27.9.2022 Windhoek

We have arrived safely in Windhoek and, as always, are very excited to see how our car has been holding up. Above all, there is always the anxious question of whether the tires have held their air or not. We are relieved to see that only one tire has lost minimal air. The underlying support structure we built has proven successful. Our Unimog starts immediately and we are ready to roll.



First, we drive as usual to the Urban Camp. You can tell that tourism in Namibia is picking up again. On this Friday the campsite is fully booked, even three Overlander buses are on site and set up the tents for their customers.



As always, we have a lot to do in the first few days: stowing away, organizing things, repairing, chatting... The cabin ceiling material has come loose on the driver's side and is obstructing the view. We're on the case - note our innovative design to press on the ceiling.



1.10.2022 Windhoek

The "Old Wheelers Club" classic car get-together is taking place today and we can't give it a miss. Some very rare cars are on display, including a Goggomobil. Some historical barn finds have been painstakingly and lovingly restored.





Driving through Windhoek now is a real joy. The Jacaranda trees are in full bloom and you never tire of admiring the blaze of color.



On the road, our Unimog always meets playmates - and we're not always the biggest...



4.10.2022 Walvis Bay

All the errands in Windhoek have been completed, we set off and want to travel to the coast first. We drive along the C26 and D1982 towards Walvis Bay.





The many flowing bodies of water that impressed us so much during our last visit have now dried up again. It's hard to imagine that we had to wait a night at the river bench because of the masses of water.



We won't be able to get delicious seafood at such an affordable price again anytime soon. Therefore, we won't miss out on this seafood feast in Walvis Bay.



5.10.2022 Swakopmund

It's not far from Walvis Bay to Swakopmund, where we almost feel like at home already. There is our favorite bakery, our favorite pizzeria, our favorite café... It's a good place to hang out. There is also a lot going on in the city, all the tours offering excursion are well booked, tourists want to see the desert, ride camels, go shopping. It feels like being back to pre-Covid times.

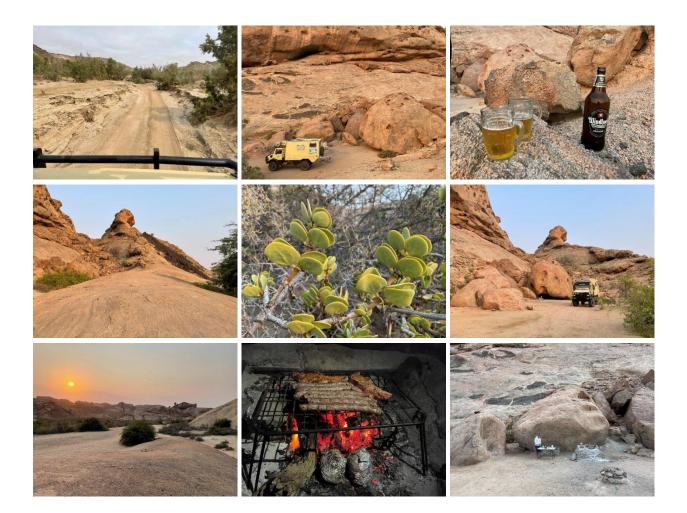




8.10.2022 Flintstone Cave

Not far behind Swakopmund begins the so called "Moon Landscape". It is always fascinating to be there and enjoy the sight. You really feel like being on another planet. We drive a bit along the Swakop River until we reach the Flintstone Cave, we like coming here.



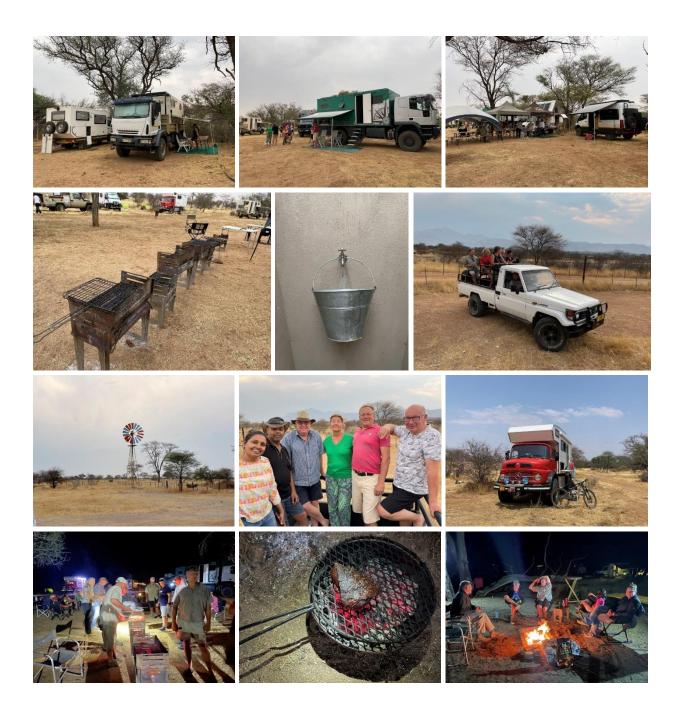


14.10.2022 Overlander Truck Meeting

This year we finally have the opportunity to join the annual get-together of the



"Offroad Overlander Trucks Namibia". This club of local camping enthusiasts has met annually since 2011 and all visitors with overlander trucks are welcome. This year's meeting is taking place at the Farm Kanona. We had a lot of fun getting to know like-minded people and meet old acquaintances. There are camping newbies and many old camper hands. We exchange ideas, get to look into all the cars, get new ideas and give tips ourself. It's very entertaining and the weekend goes by far too quickly.



17.10.2022 Omaruru

On our way back from the Overlander meeting we pass through Omaruru for the first time. After a brief visit all we have to do is drive until we find - quite late - a suitable camping spot for the night.



19.10.2022 Driving Day

We still have enough time for a visit at the Farm Onduno, which means we have another day of driving to the Khomas highlands ahead of us. No other car comes across our way for the whole day... In the late afternoon we find a suitable place on a riverbed to spend the night.





20.10.2022 Onduno

Back at Onduno, we are warmly welcomed again. Many thanks to the Garbade family for your hospitality!



22.10.2022 Windhoek

Once again it's already time to pack up, lay up and park up our truck. The last night, we slept in the garage to finalize everything, but the hectic at the end always remains the same. Bye Bye Namibia, see you next time.

