



AFRICAN UBUNTU SAFARIS

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Confirmed Itinerary

Traveller:	Lyn and Scott
Tour name:	Amboseli and Mara Fly-in Safari
Travel dates:	08 – 16 August 2013
Number of guests:	2

Itinerary Outline

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<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Accommodation</u>	<u>Meals</u>	<u>Location</u>
01	08 August 2013	Sarova Stanley Hotel	BB	Nairobi
02	09 August 2013	Amboseli Porini Camp	FI	Amboseli National Park
03	10 August 2013	Amboseli Porini Camp	FI	Amboseli National Park
04	11 August 2013	Giraffe Manor	FI	Nairobi
05	12 August 2013	Giraffe Manor	FI	Nairobi
06	13 August 2013	Porini Lion Camp	FI	Masai Mara Game Reserve
07	14 August 2013	Porini Lion Camp	FI	Masai Mara Game Reserve
08	15 August 2013	Porini Lion Camp	FI	Masai Mara Game Reserve
09	16 August 2013	Day of departure	B	

BB = Bed and breakfast

FB = Breakfast, lunch, dinner

FI = Breakfast, lunch, dinner and drinks

Cost includes:

- Meet and greet services
- All airport transfers
- Shared activities in Selenkay and Olare Orak Conservancies, including day and night game drives, walking safaris, village visits, sundowners
- 1 day entry in Amboseli National Park (extra entry charged at US\$60 per person)
- 1 day entry into Masai Mara Game Reserve (extra entry charged at US\$80 per person)
- Hot-air balloon flight in Masai Mara
- Daphne Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage visit in Nairobi
- Flights: Nairobi – Amboseli – Nairobi; Nairobi – Masai Mara - Nairobi
- All accommodation and meals as specified

Cost Excludes:

- International flights
- Visas
- Driver guide or local escort gratuities
- Drinks and dining rooms tips, portorage, personal travel and baggage insurance
- Telephone bill, laundry and any items of a personal nature
- Medical, evacuation and travel insurance



Detailed Itinerary

Day 01: 08 August 2013

Arrival into Nairobi

On arrival at Jomo Kenyatta International in Nairobi on flight **SA184** at **15h10** you will be met and transferred to the **Sarova Stanley Hotel** where you will spend **1 night** on a **bed and breakfast basis**.



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.

Day 02: 09 August 2013

Nairobi – Amboseli National Park

B/L/D

This morning you will be collected early from your hotel and transferred to Wilson Airport in time for your Yellow Wings flight to Amboseli, departing at **08h00** and landing at **08h35**. On arrival you will be met and driven to **Amboseli Porini Camp** where you will spend **2 nights** on a **fully inclusive basis**.



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.

Day 03: 10 August 2013

Amboseli National Park

B/L/D

Activities included at Amboseli Porini are day and night game drives, guided walking safaris and a visit to a Masaai village. An exciting and active time will be spent here.

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, all the while being watched over by the highest peak in Africa.





Day 04: 11 August 2013

Amboseli – Nairobi

B/L/D

This morning you will have time for another activity, followed by lunch back at camp. In the afternoon you will be driven back to the airstrip in time for your Safarilink flight to Nairobi, departing at **15h30** and landing at **16h15**, where you will be met on arrival and transferred to **Giraffe Manor**, to spend **2 nights** on a **fully inclusive basis**.

Giraffe Manor

Giraffe Manor is set in 12 acres of private land within 140 acres of indigenous forest and is only 20 kilometres from Nairobi city centre.

Built in the 1930s, this luxury boutique hotel has maintained all the charm of the era and is now famous for its resident herd of Rothschild Giraffe. Giraffe Manor offers you an unparalleled experience of the giraffes, with them vying for your attention at the breakfast table, the front door and even your bedroom window.



Day 05: 12 August 2013

Nairobi

B/L/D

This morning you will enjoy breakfast with the giraffes before being collected and taken to the Daphne Sheldrick Animal Orphanage to see some of the amazing work being done there.

Other excursions in Nairobi can be arranged for the rest of the day, or you can relax and enjoy Giraffe Manor.

Day 06: 13 August 2013

Nairobi – Masai Mara

B/L/D

Following another memorable breakfast, you will be collected and driven back to Wilson Airport in time for your Safarilink flight to the Masai Mara, departing at **10h00** and landing at **11h00**, where you will be met on arrival and driven to **Porini Lion Camp**, in the Olare Orak Conservancy, to spend the next **3 nights** on a **fully inclusive basis**.

Porini Lion Camp

Escape from the tourist trail and experience a more authentic safari adventure staying at the award-winning, eco-friendly Porini Lion Camp. The camp offers a unique opportunity to take guided walks with Maasai Warriors and experience day and night game drives within the Olare Orak Conservancy – a pristine and exclusive 20000-acre wilderness set aside for wildlife conservation and low-impact tourism. The high-quality, spacious tents are tastefully furnished and each has solar-powered lighting, en suite facilities (with hot shower and flush toilet) and a private verandah.



Day 07 & 08: 14 & 15 August 2013

Masai Mara Game Reserve

B/L/D

These 2 days will be spent on shared activities offered by Porini Lion Camp, including day and night game drives, guided walking safaris, sundowners and village visits.

One of these days will be spent inside the Masai Mara, while the other will be spent inside the Olare Orak Conservancy, unless you choose to again enter the reserve at US\$80 per person.

On 15 August you will be collected before sunrise and driven to the launch point for your hot-air balloon flight over the Mara plains. You will drift for about an hour before landing and enjoying a champagne breakfast in the bush. The rest of the day will be spent on camp activities.



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 09: 16 August 2013

Masai Mara – Nairobi

B/L/D

This morning you will have time for another activity before being driven back to the airstrip in time for your Safarilink flight to Nairobi departing at **11h00** and landing at **12h20**. On arrival at Wilson Airport you will be met and transferred to Jomo Kenyatta International in time for your flight **SA185** departing for Johannesburg at **16h00**.

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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 - For cancellations made between 45 and 60 days prior to departure date: 50% cancellation penalty will apply
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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 travel insurance.

Passenger and Travel Information

- Travellers should bring only soft sided bags on safaris.
- All travellers must have Identification Card / Passport with them for internal flights.



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- Luggage restrictions are in place when travelling in Africa, especially concerning light aircraft flights. In general, in Southern Africa the weight limit is 20 kgs per person, and in East Africa the limit is 15 kgs per person. This includes hand luggage. It is possible to pay for extra weight allowance.
- A yellow fever vaccination is compulsory for a number of African countries. Please consult a travel doctor for up to date information.
- Travellers must have a passport which is valid for more than 6 months after the end date of the itinerary.
- Travellers' passports must have a minimum 2 blank pages per country to be visited