

HIGHLIGHTS OF KENYA AND TANZANIA

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- 1. Maasai Mara National Reserve
- 2. Serengeti National Park
- 3. Ngorongoro Conservation Area



Six days of expedition crossing Kenya and Tanzania through unparalleled landscapes. Offering 2 days dedicated to the unique Maasai Mara and 2 days focused on the unbeatable Serengeti, this tour has the perfect ending in the surreal Ngorongoro.



Our recommendations are:

- Julia's River Camp
- Ilkeliani Camp
- Entim Camp
- &Beyond Kichwa Tembo

Early morning drive to Maasai Mara National Reserve. It holds on as one of the few places left on earth where wildlife still lives comparatively undisturbed, in the numbers that once roamed the plains and forests of Africa. As the northern tip of the vast Serengeti ecosystem, the Mara hosts the spectacular seasonal migration of many thousands of Wildebeest, Zebras and attendant predators. Arrive in time for lunch followed by an afternoon game drive.



Extra tour recommended: The wonderful balloon flight over the Mara plains.

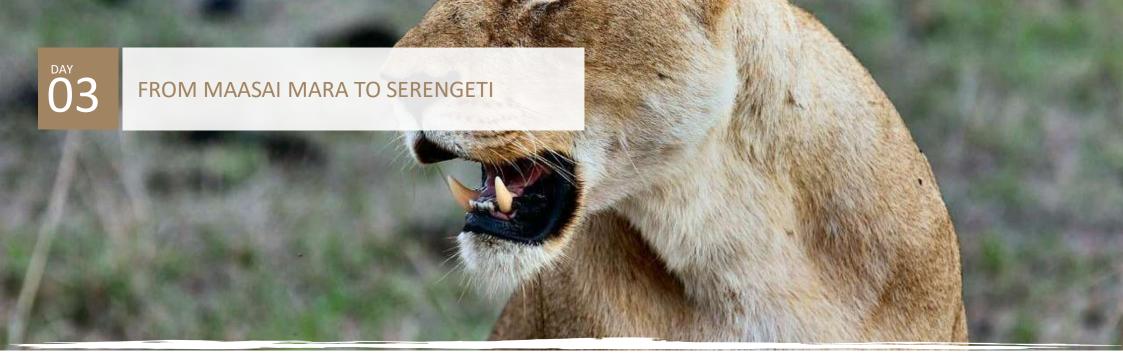
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After breakfast, we have a full day game drive with packed lunch provided. The reserve is well known for its black-manned lion as well as its abundant resident wildlife and its one of the few places where it's possible to see the big five during a morning's game drive. Many of the cheetahs are so tame they seek shelter from the hot sun under one's vehicle and several even climb onto the roof to get a better view of prospective prey.

For the bird enthusiasts, almost 500 species have been recorded: among these 16 species of eagle, plus many hawks and falcons, 6 species of vultures, 8 species of storks, 4 of bustard (including the Kori bustard, the world's heaviest flying bird), and 9 species of sunbirds.





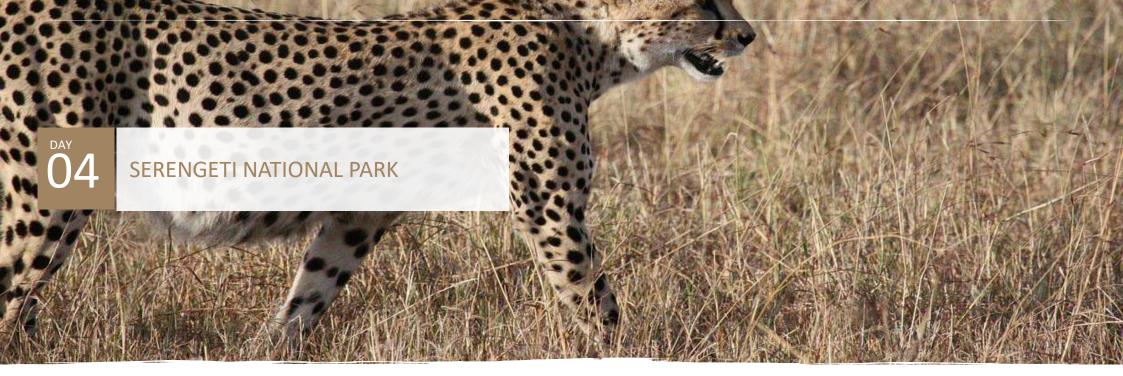
There is accommodation for all budgets and styles in the Serengeti.

Our recommendations are:

- Pumzika Safari Camps
- Serengeti Sopa Lodge
- Chaka Camps
- Four Seasons Serengeti

We will initiate the day with an early morning game drive in Maasai Mara while driving out of the National reserve. After border formalities, drive to the Serengeti National Park in Tanzania. It will be a long day of driving but the game drives in and out of the parks can be surprisingly incredible.





Extra tour recommended: The wonderful balloon flight over the Serengeti plains.

As you crest the hillside, spread out before you, as far as the eyes can see, is the vast Serengeti. Serengeti means "endless plains" in Kiswahili and this 6,900 sq. mile (18,000 sq. km) park is inhabited by more than 2 million large animals including more than a million wildebeest, hundreds of thousands of plains zebras, and Thomson's gazelles. Large predators including lions, cheetahs, and hyenas are drawn to the area by this abundance of prey which migrates throughout the park. Many smaller animals like rock hyrax, bat-eared foxes, mongoose, honey badger, jackals, monkeys, baboons, and African hares also inhabit the area along with nearly 500 species of birds.

Afternoon game drive en-route to the campsite.

Dinner and overnight at public campsite or private tented camp/lodge.





SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK TO NGORONGORO

Our recommendations are:

- Rhino Lodge
- Sopa Ngorongoro
- Sanctuary Ngorongoro Camp
- Andbeyond Crater Lodge

Today you will wake up very early to do an early morning safari before breakfast, to spot the animals when they are more active and also to have a fantastic sunrise in front of you. The sunrise in the African Savannah is one of the most beautiful experiences one can have. After the game drive, return to the camp for brunch. In the afternoon, transfer to Ngorongoro, the 8th natural wonder of the world. With walls 2,000 ft high and a crater floor that spreads for 102 sq. miles, the crater is a virtual Noah's Ark, inhabited by almost every species of wildlife indigenous to East Africa including the rare black rhino.

The crater has the greatest concentration of wildlife on the planet. It contains a river, several swamps, a soda lake that, from the top, looks like steam, full of flamingoes, a forest and open plains. The large bull elephants that reside here have extremely large tusk, due to the rich mineral content of the volcanic soil and its grasses. They are the most incredible elephants you'll ever see in your life.



Today you will do a game drive in one of the Wonders of the Natural World.

We will start the day very early and descend into the crater floor for an incredible morning of wildlife in one of the most stunning places on Earth. After the game drive, there will be time for a picnic lunch near the beautiful hippo Lake. After lunch, we will have time for a short game drive and then ascend the crater and exit Ngorongoro Conservation Area towards Arusha. We expect to be back in Arusha around 5 pm although we are flexible in case there is a flight to catch or another situation.



INCLUDED IN THIS PACKAGE

- * All transport, 4WD safari vehicle with pop-up roof for game viewing Minivan (Kenya) and Land Cruiser (Tanzania)
- * Accommodation as detailed (Full Board while in the safari, except for drinks)
- * Unlimited water
- * High-End Binoculars that will greatly enhance your safari experience.
- * Services of various local guides
- * All National Park entrance and campsite fees
- * All food breakfasts, packed lunches, and evening meals
- * Donations and payments to local community projects

NOT INCLUDED IN THIS PACKAGE

- * International flights
- * Travel and personal accident insurance
- * Visa, passport, vaccinations, medicines
- * Tips
- * Expenditure on alcoholic drinks, souvenirs, personal items
- * Optional excursions/activities not detailed in the itinerary
- * Any additional services requested