

SPORT ANGLING POLICY

Sport angling is one of the many superb safari activities offered at Chiawa Camp and Old Mondoro, and Chiawa Camp in particular is privileged to be located in and to operate on the most protected and hence richest stretch of the entire Zambezi River.

This activity is available to you, our guest, at no extra charge unless a private boat and guide is required.

As leaders in the field of Responsible Tourism, we are proud to be the proponents of the following policies which have now been formally implemented for the welfare of the resource; practices that are the standard for responsible anglers worldwide, standards that we as a business, as members of Conservation Lower Zambezi and the Lower Zambezi Tourism Association wholeheartedly endorse and for which we require the full compliance from those wishing to fish during their stay at Chiawa Camp and/or Old Mondoro.

- Catch & Release only on all species – no killing of any fish whatsoever
- Barbless hooks only, all barbs must be crimped down for ease of release
- One hook per line / lure only - no treble hooks, to reduce multiple injuries to fish
- Minimum breaking strain of fishing line – 20LBS, to reduce on line breakages
- No bait fishing for tiger / vundu however fishing with worms for smaller species is acceptable provided “circle hooks” only are used, to reduce “gut hooking”
- Your guide will keep detailed records of all catches to assist in monitoring trends
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Loaner fishing tackle is available for use by all our guests at no additional charge although we strongly recommend that keen anglers bring their own, and all losses and breakages will be recorded by your guide and charged for in cash as follows:

- Lost / broken fishing rod: US\$100
- Lost / broken fishing reel: US\$100
- Lost spinner / spoon / fly: US\$10

By participating in any angling at Chiawa Camp and Old Mondoro you agree to comply with the above-mentioned regulations and to pay for any losses/breakages that may occur.

Wishing you tight lines and screaming reels.