

# Maasai Wanderings



## WILDLIFE WANDERINGS

### - 8 Day National Park Safari -

(Tarangire, Serengeti, Ngorongoro Crater & Lake Manyara)

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#### DAY 1 ARUSHA

Meet at arrival point and transfer to your lodge for pre-safari briefing.

KIGONGONI LODGE (Dinner)

#### DAY 2 ARUSHA-TARANGIRE

After a delicious breakfast at the lodge, we set off in the direction of Tarangire National Park via the colour craft markets of East Africa. We arrive to our luxury camp for lunch before setting off game driving for the afternoon. We return to our private camp on sunset which provides us with a classic bush experience that ensures intimacy.

TARANGIRE RIVER CAMP (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

#### DAY 3 TARANGIRE-NGORONGORO

An optional early morning walk starts our adventure today. Tarangire is home to an array of wildlife and this unique opportunity to view animal behaviours and natural habitats. We return for a hearty breakfast before heading off to the Ngorongoro Conservation Area. Entering the Crater for an afternoon Game Drive is a spectacular way to end of day.

NGORONGORO SERENA LODGE (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

#### DAY 4 NGORONGORO-SERENGETI

We depart after breakfast to the endless plains of the Serengeti. Upon entering, we are able to game drive all the way to our mobile camp that is situated in the prime game areas of the Serengeti. We enjoy lunch followed by an afternoon game drive.

NASIKIA LUXURY MOBILE CAMP (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

#### DAY 5 SERENGETI

We continue our exploration of the nearby areas, home to the Wildebeest migration, for the larger part

of the year. It is an unspoilt area and our camp has the intimacy as it is the only one of a few luxury mobile camps in the area and so habitats are natural and game driving is possible in remote areas. There are resident cats and herd animals for us to observe.

NASIKIA LUXURY MOBILE CAMP (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

#### DAY 6 SERENGETI

We explore further afield today, and move into adjoining game-filled areas. We take an early morning game drive, followed by lunch and resting before setting off again the afternoon.

NASIKIA LUXURY MOBILE CAMP (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

#### DAY 7 SERENGETI-LAKE

##### MANYARA

We transfer out of the Serengeti, passing through Oldupai Gorge. We enjoy lunch and a view of the archaeological sites (and visit the museum) where early human tools and fossils have been found. Transfer onto Lake Manyara for overnight.

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#### DAY 8 LAKE MANYARA-ARUSHA-BEYOND

We transfer into Lake Manyara for morning game drive and lunch, a classic safari picnic, and enjoy our final glimpse of the great wilds of the Northern Tanzania. Lake Manyara offers an insight into the Great Rift Valley system and the adaptation of many herd animals and magnificent birdlife. We continue Esilalei Maasai Village to explore the area and our school project. You are then transferred to Arusha and your departure point or lodge (Breakfast, lunch)

## OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES

### **Serengeti Balloon Safari**

Central and Southern Serengeti is an excellent opportunity to indulge in the experience of a Hot Air Balloon Safari, followed by a full champagne breakfast. This is often an adventure highlight for many safari go-ers.

### **Night Game Driving – Lake Manyara**

Enter Lake Manyara amidst the activity of the nocturnal animals, an exciting opportunity for game viewing outside the normal times with very

limited partakers. Watch with anticipation as you approach every corner to see what the spotlight reveals.

### **Tinga Tinga Art Lesson & Traditional Cooking Class – Arusha**

To enhance a safari adventure with culture and tradition, join our Tinga Tinga art class and Traditional cooking class for a fuller experience. These are activities offered uniquely by Maasai Wanderings and are very popular and all equipment is provided.

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## **Terms & Conditions**

### **Pre-trip information & Accommodations**

All payments are to be made, including the initial deposit, by direct deposit into the company bank account. Upon confirmation of funds being received, you will be issued updated itinerary invoice indicating monies paid. We will also send through all the pre-departure information including kit lists, contact information, etc.

All hotels, lodges and luxury camps are all of 3-5 star quality, based on what is the best available at the time of booking that suits the purpose of the itinerary. In smaller villages, we use the best accommodation available. All accommodations have private amenities, swimming pools and restaurants/bars; among other facilities.

The campsites indicated in the Mt Kilimanjaro itineraries are subject to change based on, at times, unpredictable mountain weather conditions.

### **Inclusions/Exclusions**

#### **Inclusions:**

- All excursions, transfers, entrance fees, camping fees and meals as indicated in the itinerary
- Experienced English-speaking professional guides/drivers
- Good quality accommodations

#### **Exclusions:**

- All meals not specified in the itineraries
- Items of a personal nature
- Tips and gratuities
- Optional activities not previously reserved with prior payment

### **Booking Information & Conditions**

For a reservation to be held on any itinerary, a deposit of US\$500 per person per itinerary is required. **The balances of payments are due 42 days (6 weeks) prior to arrival in Tanzania.**

All travelers receive pre-trip information, complete itinerary and on-demand pre-travel advice, via email directly with our offices for any last minute or personal queries.

All information included in this brochure was correct at the time of printing and in the event of a particular accommodation being unavailable upon booking, accommodation of a similar or higher standard will be substituted.

### **Why travel with Maasai Wanderings?**

Maasai Wanderings is a family-run company of safari and mountain professionals based in Arusha, Tanzania. We offer standard itineraries as well as tailor made tours to provide our clients with a unique experience that ensures each adventure is individually complete. By joining Maasai Wanderings, you are personally delivered into the heart of Tanzania for your adventure of a lifetime.



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