

The Orange skirts one of the oldest landmasses on Earth - the KaapVaal Craton, marking the first continent ever. We paddle along the edge of it. The river is mainly calm with a few easy rapids. Fantastic campsites nestle on grassy banks and beaches. The area has an amazing and sombre history. Many early explorers passed this way. The region is infamous for asbestos mining, genocides in the past, and lack of water. Your Guide knows the area intimately and will tell fascinating tales. The stars at night, the thousands of geese on the river, sightings of wild game and great company make this a not to be missed expedition!





Tigers Eye Orange River Trail 2023

This is like a hiking trip on water. Arrange your own food and camping gear as per our Briefing.
Rapids are few and far between, Class 1-2.
Touring sit-on-tops or sea kayaks are suitable.



Fees are for logistical arrangements, expert river & nature guiding. Self-catering. Kayaks and kit may be hired from other suppliers. Do not underestimate the physical demands of 15–20 km paddling per day.

WHO IT'S FOR

Keen outdoor lovers, families, anyone up to 70 or older provided you are fit for camping and paddling. You paddle your own canoe or double and carry all your own food & kit! You don't really need paddling experience but if you are a hiker or paddler it will help. Parents with younger kids from 8-14 need to paddle a double.

RENDEZVOUS

Meet at Prieska, Northern Cape. If you wish to arrive the night before we have details of B&Bs and campsites in Prieska. Camping along the Orange is free.

ROUTE AND CAMPS

The total length is about 75km as the river winds along. Daily distance is about 18km but we adjust to wind and water conditions. There are stops for lunch and photography. Good fishing at camps! Camps are entirely natural with no facilities.

SUPPORT CRAFT

Very limited extra load capacity is available on the support craft that we paddle, mainly for food and a little camping kit. Space is strictly allocated as in the Briefing when you book.

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Self catered (we provide suggestions on what to bring and how to cater). You will need snacks and water bottles (can purify from the river but start with water)

EQUIPMENT

You need your own approved touring kayak or sea kayak and kit or we put you in touch with hirers. You must book early for kayak hire. Waterproof drybags, tents, groundmats are available for hire through us. Provide own camp gas cooking kit (we can recommend good compact camping stove sets).

TRANSPORT

On the first morning everyone shuttles their vehicles to secure parking at the end. The roads are gravel in fairly good condition.

TRAINING

The trip is also intended for the training of river guides. Contact AsAfrica 084 245 2490



SCHEDULE

4,5 days, 4 nights on river ROUTE: Prieska to Koegas in the Northern Cape. MEET: 9am first day

END: 3pm last day

PRE-TRIP accomm is available 1 night before at Prieska base.

Self-catering.

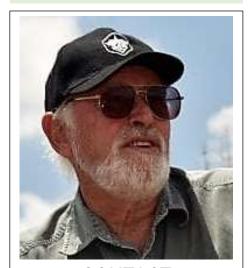
Transport: shared shuttle.

Trip is either catered all meals or self-catered for entire group

Provide own camping kit and cooking kit for self catering

Tents, canoes, cooking kits for hire. Ask for rates.

• A full Briefing is sent when booking.



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