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KENYA CLASSIC SAFARI ITINERARY (10 NIGHTS & 11 DAYS) 10<sup>TH</sup> – 20<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2023 1 NIGHT NAIROBI SANKARA HOTEL 2 NIGHTS SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE (ASHNIL SAMBURU) 2 NIGHTS OL-PEJETA (SWEETWATERS TENTED CAMP) 2 NIGHTS LAKE NAKURU NATIONAL PARK (SAROVA LIONHILL) 3 NIGHTS MAASAI MARA (MARA BUSH CAMP) DEPART





# ITINERARY

**DAY 1** – Arrive into Kenya (Jomo Kenyatta International Airport). Meet and greet at the airport by an Apex Photo Safaris representative. Transfer to Nairobi Sankara Hotel. Overnight at Nairobi Sankara Hotel. **(BB)** 

**DAY 2-3** – Early morning breakfast. After check out, pick up from Sankara Hotel and drive to Samburu Game Reserve (approximately 6 hours drive). After check in at the Camp and lunch, you will enjoy an afternoon game drive in the reserve. Overnight at Ashnil Samburu Camp. (FB). The next day you will be treated to a whole day in the Reserve searching for the Samburu 5, Plains game and of course the endangered African Wild Dogs. Overnight at Ashnil Samburu Camp. (FB)

**DAY 4-5** – After an early breakfast and check out from Samburu, transfer to Ol-Pejeta Conservancy (**approx. 2-3 hours**). Upon arrival and check in at Sweetwaters Tented Camp, lunch will be served. In the evening, you can either go on game drives or take advantage of the numerous activities offered by the conservancy. Spend 2 nights at Sweetwaters Tented Camp. (**FB**)

<u>DAY 6-7</u> – Enjoy an early morning breakfast. After checkout from Sweetwaters, you will be transferred to Lake Nakuru (**approx. 5 hours**). Upon arrival, you will check in to the Lodge. After checking in and lunch, enjoy an afternoon game drive in the park. Overnight at Sarova Lion Hill Lodge. (**FB**). Spend 2 nights in Lake Nakuru at Sarova Lion Hill Lodge. (**FB**).

**DAY** 8-10 – Enjoy an early morning breakfast. After checkout from Lake Nakuru, you will be transferred to the Masai Mara (approx. 6 hours). Upon arrival and a small game drive en-route, check in at the Camp. After checking in and lunch, enjoy an evening game drive in the reserve. Overnight at Mara Bush Camp. (FB). Enjoy the remaining 3 days in the Masai Mara searching for all the plains game and the Big 5. Overnight at Mara Bush Camp. (FB)

**DAY 11** – Early morning game drive. After breakfast and checkout, you will be transferred to Nairobi (**approx. 6 hours**). Upon arrival into Nairobi, the guide will transfer you to the Jomo Kenyatta International Airport to catch your International flight back home.

#### ACCOMMODATION KEY:

**BB** – BED & BREAKFAST**FB** – FULL BOARD**AI** – ALL INCLUSIVE





#### VEHICLES USED BY APEX PHOTO SAFARIS GUESTS WHILE ON SAFARI

## PLEASE NOTE THAT THE COLOR(S) OF THE VEHICLES MAY DIFFER FROM THE BELOW PICTURES







#### DAY 1 – NAIROBI SANKARA HOTEL (BB)

- Arrive to Nairobi Jomo Kenyatta International Airport
- Pick up from JKIA and transferred to the Hotel
- Spend the night at Nairobi Sankara Hotel (BB)

#### DAY 2-3 - ASHNIL SAMBURU CAMP (FB)

- Early pick up from Sankara and drive to Samburu Reserve (approx. 6 hours)
- Spend 2 nights in Samburu (FB)

#### DAY 4-5 - SAMBURU (CHECKOUT)/SWEETWATERS TENTED CAMP (FB)

- Early morning breakfast and check out from Samburu
- Transfer to OI-Pejeta Conservancy (approx. 2-3 hours)
- After Check in and lunch, guests can relax and take advantage of the numerous activities offered at the Hotel
- Spend 2 nights at Sweetwaters Tented Camp (FB)

#### DAY 6-7 - SWEETWATERS (CHECKOUT)/LAKE NAKURU NATIONAL PARK (SAROVA LIONHILL) (FB)

- Early morning breakfast and check out from Sweetwaters
- Transfer to Lake Nakuru (approx. 5 hours)
- After Check In and lunch, there will be an afternoon game drive
- Overnight at Sarova Lionhill Lodge (FB)
- Spend 2 nights in Lake Nakuru (FB)

#### DAY 8-10 - LAKE NAKURU (CHECKOUT)/MAASAI MARA (FB)

- Early morning breakfast and check out from Lake Nakuru
- Transfer to Maasai Mara (approx. 5 hours)
- On arrival, check in to the Camp
- After Check in and lunch, enjoy an afternoon game drive from 3:30-6:30
- Overnight in Mara (FB)
- Spend the next 3 days searching for the big cats, the big 5 and the plains game
- Overnight at Mara Bush Camp (FB)

#### DAY 11 – MARA (CHECKOUT)/NAIROBI

- Early morning game drive followed by breakfast and check out
- Transfer to Nairobi (approx. 6 hour drive)
- Upon arrival to Nairobi, guides will transfer you to Jomo Kenyatta International Airport to catch your international flight back home





#### HOTELS/LODGES/CAMPS SUGGESTED

DATES	DESTINATION	PROPERTY	ROOM CATEGORY	MEAL PLAN
DAY 1	Nairobi	Nairobi Sankara Hotel	Superior Room	Bed & Breakfast
DAY 2-3	Samburu	Ashnil Samburu Camp	Standard Tent	Full Board
DAY 4-5	Ol Pejeta	Sweetwaters Tented Camp	Standard Tent	Full Board
DAY 6-7	Lake Nakuru	Sarova Lion Hill Lodge	Standard Room	Full Board
DAY 8-10	Maasai Mara	Mara Bush Camp	Luxury Tent	Full Board

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#### **EXTRAS**

- On your day of departure, depending on your International flight timings, we can arrange a day room in Nairobi for you so that you can relax and freshen up before being transferred to the International airport to catch your flight back home. This will be at an additional cost of \$180 per person sharing and \$260 per person on a single supplement. Alternatively, you could also choose to spend the night in Nairobi.
- Sundowners are an extremely popular activity with most tourists/guests visiting the various National Parks/Reserves throughout Africa. It basically entails having a few drinks or bites to eat while watching the sun set over the African savannah. Usually, guests are permitted to exit the vehicle but not wander too far from the eyes of the watchful guide. The activity usually costs around \$50-60 per person but varies depending on the property you will be staying at.

#### NOTE:

- Early morning game drives can be broken into 2 sections. One from 6:30-8:30 A.M., then come back to camp for a hot breakfast, relax for an hour or so and the second game drive from 10:30 A.M.- 12:30 P.M. The 2<sup>nd</sup> option will be to carry a packed breakfast box (tea, coffee, hot chocolate) with you in the vehicle. This will give you the opportunity to stay out longer and cover a greater distance to maximize game viewing. This can always be arranged at the camp.
- During your 2 night stay in Samburu, the Park Fees have been included in your final cost.
- During your 2 night stay in Lake Nakuru, the Park Fees have been included in your final cost.
- During your 2 night stay in Ol Pejeta, the Park/Conservancy Fees, have been included in your final cost.
- Please note that during your 3 night stay at Mara Bush Camp, your park fees for the Maasai Mara Reserve **are included** in the final cost.





#### **EXTRAS**

- In the Mara, we can organize a morning balloon safari if you would be interested. Please note that this will be at an additional cost of **\$440 per adult**.
- At Ol Pejeta Conservancy, there is an option of going to view the last two Northern White Rhino Females (Najin & Fatu). The excursion is usually for about half an hour and due to popularity, it has to be booked well in advance. This would be at an additional cost of **\$75 per adult**.
- Please note you will require a Yellow Fever Inoculation this is a must if you are coming from second and third world countries. Also, if you have had any previous history of Liver Disorders you must consult your physician first. Malaria prophylactics are a must.
- It is highly recommended that you obtain travel insurance prior to your arrival in to Kenya.
- Please note that there is a single-use plastic ban in Kenya.
- Please note that prior to your travel to Kenya, it is no longer mandatory to obtain a medical certificate from your health physician stating that you have been tested for COVID-19 and your results are negative as long as all inbound passengers are fully vaccinated.
- Please note that it is now mandatory for all passengers arriving into Kenya above the age of 18 years old to be fully vaccinated and to provide their vaccination certificates upon arrival into Nairobi.
- Please ensure that you carry face masks, hand sanitizer and gloves at all times.
- Please ensure that you regularly wash/sanitize your hands and observe social distancing measures while on safari.
- Please ensure that you obtain your visas for Kenya prior to your arrival.





## TOTAL COST:

# BASED ON MAX. 4 PAX SHARING 1 LAND CRUISER

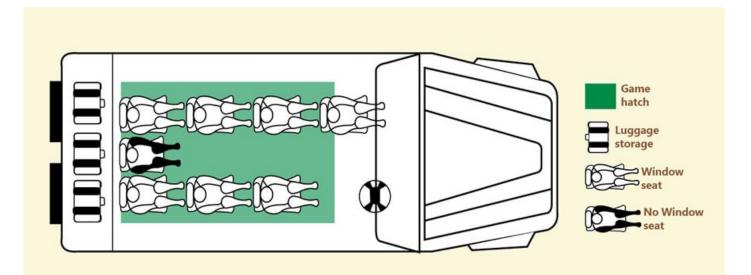
PER PERSON SHARING: \$3,095

PER PERSON SINGLE: \$3,175





# VEHICLE (LAND CRUISER) LAYOUT







#### The Above Cost Includes:

- All accommodation as stated above
- Airport transfers while in Nairobi
- Accommodation in Nairobi (Bed & Breakfast Basis)
- All transport while on safari
- All game drives whilst on safari in a 4x4 Land Cruiser
- Ground transfers whilst on safari in a 4x4 Land Cruiser
- Sole use of 4x4 Land Cruiser(s)
- Services of English speaking, highly trained, professional safari guide(s)
- FB as indicated above (Full Board)
- BB as indicated above in Nairobi (Bed & Breakfast)
- Complimentary fruit juices upon arrival at lodges & camps
- Tea/Coffee with meals
- Government taxes and levies
- All Park Entrance Fees
- Complimentary double-sided, stainless steel water bottle
- Mineral Water in the vehicle

#### The Above Cost Excludes:

- International flights
- International airport departure tax
- Travel and health insurance
- Meals not mentioned in the itinerary
- All alcoholic beverages
- All soft drinks
- Visa fees
- Items of a personal nature (phone calls, postage etc)
- Balloon Rides in The Maasai Mara
- Tips and gratuities to guides and hotel staff
- Maasai Village Visit
- Sundowners
- Laundry
- Extra activities not mentioned in the itinerary
- Bush Meals





## **APEX PHOTO SAFARIS BANKING DETAILS – U.S. DOLLARS**

## **BENEFICIARY BANK DETAILS**

SWIFT CODE	IMBLKENA
BENEFICIARIES NAME	APEX PHOTO SAFARIS LTD
ACCOUNT NUMBER	00300741941211
ADDRESS	I&M BANK LIMITED, P.O BOX
	30238-00100, NAIROBI KENYA.
	SARIT CENTRE BRANCH

## **INTERMEDIARY BANK DETAILS**

NAME OF BANK	STANDARD CHARTERED	
	BANK	
ADDRESS	ONE MADISON AVENUE,	
	NYC, NY, 10010	
ABA NUMBER	026002561 (SCB)	
SWIFT CODE	SCBLUS33	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	3582023234001 OF I&M BANK	
	LTD. P.O BOX 30238-00100,	
	NAIROBI, KENYA	

**NOTE:** Please be advised that when wiring funds there may be bank charges from both the sending bank as well as the corresponding bank. Kindly find out what the charges will be so you can include this amount in your wire amount to ensure that Apex Photo Safaris receives the complete amount intended.