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### 9 DAYS/8 NIGHTS /MASAI MARA/LAKE NAIVASHA/LAKE ELEMENTAITA/NAIROBI

**Days:** 9 Days, 8 Nights  
**Vehicle:** Flight & Landcruiser  
**Starts:** 15,Jul, 2026  
**Ends:** 23,Jul, 2026  
**Meals:** Full Board  
**No. of Pax:** 04 (Adults)  
**No. Rooms:** 02 (Doubles)

### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

DAY	ACTIVITY	PROPERTY
15-Jul	Airport Transfer,Accommodation, Dinner and breakfast in Nairobi	Nairobi Serena
16-Jul	Airport transfer, Flight to Masai Mara, Airstrip Transfer,Park Fees, Full Board Accommodation and 1 Gamedrive on exclusive use of landcruiser	Mara Serena
17-Jul	Park Fees, Full Board Accommodation + 2 Gamedrives with exclusive use of Landcruiser	Mara Serena
18-Jul	Hippo Pool Breakfast,Park Fees, Full Board Accommodation +2 Gamedrives with exclusive use of Landcruiser	Mara Serena
19-Jul	Flight to Nairobi, proceed to Nairobi Serena for a full day of relaxation at the hotel.	Nairobi Serena
20-Jul	Drive to Lake Naivasha, Boat Ride and Crescent Island walk with the animals, Lunch at Enashipai Hotel then proceed to Serena Elementaita for Full Board Accommodation arriving in the evening.	Serena Elementaita
21-Jul	Drive to Soysambu Conservancy, gamedrive, Flamingos and lunch then proceed to Nairobi	Nairobi Serena
22-Jul	Full Day in Nairobi, Shelrick Elephant Opharnage, Nairobi National Park, Giraffe Centre ad Kazuri Beads	Nairobi Serena
23-Jul	Drive to JKIA for flight back home	Ex Nairobi

## **A WARM WELCOME TO THE MAGICAL KENYA – AUGUST 15<sup>th</sup>**

Your journey begins the moment you touch down at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (NBO) in the cool, crisp air of a Nairobi evening. A pre-booked **taxi** (a smooth 15-minute drive through the city's vibrant outskirts) will whisk you away to your sanctuary, the elegant **Nairobi Serena Hotel**. As you settle in, the sounds of the city are a distant hum. Your first dinner is a quiet, delicious affair at the hotel, allowing you to acclimatise and dream of the wild days ahead.

## **FLY TO MASAI MARA – AUGUST 16<sup>th</sup>**

After an early breakfast, your trusty **taxi** returns for the short hop (15 mins) to Wilson Airport, the bustling hub for safari flights. Here, you board a **Safarilink** flight—a thrilling aerial safari in itself. As you soar west, the urban sprawl gives way to the patchwork of smallholdings and then the vast, rolling plains of the **Masai Mara**. The one-hour flight covers approximately 250km. Touching down on the grassy airstrip, you are met by the boundless horizon. After settling into the magnificent **Mara Serena Safari Lodge**, perched high with views of the Mara River, the afternoon is yours for an introductory game drive, your **park fees** granting you access to this theatre of wildlife.

## **2 FULL DAYS – AUGUST 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>**

These two full days are a deep immersion into the soul of Africa. Each morning, after tea and coffee, you'll set out at dawn in your 4x4, the golden light painting the grasslands. The **Masai Mara** (nearly 1,510 sq km of it) is your playground. You'll witness the dramatic Great Migration, a river crossing perhaps, where crocodiles lurk and wildebeest brave the currents. Herds of elephant, prides of lion, and solitary leopards are all part of the daily narrative. You return each evening to the comfort and familiar luxury of the **Mara Serena**, sharing stories under a blanket of incredible stars. You will have the magical Hippo Pool breakfast on the 18<sup>th</sup> Morning.

## **NAIROBI – AUGUST 19<sup>th</sup>**

Bid farewell to the Mara with a final breakfast before your flight returns you to Wilson Airport (1 hour) You will be picked from the airport and head to Serena Hotel for a day of relaxation at the hotel.

## **LAKE NAIVASHA & ELEMENTAITA – AUGUST 20<sup>th</sup>**

Your adventure transitions from air to road as you meet your private **Landcruiser** and driver-guide for the next chapter. A scenic drive north (roughly 90km, 2 hours) brings you to the shores of Lake Naivasha. You will stop over at the Great Rift Valley view point and later proceed to Lk Naivasha. You'll enjoy a delightful **lunch at Enashipai Resort** before embarking on a serene **boat ride** on the lake. Glide past hippos, watch fish eagles soar, and see waterbuck graze along the shore. Afterwards, a further transfer (about 40km, 1 hour) through the dramatic Great Rift Valley escorts you to the peaceful shores of Lake Elementaita and your home for the night, the beautiful **Lake Elementaita Serena Camp**.

## **RETURN TO THE CAPITAL – AUGUST 21<sup>st</sup>**

Enjoy a leisurely breakfast with stunning lake views. Today is a relaxed travel day. Start with a game drive at Soysambu conservancy as you see the flamingos. Your **Landcruiser** will take you on the final leg back to Nairobi (approximately 130km, a 2.5-hour drive through the dramatic Rift Valley escarpment). The journey is a spectacle in itself. You'll check back into the **Nairobi Serena Hotel** for an evening of relaxation. A sumptuous **dinner** at the hotel allows you to reflect on the wilderness you've just left behind.

## **NAIROBI'S TREASURES – AUGUST 22<sup>nd</sup>**

Today, your **Landcruiser** and guide reveal the treasures of Nairobi. First, a short drive (about 7km, 20 mins) to the Nairobi National Park for a morning game drive before heading to **David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust**, where you'll witness the heartwarming feeding and care of orphaned elephant calves during the 11am public viewing. Next, a mere 5-minute drive brings you to the **Giraffe Centre**, where you can come eye-to-eye and even feed the endangered Rothschild giraffes. A visit to the colourful **Kazuri Beads factory** follows, where local women create beautiful pottery and jewellery. You'll enjoy a well-earned **lunch at a recommended Nairobi restaurant**. In the afternoon, enter the unique **Nairobi National Park** (just 10km from the city centre). Your **park fees** grant access to this incredible world where skyline and savanna meet for a final game drive. Return to the **Nairobi Serena** for a farewell **dinner**, celebrating a week of incredible memories.

## **KWAHERI, WITH CHERISHED MEMORIES – AUGUST 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Savour a final leisurely breakfast at the hotel. Depending on your flight time, you may have a little time for some last-minute shopping. Your reliable **taxi** will arrive for the final transfer back to Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (20km, 45 mins), carrying with you the indelible sights, sounds, and spirit of Kenya. As you check in, you're not just carrying souvenirs, but the thunderous memory of the Mara, the gentle gaze of a giraffe, and the tranquil beauty of the Rift Valley lakes.

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### **COST INCLUDES:**

8 Nights – Full Accommodation.

Airport Transfers

Transport & game drives in a private Land Cruiser from Nairobi to Lake Naivasha –Lake Elementaita and Masai Mara with a pop-up roof for 360-degrees game viewing.

Service of professional English speaking safari guide

Morning and afternoon/evening game drives as per the program

All parks and reserve fees at current level

Flights from Nairobi -Masai Mara-Nairobi

Boat Ride in Lk Naivasha

Crescent Island Tour

All Government taxes and levies

2 – 500ml mineral bottle of water per person per day while on safari

### **COST EXCLUDES:**

- Tips and gratitude to tour driver/guide
- Masai Village
- Balloon Flight @USD 450 Per person
- Telephone calls, laundry, drinks and any other item of personal nature
- Travel insurance
- International Flight
- Any other items not mentioned above as inclusive

### **Cancellation Policy**

We allow credit note upon rescheduling of your safari to a future date Terms and Conditions Apply otherwise if fully cancelled, we refund but retain 15% service charge

### **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

#### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:**

All visitors to Kenya must have a valid passport with at least 4 consecutive blank pages. Any applicable Travel Documents are the responsibility of the traveller. For further information on Travel permit requirements visitors are advised to contact their nearest Kenyan Embassy or Consulate. <https://www.etakenya.go.ke/en>

#### **LANGUAGE:**

Kiswahili and English

#### **TIME:**

GMT +3

#### **LOCAL SIM CARDS:**

They can be purchased at the airport on arrival as they require passport verification. You can load our local currency in the M-Pesa app which makes it easy for you to purchase without getting refunds inconveniences.

#### **WI-FI:**

City hotels have it available in all areas but it might be limited the common areas in the lodges depending on the lodge.

#### **POWER:**

The city and Town hotels have 24-hour coverage but in the lodges within the parks, they always advise on when they put off their generators mostly at midnight and in the afternoon when all guests have left for afternoon game drives. For special considerations like CPAP machine use, it is good to notify the hotel earlier.

#### **VOLTAGE:**

220 Volts/AC50Hz. Sockets are UK style, 3 pin square plugs. Power is from the National Grid in the city/major towns and generator with inverter back up in the Safari Lodges and Camps.



### **CURRENCY:**

Foreign currency must be changed at the Bank, Bureau de Change, and Hotel/Safari lodge/Camp/Resort. Major Credit Cards, Master card, Visa, American Express, are usually accepted throughout the country. Where credit cards are accepted, the payment will normally be recorded in US\$ regardless of the card's default currency.

### **CLOTHING:**

Dress is mainly informal and should be comfortable as well as practical. Something warm should be brought along for early morning and evenings. Safari clothes are available from hotels/lodges/camps.

### **BAGGAGE:**

Where possible, travel light. Baggage space on safari is limited to medium suitcase or soft bag per person plus reasonable amount of hand luggage. There is 15 Kilogram per person limit on all flights to the wildlife sanctuaries. Excess luggage must be stored in your arrival hotel.

### **WATER:**

You will find many different of opinion of what is safe and what is not. We recommend for peace of mind, to drink local Bottled Mineral water. It is important to drink plenty of water especially during the hotter months. We would recommend that guests drink at least 2 to 3 litres of water per day to limit the effects of dehydration.

### **DRINKS:**

Drinks are only paid for in the All Inclusive packages. Drinks are always charged separately from the Full Board package

### **HEALTH:**

East Africa is a safe and secure destination; however, it is a good idea to take a few precautions. Kindly consult your GP or local doctor at least 6 weeks before you travel, with regards: Malaria prophylactics. East Africa is a known malaria area and preventive measures are essential. You are advised to take one of the recommended anti-malarial drugs. Also confirm on Yellow Fever Vaccine compliance. Be sure to wear long sleeved shorts and trousers after sunset and spray the exposed parts of your body with a mosquito repellent spray Remember to protect yourself from direct sun rays with sunscreen cream or safari hat.

**DIETARY REQUIREMENTS:**

For those guests with specific dietary requirement, please ensure the Hotel is notified prior to travel

**GRATUITIES:**

As a guideline and dependent on how happy you are, we would suggest the following:

The General Hotel/Lodge/Camp Staff - Approximately U\$ 10.00 per person per day

Driver Guides – Approximately US\$ 20.00 to US\$ 40.00 per person per day

**PHOTOGRAPHY AND BINOCULARS:**

It is good to carry along binoculars as we may not provide for everyone and also a great camera to capture the moments.

Please ensure that you have sought permission before photographing local people and their villages. If in doubt, please check with your guide.

Kind Regards:

**Angelina**













