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Hohenstein Lodge

Gateway to Erongo

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- Ameib Ranch and Spitzkoppe
- Hiking, mountainbiking and birdwatching



Hohenstein Naturreservat

Wildlife-rich rocky and savanna
landscapes on the southern slopes of the
Erongo Mountains

Memorable experiences begin just
a few steps away.

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Sundowner Drive – Late afternoon, as the sun begins to set and the granite peaks glow in shades of gold, orange and violet, is the best time for wildlife sightings. The sunset is celebrated at a viewpoint with panoramic views, accompanied by cold drinks and snacks. You'll be back at the lodge in time for dinner.

Booking: at reception

Duration: approx. 2 hours

Departure: at reception

Morning Scenic Drive – This tour is ideal for guests arriving the previous evening who would like to experience the beauty of the Erongo the following morning.

Booking: at reception

Duration: approx. 2 hours

Departure: at reception

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Frog Cave Excursion – Frog Cave, a cave featuring historic rock paintings and engravings, is situated on the Drachenrücken, a spur of the Hohenstein. The hike, which requires a moderate level of fitness, rewards visitors with sweeping panoramic views stretching as far as Spitzkoppe on the horizon. The excursion combines a scenic drive through the reserve with a hike lasting approximately one and a half hours. The start time for the Frog Cave excursion is arranged individually according to enquiries.

Booking: at reception

Duration: approx. 4 hours

Departure: in the morning at reception

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Rockpainting Tour with Sundowner – Combined with a drive through the reserve, this tour includes a leisurely walk through the characteristic boulder landscape on the southern slopes of Hohenstein. Along the way, guests discover historic San rock paintings, while the guide shares insights into the local flora, fauna and history. The tour concludes with a classic sundowner.

Booking: at reception

Duration: 3 hours

Departure: at reception

Guided Walks – Guided walks can be booked at reception at any time.

Duration: individually arranged, 1–3 hours

Please note:

- Prices and further information are available at reception or by [clicking here](#).

Self-guided day trips



Ameib Ranch – Bull’s Party and Philipps Cave

Two places, two perspectives on the Erongo Mountains: at Bull’s Party, enormous granite boulders appear to have been stacked by an invisible hand. Just a few kilometres away, the rock art at Philipps Cave tells the story of the region’s early cultures. Here, the history of the Earth and the history of humankind lie side by side.

A packed lunch is available on request.

Spitzkoppe – Namibia’s Matterhorn

Even from a distance, the Spitzkoppe dominates the plain with its striking silhouette. Up close, it reveals a fascinating structure of granite boulders, rock arches and narrow paths. Between the rock formations, there are frequent, impressive views across the surrounding landscape.

A packed lunch is available on request.

Self-guided activities



Hiking – Damara Trail – circular trail
1-2 hours | 3.5 km | Start: reception

Hiking – Kudu Trail – circular trail
2,5-3 hours | 8.5 km | Start: reception

Hiking – Oryx Trail – circular trail
2,5-3 hours | 6.5 km | Start: reception

Mountain biking – various hiking trails can be combined
1-1,5 hours | 6-15 km | Start: reception

Bird watching – a concealed hide in the bush near a bird watering point
1 km | Start: reception

Hiking maps and mountain bikes are available at reception.



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