



# 2023 EVENTS CALENDAR



## FEBRUARY



### SON OF THE SOIL

**DATE**  
4TH FEBRUARY

**VENUE**  
TASHY'S GARDEN



### AFRICA CONTINENTAL WOMEN TOURNAMENT- SOFTBALL

**DATE** 6TH – 10TH FEB  
**VENUE** GABORONE



### FNB KAZUNGULA MARATHON

**VENUE** KASANE  
**DATE** 25TH FEB

## APRIL



### LEKKER BUSH WALK

**DATE**  
1ST APRIL

**VENUE**  
GHANZI



### CAMP BOTSWANA

**DATE**  
4TH – 7TH APRIL

**VENUE**  
MAUN



### CHARLESHILL DERBY

**DATE**  
10TH APRIL

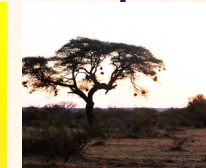
**VENUE**  
CHARLESHILL



### MASCOM DERBY

**DATE**  
8TH APRIL

**VENUE**  
SHASHE HORSE TRACK, MAUN



### THE HERDBOYS INDULGENCE

**VENUE** HATSALATLADI  
**DATE** 15 APRIL

## APRIL



### BTC FRANCISTOWN MARATHON

**VENUE** FRANCISTOWN  
**DATE** 23 APRIL



### KHAWA DUNE CHALLENGE AND CULTURAL FESTIVAL

**DATE** 27TH- 30TH APRIL  
**VENUE** KHAWA VILLAGE



### MADIKWE CULTURAL FESTIVAL

**VENUE** SIKWANE  
**DATE** 29TH APRIL

## MAY



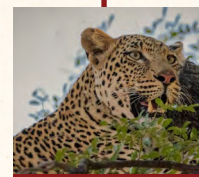
### MOHEMBO BRIDGE CHARITY WALK

**DATE** 6TH MAY  
**VENUE** MOHEMBO



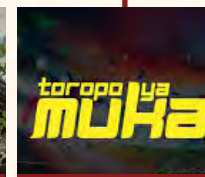
### OVERTHRUST WINTER METAL MANIA FEST

**DATE** 26TH – 27TH MAY  
**VENUE** GHANZI



### VIXEN PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION

**VENUE** GABORONE  
**DATE** 26TH – 27TH MAY



### TOROPO YA MUKA

**VENUE** FRANCISTOWN  
**DATE** 27TH MAY



### PIG ON FIRE

**VENUE** BOJANALA WATERFRONT,  
GABORONE  
**DATE** 27TH MAY 2023

## MAY



### TASTE OF MOKWENA FOOD AND MUSIC FESTIVAL

**DATE**  
27 MAY  
**VENUE**  
MOLEPOLOLE



### MACHANENG BUSHFIRE FESTIVAL(MABU FESTIVAL)

**DATE**  
31ST MAY – 4TH JUNE  
**VENUE**  
GHUKHWA - HUKUNTSI



### LECHANA AMATEUR BUSH RACE

**DATE**  
16TH – 18TH JUNE 2022  
**VENUE**  
LECHANA



### JUNE CHALLENGE CUP

**DATE**  
24TH JUNE  
**VENUE**  
MOTOKWE



### TOYOTA KALAHARI BOTSWANA 1000 DESERT RACE

**DATE**  
23<sup>RD</sup> – 25<sup>TH</sup> JUNE  
**VENUE**  
JWANENG



### ANNUAL AQUATIC LIFESTYLE SNEAKER CRUISE

**DATE**  
24TH JUNE  
**VENUE**  
KASANE



### SEGAETSHO ANNUAL HERITAGE & CULTURAL FESTIVAL

**DATE**  
24TH JUNE  
**VENUE**  
KASANE

## JUNE



## JULY




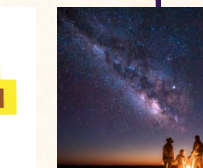
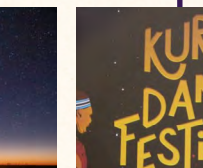
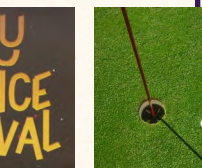


						
<b>MAKGADIKGADI PANS DAY WALK</b> <b>DATE</b> 14 <sup>TH</sup> – 18 <sup>TH</sup> JULY <b>VENUE</b> MAKGADIKGADI PANS	<b>MAKGADIKGADI EPIC</b> <b>DATE</b> 14 <sup>TH</sup> – 16 <sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023 <b>VENUE</b> SOWA TOWN	<b>DILORO CULTURAL FESTIVAL</b> <b>DATE</b> 15 <sup>TH</sup> JULY <b>VENUE</b> SEFHOPHE, SETALAOTE GROUNDS	<b>GABS JULY</b> <b>DATE</b> 22 <sup>ND</sup> JULY <b>VENUE</b> GABORONE	<b>PRESIDENT HANDICAP</b> <b>DATE</b> 5 <sup>TH</sup> JULY <b>VENUE</b> CHARLESHILL	<b>ORANGE PHIKWE MARATHON</b> <b>VENUE</b> <b>DATE</b> PHIKWE 29 <sup>TH</sup> JULY	<b>BUSH WALK</b> <b>DATE</b> 29 <sup>TH</sup> JULY <b>VENUE</b> JWANENG

## AUGUST

								
<b>LOBATSE MOUNTAIN WALK</b> <b>DATE</b> 5 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST <b>VENUE</b> LOBATSE	<b>CAMP BOTSWANA</b> <b>DATE</b> 7 <sup>TH</sup> – 10 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST <b>VENUE</b> MAUN	<b>MAFIFATSWANA CULTURAL FESTIVAL</b> <b>DATE</b> 19 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST <b>VENUE</b> TLOKWENG	<b>TSODILO HILLS HERITAGE CHALLENGE</b> <b>DATE</b> 25 <sup>TH</sup> – 26 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST <b>VENUE</b> TSODILO HILLS	<b>ANNUAL NAMA CULTURAL FESTIVAL</b> <b>DATE</b> 25 <sup>TH</sup> – 26 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST <b>VENUE</b> LOKGWABE	<b>FIRST LADY BTC FOUNDATION CHARITY WALK</b> <b>DATE</b> 26 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST <b>VENUE</b> MOSHUPA	<b>MOKOTO WA LESOSO</b> <b>VENUE</b> <b>DATE</b> SHOSHONG 26 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST	<b>XERE CULTURAL SHOW AND DESERT WALK</b> <b>DATE</b> 26 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST <b>VENUE</b> XERE VILLAGE, BOTETI	<b>GABORONE INTERNATIONAL AND MUSIC FESTIVAL</b> <b>DATE</b> 26 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST – 2 <sup>ND</sup> SEP 2023 <b>VENUE</b> GABORONE

## AUGUST

## SEPTEMBER

							
<b>NKASHI CLASSIC</b> <b>VENUE</b> <b>DATE</b> MAUN 26 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST	<b>GANTSI CULTURAL CALABASH</b> <b>VENUE</b> <b>DATE</b> GHANZI 2 <sup>ND</sup> SEPTEMBER	<b>DITHUBARUBA CULTURAL FESTIVAL</b> <b>VENUE</b> <b>DATE</b> MOLEPOLOLE 2 <sup>ND</sup> SEPTEMBER	<b>MAKGADIKGADI PANS NIGHT WALK</b> <b>DATE</b> 1 <sup>ST</sup> – 4 <sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER <b>VENUE</b> MAKGADIKGADI PANS	<b>KURU DANCE FESTIVAL</b> <b>DATE</b> 8 <sup>TH</sup> – 9 <sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER <b>VENUE</b> D'KAR VILLAGE	<b>ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF CUP TOURNAMENT</b> <b>DATE</b> 9 <sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER <b>VENUE</b> KASANE	<b>TASTE OF AFRICA</b> <b>DATE</b> 30 <sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER <b>VENUE</b> MAUN	<b>GHANZI MEAT FESTIVAL</b> <b>DATE</b> 30 <sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER <b>VENUE</b> GHANZI



## OCTOBER



**DOMBOSHABA CULTURAL FESTIVAL**  
**DATE**  
 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER 2023  
**VENUE**  
 DOMBOSHABA RUINS



**GAKGATLA INDEPENDENCE HORSE DERBY**  
**VENUE**  
 CHARLESHILL  
**DATE**  
 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER



**INDEPENDENCE HANDICAP**  
**VENUE**  
 CHARLESHILL  
**DATE**  
 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER



**BOTSWANA ANNUAL YOUTH TOUR GUIDE COMPETITION**  
**VENUE**  
 MAUN  
**DATE**  
 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER



**LOBATSE INTERNATIONAL BEEF FESTIVAL**  
**DATE**  
 21<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER  
**VENUE**  
 LOBATSE RECREATIONAL PARK



**MMAKGODUMO CULTURAL FESTIVAL**  
**DATE**  
 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER  
**VENUE**  
 KANYE



**GABORONE CLASSIC DERBY**  
**DATE**  
 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER  
**VENUE**  
 GABORONE



**RUN MAUN MARATHON**  
**DATE**  
 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER  
**VENUE**  
 MAUN



**LOBEBE LWA SETSO CULTURAL FESTIVAL**  
**DATE**  
 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER  
**VENUE**  
 THAMAGA

## OCTOBER



**FIRST LEGO LEAGUE CHALLENGE**  
**VENUE**  
 GABORONE  
**DATE**  
 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER



**ANNUAL 100 KM NIGHT WALK CHALLENGE**  
**VENUE**  
 KANYE  
**DATE**  
 1<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER



**CAMP BOTSWANA**  
**VENUE**  
 MAUN  
**DATE**  
 4<sup>TH</sup> – 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER



**CHAMPIONS CUP – HORSE RACE**  
**VENUE**  
 MOTOKWE  
**DATE**  
 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER



**BORN AND RAISED**  
**VENUE**  
 SEROWE  
**DATE**  
 22<sup>ND</sup> DECEMBER



**MODIPANE 3 DAYS SOCCER TOURNAMENT AND 3 NIGHT STAND MUSIC FESTIVAL**  
**VENUE**  
 MODIPANE  
**DATE**  
 22<sup>ND</sup> – 26<sup>TH</sup> DEC



**KANYE FESTIVE XPLOSION "KFX"**  
**VENUE**  
 KANYE  
**DATE**  
 23<sup>RD</sup> DEC



**TONOTA CULTURAL FESTIVAL**  
**DATE**  
 23 DECEMBER  
**VENUE**  
 TONOTA



**MAKALENG MUSIC FESTIVAL**  
**DATE**  
 24 DECEMBER  
**VENUE**  
 MAKALENG

## DECEMBER



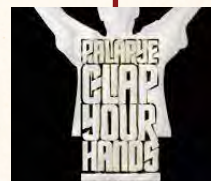
**TLOKWENG REUNION**  
**VENUE**  
 TLOKWENG  
**DATE**  
 24<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER



**GAABO MOTHO MUSIC FESTIVAL**  
**VENUE**  
 MOSHUPA  
**DATE**  
 24<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER



**BOBIRWA FESTIVE PUNCH**  
**VENUE**  
 BOBONONG  
**DATE**  
 24<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER



**PALAPYE CLAP YOUR HANDS**  
**VENUE**  
 PALAPYE  
**DATE**  
 24<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2023



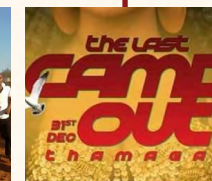
**SAFARI BUSH PARTY**  
**DATE**  
 26<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2023  
**VENUE**  
 MAUN, SAMEDUPI, KO MOTSENG GARDENS



**SEFHOPHE HORSIE CHALLENGE**  
**DATE**  
 26<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2023  
**VENUE**  
 SEFHOPHE



**DIKWAERE TSA TSOOTSHA**  
**VENUE**  
 TSOOTSHA  
**DATE**  
 31<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 2023 – 1<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2024



**THE LAST CAMP OUT**  
**DATE**  
 31<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER  
**VENUE**  
 THAMAGA



**DECEMBER SUMMER CUP**  
**DATE**  
 1<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2024  
**VENUE**  
 CHARLESHILL



### FEBRUARY

**AFCTFTA MEETING**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 6TH – 12TH FEBRUARY

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**YOUTH BUSINESS EXPO**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 14TH – 18TH FEBRUARY

### APRIL

**HATAB ANNUAL CONFERENCE**  
**VENUE** MAUN **DATE** 13TH – 14TH APRIL

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**2023 FORBES UNDER- 30 AFRICA SUMMIT**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 23RD – 26TH APRIL

### MAY

**BUSINESS BOTSWANA NORTHERN TRADE FAIR**  
**VENUE** FRANCISTOWN **DATE** 25TH MAY

### JUNE

**DIGITAL TOURISM SUMMIT (HYBRID)**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 19TH – 21ST JUNE

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**VOORSLAG BOTETI AGRIC AND MINING EXPO**  
**VENUE** LETLHAKANE (RED BULL CRUSH) **DATE** 27TH – 30TH JUNE

### JULY

**US- AFRICA BUSINESS SUMMIT**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 11TH –14TH JULY

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**GHANZI SHOW**  
**VENUE** CHANZI **DATE** 24TH –29TH JULY

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**BTC DIGITAL SHIFT BW ENTERPRISE SUMMIT (HYBRID)**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 26TH –27TH JULY

### AUGUST

**BOTSWANA CONSUMER FAIR**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 28TH AUG – 3RD SEPTEMBER

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**73RD SESSION OF THE WHO AFRO REGIONAL COMMITTEE**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 26TH – 1ST SEPTEMBER

### SEPTEMBER

**TOURISM INVESTMENT SUMMIT**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 13TH – 15TH SEPTEMBER

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**8TH ALL AFRICAN CONFERENCE FOR ANIMAL AGRICULTURE**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 26TH – 27TH SEPTEMBER

### OCTOBER

**AFRICA TOURISM LEADERSHIP FORUM AND AWARDS**  
**VENUE** GABORONE **DATE** 18TH – 20TH OCTOBER

### NOVEMBER

**BOTSWANA TRAVEL AND TOURISM EXPO**  
**VENUE** KASANE **DATE** 29TH NOVEMBER – 3RD DECEMBER