



Kasanka Trust

The Kasanka Circuit-Tourism for Conservation

Kasanka Trust Position Description

Job Title: Mechanical Supervisor

Classification: Volunteer

Kasanka Trust Limited (KTL) is looking for an experienced mechanic preferably with diesel vehicle experience. The volunteer will maintain and repair park vehicles to ensure that the vehicle fleet stays on the road in good condition. This will allow the Trust to carry out its essential anti-poaching, infrastructure, and park management work. The volunteer will also share their knowledge with local staff to train them and improve their mechanical knowledge. The Trust can offer accommodation on site and the opportunity to give back to local communities and share your experience while helping a fantastic conservation initiative.

Goal Statement: To provide high quality mechanical supervision of the Kasanka National Park workshop, including training local staff to increase knowledge and skills.

Key Responsibilities

- Oversight of the Kasanka National Park workshop including ensuring cleanliness, stock, and appropriate equipment;
- Undertaking maintenance on Kasanka Trust vehicles when required;
- Directing local workshop staff in maintenance of Kasanka Trust vehicles;
- Training local workshop staff in best practice maintenance techniques and practices
- Training local staff in correct use of tools and equipment
- Ensuring security of workshop and workshop equipment

Tenure

- The position is temporary and the tenure is flexible. Availability will be discussed with the applicant. KTL would consider a placement of up to 1 year.

Location

- The position is based at Kasanka National Park, Central Province, Zambia. This is a remote location, 7 hours drive from Lusaka.
- The position will require some travel, for example to Lavushi Manda National Park which is also managed by the Kasanka Trust.

Remuneration

- The position is a volunteer position
- Assistance may be available for contribution to flights to Zambia for the right applicant.
- A food allowance may be available to the right applicant.
- Transfers to and from Lusaka will be provided by the Kasanka Trust.
- Basic on-site accommodation will be provided.