

# THORN TREE SAFARI- WITH LAKE NAKURU Departs Every Tuesday: Safari Based on 4X4 Vehicle

This 4-night road safari operates every Tuesday with a minimum of 4 passengers.

#### ITINERARY:

#### DAY 01: TUESDAY NAIROBI - ABERDARES

Met on arrival and transferred to the Eka Hotel, where refreshments will be served and a safari briefing will be conducted. Thereafter, drive north through rich farming areas to Aberdare Country Club, arriving in time for lunch at the club (180 km, approximately 3 hours). After lunch, transfer to Ark Lodge. Spend the afternoon at leisure, enjoying excellent views of animals visiting the waterhole from the observation platforms of the lodge. Dinner and overnight at Ark Lodge or similar (meals included: lunch and dinner).

#### DAY 02: WEDNESDAY ABERDARES - LAKE NAKURU

Enjoy breakfast at the lodge, followed by transfer to the Aberdare Country Club to collect your luggage. Thereafter, drive into the Great Rift Valley to Lake Nakuru National Park, arriving in time for lunch at Aberdare Country Club (180 kms, approximately 3 hours). Enjoy an afternoon game drive in Lake Nakuru National Park. Dinner and overnight at Lake Nakuru Lodge or similar (Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch and dinner.)

#### DAY 03: THURSDAY LAKE NAKURU – MASAI MARA

After an early breakfast drive to the world-famous Masai Mara Game Reserve, arrive in time for lunch at Keekorok Lodge (315 kms, approximately 6 hours' drive). Enjoy a late afternoon game-drive in one of the world's finest game reserves. Dinner and overnight at the Keekorok Lodge or similar (Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch and dinner.)

## **DAY 04: FRIDAY MAASAI MARA**

An early morning balloon safari over the Mara followed by a bubbly bush breakfast (optional extra) or an early morning game drive followed by breakfast at the lodge. Rest of the morning at leisure at the lodge. After lunch, proceed on a late afternoon game drive. Dinner and overnight at the Keekorok Lodge or similar (Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch and dinner.)

## DAY 05: SATURDAY MAASAI MARA - NAIROBI

Return to Nairobi by road (280 km, approximately 5 hours' drive) or fly from Mara to Nairobi by morning flight (prices on request). Refreshments will be served at the Eka Hotel before final transfer to the airport for your outbound international flight or you may proceed with own chosen extension (Meals included: Breakfast)

#### **END OF SOMAK SERVICE**

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| From Date   | To Date     | Per Adult Twin or<br>Double Sharing | Child Sharing with<br>Two Adults | Single Room<br>Supplement |
|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 01-Apr-2024 | 13-Jun-2024 | 1,197                               | 871                              | 168                       |
| 14-Jun-2024 | 15-Jun-2024 | 1,268                               | 826                              | 205                       |
| 16-Jun-2024 | 26-Jun-2024 | 1,281                               | 833                              | 208                       |
| 27-Jun-2024 |             | 1,210                               | 797                              | 157                       |
| 28-Jun-2024 |             | 1,332                               | 858                              | 231                       |
| 29-Jun-2024 |             | 1,455                               | 918                              | 306                       |
| 30-Jun-2024 |             | 1,526                               | 972                              | 357                       |
| 01-Jul-2024 | 30-Sep-2024 | 1,608                               | 1,004                            | 366                       |
| 01-Oct-2024 | 12-Oct-2024 | 1,581                               | 990                              | 357                       |
| 13-Oct-2024 |             | 1,496                               | 947                              | 306                       |
| 14-Oct-2024 | 31-Oct-2024 | 1,412                               | 905                              | 255                       |
| 01-Nov-2024 | 14-Dec-2024 | 1,399                               | 898                              | 252                       |

# **New Maasai Mara Park Regulations:**

#### **Road safaris**

1: All departures by road should exit the National Reserve no later than 10am. Any departure after 1000 hours will attract an extra day's park fees.

# Flying safaris

1: Guest residing in lodges & camps both inside and outside the Maasai Mara Game Reserve and departing by air should arrive at the Mara airstrip not later than 100 hours for morning flights. Afternoon flights departing after 1200 hours will automatically attract extra-day park fees.

# **Maasai Mara Park Fees:**

We have received notification from Maasai Mara Game Reserve Authorities of intention to increase park fees between July 1 and December 31, 2024, to USD 200 per person per day. Should the new park fee take effect, an additional USD 100 per person per day, for a total of USD 200 per person in park fees for Thorn Tree Safari, shall apply for travel between July 1 and December 31, 2024.



# **Optional Extras on Safari:**

- Fly Mara to Nairobi: Adult: USD 250 per person; Child: USD 190 per person (15kg luggage allowance on all light aircraft)
- Please note that clients flying back to Wilson from Safari will also be expected to pay for Wilson Airport transfers accordingly.
- Fly Mara to Mombasa (Ukunda): Adult: USD 405 per adult; Child: USD 310 per child below 12 years (15kg luggage allowance on all light aircraft)
- Additional Park Fees: USD 100.00 per adult and USD 50.00 per child (applicable for afternoon departure from Mara, including Mombasa Air)
- Extra Lunch at Keekorok Lodge and transfer to the Airstrip: Adult/Child USD 95.00 per person
- Ballooning: Adult/Child: USD 375 per person

#### Notes:

- 1. The above rates are as per the itineraries given above, are as per the meal plans indicated, and include:
- Cost of accommodation on meal plans indicated
- Cost of all transfers and game-drives conducted in 4x4 Land Cruiser
- Cost of all park entrance fees
- Services of professional English driver/guide
- A maximum of 4 singles per group will be charged a single room rate. Any additional singles will be charged at double room rate

# 2. The above costs do not include:

- Expenses of a personal nature
- Tips and porterage
- Any extras incurred at the lodges/hotels
- Any visa fees
- Any international or domestic airfare, unless specified above

## **Child Policy:**

Below 2 years: free

02 – 11.99 years—as above if sharing with 2 adults. minimum age at Treetops/Ark is 7 years



# Exclusive Vehicle Supplement (4x4), Per Person in USD:

| No of Clients | 2 pax | 3 pax | 4 pax | 5 pax | 6 pax |
|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 4x4 Vehicle   | 400   | 150   | 70    | 0     | 0     |

# **Cancellation Policy:**

Before 61 days of arrival No cancellation fee Between 60 and 50 days of arrival 15% cancellation fee Between 49 and 30 days of arrival 3% cancellation fee Between 29 and 0 days of arrival 100% cancellation fee