



Iconic Africa

This iconic 9 night itinerary features the Masai Mara in Kenya, the awe-inspiring wonder of the Victoria Falls and game-rich Hwange National Park in Zimbabwe. Offering a diverse safari experience, three possible options cater for different budgets.



Brief Itinerary

9 nights / 10 days



Days 1, 2 & 3

Arrive at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport and transfer by road to Wilson Airport. From Wilson Airport, depart with Governors' Aviation to Musiara airstrip in the Masai Mara, followed by a short road transfer to Governors' Camp or Little Governors' Camp for three nights.

Day 4

Return to Musiara airstrip for your air transfer back to Wilson Airport and onward road transfer to Ole Sereni or Hemingways Hotel, Nairobi, for one night.

Days 5 & 6

Transfer to Jomo Kenyatta International Airport for your scheduled commercial flight to Livingstone, Zambia (or Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe from 18 May 2017). Arrive at Harry Mawanga Nkumbula International Airport and transfer by road to Toka Leya Camp for two nights.

Days 7, 8 & 9

Clearing immigration formalities en route, transfer by road from Toka Leya to Victoria Falls International Airport for your Wilderness Air flight to Davison's Camp, Little Makalalo Camp or Linkwasha Camp situated in Hwange National Park, for three nights.

Day 10

Transfer back to Linkwasha airstrip for your Wilderness Air flight back to Victoria Falls International Airport and onward arrangements.



Our Recommendation: With Kenya Airways flying to Cape Town too, you have the opportunity of experiencing the Fair Cape – another iconic African destination – as part of the same journey. Table Mountain, the Cape Peninsula, the Winelands and the ocean are some of the highlights that can be added to this programme. Tailor-made according to interest and budget; contact your travel consultant for further information.



Area and Property Information

Kenya | MASAI MARA

Set in the heart of Africa's Great Plains in Kenya, the Masai Mara boasts 1 672 square kilometres of unspoilt wilderness offering great game and bird-viewing year round. The Masai Mara is a place of natural drama and a kaleidoscope of colour but is most stunning between July and October, when the savannah teems with animals during the Great Wildebeest Migration. Boasting an exceptional population of lion, leopard and cheetah, one may also see elephant, buffalo, hyaena, black-backed and side-striped jackals, as well some unique antelope: topi, Thompson's gazelle and Grant's gazelle amongst others.



GOVERNORS' CAMP

The camp is located in the forest along the winding banks of the Mara River in the heart of the Masai Mara National Reserve. Some of the 37 tents lining the riverbank enjoy uninterrupted views over the Mara River with its birdlife, hippo and crocodile, while others have views across the sweeping plains of the Masai Mara.



LITTLE GOVERNORS' CAMP

Located on the edge of the Masai Mara National Reserve, 17 luxury en-suite tents are situated around a large waterhole with abundant birds and wildlife. The camp is approached by boat across the Mara River, followed by an escorted walk through the riverine forest.

Kenya | NAIROBI

Founded in 1899 by the colonial authorities in East Africa as a rail depot on the Uganda Railway, Nairobi is Kenya's capital city. The name "Nairobi" comes from the Maasai phrase Enkare Nairobi, which translates to "cool water". An energetic and modern city that is also an established hub for business and culture, Nairobi has the world's only game reserve found within a major city.



OLE SERENI

Overlooking Nairobi National Park, with giraffe, zebra, antelope and buffalo near the waterhole, the views alone make Ole Sereni one of a kind. The convenience of the location, between Nairobi's international and regional airports, and the world-class restaurants and spa, complements the experience of East Africa.



HEMINGWAYS HOTEL

Hemingways Hotel in Nairobi elevates the standard of luxury service for travellers in the region. Beautiful in its symmetry and flooded with natural light, the plantation-style property is airy and spacious. The beautifully-appointed bedrooms each have a private balcony overlooking the silhouette of the Ngong Hills.



Area and Property Information

Zambia | MOSI-OA-TUNYA NATIONAL PARK

This small but important national park near Livingstone, is named after the Victoria Falls (its name is translated as “the smoke that thunders,” the Falls’ local name) is host to a variety of habitat types, from mopane woodland to a rich riverine fringe. Year round you may see impala, giraffe, white rhino and buffalo, while in the drier season herds of elephant come down to drink from the river and even swim across to the other side. The birdlife along the Zambezi is diverse with African finfoot, half-collared kingfisher and Schalow’s turaco being special finds.



TOKA LEYA

This contemporary warm camp within the park consists of 12 climate controlled units on elevated wooden decks, each with sweeping views of the Zambezi River. The main area has a novel pizza oven, bar, infinity pool and spa area. Activities include guided tours of Victoria Falls, cultural, museum and market tours, game drives in Mosi-oa-Tunya and boat cruises on the Zambezi River. Nearby Livingstone is rated as one of the world’s top destinations for adrenaline and river activities including (at additional cost) seasonal white water rafting, bungee jumping, gorge swing, canoe trips on the Zambezi and falls-edge dining.

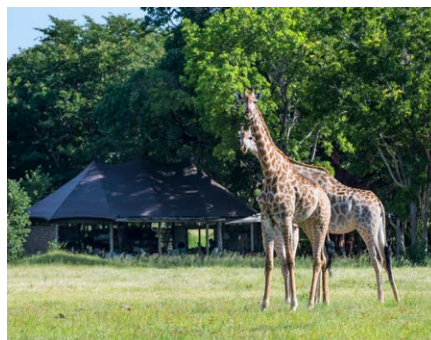
Zimbabwe | HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

Hwange National Park: Zimbabwe’s largest and most popular national park supports a mix of habitats, a diverse area that is shared between desert-adapted and woodland species, ensuring large numbers of animals all year round – elephant, buffalo, sable, roan, giraffe, wildebeest, impala and even gemsbok. The high occurrence of plains game results in first-class predator numbers such as lion, leopard, wild dog, cheetah, and spotted hyaena. The park is also home to a varied bird community of over 420 recorded species.



DAVISON’S CAMP

Nestled in a grove of beautiful false mopane trees, Davison’s Camp consists of eight twin-bedded en-suite tents and one family unit. Named after the founder of Hwange National Park and its first warden, Ted Davison, the camp overlooks an extremely productive waterhole that attracts not only elephant but a variety of plains game and predators.



LITTLE MAKALOLO

This intimate camp has six well-appointed units, including one honeymoon suite and a family unit, and ensures maximum privacy with a convivial main area, dining room, and plunge pool. A log-pile hide overlooking the waterhole in front of camp affords guests a unique game viewing experience as all manner of wildlife come to drink.



LINKWASHA CAMP

The camp’s nine luxurious en-suite tents (eight twin and one family) all offer uninterrupted views of a waterhole, while the main area includes various multi-level decks and a cosy winter lounge complete with fireplace and library. Shaded salas surround an inviting pool. The camp is located near the famed Ngamo Plains, which offers fantastic summer game viewing, while during winter the pan in front of camp is a magnet for game in the dry season.



Additional Information, Terms & Conditions

Option 1

3 nights Governors' Camp
1 night Ole Sereni
(superior room)
2 nights Toka Leya
3 nights Davison's

Option 2

3 nights Little Governors'
1 night Hemingways Hotel
(deluxe room)
2 nights Toka Leya
3 nights Little Makalolo

Option 3

3 nights Little Governors'
1 night Hemingways Hotel
(deluxe room)
2 nights Toka Leya
3 nights Linkwasha

Notes

- Governors' Aviation – maximum 15kg*, including carry-on and camera equipment, in a soft bag.
- Wilderness Air – maximum 20kg, including carry-on and camera equipment, in a soft bag.
- Depending on nationality, visas may be required to enter Kenya, Zambia and Zimbabwe, and will either need to be obtained in advance or at the border/airport. Yellow Fever vaccination is required for Kenya. Relevant costs are for guests' own account.

**Extra luggage can be stored free at Wilson Airport. Photographers may request extra allowance in advance at additional cost.*



Terms and Conditions

- All accommodation and flights are subject to availability.
- This package may not be combined with any other special.
- Please contact your travel consultant for single traveller rates.
- Applicable to new bookings only, no conversion of existing bookings permitted.
- All standard terms and conditions of Wilderness Safaris and Governors' Camp Collection apply.

INCLUSIONS

- Governors' Camps: accommodation, all meals, twice-daily scheduled camp activities, park fees and laundry
- Ole Sereni: accommodation, breakfast, VAT, tourism levy
- Hemingways: accommodation, breakfasts, VAT, tourism levy, express check in and check out, Butler Valet services, free Wi-Fi connectivity, satellite television, complimentary local newspaper for the guests, complimentary use of gym, sauna, steam and outdoor heated pool, unlimited supply of mineral water in the room.
- Wilderness Safaris: accommodation, all meals, twice-daily scheduled camp activities, park fees, laundry, and all drinks (excluding premium brands and champagne)
- Road transfers as listed in the itinerary
- Air transfers to and from Governor's and Hwange camps as listed in the itinerary

EXCLUSIONS

- All regional and international scheduled commercial flights including related taxes
- Road transfers and touring not listed in the inclusions
- Cancellation, baggage, travel and medical insurance
- All premium imported drinks and champagnes at Wilderness Safaris camps
- All drinks at Governors' camps
- Any government taxes, levies, fuel or industry increases beyond our control
- Visas and associated fees
- Staff gratuities
- Any items of personal nature