



—Sri Lanka—  
**Day Tours**

## **Giant's safari of tuskers, trees and 5th century artefacts – Kalawewa National Park**

“Hidden in a 6000-hectare forest are giant tusker elephants, towering Kumbuk trees, and a 45 ft. statue dating back to the 5th century... explored through a Kalawewa National Park Safari.”

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### **Why should you book this trip?**

- Kalawewa National Park is home to a great concentration of tuskers; a magnificent sighting to experience. There are also the migratory herds that enter the Park.
- In addition to the tuskers, large flocks of open-billed storks are a common sighting.
- The park has a beautiful landscape lined with massive signature Kumbuk trees.
- Your accompanying guide will give you additional information about the tusker safari.

- Specially modified and comfortable jeeps are provided for the Kalawewa safari.
- Customised services such as: family safaris, honeymoon safaris and photography safaris can be organised for guests.

## Quick Facts

- Availability : all year round
- Arrival and departure transport to and from any location could be requested, at an additional cost.
- Preferred starting time of the tour : 2.30 p.m.
- Starting point : Gate entrance to Kalawewa National Park
- Duration : Half-day programme

## Tour in brief

- You will be met by the Sri Lanka Day Tours crew and your designated guide at the gate entrance to the Kalawewa National Park.
- The morning safari half day tour will commence at 6.00 a.m. while the evening half day tour will begin at 2.30 p.m.
- After entering the Park, the tusker safari will begin with your guide on a strategic mission to encounter the tuskers of Kalawewa.
- You will also catch sight of numerous birds and other animals which dwell in the sanctuary.
- Your guide will share interesting facts about the flora and fauna of the Kalawewa National Park.
- If you arrive during the monsoon period (October-November) the filled up tanks will attract gatherings of animals and birds alike, amidst the kumbuk trees and vegetation.
- We will stop at certain points for you to enjoy taking photographs and take in the pristine scenery.
- At the conclusion of your tusker safari, which will be roughly around 11 a.m. (or 6 p.m. in the evening), you will be dropped at the park entrance.

## Important

- Suitable clothing for windy, rainy and warm weather conditions.
- Insect repellent and sun-protection cream are recommended items to carry.
- Cameras and any electronic devices should be securely carried at all times.

## Included in the price

- Experienced local guide
- Jeep cost
- Entrance fees

- Bottled water (food on request)
- All applicable Govt taxes

## Exclusions

- Arrival and departure transportation
- Any extra beverages or food consumed
- Any tips to the staff
- Any personal effects not mentioned in this description