

KICHWA TEMBO TENTED CAMP

UNIQUE SELLING POINTS

• Witness the spectacular **migration** of almost two million wildebeest, zebra and other herbivores – June to October – including **Mara River crossing** • **Mara River crocodiles** • Huge herds of elephant, **black-maned Mara lions** and red-tailed monkey • **Interpretive game drives** in open game viewing vehicles • **Pan African cuisine** • **Home-grown organic vegetables** from the camp's own shamba (vegetable garden) • Optional extras: **Hot air ballooning**, **nature walks** with resident Maasai naturalists around camp, **Maasai cultural village visits**, **night drives** on private concession, sundowners on rim of Great Rift Valley.

LOCATION

Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp is situated on the western border of the Masai Mara Game Reserve in southwestern Kenya. Set on a private concession leased from Maasai landlords, the camp lies at the base of the Oolololo escarpment just below the spot where *Out of Africa's* most famous scene was shot. The camp overlooks the plains of the Masai Mara and lies directly in the path of the annual migration of wildebeest and zebra.

ACCESS

Air Kenya and Safari Link operates twice daily scheduled flights from Wilson Airport in Nairobi to Kichwa Tembo's private airstrip. The flights are approximately one hour. The lodge collects guests from and returns them to the airstrip – a 30-minute game drive.

GUEST ACCOMMODATION

40 hemingway-style safari tents (28 classic safari tents and 12 luxury tents) with ensuite bathroom. The tents are spacious and have a shower, hand basin and w.c. Each tent has two extra-length three-quarter beds.

GUEST AREAS

The guest area includes a reception, Safari Shop, bar/sitting room and indoor/outdoor dining area, all of which overlook endless, game-filled plains and are shaded by a dense forest canopy, with the Oolololo Escarpment in the background. There is a large sparkling swimming pool set among trees and surrounded by lawns.

SAFARIS

Morning and afternoon game drives in open 4x4 safari vehicles, birdwatching and daily lectures by a Maasai naturalist. Optional excursions at an additional cost include night game-drives on the lodge's private concession, guided walking trails up and along the Oolololo escarpment, a Maasai community visit, sundowners at a location with spectacular views across the Mara and hot air ballooning.

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Number of Rooms	40 tents (28 classic safari tents and 12 luxury tents)
Maximum Guests	80
Children	Yes
Triples	3 (children 11 yrs & younger)
Twin Beds	All convertible to double
Lodge Pool	Yes
Indoor Showers	Yes
Private w.c.	Yes
In Room Safe	No - Central safe
Telephone	No (intermittent mobile reception)
Hairdryers	In luxury tents only
Laundry Included	Extra cost
Suitable for Disabled Guests	Yes, with assistance
Distance between Rooms	6-10m/20-33ft
Check In	14h00
Check Out	11h00
Power	220v AC (luxury tents only)
Private 4x4 safari vehicle	If available, extra cost
Childminding	Yes
Credit Cards	Visa, Amex & MasterCard
In-Room Massage	Yes

Temperature: Temperate climate with average temperatures of 26°C/79°F during the day and 12°C/54°F during the night.

Rainfall: April/May and November.

Best time to travel: All year round

Altitude: 1634m/5 360ft above sea level

Airstrip: Kichwa Tembo airstrip is registered and the coordinates are: S 01°16' and E 35°02'.

Park Fees: USD40 per adult per day and USD11 for children 12 years and younger (subject to change without notice).

Children: Children welcome. Regretfully, children 5 years and younger cannot participate in the regular game drives. Child minders can be booked at an additional cost. Children aged 6 to 11 years are accommodated on game drives at the Camp Manager's discretion. Should parents wish to be close to their children, the rondavels are recommended for family accommodation. An extra bed can be arranged for a child 11 and younger sharing with their parents. No more than three triples in camp at any one time.

Malaria: The camp is situated in a low risk malaria area.

Ratio of guests to staff: 1 to 2

Camp closure: Open year round