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# 10Days Kenya Big 5 Safari & Mombasa Beach Vacation

4-Nights Safari and 5 nights All Inclusive Beach Vacation

Transport using either 4x4 Safari Vans or 4X4 Landcruisers

Afternoon First Class Train Coach from Nairobi to Mombasa

Transport using either 4x4 Safari Vans or 4X4 Landcruisers

Safari Prices are Valid from 3rd Jan 2023 to 2nd Jan 2024

#### Itinerary at a glance

| Day    | Location                  | Supplier/Hotel                                  | Meal Plan | Activity  |
|--------|---------------------------|---|-----------|-----------|
| Day 1  | Nairobi City              | ParkInn by Radisson/Sarova Panafric/Royal Tulip | BB        | Trsf      |
| Day 2  | Masai Mara Game Reserve   | Mara Simba Lodge                                | LDBB      | Р         |
| Day 3  | Masai Mara Game Reserve   | Mara Simba Lodge                                | LDBB      | AP        |
| Day 4  | Lake Nakuru National Park | Lake Nakuru Lodge                               | LDBB      | Р         |
| Day 5  | NBO Train to Mombasa      | Voyager Beach Resort                            | Al        | Free Time |
| Day 6  | Mombasa -North Coast      | Voyager Beach Resort                            | Al        | Free Time |
| Day 7  | Mombasa -North Coast      | Voyager Beach Resort                            | Al        | Free Time |
| Day 8  | Mombasa -North Coast      | Voyager Beach Resort                            | Al        | Free Time |
| Day 9  | Mombasa -North Coast      | Voyager Beach Resort                            | Al        | Free Time |
| Day 10 | Departure                 | N/A   | BB        | Trsf      |

**<u>Key:</u>** L-Lunch, **D**-Dinner, **BB**-Bed and breakfast, **LDBB**-Lunch, dinner, bed and breakfast, **AI**-All Inclusive, **Trsf**-Transfer, **E**-Early morning game drive, **A**-Morning game drive, **P**-Afternoon game drive, **HDS**-Half Day sightseeing, **FDS**-Full Day Sightseeing.

#### **Full Itinerary**

# Day 1: Arrival and Overnight in Nairobi:

Arrive in Jomo Kenyatta International Airport, flight TBA. Meet safari driver-guide and after safari briefing, transfer to your city hotel for overnight. Lunch and Dinner on own arrangements; pay direct.

Overnight at either of the following hotels booked on Bed & Breakfast

- ParkInn by Radisson: https://www.radissonhotels.com/en-us/hotels/park-inn-nairobi-westlands
- Sarova Panafric: https://www.sarovahotels.com/panafric-nairobi/
- Royal Tulip: https://royal-tulip-canaan-nairobi.goldentulip.com/en-us/
- 2.5.4 Ole-Sereni Hotel: https://254olesereni.com/

Meals: Only Breakfast the following day.

# Day 2: Nairobi to Masai Mara Game Reserve

Breakfast in the city hotel and depart for Masai Mara Game reserve driving along the bottom of the Rift Valley to Masai Mara Game Reserve. The jewel in Africa's crown, Masai Mara, is host to the most spectacular array of wildlife; lions, elephant, giraffe, a variety of gazelle species, zebras among others. Rare animals are Cheetah, leopard and Rhinos but are still spotted. Game viewing is never dull in the Mara and patience is often rewarded with unique sightings: a pride of lion stalking their prey; a solitary leopard retrieving its kill from the high branches of an acacia tree; a male wildebeest sparring to attract females into their harem; a herd of elephant protecting their young from opportunistic predators.

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We will proceed to our camp for a late lunch. This afternoon we will enjoy a drive through this spectacular game area before returning to camp for dinner this evening.

<u>Afternoon Visit to a Maasai Cultural Village:</u> This afternoon, join the Masai dancers donning their African regalia and the jingling on their feet, flow by the rhythm of African beats and dance to their tunes that will leave you refreshed.

For more details about Masai Mara Game Reserve click, http://trailsofafrica.co.ke/masai-mara-game-reserve/

Dinner and Overnight at Mara Simba Lodge – Booked on Full board Basis

Hotel website: http://www.simbalodges.com/mara-simba-lodge#

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner.

# Day 3: Full Day in Masai Mara Game Reserve

Breakfast in the hotel and depart for a full day game drive with picnic lunch boxes or enjoy morning and afternoon game drives in Masai Mara Game Reserve with lunch break in between the game drives.

The Mara is the northern extension of the Serengeti and its rolling plains are home to hundreds of plains game together with predators that feed on them.

Optional Masai Mara Balloon Ride: for those going for the balloon safari, you will be going for the early morning balloon, you will be picked at the hotel by the Balloon Company at 5.30am and drive to the balloon launch site where you will gather for takeoff. Enjoy early morning ballooning over the plains, getting a bird's eye view of the game below as the sun creeps slowly over the horizon. After approximately one hour aloft, the balloon lands while a breakfast is being prepared for us nearby. The smell of bacon, sausages and eggs drift on the breeze as we sample exotic Kenyan fruits and homemade pastries and, if you wish, glasses of bubbly to toast our flight, a tradition initiated by the Montgolfier brothers. Cost Per Person: \$480. (Price quaranteed with advanced booking)

Dinner and Overnight at Mara Simba Lodge – Booked on Full board Basis

Hotel website: http://www.simbalodges.com/mara-simba-lodge#

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner.

# Day 4: Masai Mara Game Reserve to Lake Nakuru National Park

Breakfast in the lodge and depart for Lake Nakuru National Park heading straight for a game drive to the world-famous haunt for pink flamingos, is a shallow alkaline lake in Kenya's Rift Valley and some 62 km2 in extent.

Lake Nakuru National Park: Established in 1961 and gazette in 1968 as a National Park, the park has Kenya's largest population of rhinos. The park is home to Lion Hills, Makalia waterfalls, unique vegetation, Picturesque landscape, yellow acacia woodlands and a wide range of birds most famous being Flamingoes and Pelicans. Located in the Great Rift Valley Lake System, the park is also as an ecologically significant region having been named a RAMSAR Site and Important Bird Area. Covering 73 square miles (188 square kilometers), Lake Nakuru is world famous for flamingos, and was created a National Park to protect, its stunning flocks of lesser flamingo which literally turn its shores pink. These are the millions of flamingoes seeking their food in the salty deep-green waters of Lake Nakuru.

**Animals include:** White Rhinos, Black Rhinos, Lions, buffaloes, leopards, hippos, giraffes, waterbucks, Thomson gazelles, Grants gazelles, impalas, waterbucks, White and Black Colobus monkey, giraffes and about 450 birds species in total. The bush lands offer eland, Steinbok, impala, Chandler's Reedbuck and dik dik a home, whilst rock hyrax and klipspringer occupy the cliffs and escarpment. The park is indeed a birds' paradise hosting over 500 species.

Overnight at either Lake Nakuru Lodge-LDBB

Hotel website: http://www.lakenakurulodge.com/

Meals: Breakfast in Masai Mara, Lunch and Dinner in Nakuru.

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# <u>Day 5: Lake Nakuru National Park to Nairobi then take a train to Mombasa for Beach Vacation</u> <u>You are booked on an afternoon Train from Nairobi to Mombasa; First Class coach</u>

• You also have an option of flying from Nairobi, directly to Mombasa; (45Mins). Price range; US \$150-190\* Early morning breakfast in the hotel and enjoy a game drive in the park as you exit and head to Nairobi. Arrive in Nairobi and transfer to the train station for your scheduled train to Mombasa. Alternatively, we can have a brief lunch stopover (time allowing) where you can have lunch at a city restaurant (own arrangement-pay direct). Afterwards, transfer to the train station in time for your scheduled afternoon train to Mombasa, upon arrival in Mombasa train station, you will be met by our representative who will transfer you to your beach hotel.

Overnight at Voyager Beach Resort, booked on All Inclusive in Standard Garden Rooms

Hotel website: https://www.heritage-eastafrica.com/voyagerbeachresort/hotel-rooms.html

Meals: All Inclusive (Excluding Meals at Sea Food Restaurant in Voyager Beach Resort).

# Day 6 and 9: Four full days in Mombasa

Four days at leisure with optional city tour available with prior arrangements and at an extra charge.

# Optional city tour: Cost per Person for city tour; USD 105; Min 4pax. Early booking advised.

You have an option of a city tour where you will visit the following places;

- Fort Jesus (a National Museum).
- The Mombasa Elephant Tusks.
- Mombasa Old Town.
- Panoramic city tour.

Overnight at Voyager Beach Resort, booked on All Inclusive in Standard Garden Rooms

Hotel website: <a href="https://www.heritage-eastafrica.com/voyagerbeachresort/hotel-rooms.html">https://www.heritage-eastafrica.com/voyagerbeachresort/hotel-rooms.html</a>

Meals: All Inclusive (Excluding Meals at Sea Food Restaurant in Voyager Beach Resort).

### Day 10: Departure

Breakfast in the hotel and depending on your departure flight time, you will be transferred to the Moi International Airport in Mombasa in time for your home bound flight.

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# Option 1: Cost per Person Sharing in USD (Using 4x4 Safari Van for Transportation); Min 2Pax per Departure

| Dates/Seasons and Number of Pax per car             | 2pax  | 4pax  | 6рах  | Teen Rate | Child<br>Rate | SRS   |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Cost per person from 01st July to 31st Aug 2023     | 2,815 | 2,560 | 2,475 | 2,150     | 1,365         | 910   |
| Cost per person from 01st Sept to 31st Oct 2023     | 2,395 | 2,140 | 2,060 | 1,735     | 1,160         | 660   |
| Cost per person from 01st Nov to 20th to Dec 2023   | 2,285 | 2,025 | 1,945 | 1,570     | 1,010         | 585   |
| Cost per person from 21st Dec 23 to 02nd Jan 2024** | 3,400 | 3,150 | 3,065 | 2,710     | 1,640         | 1,075 |

# Option 2: Cost per Person Sharing in USD (Using 4x4 Safari Landcruiser for Transportation); Min 2Pax per Departure

| Dates/Seasons and Number of Pax per car             | 2pax  | 4рах  | 6рах  | Teen Rate | Child<br>Rate | SRS   |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Cost per person from 01st July to 31st Aug 2023     | 3,140 | 2,735 | 2,600 | 2,150     | 1,365         | 910   |
| Cost per person from 01st Sept to 31st Oct 2023     | 2,705 | 2,310 | 2,175 | 1,735     | 1,160         | 660   |
| Cost per person from 01st Nov to 20th to Dec 2023   | 2,570 | 2,175 | 2,050 | 1,570     | 1,010         | 585   |
| Cost per person from 21st Dec 23 to 02nd Jan 2024** | 3,675 | 3,285 | 3,150 | 2,710     | 1,640         | 1,075 |

- \*Flight cost subject to availability as the time of booking and paying.
- \*\*For those not taking the train to Mombasa the deduction is \$50 from the package cost.
- \*\*\*\* Train availability Means subject to confirmation at the time of booking and paying.

# Notes on Flight, Train and airport transfers:

- From Nairobi, you can also fly directly to Mombasa; (45Mins). Price range; US \$170-210\*
- Prices for one-way internal flight from Nairobi to Mombasa is quoted separately and not included in the Package Cost.
- Above Flights ticket costs are subject availability and confirmation at the time of booking/paying.
- **Group Arrival/Departure Transfers:** We assume all clients will arrive together in the same flight. However, for those who will arrive with a different flight/time and separate from the main group, they will need extra transfer separate from the main group and the charges for the extra transfers will be as follows:

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| Airport Transfers in Nairobi and Mombasa – Cost Per Vehicle: (One Way): Airport to/from Hotels |               |               |               |               |               |  |  |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|--|
| Transfer Vehicle Capacity & Costs  | Nairobi       | Mombasa       | Ukunda        | Malindi       | Zanzibar      |  |  |
| Saloon Car 1-3-Pax   | <b>\$4</b> 5  | <b>\$4</b> 5  | <b>\$4</b> 5  | <b>\$4</b> 5  | <b>\$</b> 125 |  |  |
| Minibus 3-6-Pax  | \$75          | \$75          | \$75          | \$75          | <b>\$</b> 165 |  |  |
| Bus 7-11 Pax   | \$115         | <b>\$</b> 150 | <b>\$</b> 150 | <b>\$</b> 165 | \$215         |  |  |
| Bus 12-14 Pax  | <b>\$</b> 175 | \$210         | \$245         | \$245         | <b>\$</b> 275 |  |  |
| Bus 15-21 Pax  | <b>\$</b> 275 | \$340         | \$340         | \$340         | <b>\$</b> 375 |  |  |

# **Please Note the Following:**

- \*\* Add Christmas Supplement of \$50 per person per night for holidays/vacations from 24<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 to 01<sup>st</sup>
   Jan 2024 Nights.
- Teen Rate is the cost for a teenage kid aged 12yrs to 17yrs sharing in a twin/double room with another teen or with an adult.
- Kids Rate is the cost for a child from 3yrs to 11yrs sharing with 2 adults in a room.
- One Adult and a child in a room: If 1 adult shares a room with one child, the child will pay the applicable child rate while the adult ill pay the single room rate.
- Bookings for Easter and Christmas Periods: For any bookings touching on Easter and Christmas periods, we
  advise you check for availability with us first before confirming to clients due to high demand for rooms on
  those dates.
- SRS Means Single Room Supplement. It is the extra cost charged for every client to be in Single room.
- Supplement for using 4x4 Safari Landcruiser: For clients preferring to use 4x4 Safari Landcruisers instead of 4x4 Safari Vans, the above quote supplements will apply per person for the whole trip (not per day).
- Sitting capacity per car: Each safari car; both 4x4 Safari Vans and 4x4 Safari Landcruisers carry a maximum of 6pax each with each client having a seat next to a window for maximum game viewing and photography.
- Arrival and departure airport transfer is based on the assumption that all clients come together in the same flight. If not, a discounted charge for one-way Airport to hotel transfer will be US \$50 per transfer.

# During the safari, we cover the following for you:

- Arrival and departure airport transfers in Nairobi.
- Arrival & departure airport transfers in Mombasa.
- Accommodation and meals as per the itinerary
- 1 night stay in either of the listed the 4 Star hotels in Nairobi booked with Breakfast.
- 2 nights stay in 4.5star Mara Simba Lodge in Masai Mara on booked on Full Board Basis.
- 1 night stay in 4star Lake Nakuru Lodge in Lake Nakuru booked on Full Board Basis.
- One way first class train from Nairobi to Mombasa
- 5 nights stay in a 5 Star Voyager Beach Resort booked on All Inclusive Board Basis.
- Custom-made Safari Vehicles with pop up roof top for game viewing and great easy photography.
- All clients are guaranteed a window seat with each car carrying a maximum 6Pax.
- We offer **Safari game drives** as per the itinerary.
- National Park and Game Reserve entrance fees are covered.
- English-speaking drivers will guide and inform you during the safari.
- Throughout the safari, we ensure you have **drinking water**.
- Exclusive **private use** of the vehicle **for each group** departing together on a safari.
- Exclusive private safari driver-guide for each group departing together on a safari.
- Game drives as follows; 4 game drives in Masai Mara2 game drives in Nakuru, total; 6 game drives.
- Park entrance fees in all the parks as per the itinerary.
- English speaking safari driver-guides available for the safari.
- We offer **24hour support** throughout the safari, should you need anything

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# Services excluded in the cost:

- Optional flight from Masai Mara to Nairobi...from Nairobi, connect with your flight to Zanzibar.
- Optional Flight direct from Nairobi to Zanzibar:
- All International Flights/local Flights + Taxes.
- Balloon Safari in Masai Mara.
- Visit to Masai Manyatta/cultural Village.
- Visa fees, Travel & Personal accident insurance.
- Meals in Nairobi on arrival and departure day.
- Diner at Sea Food Restaurant in Voyager Beach Resort.
- Excursions & activities not mentioned in this program.
- Personal expenses e.g. laundry, telephone calls, Drinks.
- Tips and gratuities.

Thank you for choosing us

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