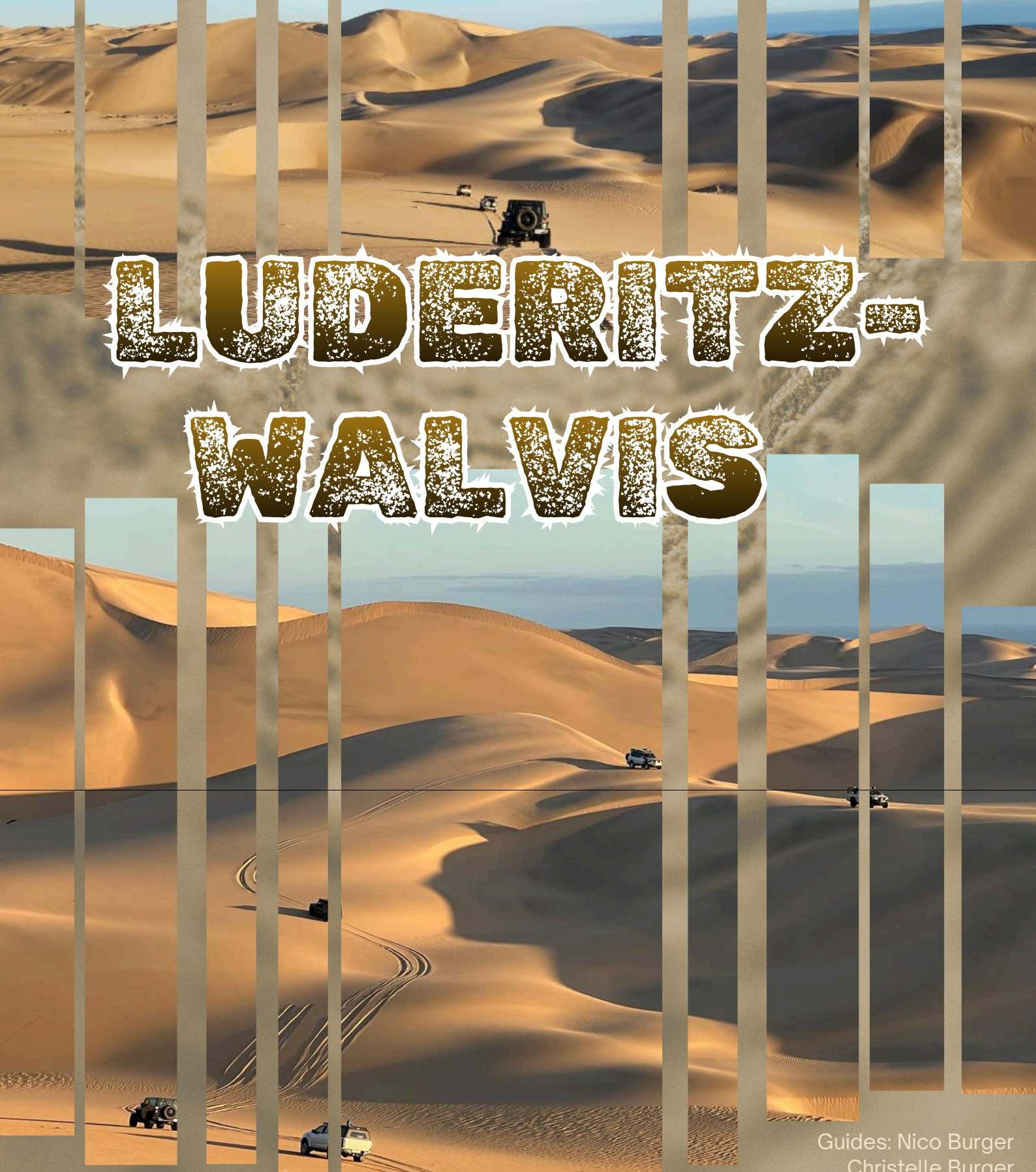




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# LUDERITZ- WALVIS

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# LÜDERITZ TO WALVIS BAY ADVENTURE

## The Trail:

The Adventure starts at Lüderitz where the group assembles. We will drive 30km in land and turn left into the dunes. (Participants have to organize their own accommodation at Lüderitz)

## Day 1:

After about 30km on The Aus Lüderitz main road it is time to say goodbye to tar roads, starting an adventure of a lifetime. On day one we camp at the Busman's Paradise.

## Day 2:

On the second day the trail leads north past Suzy, and the Bulldozer before crossing into the dune belt on the way to Sylvia Hill. For the next couple of days participants will experience 'camping under the desert sky' in a true expedition style.

## Day 3:

Dunes are getting progressively higher and driver's experience and skills acquired during the previous 2 days will be tested and honed to perfection. Camping on the beach.

## Day 4:

The dune belt opens at Meob Bay and it is in this stretch between Meob Bay and Conception Bay that where active diamond mining was in the order of the day during the early 1900's. The Settlements of Holsatia, Charlottenfelder and Grillenberger are visited on the way.

## Day 5:

From Holsatia the trail leads to Conception Bay and along the beach northwards towards Sandwich Bay. On route the wrecks of the Eduard Bohlen & Shawnee are visited. Passing 'Langewand' where massive dunes end in the sea, given a very limited time span to negotiate this stretch of beach. After Langewand the trail once again leads into the dunes, circumnavigating the Salt Pans 'extensions' of Sandwich Harbor. The dunes are still getting progressively larger to offer an ever-changing new experience of ultimate dune driving. The night is spent approximately 1.5km from the sea close to Sandwich Bay at 'Sandwich camp'.

## Day 6:

From Sandwich the trails enter the 'Roller Coaster', a series of massive 'roaring' slip faces, not only giving the participants a new thrilling experience but also offering breathtaking views of Sandwich Harbor and a panorama of Sandscapes exiting onto the beach south of Walvis Bay. The trail ends at Walvis Bay after a final 50km stretch of beach driving.



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# General Information:

## Essentials:

The following items is mandatory for each participation vehicle:

- Spade
- Daily water supply for shower and 20L for the kitchen from the group
- Tyre pressure gauge
- Toilet paper and matches
- Plastic bags for waste disposal (e.g., empty cool drink tins, etc.)
- Brake fluid
- Gear oil
- Engine oil
- Fuses
- Spare V-Belt set
- Adequate Petrol/Diesel to cover the distance, considering heavy sand driving conditions (+/- 3 km/liter and +/- 5 km/liter consumption for larger petrol and diesel engines, respectively).

V6/V8 Petrol: 220L

V8 Diesel (Cruiser): 220L

4-cylinder diesel/petrol: 180L

- The vehicle must be equipped with points for attaching tow ropes at both the front and rear. NB!!
- An empty/available lighter plug socket for use with Communication radio.
- Ensure all equipment and luggage are securely strapped in.

In addition:

- Load the vehicle thoughtfully to avoid it becoming "Top Heavy" (e.g., place only light items and camping gear on roof carriers).
- Carry 2-3 large bags of firewood per vehicle and limit charcoal to 4 bags for the entire group.
- The trail passes through a heavy dune area, necessitating high flotation tires ("fat takkies").

Optional items include:

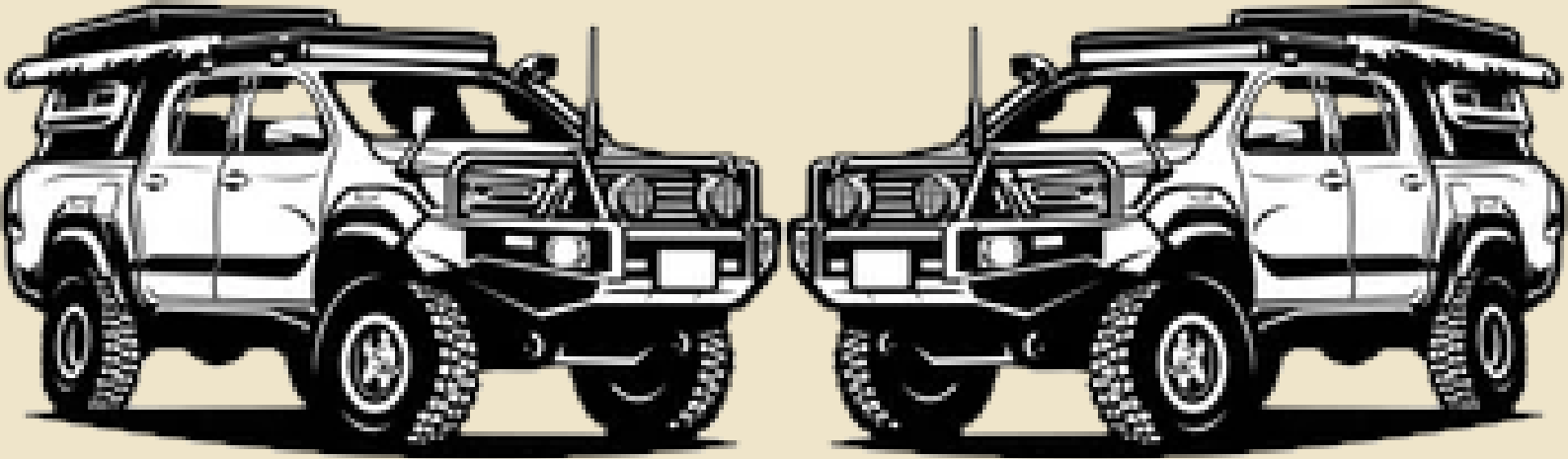
- Hi-lift Jack and Q20 Spray
- Extra Spare wheel (number 6)
- Small broom
- Small spade

We provide:

- Communication radios for all participating vehicles
- Breakfast & Dinner each day (Only Tea/Coffee supplied with Breakfast)
- "Communal" camping equipment (e.g., braai grid, cooking facilities & equipment, tables, wash-up facilities, showers, etc.)

All participants need to bring:

- Tent, folding chair, and sleepwear (bedroll, tent, etc.)
- Eating utensils (Cutlery, Plate, Bowl, Glass & Mug)
- Own snacks and refreshments (alcoholic beverages, cool drinks, etc.)
- Torch and batteries
- Camera (extra films & battery)
- Sunglasses and Sun Tan lotion
- Clothing for varying temperatures (very hot and very cold), Toiletries, and towels.
- Prescribed medicine
- Small bowl or collapsible wash basin.



## **Travel insurance and medical evacuation:**

You need your own travel insurance and medical evacuation service in case of a heart attack or any other medical emergency etc. Please supply detail of this information so that we know whom to contact in case of an emergency.

### **Emergency Contact number:**

Should anybody wish to contact you whilst on the trip – we will be out of range of any cell phone reception or normal telephone services.

We will however contact TELECOM NAMIBIA'S Radio Station at Walvis Bay daily.

Anybody that needs to get hold of you urgently should contact 'Radio Traffic' at **++264 64 203581** and leave a message and contact number for "**3418**" (our call sign). We will then return the call soonest.





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# DISTANCES:

Lüderitz – Sylvia Hill - 320

Sylvia Hill - Fishersbrun - 120

Fishersbrun – E Bohlen - 140

E Bohlen - Sandvis Kamp - 100

Sandvis Kamp – Walvis Bay - 70

Lüderitz– Walvis Bay - 630 km.

# Coordinates

Lüderitz	- S26 38.934 E15 09.280
Perdekar	- S24 32.004 E14 41.211
Koichab afdraai	- S26 22.174 E15 35.516
Meob	- S24 30.500 E14 37.000
Suzie	- S25 25.330 E15 05.403
Grillenberger T	- S24 26.877 E14 36.665
Bulldozer	- S25 23.480 E15 10.550
Grillenberger	- S24 15.048 E14 37.195
Sylvia Hill	- S25 08.152 E14 51.300
Ossewa	- S24 13.482 E14 37.207
Kamp 2	- S25 06.793 E14 51.767
Charlotten	- S24 11.784 E14 37.303
Viewpoint	- S25 02.806 E14 51.898
Holsazia	- S24 09.257 E14 37.023
Gat 1	- S24 57.896 E14 51.122
Edward bohlen	- S23 59.757 E14 27.464
Blackrock	- S24 56.500 E14 48.400
Conception	- S23 55.799 E14 29.738
Gat 2	- S24 56.352 E14 49.865
Shawnee	- S23 40.378 E14 30.173
Free Willy	- S24 54.107 E14 48.349
Langewand	- S23 34.358 E14 29.512
Kamp 3	- S24 51.069 E14 47.779
Kamp sandvis	- S23 21.661 E14 30.885
Fishersbrun T	- S24 40.186 E14 41.966
Sandvis View	- S23 21.184 E14 30.238
Fishersbrun	- S24 38.833 E14 43.259
Graveyard	- S23 19.593 E14 30.464
Perdekar T	- S24 34.627 E14 41.381
Strand	- S23 18.070 E14 29.811



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