

Our PLANET & Our COMMUNITY – responsible travel

- In our bid to reduce plastic waste we have decided to offer free drinking water that can be tapped from **state-of-the-art water filters** we have placed in the lounge and restaurant.
- For the lunch packs we have stopped using plastic water bottles and switched to re-usable **aluminium bottles** as well as **re-usable plastic containers**.
- We offer only **biodegradable, not tested on animals and organic body wash & shampoos** of the highest quality. The feel & fragrance is an all-time favourite loved by our guests.
- We keep on **compensating farmers** around the wetland areas bordering Chameleon Bay so that the natural protection & filtration belt along the lake shores can be restored back to its previous natural beauty. \$ 5 per Person per night are being allocated to a special fund.
- We have so far planted almost 10.000 indigenous trees from seedlings we purchased directly from Bwindi Impenetrable Forest nursery. After 9 years of tireless reforestation and alien tree species removal, our beautiful bay is now surrounded by an **abundant forest offering wonderful walking trails along streams, waterfalls and indigenous forests**. A huge variety of bird species have returned, we even spotted a Great Blue Turaco recently.
- Our **fisheries project** has grown from 30 to 60 members in 2021 and establishing a **fish breeding zone** at Chameleon Bay in cooperation with those fishers has been a great success. By zoning off protected areas in line with the District fisheries departments interests we ensure that the fish population within the Bay continuously increases which also means the amount and size of fish outside the protected area increases steadily. We offer monetary compensation and donations in form of clothing and school supplies to the local fisherman as well as hugely successful alternative lifestyle projects.
- Our **food forest and organic veggie gardens** are continuously growing to ensure only the best quality and super fresh food will be served to your clients, our guests.
- We pride ourselves in mostly using vegetables and herbs planted on our organic veggie gardens and we try as much as possible to purchase our other supplies locally.
- Our little family of **rescued animals** has now grown into a happy bunch of 4-legged and feathered friends. We currently have 4 dogs, a cat, 3 rabbits, 3 cows, 3 tortoises, a lot of chickens and chicks, a goat and all are available for our guests to be admired and/ or cuddled.

