturday 16 May**  
 10h00 Arrive Windhoek. Windhoek City Tour. Lunch at Okapuka Ranch with an afternoon game drive. Station Museum Visit.  
 18h00 Depart Windhoek.

**Day 5 Sunday 17 May**  
 09h00 Arrive Holoog Siding. Visit to the Fish River Canyon.

**Day 6 Monday 18 May**  
 14h30 Arrive in Kimberley. Tour of the Big Hole and City of Kimberley.  
 Depart Kimberley.

**Day 7 Tuesday 19 May**  
 12h00 Arrive at Rovos Rail's private Capital Park Station in Pretoria.

Excursions may be changed according to schedule achieved. Times are approximate and cannot be guaranteed.

**RACK RATE ONE WAY** per person sharing includes accommodation, meals and excursions during the train journey, as well as alcoholic beverages whilst on board the train:

Pullman Suite R25 800	Deluxe Suite R38 750	Royal Suite R52 200
Single Supplement +50% on all suites		

**Visas to be purchased and paid for prior to departure for Africa.**  
 Visas are available through booking agents; please check with the relevant embassies for visa requirements.  
 Passengers are advised to take anti-malarial precautions as might be prescribed  
**Trip insurance is strongly advised**