



Kashana Namibia

Region: Erongo - Omaruru

Category: Lodge

Rooms: 12 Luxury Chalets, 2 Family Chalets, 2 Standard Rooms and 1 Guide Room

Website: <http://www.kashana-namibia.com/>

OVERVIEW

Kashana is based in one of Omaruru's historic buildings, constructed in 1907 as a casino for local mine-workers. It is thought that the house probably gained its name from the surrounding bush savannah which resembled a wide open plain or 'Kashana' in the Owambo language.

The years took their toll on the building and after pains-taking restoration to its former glory, it reflects once more its German colonial heritage, and was re-opened in 2007.

Today, the building is the centre-piece of a Lodge-style Guesthouse with a novel and attractive bar and a popular all-day à la carte restaurant, frequented by Kashana's guests as well as passing travellers and local townspeople, all enjoying the tranquil shade of the garden courtyard.

Beyond the courtyard, fronting the river, newly built guest accommodation is to be found. Work also continues discreetly elsewhere to expand the scope and facilities of the complex.

Kashana's main building really has been a witness to a century of history having been built in 1907 as a casino. Situated in Omaruru, it houses the restaurant, bar and offices, while the accommodation is newly built behind it. The grounds also house an Art Centre which displays and sells art and crafts, furniture and sculptures...



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ACCOMMODATION AND FACILITIES

12 Luxury Chalets, all with thatched roofs, Nine of them direct on the banks of Omaruru river bed:

Five Chalets: Large rooms, two double beds, shower facilities.

Two Chalets: One King size bed (Honeymoon Suite), bath and shower facilities.

Two Chalets: One double bed, one single, shower facilities.

Three Chalets: Two single beds, shower facilities. Elegantly decorated and furnished, these lofty, airy units offer all the comforts of home during your stay.

2 Family Chalets with Thatched Roofs also on the river banks: Equipped with 2 single bed, 3 single beds on the upper floor, shower facilities. Furnished to the same standards as the Luxury Chalets, complete with a loft - making them perfect for family use.

2 Standard Rooms close to the Pool: Apartment-style with separate lounge area and shared verandah. Bedroom has twin single beds and shower facilities

All accommodation above includes: Air-conditioning, Mini-bar Silent Refrigerator, Tea/coffee station, Safe, WiFi, TV, Hair dryer. 2 Chalets are wheel chair friendly.

The excellent Kashana Restaurant and Bar: both keep regular opening hours, and you will always be made welcome. The **Swimming Pool** is just behind the courtyard.

Once settled into your accommodation, you'll want to relax on the verandah with a sundowner, taking in the African air, the sounds and the silence. Later, you might take the short walk into town, to discover its history or meet some of its many interesting artists and craftsmen, followed perhaps by a cool drink in the attractive Kashana Bar.

ACTIVITIES

A half or a full day excursion to the Erongo Mountains is offered by Kashana to see the magnificent rock paintings and the SAN tribe's living museum in the Erongo area.

The Franke Tower is just a short walk up the road from Kashana, and popular with tourists.

The town of Omaruru offers an attractive art gallery, goldsmith, a wood carving workshop, antique shop, photo gallery, chocolate factory and a winery, giving you the opportunity to obtain a very personal impression of Namibia and its people by mingling with the locals.

Mission House and Church Missionary, founded in 1870 (believed to be Omaruru's founding date) by Gottlieb Viehe.

Directions

Kashana Namibia is situated north-west of Windhoek, in Omaruru, between Karibib and Otjiwarongo on the C33.

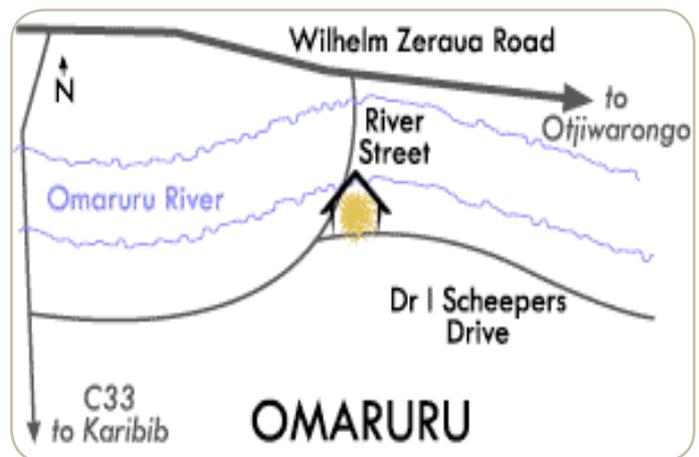
From Karibib take C33 north to Omaruru, then turn right into Wilhelm Zeraua Road . . .

From Otjiwarongo take the C33 south to Omaruru and into Wilhelm Zeraua Road . . .

From Wilhelm Zeraua Road turn south by the police station into River Street. Take the first left turn into Dr Ian Scheepers Drive. The first entrance on the left of the road is Kashana.

Lodge GPS: -21.421681, 15.956153

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- **Air Conditioning**
- **Swimming Pool**
- **Free Wi-Fi**
- **Restaurant**
- **Bar**
- **Credit Cards (MasterCard or Visa)**
- **TV/DSTV**
- **Safe**
- **Safe Parking Next to the rooms**