



# AFRICAN UBUNTU SAFARIS



## Confirmation

*Thank you for booking with  
African Ubuntu Safaris.*

### *Traveller Names*

**Jennifer and Bernadette**

### *Tour Name*

**Kenya Highlights Small Group with  
Amboseli and Zanzibar Safari**

### *Dates of Travel*

**05 - 19 Jul 2014**



## TOUR MAP



## ITINERARY OUTLINE

Click on the blue links in the table below to see further information online

Day	Date	Location	Accommodation
01	05 Jul 2014	Nairobi	<a href="#">Sarova Stanley Hotel</a> - Room (BB)
02	06 Jul 2014	Nairobi	<a href="#">Sarova Stanley Hotel</a> - Room (BB)
03	07 Jul 2014	Nairobi	<a href="#">Sarova Stanley Hotel</a> - Room (BB)
04	08 Jul 2014	<a href="#">Samburu, Shaba, &amp; Buffalo Springs</a>	<a href="#">Sarova Shaba Game Lodge</a> - Chalet (FB)
05	09 Jul 2014	<a href="#">Samburu, Shaba, &amp; Buffalo Springs</a>	<a href="#">Sarova Shaba Game Lodge</a> - Chalet (FB)
06	10 Jul 2014	<a href="#">Lake Nakuru National Park</a>	<a href="#">Sarova Lion Hill Lodge</a> - Chalet (FB)
07	11 Jul 2014	<a href="#">Masai Mara Game Reserve</a>	<a href="#">Sarova Mara Game Camp</a> - Tent (FB)
08	12 Jul 2014	<a href="#">Masai Mara Game Reserve</a>	<a href="#">Sarova Mara Game Camp</a> - Tent (FB)
09	13 Jul 2014	Nairobi	<a href="#">Sarova Stanley Hotel</a> - Room (BB)
10	14 Jul 2014	<a href="#">Amboseli National Park</a>	<a href="#">Amboseli Porini Camp</a> - Tent (FI)
11	15 Jul 2014	<a href="#">Amboseli National Park</a>	<a href="#">Amboseli Porini Camp</a> - Tent (FI)
12	16 Jul 2014	Stone Town	<a href="#">Tembo House Hotel</a> - Room (BB)
13	17 Jul 2014	Stone Town	<a href="#">Tembo House Hotel</a> - Room (BB)
14	18 Jul 2014	Stone Town	<a href="#">Tembo House Hotel</a> - Room (BB)
15	19 Jul 2014		Day of Departure - (B)

BB = Bed and breakfast    FB = Breakfast, lunch, dinner    FI = Breakfast, lunch, dinner and drinks



## FLIGHTS

Day	Date	Route	Depart	Arrive
10	14 Jul 2014	Nairobi to Amboseli	07h30	08h10
12	16 Jul 2014	Amboseli to Nairobi	08h30	09h15
12	16 Jul 2014	PW714 - Nairobi to Zanzibar (on own booking)	13h00	14h40

Cost includes	Cost excludes
Meet and greet services	International flights and visas
All airport transfers	Domestic flights not mentioned as included
Services of an English speaking driver-guide	Driver guide or local escort gratuities
Guaranteed window seat in a shared safari mini-bus (days 04 – 09)	Drinks and dining room tips
Shared camp game viewing activities at Amboseli Porini Camp – including walking safaris, day and night drives, village visits, sundowners	Telephone bill, laundry and any items of a personal nature
Flights as per schedule	Medical, evacuation or travel insurance
All accommodation and meals as specified	
All park fees and government taxes	

## INFORMATION BOARD

### CANCELLATION TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- ▶ All cancellations must be advised of in writing  
Cancellation penalties:
- ▶ For cancellations made more than 60 days prior to start date: 30% cancellation penalty will apply (i.e. full deposit)
- ▶ For cancellations made between 45 and 60 days prior to departure date: 50% cancellation penalty will apply
- ▶ For cancellation made less than 45 days prior to departure date: 100% cancellation penalty will apply (i.e. the full booking cost)

### INSURANCE

- ▶ African Ubuntu Safaris strongly insists that every traveller purchases comprehensive travel insurance. As the deposit is non-refundable, and cancellation penalties apply, insurance must be taken out which can cover you in the event of you needing to cancel your travel plans
- ▶ African Ubuntu Safaris will not be liable for any costs resulting from any traveller's failure to purchase sufficient travel insurance



## DETAILED DAILY ITINERARY

**Day 1****05 Jul 2014****Arrive in Nairobi**

On arrival in Nairobi at **14h45** today on flight **EK719 (flight on own booking)** you will be met after passing through immigration and transferred to the **Sarova Stanley Hotel** where you will spend **3 nights** on a **bed and breakfast basis**. Jambo! Karibu to Kenya! (Hello! Welcome to Kenya!)

**Arrive: 05 Jul 2014 | Depart: 08 Jul 2014****3 nights (breakfast)**

### Sarova Stanley Hotel

Sarova Stanley, as Kenya's first luxury hotel, originating in 1902, is situated in the bosom of Nairobi, and therefore the history of the city and this hotel is inextricably linked. From the heat outside, guests enter through the century old revolving doors into the cool Victorian elegance of the spacious foyer, with its patterned marble floors, chesterfields, old clocks and ancient photographs. There are 217 guest rooms over 8 floors in different categories including Heritage Suites, Executive Suites and Club Rooms. All guest rooms at Sarova Stanley offer a blend of Victorian elegance and comfort, combined with all the practical, executive amenities of the modern age.

### Nairobi

Kenya's capital city has risen from a highland swampland called Ewaso Nai'beri – the place of cold – by the local Masai. When railway workers reached this area in 1899, they set up a basic camp and supply depot. The camp became a rustic village, and then a shanty town, which by 1907 was the capital of all of British East Africa. It was soon an important centre for the colony and a mecca for adventurers, hunters and travellers from all over the world. Modern Nairobi is still the safari capital of the Africa, and has become one of Africa's largest and most interesting cities.

**Day 2 & 3****06 & 07 Jul 2014****Nairobi**

You will have 2 full days in Nairobi to recover from your flights. Excursions can easily be arranged, or you can relax at the hotel pool.

**Day 4****08 Jul 2014****Nairobi ~ Samburu, Shaba, and Buffalo Springs**

This morning you will meet your guide and join your small group safari as you leave Nairobi and drive north to the reserves of Samburu, Shaba and Buffalo Springs. You will have lunch at your lodge before spending the afternoon on a game drive. You will spend the next **2 nights** at the **Sarova Shaba Game Lodge** on a **full board basis**.



Arrive: 08 Jul 2014 | Depart: 10 Jul 2014

2 nights (all meals)



### Sarova Shaba Game Lodge

Sarova Shaba Game Lodge, built in an oasis, is attractively laid out with chalet style rooms overlooking the Uaso Nyiro River. Natural spring water has been harnessed to create a mini forest of indigenous trees, a fish pond and a large free form swimming pool. The Lodge has a presidential suite, 4 executive suites, 10 deluxe and 80 standard rooms, all with en suite bathrooms. The rooms are chalet style, 2 storey thatched roof wooden structures.

### Samburu, Shaba, and Buffalo Springs

On the southern edge of Kenya's northern frontier region, the Uaso Nyiro River carves through the desolate lands, and provides life to the wonderful reserves of Samburu, Shaba and Buffalo Springs. The water is vital for the survival of the many animals found in this region, as well as for the local Samburu tribes who have settled in the area. Especially rewarding during the dry season, when the surrounding land is parched and cracked, these reserves play host to several unique species, and great numbers of predators. Being some of the more remote tourist destinations of Kenya, there is a great sense of adventure in visiting these reserves.



Day 5

09 Jul 2014

Samburu, Shaba, and Buffalo Springs

Today will spend on morning and afternoon game drives inside the Samburu, Shaba and Buffalo Springs Reserves.

Day 6

10 Jul 2014

Samburu, Shaba, and Buffalo Springs ~ Lake Nakuru National Park

This morning you will leave Shaba and drive via the Nyahururu Falls to Lake Nakuru National Park. You will have lunch at your lodge before spending the afternoon on a game drive around this small but picturesque park. You will spend **1 night** at the **Sarova Lion Hill Lodge** on a **full board basis**.

Arrive: 10 Jul 2014 | Depart: 11 Jul 2014

1 night (all meals)



### Sarova Lion Hill Lodge

Sarova Lion Hill Game Lodge is laid out so that most rooms and sitting areas afford you panoramic views of the Lake and the picturesque Lake Nakuru National Park. The lodge incorporates natural landscaping with tall acacia trees, winding walkways and gardens dotted with bird feeds. The chalet style rooms and suites at Sarova Lion Hill Game Lodge have private patios, en suite bathrooms with showers and toilets, running hot & cold water, razor outlets, beds with mosquito nets and duvets.



### Lake Nakuru National Park

Accessed via a relatively short but scenic drive from Nairobi through the Great Rift Valley, Lake Nakuru National Park is a very popular destination, especially amongst bird lovers. Lake Nakuru is one of the best locations in East Africa to view rhinos, and is home to both the black and white species. While famous for the millions of flamingos which lined the lake shore, it is important to note that due to current water levels and changes to the lake over the past few years that these flamingos are no longer present in Lake Nakuru National Park. The flamingos have moved to various other lakes around the region.



Day 7

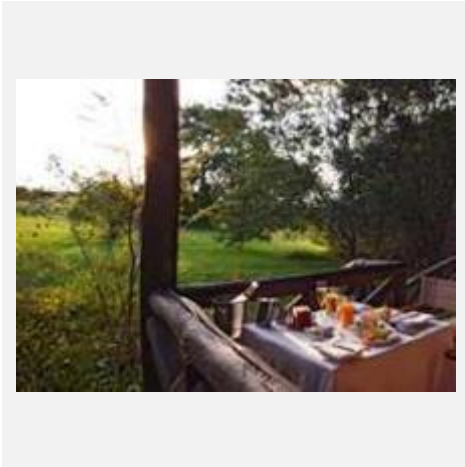
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Lake Nakuru National Park ~ Masai Mara Game Reserve

From Lake Nakuru your journey will continue to the Masai Mara today, where you will arrive in time for lunch before spending the afternoon on a game drive. You will spend the next **2 nights** at the **Sarova Mara Game Camp** on a **full board basis**.

Arrive: 11 Jul 2014 | Depart: 13 Jul 2014

2 nights (all meals)



### Sarova Mara Game Camp

Sarova Mara Game Camp is well positioned to enjoy the remarkable Masai Mara Game Reserve. The Camp is uniquely laid out over the sprawling grounds that include rolling manicured greens, a virtual mini forest of indigenous shrubs and exotic trees, a large pond stocked with fish, mini bird sanctuary and an authentic Maasai Village adjoining the Camp. The 73 tents at Sarova Mara are made up of 20 club tents, 51 standard tents and 2 family tents. They are luxurious and extremely spacious decorated in whites and soothing earthy colours with large beds, loungers, wardrobes and a desk.

### Masai Mara Game Reserve

It is no surprise that the Masai Mara ranks up near the top of most famous game reserves in the world. The land of the Mara is covered with herds of antelope, interspersed with prides of lions, journeys of giraffe, dazzles of zebra, and almost every other collective animal noun you can think of. The sightings are nothing short of fantastic, and it is definitely the park to visit to tick off your "wildlife of Africa" list. The scenery of the park is similar to the open plains of the Serengeti, although the Mara is dotted with more trees, and the game viewing is equal to, or can be better than, its southerly sister



Day 8

12 Jul 2014

Masai Mara Game Reserve

You will spend the day on morning and afternoon game drives inside the Masai Mara.

**Day 9****13 Jul 2014****Masai Mara Game Reserve ~ Nairobi**

Leaving the Masai Mara this morning, you will arrive back in Nairobi around noon, to be dropped off at the **Sarova Stanley Hotel** to spend **1 night** on a **bed and breakfast basis**.

**Day 10****14 Jul 2014****Nairobi ~ Amboseli National Park**

This morning you will be collected from the hotel and transferred to Wilson Airport in time to catch your flight into Amboseli National Park. On arrival at the airstrip you will be met by a guide and driven to your camp in time for lunch. You will spend the next **2 nights** at **Amboseli Porini Camp** on a **fully inclusive basis**. The afternoon will be spent on your first game viewing activity.

**Arrive: 14 Jul 2014 | Depart: 16 Jul 2014****2 nights (all meals and drinks)****Amboseli Porini Camp**

Porini Amboseli Safari Camp is an award-winning safari camp set in the Amboseli eco-system within the exclusive Selenkay Conservancy- an important wildlife dispersal area for wildlife moving out of Amboseli National Park. The camp is small with just 9 spacious guest tents and retains all the charm and feel of the traditional luxury camps. Tents have solar powered electric lighting with en suite bathrooms including shower, wash basin and flush toilet.

**Amboseli National Park**

The combination of masses of animals, diverse eco-systems, and the splendid views of Mount Kilimanjaro make Amboseli National Park high up on the must-see list of any Kenyan safari. With desert landscapes to lush green swampland, the scenery changes entirely during game drives, with new photo opportunities presenting themselves all the time. Amboseli is famous for its huge elephant herds, and is home to a remarkable concentration of species and birdlife.

**Day 11****15 Jul 2014****Amboseli National Park**

During your stay at Amboseli Porini, day and night game drives, walking safaris and cultural village visits are all included. Today will be spent enjoying these activities.

**Day 12****16 Jul 2014****Amboseli National Park ~ Stone Town**

This morning you will fly back to Wilson airport, Nairobi, where you will be met and transferred to Jomo Kenyatta International in time for your flight **PW714 (flight on own booking)** leaving at **13h00** for Zanzibar, where you will be met after arrival at **14h40** and transferred into Stone Town. You will spend the **3 nights** at **Tembo House Hotel** on a **bed and breakfast basis**. The evening will be free for you to explore the town and try out some of the local restaurants and markets.



Arrive: 16 Jul 2014 | Depart: 19 Jul 2014

3 nights (breakfast)




### Tembo House Hotel

Tembo House Hotel is ideally located on the seafront of Stone Town, in the building which once housed the American Consulate. Being centrally located and offering views over the ocean, the hotel is perfectly positioned for you to watch the perpetual motion that is Stone Town. Tembo House has 37 rooms, with most offering balconies overlooking either the beach or the inner courtyard and swimming pool. The Bahari Restaurant offers both local and international cuisine; however, it is important to note that the hotel does not serve any alcohol, so anyone wanting an alcoholic drink will need to dine elsewhere.

### Stone Town

The capital of Zanzibar is Zanzibar Town, in which Stone Town is a bustling, energetic and fascinating ancient part. With narrow mazes as streets, and intricately carved doors decorating the white-washed buildings, Stone Town invites you to explore its inner zones, and many an hour can be spent taking it all in. The sights and sounds, and the spicy smells, somehow remind you of a time long ago, and on exiting the web of alleys you feel as if you have left behind another world in another age.



<b>Day 13 &amp; 14</b>	<b>17 &amp; 18 Jul 2014</b>	<b>Stone Town</b>
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You will have 2 full days to explore Stone Town on your own agenda.

<b>Day 15</b>	<b>19 Jul 2014</b>	<b>Day of Departure</b>
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This morning you will be met and transferred back to Zanzibar Airport in time for your flight **PW421 (flight on own booking)** departing for Dar Es Salaam at **12h15**.

### End of Services

Thanks very much for confirming your travels with African Ubuntu Safaris. We know you will have a fantastic time, and look forward to hearing about it when you return!

Kind regards

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