

# FAMILY ADVENTURES

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## A LEARNING JOURNEY: EXPLORING WITH CHILDREN

[Available ALL YEAR ROUND]

### DAY ONE

Arrive Kilimanjaro TBA. Meet for transfer to accommodation for overnight. **Rivertrees Country Inn** [dinner included]

### DAY TWO

Leisurely morning to catch up on sleep and acclimatize. Mid-morning transfer to Arusha National Park for game driving and exploration. Explore the areas around Ngurdoto crater and Momella lakes for views of potential flashes of flamingo pink as the family canoes on the lake; viewing the resident hippo and birdlife. Return to accommodation for overnight. **Rivertrees Country Inn** [breakfast, lunch, dinner included]

### DAY THREE

Now it is safari time! After early breakfast, gear up and transfer to Tarangire (approx. 2hrs drive). After registration at the game, enter into the national park for game driving. This park is famed for its massive elephant herds, true sense of wilderness and backdrop of baobabs. Continue to camp in the heart of the national park—bordered by historical migratory paths of the elephants in the area. Enjoy sundowners and campfire before dinner. **Tarangire Ndovu Tented Lodge** [breakfast, lunch, dinner included]

## DAY FOUR

Another day in Tarangire—explore the bushveld and onto the Silalei swamp to view a mass of elephants grazing on the succulent grasses. Around the swamp is the potential to spot predators as well, so beware! Return to camp for shower to wash off the safari dust and dinner. After dinner, take part in a night game drive; looking for all those special nocturnal animals as they forage through the night. **Tarangire Ndovu Tented Lodge** [breakfast, lunch, dinner]

**Optional Extra: Balloon Safari over Tarangire with champagne breakfast in the bush after landing, supplement: US\$599pp**

## DAY FIVE

Game drive out of Tarangire and transfer to Mto wa Mbu for exploration of the local farms and villages in tuk tuks. Enjoy a look at the daily life of the people as they work and trade in one of Tanzania's busiest villages where so many tribes meet to exchange wares. Continue to a nearby banana plantation to enjoy a traditional lunch host by a local women's co-op. Help stir and cook to create some delicious Swahili cuisine.

Onward transfer to Lake Eyasi for overnight. **Ziwani Lodge** [breakfast, lunch, dinner]

## DAY SIX

VERY early morning as we wake before sunrise to set off to find a nomadic tribe, the Hadzabe. Join them on a morning hunting and gathering expedition as they move swiftly through the bushveld in search of small mammals and birds to strike with their bow and arrows. Afterwards, return to their temporary camp to celebrate their catch – this is a genuine look into the daily life of Tanzania's last truly nomadic lifestyle.

Continue onto a cultural experience with the Datoga, a trade partner of the Hadzabe. Enjoy a traditional blacksmith demonstration and try your hand at grind maize and more with the women.

Return to the lodge for brunch and then afternoon resting by the pool. **Ziwani Lodge** [breakfast, lunch, dinner]

## DAY SEVEN

Early morning transfer into the Ngorongoro Conservation Area. This area was developed where Maasai and wildlife live in traditional lands without harm to either. Descend into the crater floor, a collapsed volcano, World Heritage site, to game drive the base from open plain, swamp areas and acacia woodlands. Return to camp on the crater rim for overnight. **Lion's Paw** [breakfast, lunch, dinner: house drinks also included]

## DAY EIGHT

Game drive all the way through to the Serengeti. Best time for the wildebeest migration in this part of the season is December – March (southern plains of Ndutu) and June – October (northern areas), but there are spectacular wildlife sights at any time of year. Dinner and camp-fire with the stars and sounds of the African night. Tonight around the camp fire, we listen to some stories of the tribes whose lands are bordering the Serengeti National park. Overnight at **Nasikia Mobile Migration Camp** [breakfast, lunch, dinner]

## DAY NINE

All day game driving in the Serengeti. This area is known for its incredible resident and migratory wildlife viewing. We will explore to the famous kopjes areas or river viewing areas to seek out the best wildlife action. There is so much for children to learn, even when in camp – tracks & signs, bow & arrow practice, Watoto Junior Ranger activity programme. Overnight at **Nasikia Mobile Migration Camp** [breakfast, lunch, dinner]

**Optional Extra: Balloon Safari over central with champagne breakfast in the bush after landing, supplement: US\$599pp**

## DAY TEN

Early morning game drive to airstrip for flight to Zanzibar. Depart Ndotu or Kogatende mid-morning and arrive into Kilimanjaro. Transit to departing flight: Depart JRO TBA (our Zanzibar extensions are the perfect add on to this safari itinerary)

**COSTS BASED ON A FAMILY OF FOUR – TWO ADULTS + TWO CHILDREN (children under 12yrs MUST share with an adult at all times)**

### **RACK RATES:**

PRIVATE FAMILY ADVENTURE, included KOT or NDT/JRO flight

**US \$6,075 per adult x 2, family share (16yrs+)**

**+**

**US \$5,220 per child x 1-2, family share (12-15yrs)**

**Or**

**US \$4,730 per child x 1-2, family share (5-11yrs)**