



FASCINATING KENYA

**THE CLASSIC: 14 DAYS WILDLIFE AND BEACH TOUR TO
MOUNT KENYA, LAKE NAIVASHA, MASAI MARA, AMBOSELLI
AND DIANI BEACH**



Join us on this exclusive private safari and beach tour. You will be travelling in your private safari-vehicle with your personal guide at your own pace.

On this tour you will experience the full diversity of Kenya's breathtaking wildlife, explore fantastic landscapes and relax on the white sandy beach of Diani. At the foot of Mount Kenya you will see black and white rhinos, elephants framed by the Kilimajaro

and hippos in Lake Naivasha. In famous Masai Mara the Big Five can be found and so much more. At Hell's Gate you will hike to spectacular hot springs. After these intensive impressions, we finish our safari tour with three days on the beach to relax extensively.

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KARIBU KENYA - WELCOME TO KENYA



**SAFARI
& BEACH
TOUR**

14 days, 13 nights

Camp : 4* or 5*

Pax: Group rate – 8 passengers

starting from: *3,500 \$

(double room)

The above rate is inclusive of:

- Airport transfer and all tours with specially equipped 8-seater 4x4 Land Cruiser with open rooftop for suitable game viewing and photography
- 13 nights' accommodation in exclusive hotels or luxury tents with ensuite facilities (flushed toilets and hot & cold showers)
- Services of a professional English speaking driver guide
- Game drives as per itinerary
- All meals (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner)
- Park fee as per itinerary
- Fresh drinking water en-route

Exclusive of:

- International flight ticket
- Visa for Kenya (we will assist with the documentation)
- Travel insurance and flying doctors
- Refreshments and alcoholic drinks while at the camp
- Tips and gratuities to tour guide – recommended USD 5 per person per day
- Tips to hotel staff
- Laundry fee and personal effects
- Boat trip lake Naivasha
- Hot air Balloon
- Maasai cultural village visit

YOUR ITINERARY

DAY 1: ARRIVAL NAIROBI

Our representative will welcome you at Jomo Kenyatta Nairobi International airport and introduce you to your guide and driver who will take you straight to your Hotel for the night. On the way you will get the first impressions of the vibrant Kenian capital. Your guide will be pleased to answer all questions about Kenian culture, nature and daily life that might come to your mind, now and in the following days you will be spending together.

Serena Hotel Nairobi or similar
(<https://www.serenahotels.com/nairobi>)

DAY 2: MOUNT KENYA (200 KM)

You will be picked up from the Hotel in the early morning for your road trip to the slopes of Mt. Kenya.

On the way through the central region of Kenya we are driving through a landscape mostly characterized by small-scale farming. There is much to discover on the way. You might recognize mango trees, banana plants and other tropical crops.

Weather permitting you will be able to see the snowy peak of Mt. Kenya on your way to Ole Pejeta Conservancy. With a population of 140 individuals, it is the largest sanctuary for black rhinos in East and Central Africa. We will arrive on time for Lunch.

In the afternoon you will go on your first game drive to sample what Ole Pejeta conservancy can offer.

At Ol Pejeta some additional program can be offered, it is not included in the package, and would need to be booked in advance:

- Game horse riding
- Night game drive
- Nature Walks
- Bush and Bird walk

Serena Sweet Waters
(<https://www.serenahotels.com/sweetwaters>) or similar



With a bit of luck, you will already be able to see the Big Five - Lions, Elephants, Buffalos, Rhinos and Leopards at Ole Pejeta Conservancy.

This private conservancy with its 360 km² is located directly on the Equator. You will also have the opportunity to visit a sanctuary for rescued chimps from all over the world.

Besides, Ol Pejeta is also home to the last two remaining northern white rhinos in the world.

DAY 3: MOUNT KENYA

Today we start the day with an early game drive at OlPejeta as the chances for spectacular game viewing are best in the early morning hours. The afternoon is at leisure, for example to swim and relax at the hotel pool, watch wildlife gathering at the hotel's waterhole or for one of the extras offered by the sanctuary, like game horse riding.



Serena Sweet Waters

(<https://www.serenahotels.com/sweetwaters>) or similar

DAY 4: MT KENYA - NAIVASHA (230 KM)

We will check out from our hotel in Mt. Kenya in the morning and drive towards the Rift Valley. Stop over at Thomson's Falls or Nyahururu Falls, a stunning waterfall located close to the equator near Nyahururu.

Thomson Falls plunges some 74 meters into the depths of the Ewaso-Narok River, a tributary of the Ewaso-Nyiro River at the far northern end of the Aberdare Mountain Range. Thomson Waterfall is named after Joseph Thomson, a Scottish naturalist and geologist who discovered it in 1887 when he walked all the way from Mombasa to Lake Victoria.

Before we continue our drive we will stretch our legs and have a short hike to the bottom of the fall where the spray fogs up your glasses and camera lenses (170 steps).

Sawela Lodge

(<https://www.sawelalodges.com/>) or similar



We arrive at Lake Naivasha around lunchtime. In the afternoon, a guide will take you on a breathtaking boat safari. You are sure to encounter groups of hippos. In the late evening or early morning hours, when the hippos come to the shore, you can also take a guided walk to the lake shore.

DAY 5: FULL DAY AT HELLS GATE NATIONAL PARK (50 KM)



South of Lake Naivasha, the hell breaks loose underground, and on the surface, gorge labyrinths and climbing rocks beckon. Hell's Gate National Park was established in 1984 and is named for a narrow cut in the cliffs that was once a tributary of a prehistoric lake that fed early humans in the Rift Valley.

The small national park is known for its wide variety of wildlife and its spectacular backdrops. If you like rock climbing, this is the place for you! The spectacular cliff setting also served as a background for some scenes from the movie "The Lion King".

The park's main attraction is the Nyorowa Gorge, formed by the outflow of a prehistoric lake. The entrance to the gorge is marked by a 25-meter high lava vent, the Fishermen's Tower. The lower gorge can only be explored on foot.

Weather permitting, a Masai guide from the local Olerkarian community will lead us on an easy hike of several hours through the spectacular gorge to the hot springs called "Hell's Kitchen".



The money we pay for the tour goes directly to the community and is used to help the less privileged and to pay for school teachers and the community hospital.

In the afternoon we will relax at the Ol Karia geothermal hot Spa in 35°C warm water. The mineral-rich water is said to have healing effects on skin diseases, rheumatism and arthritis, among others.

Lunch, Dinner and Breakfast at Sawela Lodge (<https://www.sawelalodges.com/>) or similar

DAY 6: NAIVASHA - MASAI MARA (270 KM)



Early in the morning we start driving towards Masai Mara through the Rift Valley. Nowhere is the probability to get the whole abundance of East African fauna in front of the camera greater than in the 1510 km² large Masai Mara.

The reserve has its name from the Maasai people who live here. The addition of Mara refers to the open savannah, originally interspersed with acacia groves and gallery forests, but today characterized primarily by open grasslands.

The main attraction is the annual crossing of the Mara River by millions of wildebeest and hundreds of thousands of Thomson's gazelle, zebra and topis in what is probably the largest wildlife migration in the world (June/July and September/October). We will arrive at our lodge on time for lunch. The afternoon is at leisure.

Ashnil/Tipirikwani Mara Lodge or similar (https://ashnilhotels.com/mara_camp/ or <https://www.atua-enkop.com/tipilikwani-mara-camp>)

DAY 7: FULL DAY GAME DRIVE - DISCOVER MAASAI MARA NATIONAL RESERVE



Today we have a full day to observe all the many wild animals the Mara has to offer! We start the day early and have our breakfast with spectacular views:

Ashnil/Tipirikwani Mara Lodge or similar

The National Reserve is home to more than 95 species of mammals and over 400 species of birds. You will observe herds of elephants, gazelles, zebras, topis and many many more who graze on the vast plains..., cheetahs and leopards rest in the shade of the acacia bushes and if we are lucky we will see lions hunting.

In the afternoon we also have the opportunity to visit a village of the Maasai people, witnessing their traditional singing and dancing. A glimpse into their homes and social structure is a poignant experience.

DAY 8: MASAI MARA - NAIROBI (300 KM)

Before we make our way back to Nairobi today, there is the possibility to use the morning for an early game drive or to book a spectacular tour with the hot air balloon over the Mara. We will arrive in Nairobi in the late afternoon, in time for dinner.

Serena Hotel Nairobi or similar
(<https://www.serenahotels.com/nairobi>)



DAY 9 AND 10: AMBOSELI (230 KM FROM NAIROBI)

At the foot of the breathtaking backdrop of snow-capped Kilimanjaro, in the midst of a vast savannah landscape, lies Amboseli National Park which we will explore for the next two days. Amboseli means "salty dust" in the language of the Maasai. The (usually dried-up bed of) Lake Amboseli, which gives the park its name, has filled with water due to the rising water level in the last years, attracting numerous flamingos.

Ole Tukai tented camp or similar
(<https://oltukailodgeamboseli.com-kenya.com/en/>)

Nature lovers can explore five different habitats here ranging from wetlands with sulphur springs to woodlands. The park is not only home to 400 different species of birds, you can see leopards, cheetahs, wild dogs, buffalos, giraffes, zebras, lions, crocodiles, mongoose, hyrax, dik- dik, lesser kudu, and nocturnal porcupine but also one of the largest elephant populations in East Africa. The elephants here are used to vehicles and you get very close to them.

DAY 11: MOMBASA AND DIANI BEACH

Today we will take the train to Mombasa, the oldest Kenian city, where we will arrive at 2 pm.

A city tour will take you to the Old City of Mombasa with it's historical buildings showing African, Arabic and European influences. Mombasa was a main centre for trade between Africa and the Arabic World and India.



You will visit the UNESCO World Heritage Fort Jesus, which was built by the Portuguese between 1593 and 1596. After the City tour, we take a ferry south where you will have two days to relax on the miles of fine white sandy beach of Diani Beach, forgetting the clock and reviewing every minute of your safari experiences. We will arrive on time for dinner.



Baobab Beach Resort or similar
(<https://baobab-beach-resort.com/>)

DAY 12 AND 13: DIANI BEACH

Diani beach boasts a magnificent 25km stretch of pure white sand to simply enjoy and relax but the area of Diani Beach is also one of the finest destinations for water sports of all kinds. Your hotel offers water sport facility for all ages and fitness levels alike. You can explore Kenya's Swahili Coast above water or below: scuba diving, deep sea fishing, wind surfing, kite surfing, snorkeling safaris, jet skiing are some great ways to unwind in the sun. For those looking for more laid back activities;

Baobab Beach Resort or similar
(<https://baobab-beach-resort.com/>)



how about a gentle boat trip through the mangrove forest, watching fish dart under a glass bottom boat or going on a camel ride along the beach?

DAY 14: DEPARTURE FROM MOMBASA AIRPORT

Today it is goodbye Kenya. Your driver will bring you to the airport and we say "Asante Sana - thank you" and wish you a safe journey home with unforgettable memories to carry with you!



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Cost breakdown high season: July to September 2024,
21st Dec to 3rd January 2025, Easter holidays 2024

Accommodation (full board)

Accommodation in a four star hotel for 13 nights, park fee for all national parks as per itinerary and other entrance fees.

Transport

Transport in a 4x4 safari-van (4 passengers sharing).

Total cost	\$ 4,700 per person
Single supplement	\$ 1,150

Cost breakdown low season: 4th Jan to 10th June 2024
(except Easter Holidays) and October 2024 to 20th Dec
2024

Accommodation cost (full board)

Accommodation in a four star hotel for 13 nights € 1,950 per person, park fee for all national parks as per itinerary and other entrance fees € 630 per person.

Transport cost

Transport in a 4x4 safari-van (4 passengers sharing) € 300 per person.

Total cost	\$ 3,500 per person
Single supplement	\$ 800



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THIS TOUR IS ORGANIZED BY ISAAC NG'ANG'A FROM
SPEEDWAVE ADVENTURES, A PURELY KENIAN COMPANY



Isaac Ng'ang'a Njorge grew up in Nakuru County, Kenya.

With over 16 years of experience in logistics, conference management and tourism in Kenya and worldwide, he started his own company 7 years ago. Specializing in customised itineraries as well as organizing tour packages for larger groups from all over the world, Isaac is a dedicated travel manager and tour guide who is passionate about showing his clients the beauty of his homeland.

He not only plans individual trips tailored to your desires and expectations, but also takes you to places off the beaten tourist path, creating authentic and unique experiences that also benefit the local communities. Isaac is responsible for business development and organizes and leads our trips.

To book this tour or send us a request for your individual tour plan, just send us an Email or call. We will come back to as soon as possible.

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