

# TRACKS SAFARIS

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### **4 NIGHT TENTED SAFARI IN TANZANIA 10 NIGHT BREEZES BEACH CLUB AND SPA ZANZIBAR**



#### **Day One**

Met at Kilimanjaro Airport and transferred to Arusha for lunch at Arusha Coffee Lodge. After lunch drive to Tarangire National Park for afternoon game drive.

Tarangire National Park lies 120 km south of Arusha, along The Great North Road highway, and is very popular for day trips from the town. Tarangire offers a wide variety of wildlife in its area of 2,600 sq. km. As in all ecosystems, the vegetation and the types of animals you find are closely correlated. The principal features of the park are the flood plains and the grassland, mainly comprising of various types of acacia trees, and a few scattered baobabs, tamarind and the sausage trees. The Tarangire River, after which the

park is named, provides the only permanent water for wildlife in the area. When the Maasai Steppes dry up with the end of the long rains in June, migratory animals return to the Tarangire River, making Tarangire National Park second only to Ngorongoro in the concentration of wildlife. This period stretches between June and November and it is the best season for game viewing in Tarangire. The most common animals found in the park include zebras, wildebeest, lions, leopards, waterbucks, giraffe, elephants, gazelles, impala, gerenuk, lesser kudu and the beautiful fringe-eared oryx. You may be lucky to spot the tree-climbing python for which the park is famous, or the kudu and the roan antelope which are rare species in Northern Tanzania. Over 300 species of birds have been recorded in the Park.

Kirurumu Tarangire Lodge is opening on the 1st June 2011 and is set high in private land on the northern tip of the Tarangire National Park. The tented lodge has stunning views over a water hole and into the park and it ideally located only fifteen minutes' drive away from the main Tarangire National Park gate.

**Dinner and overnight at Kirurumu Under Canvas Camp Tamarindi.**



### **Day Two**

Morning and afternoon game drive in Tarangire National Park

**Meals overnight at Kirurumu Under Canvas Camp Tamarindi**

### **Day Three**

After breakfast drive to Lake Manyara in time for lunch at Kirurumu Tented Lodge. Afternoon game drive in Lake Manyara National Park.

**Dinner and overnight at Kirurumu Tented Lodge**





Located 125 km west of Arusha town, under the wall of the Great Rift Valley, Lake Manyara National Park is one of the oldest and most popular sanctuaries in East Africa. The park has a large variety of habitats, making it possible to support a wealth of wildlife in its small area. The main habitats include the shallow soda lake itself which occupies 70% of the National Park total area of 320 sq. km, the ground water forest, open grassland, acacia woodland and the rift wall. The most famous spectacle in the park is the tree-climbing lions, which are occasionally seen along branches of acacia trees. Other animals found in the park include buffalo, elephants, leopards, baboons, impala, giraffes, zebra, wildebeest, ostrich and hippos. Popularly referred to as an ornithologist's paradise, Lake Manyara National Park contains over 400 bird species found in most savannah and river habitats in East Africa. Common water birds to be seen here are pelicans, spoonbills, Egyptian geese, hammerkops and the migratory flamingos, which arrive in hundreds of thousands creating one of Africa's great natural sights over the soda lake.

Kirurumu Manyara Lodge is set high on the edge of the Great Rift Valley enjoying a marvellous, uplifting and panoramic view eastward over Lake Manyara, the Rift floor and Mt. Losimingori. Behind Kirurumu, the Ngorongoro Highlands rise in green and fertile splendour and form the gateway to Ngorongoro Crater.

#### **Day Four**

Morning and afternoon game drive in Lake Manyara National Park

**Meals overnight at Kirurumu Tented Lodge**

#### **Day Five**

After breakfast drive to Arusha in time for lunch at Arusha Coffee Lodge. After lunch, you will be transferred to Arusha Airport for your departure to Zanzibar. On your arrival, you will be met and transferred to your hotel on the south east coast - Breezes Beach Club and Spa. Afternoon spend at Leisure.

**Dinner and overnight at Breezes Beach Club - Standard room – HB**



#### **Days Six to Fourteen**

Days at leisure to enjoy Breezes Hotel and Spa or maybe take one of the many interesting excursions around the island – Stone Town, a Spice farm, the Josani forest to see the red Colobus Monkey's or swimming with wild dolphins.

Dinner and overnight at **Breezes Beach Club - Standard room – HB**

**For more information about Breezes please follow the link: <http://www.breezes-zanzibar.com/>**



### Day Fifteen

After breakfast, you have the morning and early afternoon at leisure. Later in the afternoon you will be transferred to Zanzibar Airport for your international flight back to the UK.

#### Quotation includes:

- Accommodation during the safari
- Grounds transportation - 4X4 safari vehicle with an English speaking driver/guide.
- Game drives as indicated on the itinerary
- Park entrance fees
- Meet-and-greet services in Arusha
- Flight to Zanzibar from Arusha, transfers and accommodation on half board basis

#### Quotation excludes:

- Visas, inoculations and personal insurance
- International flights
- Departure taxes except where indicated
- Optional activities and excursions
- Drinks, tips, laundry and other personal expenses

