



The River Club is Livingstone's premier destination on the Zambezi River, situated 18 kilometers / 11 miles upstream from the renowned Victoria Falls - a World Heritage Site and one of the 7 Natural Wonders of the World. The River Club is a boutique owner-run lodge set on a bend of the Zambezi with elevated views over the water, safe from flooding. A classic lodge, ideally situated so guests can explore the historical town of Livingstone and surrounds.



Location & Access

BY AIR: There are daily scheduled flights from Johannesburg and the Kruger to Livingstone. Kenya Airways offers flights linking Livingstone to Cape Town and Nairobi three times a week. The River Club has a private helicopter pad on site.

BY ROAD: From Livingstone Airport or Victoria Falls Bridge Border Post, guests can be collected by The River Club's air-conditioned, privately-owned vehicles for a 30-minute drive to the banks of the Zambezi River, followed by a 10-minute (weather permitting) scenic boat transfer to The River Club. Self-drives also have uncomplicated all-year direct road access. The River Club is easily accessible from Zimbabwe, and Kasane (Chobe) Botswana, or elsewhere in Zambia.



Owners

Owned by Peter Jones and Will Garton-Jones.

Managed by Jonathan Ellway.



Classic Factors

- **Ultimate Sundowner:** G&T with the hippos
- **Build Your Stay:** 3 rate types to suit your style
- **Your Pace:** Tennis. Fishing. Croquet. Vic Falls. Relax
- **Charm:** Location. Privacy. Space

Giving Back



The River Club was awarded the inaugural Zambian Heritage and Culture Award for all the work carried out in the Livingstone area preserving the heritage in the town as well as being involved in cultural and support efforts in the nearby village. The lodge is also a member of the ECO-LUXURY group of lodges from around the world, all of whom work to preserve the environment and communities in the areas in which they operate. (See www.ecoluxury.com)

The River Club has been involved with the local community since 2000, helping improve the lives of the people who live there. This social development project has been hugely successful largely due to the generous donations from guests who have stayed at or been connected to the lodge.

Lodge Facilities

OPEN ALL YEAR

Number of suites	11	Check in	12:00	Electricity	220V UK plugs	Private dinners	✓
Maximum guests	28	Check out	11:00	Mobile phone	✓	Spa facilities	✓*
Children	6 yrs+	Swimming pool	✓	Wi-Fi	main area	Laundry	✓
Childminding	✗	Helicopter pad	✓	Credit cards	Master & Visa	Keep fit	✓*
Security / fenced	✓	Conference room	small groups				

*SPA FACILITIES: Guests can enjoy massages in the treatment room, or the privacy of their room or private deck. Additional charge applies.

*KEEP FIT: The River Club has a gym as well as an outdoor running & walking track.

River Suites Facilities

The River Club has 7 River Suites, all with private decks over the Zambezi, twin beds (can be converted to Empire King), 2 bathrooms (one upstairs, the other downstairs), walk-in mosquito net, air-conditioning/ heating, overhead fan, digital safe, mini fridge, hair dryer, multi-national adaptors.

Extra beds	✗	Mosquito nets	✓	Outdoor shower	✗	In-room safe	✓
Sitting area	✓	Private pool	✗	Separate WC	✓	Telephone	✗
Fans	✓	Bath	✓	Extra bathroom	✓	Hairdryer	✓
Air con	✓	Indoor shower	✓	Mini bar	✓	Disabled access	2 suites

Luxury River Suites Facilities

The 2 Luxury River Suites both have an outside deck with private plunge pool and views over the Zambezi River. Rooms are gauze-fronted (no glass) with a small living room, a queen bed which cannot be split and en-suite bathroom. Walk-in mosquito net, air-conditioning/ heating and overhead fan above the bed, digital safe, mini fridge, hair dryer, multi-national electrical plug sockets.

Extra beds	✗	Mosquito nets	✓	Outdoor shower	✗	Telephone	✗
Sitting area	✓	Private pool	✓	Separate WC	✓	Hairdryer	✓
Fans	✓	Bath	✓	Mini bar	✓	Disabled access	✗
Air con	✓	Indoor shower	✓	In-room safe	✓		

Luxury River Family Suite Facilities

This spacious, open-plan suite has an outside deck with private plunge pool and views over the Zambezi River. Glass-fronted open-plan interior with living room & 2 semi-separate bedrooms. One room has a Queen bed the other has twin three quarter beds and full bathrooms at each end of the unit. An extra child-bed can be added. Walk-in mosquito nets, air-conditioning/ heating and overhead fans above the beds. Digital safe, mini fridge, hair dryer, multi-national electrical plug sockets.

Extra beds	✓*	Mosquito nets	✓	Outdoor shower	✓	Telephone	✗
Sitting area	✓	Private pool	✓	Separate WC	✓	Hairdryer	✓
Fans	✓	Bath	✓	Mini bar	✓	Disabled access	✗
Air con	✓	Indoor shower	✓	In-room safe	✓		

*EXTRA BEDS: An additional bed can be placed in the children's room to accommodate up to 3 children in total.

Princess Mary Suite Facilities

This luxurious double-story villa with 2 private bedrooms and 2 bathrooms is situated in a secluded walled garden with its own swimming pool. Two adults can be accommodated in the upstairs master double-bed en-suite room (with private balcony overlooking the Zambezi River), and 2 children or adults in a twin-single-bed room downstairs (twin room is not en-suite). Additional children's beds can be arranged in the lounge to accommodate a total of 6 guests. Both floors are air-conditioned, digital safe, mini fridge, teal coffee facilities, hair dryers and multi-national electrical plug sockets. The ground floor comprises a lounge area, library, mini-bar fridge and dining area for 6. Guests may choose to dine privately in the suite or eat at the main lodge.

Extra beds	✓*	Mosquito nets	✓	Outdoor shower	✗	Telephone	✗
Sitting area	✓	Private pool	✓	Separate WC	✓	Hairdryer	✓
Fans	✓	Bath	✓	Mini bar	✓	Disabled access	✗
Air con	✓	Indoor shower	✓	In-room safe	✓		

*EXTRA BEDS: Additional beds can be arranged in the lounge for up to 2 children.

Activities

Included for all rate categories:

Tennis, croquet, boules, snooker, self-guided nature walks, and daily sundowner boat cruise with drinks and snacks.

Included on Fully Inclusive, and available at additional cost for Full Board and Bed & Breakfast:

Tour of Victoria Falls – Zambia, guided (excludes park fee)	A Mosi-oa-Tunya National Park game drive (excludes park fee)
A local village visit	A 3-hour fishing excursion (lodge activity)

Available at additional cost:

Morning birding river cruise	Game / rhino walk in Mosi-oa-Tunya NP	Under-the-falls spray (Sep – Nov only)
Massage treatments	Tour of Railway & Jewish museum	White water rafting (July – Jan only)
Livingstone Island & Devil's Pool (seasonal)	Canoeing	Walk on the wild side (Sep – Nov only)
Scenic helicopter flights	Elephant interaction and lunch at Ele Café	Reptile and Crocodile Park
Microflight flights	Horse riding	Railway bridge tour and adrenaline activities (bungee, zip line and gorge swing)
Tour of Victoria Falls – Zimbabwe, guided (offered by external provider, excludes visa) *	Tour of Victoria Falls – Zimbabwe, unguided (excludes park fee and visa)	



Travel Information

SEASON	The River Club is open all year.				
WEATHER	The winters are dry and warm to cool during the day but cold in the evening, spring is warm and cool in the evening, heating up to the summer where the temperatures remain hot throughout the day and night.				
RAINFALL	December to April are the rainy months.				
TEMPERATURE		JAN - MAR	APR - JUN	JUL - SEP	OCT - NOV
	Average day	31°C / 88°F	24°C / 75°F	26°C / 79°F	37°C / 98°F
	Average night	20°C / 68°F	11°C / 52°F	20°C / 68°F	28°C / 82°F
GPS COORDINATES	17.8218278°S, 25.703294444444445°E				
MALARIA	Yes – a low risk area				
CURRENCY	South Africa Rand, Zambian Kwacha & USD (Only notes printed after 2006 will be accepted. Notes must be new with big heads, older notes not accepted by Zambian banks due to high incidence of counterfeit money)				
TRAVEL VISA	Required for most passports. It is advised for guests to obtain a KAZA Uni-visa which allows them multiple visits to Zimbabwe and Zambia during their stay and one trip to Botswana. Please check with your local embassy well in advance of your time of travel.				