

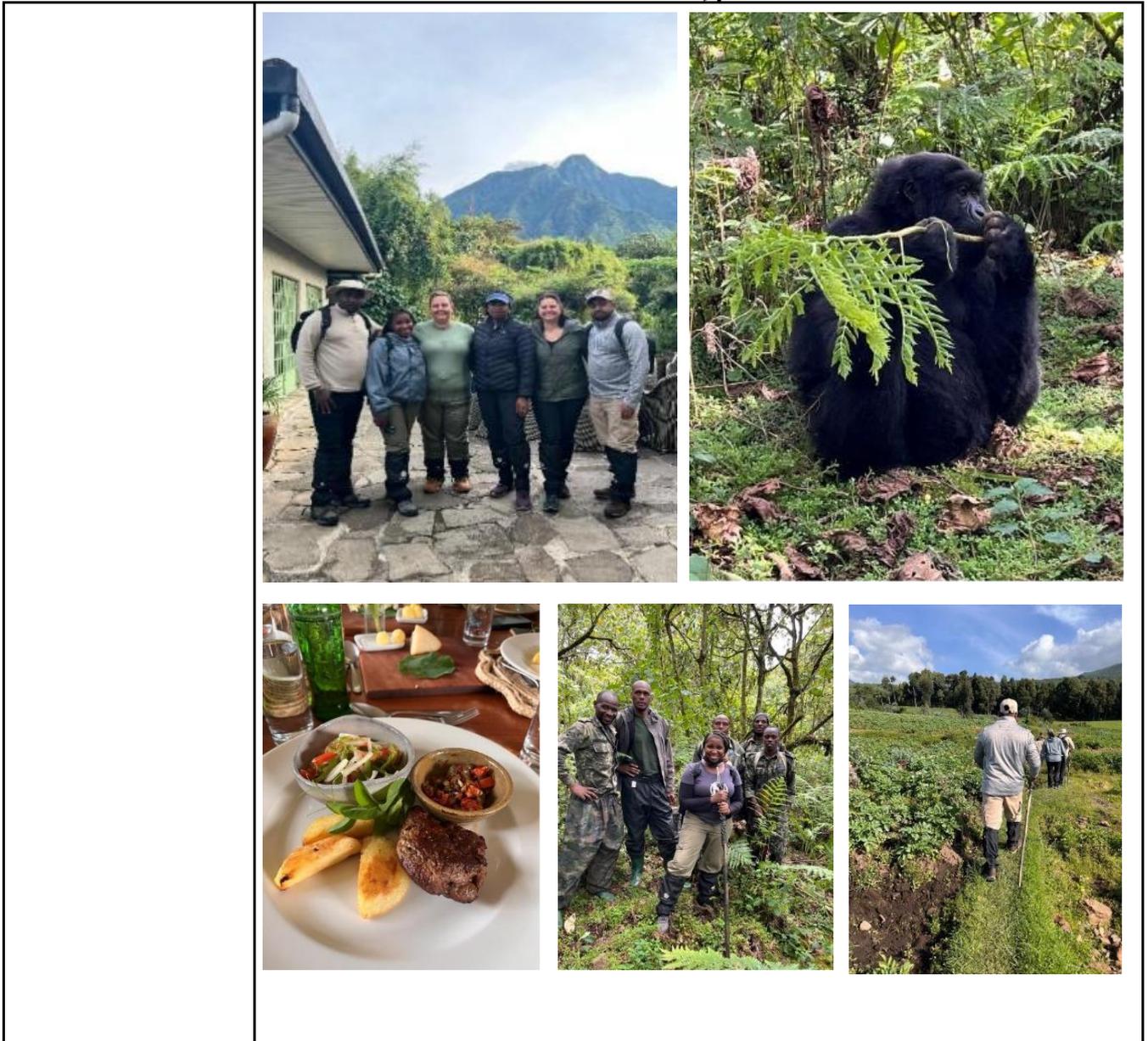
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FIRST-HAND FEEDBACK

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Destination:	Wilderness Magashi
Suits which type of traveller:	Families, Groups, FIT
Recommended activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Game drives, including night drives • Birding • Boat safari • Fishing • Cultural tour
Cuisine:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch: 3-course à la carte menu – flexible options • Dinner: 3-course à la carte menu – flexible options • Breakfast: Fresh continental options, with hot dishes available from the à la carte menu <p>Wholesome, flavourful food in well-sized portions. We appreciated how well our dietary requirements were catered for, including delicious vegetarian options.</p>
Highlights during visit/stay:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The scenery • Wildlife experience • Fishing • Seeing the large population of rhino and knowing that Wilderness helped contribute towards this
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Destination:	Wilderness Sabyinyo
Suits which type of traveller:	Families, Groups, FIT
Recommended activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gorilla trekking • Golden monkey trekking • Chimpanzee trekking • Birding / nature walks • Community involvement and SACOLA presentation (Sabyinyo Community Livelihood Association) • Visit to the garden and on-site farm (which has chickens and sheep)



Cuisine:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch: 3-course à la carte menu – flexible options • Dinner: 3-course à la carte menu – flexible options • Breakfast: Fresh continental options, with hot dishes available from the à la carte menu <p>Food is full of flavour, with a variety of choices and well-sized portions. Long tables can be arranged for groups, as well as intimate dining for couples. All dietary requirements are catered for, with excellent vegetarian alternatives.</p>
Highlights during visit/stay:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We loved the rooms – different in style from other Wilderness camps, with a homely country farmhouse feel. Bathrooms are very spacious. It was cold when we arrived, and staff prepared the fireplace in our rooms. <p>Top highlights:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gorilla trekking – porters are very helpful and well trained, assisting with bags and supporting guests during the hike • Banana fries with sweet chilli sauce • Beautiful views • Cocktails – in our experience, this camp leads in cocktail quality in Rwanda • Singing and dancing

Destination:	Wilderness Bisate Lodge
Suits which type of traveller:	Families, Groups, FIT
Recommended activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gorilla trekking • Golden monkey trekking • Nature walk/hike at Bisate • Chimpanzee trekking • Visit to the Ellen DeGeneres Campus of the Dian Fossey Gorilla Fund • Tree planting
Cuisine:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We enjoyed wholesome meals, which were a blend of Rwanda and contemporary cuisine. • All our dietary requirements were also catered for, with excellent vegetarian alternatives (the lodge has its own organic veggie garden).
Highlights during visit/stay:	<p>Top highlights:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warm welcome with singing and smiles from staff and camp manager • Visiting the nursery and selecting a tree to plant • Hike to the crater with 360-degree mountain views • Neck and shoulder massage by the fireplace in the room • Tasty, wholesome food • Friendly and attentive staff, always willing to go the extra mile • Insightful information shared by camp managers and the conservation team



Destination:	Wilderness Bisate Reserve (Site inspection)
Suits which type of traveller:	Families, FIT
Recommended activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gorilla trekking • Golden monkey trekking • Nature walk/hike at Bisate • Chimpanzee trekking • Visit to the Ellen DeGeneres Campus of the Dian Fossey Gorilla Fund • Tree planting
Highlights during visit/stay:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We toured the Bisate Reserve lodge rooms and public areas and saw progress on The Sanctuary build. It already looks impressive, and we are excited to see the final result. • The rooms are exceptional, designed for full-day enjoyment. Views over the surrounding farmlands are beautiful. The outdoor hot tub is perfect for relaxing with a drink while enjoying the scenery. • The passage linking Rooms 1 and 2 is very discreet and will work well for families. • The Kwanda Day Lounge is a peaceful space to relax, freshen up after tracking on departure day, enjoy a meal, and walk through the herb gardens. • The view from the Bisate Reserve rooftop into the crater is breathtaking.