

Highlights: Tree climbing Lions and spectacular scenery in Lake Manyara, extensive game viewing in the vast Serengeti looking out for the Big 5 and following the wildebeest migration from December to July, a visit to the historical Olduvai Gorge also known as the "Cradle of Mankind" with its ancient instruments used by early man, Crater tour into the Ngorongoro crater which offers captivating scenery and is a sanctuary for some of Africa's largest populations of large mammals, large herds of Elephant and migratory wildebeest, Zebras, Buffalos, Impalas, Gazelles, Hartebeest, Waterbucks and Elands in Tarangire,

Tour Summary:

The game parks of Tanzania offer some unique game viewing. Ngorongoro Crater is said to have the world's densest population of Lions and is Geologically magnificent. The world-renowned Olduvai Gorge offers insights into the origins of humans and Tarangire offers one of the highest concentrations of wildlife in the dry season. Lake Manyara Lions have developed a liking for residing in the branches of trees where they can both sleep and watch for prey whilst the Serengeti is notable for its large migratory herds of Wildebeests and Zebras with strings of predators in trail. Tarangire offers one of the highest concentrations of wildlife in the dry season whilst the Ngorongoro Crater is a World Heritage site which makes this camping safari very alluring.

Day 1: Nairobi – Arusha

We depart Nairobi City for Arusha and you will spend the night at any hotel of your choice at an extra cost. Arusha is the safari capital of Tanzania and is a main tourism centre. It is the doorway to the Serengeti, Lake Manyara, Tarangire, Arusha National Parks and the Ngorongoro Conservation Area. (Picnic lunch)

Day 2: Arusha – Lake Manyara

After breakfast, we drive to Lake Manyara National park where we will have our picnic lunch at the campsite then proceed on an afternoon game drive. Regardless of the direction we approach Manyara from, the view is always fantastic. This shallow lake offers dramatic views and is home to rich bird life, tree climbing Lions and its Hippos which you can see at a very close range. (Picnic lunch & Dinner)

Day 3 & 4: Lake Manyara – Serengeti

After breaking camp, we drive to the great Serengeti National Park viewing game enroute. We spend the next two days relaxing at the campsite and enjoying morning and late afternoon game drives. Serengeti is rewarding all year round but there is less game in the park during the dry season July / October where they migrate to the Masai Mara in Kenya. Overnight at Seronera campsite. (Breakfast, Picnic lunch & Dinner)

Day 5: Serengeti – Ngorongoro via Olduvai Gorge

After an early breakfast, we drive south to the magnificent Ngorongoro crater via Olduvai Gorge (to view the humanoid bones and fossil footprints) whilst game watching only interrupted by a picnic lunch enroute. We stop and set up camp at the Simba (Lion) Campsite (very cold night; but you will enjoy breathtaking views of the crater below). (Breakfast, Picnic lunch & Dinner)

Day 6: Ngorongoro – Tarangire

Morning crater tour and after lunch we proceed to the less congested wildlife paradise, Tarangire National Park. The park becomes most active during the dry season between July and November when large herds of game attracted to the everlasting waters of the Tarangire River make this reserve every bit as appealing as the Serengeti. Dinner and overnight stay at the campsite. (Breakfast, Picnic lunch & Dinner)

Day 7: Tarangire – Arusha town

After breakfast we enjoy an early morning game drive followed by lunch at the campsite. Although the park is more densely vegetated than the Serengeti, (covered primarily in acacia and mixed woodland including baobab trees) it supports similar large mammals to the Serengeti and is home to a variety of bird species. We then proceed to Arusha town for dinner and overnight in a hotel of your choice at an extra cost. (Breakfast & Lunch)

Day 8: Arusha – Nairobi

Depart Arusha in morning crossing the border back into Kenya and drop off in Nairobi City.
(Picnic lunch)

NB: The above rates are subject to change without notice should necessitating factors dictate. These may be influenced by changes in government policies, intermittent exchange rates among other factors.

Above charges are inclusive of:

- Return road transport as stated in the itinerary
- Game drives
- Basic camping in tents on full board basis as reflected in the itinerary
- Camping fees & a mattress
- Meals as per the itinerary
- Services of our professional chef and driver guide

Above charges are exclusive of:

- Visa and any related fees
- Park entry fees
- Medical, travel & personal insurance cover
- Hotel accommodation, Dinner and Breakfast at Arusha
- Drinks
- Hire of sleeping bag (charges at KES 300 per sleeping bag per night)
- Visit to the Manyatta (optional cost ranging from KES 200 – 30 USD)
- Tips & Gratuities
- Hot Air Balloon Safari (this can be arranged at an extra cost of US \$ 460 per person subject to price confirmation at the time of booking)
- Deviation from the customized itinerary
- Any other item not mentioned in the inclusive list