THE C4 TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

CATALYST a reaction that precipitates an event.
Some people call us a safari company and some people call us wildlife photographers. The reality is that we are both. When you travel with C4 Photo Safaris, you enter into our world of wildlife, where we have spent innumerable hours in studying its whims and understanding its nature.

Photography for us is a medium through which to express our love for the natural ways of this continent. So when you join on a safari with us, it is as much about sharing the ‘large and hairy’ as it is about the small nuances that make your eyes widen in amazement.

REVEALING AFRICA TO YOU IS WHAT A C4 SAFARI IS ABOUT. IT IS EMPATHY, EXPERIENCE AND RAPTURE ALL PLAYED OUT THROUGH THE MEDIUM WE LOVE: PHOTOGRAPHY.

We run our safaris to the highest standard and prepare meticulously for all the logistics required. We welcome you to a safari like we would welcome you into our home, and this makes for a wonderful ‘esprit de corps’ amongst our safari groups. It is like one large family reunion. Long will it continue.

Please read through this brochure. I trust it will be the catalyst that precipitates your next travel experience with C4.

Yours in Photography,

SHEM COMPION
WILDLIFE PHOTOGRAPHER/OWNER
WHO WE ARE
C4 Photo safaris is the oldest and largest specialist photo safari operator, offering the best photographic experience in Africa. Each of our safaris is handcrafted to suit the exact requirements of our clients. Our reputation is forged on excellent service delivery, thorough communication and a highly personal touch.

We are known throughout the industry as a highly reputable photo safari company that delivers to the highest standard.

C4 OFFERS
- Absolute confidence for clients booking a photographic safari.
- Photo safaris that are planned, arranged and hosted by professional photographers who understand the special needs of photographers.
- Access to exclusive concessions that provide amazing wildlife photographic opportunities.
- Specialist photographic help and knowledge in the field - we use only the most experienced photographic guides to host our safaris.
- Insurance cover by SATIB and corporate membership of SATSA - the South African industry accreditation of best practices in tourism.
Africa is the world’s second-largest and second-most-populous continent. At about 30.3 million km², it covers 20.4% of the earth’s total land area. It houses some of the best wildlife on earth and has the largest total conservation areas of any continent on the planet.

The above destinations are where we operate our scheduled safaris. C4 runs bespoke safaris into many other destinations across Africa.
A SAFARI WITH C4 WILL STIR YOUR IMAGINATION TO REVEAL IMAGES YOU COULD ONLY IMAGINE.
THE GREAT MIGRATION

A wildlife phenomenon that began in the 1960’s after the wildebeest were vaccinated against against rincerpest which caused a population explosion of 500%

WILDEBEEST OR GNU FACTS
• THEY ARE NAMED GNU AFTER THE SOUND OF THE GRUNTS THEY MAKE.
• 80% OF THE GNU GIVE BIRTH WITHIN 2 - 3 WEEKS OF EACH OTHER.
• CALVES CAN RUN ALONG SIDE THEIR MOTHERS WITHIN 2 - 5 MINUTES AFTER BIRTH.

1 800 000 MIGRATING ANIMALS

THEY TRAVEL ABOUT 2800KM PER YEAR THROUGH TANZANIA’S SERENGETI AND KENYA’S MASAI MARA

THE ROUTE & DATES ARE DICTATED BY WEATHER PATTERNS AND THEY ALWAYS MIGRATE IN A CLOCKWISE DIRECTION

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AFRICAN CULTURES
“When words become unclear, I shall focus with photographs. When images become inadequate, I shall be content with silence”

ANSEL ADAMS
WHAT ARE THE PHOTO HIDES?

C4 initiated and built these underground hides specifically for photography. The hides maximise the photographic potential of the subjects that visit them and have been positioned to consider the angle of the sun, the background. Aspects that make for amazing photographs.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE HIDES ARE

- Based at Mashatu Game Reserve, Botswana
- World famous with photographers
- Produce award winning images
- Unique elephant sightings
- Low perspective
- Photo Tutors always on hand
- Large number of species visit every day

MATEBOLE HIDE  VALLEY HIDE  BEE-EATER HIDE