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Elephant Walk

DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

Classic safari with private guide

Elephant Walk focuses on and supports the majestic elephant as the species faces a fight for survival in the face of ivory poaching and habitat loss. Visit the David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust that raises, rehabilitates and helps transition orphaned Kenyan elephants back into the wild. See how these baby elephants connect with their caretakers in the Nairobi orphanage and how they prepare for reintegration back into wild at the Ithumba compound in Tsavo National Park. Meet researchers in elephant-dense Amboseli National Park. Connect to this deeply emotional, intelligent and sentient species who exhibit “leadership...survival, and...concepts that are not supposed to be applied to animals: patience, loyalty, love, and joy.”

—Cynthia Moss, Amboseli Elephant Research Project

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Welcome to Deeper Africa

Wildlife encounters, at once spontaneous and beyond imagination, result from our in-depth knowledge of seasonal wildlife migrations and patterns. Our guides possess a lifetime of African lore and all the skills of a master tracker. *It's being in the perfect place at the perfect time.*

As a worldwide team with vast experience, we provide you with exceptional personal service. We attend to every detail. We help you learn about Africa's important conservation issues. *Arrive in Africa fully prepared and ready to explore.*

We believe that local African communities must benefit and prosper from the conservation and enjoyment of Africa's wildlife. They ensure the future. Your dollars protect wildlife and wild lands, as well as support and nurture local small businesses that in turn support our safari business. *Your dollar makes change.*

Experience wondrous wildlife, enjoy local culture and discover more about the vibrant people and complicated politics unique to Africa. *We love this wild continent.*

A herd of elephants is shown in a savanna landscape. In the foreground, a large elephant with prominent tusks stands facing the viewer. To its left, another elephant is partially visible, and further left, a smaller elephant is seen. The background shows more elephants and a clear blue sky with some trees. The text 'classic safaris with Deeper Africa' is overlaid in a white, elegant script font.

classic safaris with Deeper Africa

ENDLESS WILDERNESS, GREAT GUIDES & SPECTACULAR WILDLIFE VIEWING

It's all about the wildlife.

We'll get you to the best locations during the right seasons. Learn animal identification, tracking and spotting skills. Accommodations are comfortable and the food is delicious.

Come with us and discover the brilliance and serenity of Africa in the company of experts who can give you a closer look, a richer taste, and a deeper understanding of an astonishing landscape.

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Safari schedule at a glance

International flight #1

Departs: TBD

Arrives: TBD

International flight #2

Departs: TBD

Arrives: NBO

Days 1 & 2:

Arrival in Nairobi, Kenya
Overnight at Ololo Lodge

Days 3 & 4:

Bush flight to Amboseli National Park
Overnight at Tawi Lodge

Days 5 & 6:

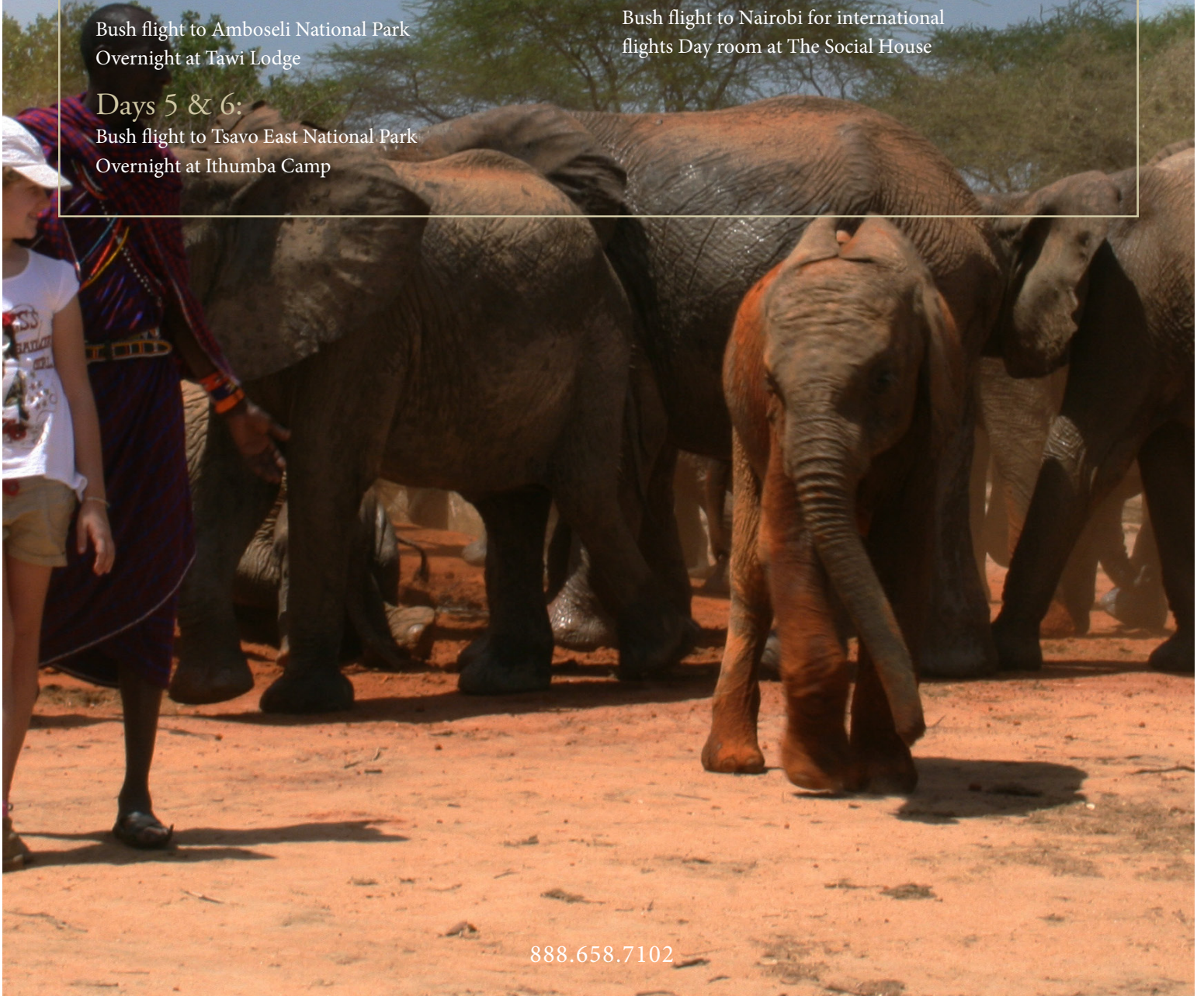
Bush flight to Tsavo East National Park
Overnight at Ithumba Camp

Days 7 & 8:

Drive within Tsavo East National Park
Overnight at Satao Camp

Day 9:

Bush flight to Nairobi for international
flights Day room at The Social House



DAYS 1 & 2

Ololo Lodge Nairobi National Park

Wildlife viewing
Get your checklist ready

Baboons, Buffalo, Cheetahs,
Crocodiles, Giraffes, Hippos,
Leopard, Lions, Ostriches,
Rhinos, Wildebeests, Zebras

Activities included
Keep your camera close

David Sheldrick Wildlife
Trust elephant orphanage
visit

Upon clearing customs at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport in Kenya's bustling capital city of Nairobi, your Deeper Africa guide awaits you holding a Deeper Africa sign with your name on it. He will transport you to Ololo Lodge in Nairobi National Park. Wake up in the park after a good night's sleep. Your Deeper Africa guide will be meeting you the following morning to take you to Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage.

The Sheldrick Orphanage adopts baby elephants who have lost their mothers to poaching. These orphaned elephants live, play and learn together under

the compassionate watch of their inspiring human caretakers, who prepare them to return to the wild.

Watch elephant feedings and mud baths and meet elephants less than two years of age.

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Wi-Fi, Swimming Pool
Private guide & private vehicle

DAYS 3 & 4

Tawi Lodge Amboseli National Park

Elephants celebrate birth, have lifelong friendships, and mourn the death of family members.

Depart for small yet spectacular Amboseli National Park in southern Kenya, known for its elephants. Meet and learn about these intelligent and sentient elephants, and view a variety of wildlife in the park's plains, acacia woodland, savannas, marshes and lake swamps.

Visit the Moss Research Station, where Cynthia Moss, author of *Echo of Elephants*, and her Amboseli Elephant Research Project (AERP) team have spent more than 40 years studying some 1,500 elephants in 50 families. Through research, training, community outreach and public awareness, AERP works to ensure the long-term conservation and welfare of Africa's elephants, and to

Wildlife viewing <i>Get your checklist ready</i>	Activities included <i>Keep your camera close</i>
Elephants, Buffalo, Crocodiles, Gazelles, Giraffes, Hippos, Hyenas, Jackals, Lions, Mongoose, Ostrich, Warthog, Wildebeest, Zebras	Wildlife viewing Hiking Cultural exchange

understand the complex communication and social networks within elephant families. With park researchers, tourists and support of the local Maasai people, Amboseli's elephant population is one of the rare few that has lived relatively undisturbed. The population has slowly increased since the late 1970s.

Tawi Lodge, on a 6,000 acre private conservancy run in conjunction with the African Wildlife Foundation, offers incredible views of Mt. Kilimanjaro.

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Swimming Pool, Private guide
& private vehicle

Wildlife viewing
Get your checklist ready

Activities included
Keep your camera close

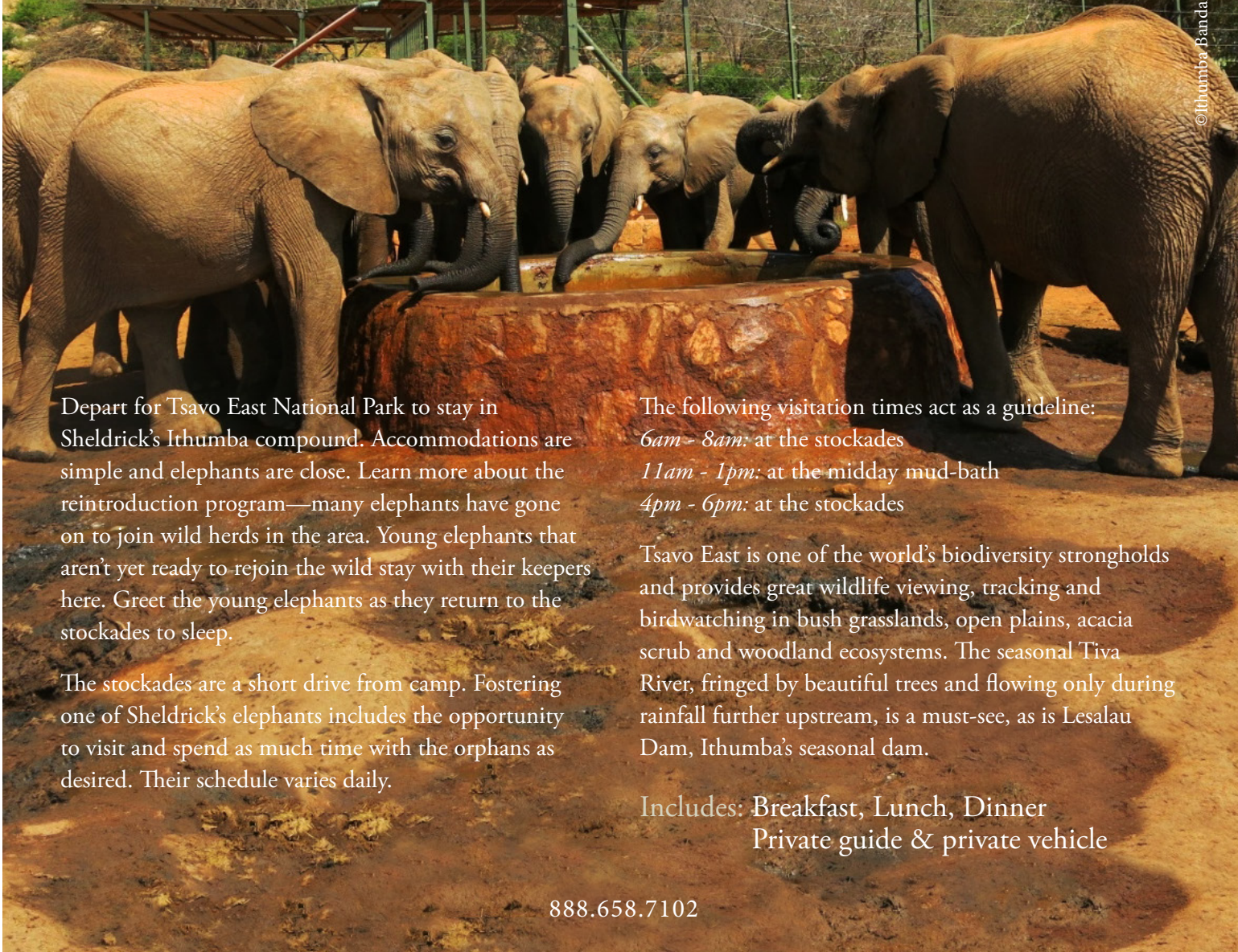
Elephants, Buffalo, Cheetah,
Crocodiles, Gerenuk,
Giraffes, Hippos, Hyenas,
Kudu, Lions, Ostrich,
Waterbuck, Zebras

Wildlife viewing
David Sheldrick
Wildlife Trust elephant
orphanage visit

DAYS 5 & 6

Ithumba Camp Tsavo East National Park

©Ithumba Banda/David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust



Depart for Tsavo East National Park to stay in Sheldrick's Ithumba compound. Accommodations are simple and elephants are close. Learn more about the reintroduction program—many elephants have gone on to join wild herds in the area. Young elephants that aren't yet ready to rejoin the wild stay with their keepers here. Greet the young elephants as they return to the stockades to sleep.

The stockades are a short drive from camp. Fostering one of Sheldrick's elephants includes the opportunity to visit and spend as much time with the orphans as desired. Their schedule varies daily.

The following visitation times act as a guideline:

6am - 8am: at the stockades

11am - 1pm: at the midday mud-bath

4pm - 6pm: at the stockades

Tsavo East is one of the world's biodiversity strongholds and provides great wildlife viewing, tracking and birdwatching in bush grasslands, open plains, acacia scrub and woodland ecosystems. The seasonal Tiva River, fringed by beautiful trees and flowing only during rainfall further upstream, is a must-see, as is Lesalau Dam, Ithumba's seasonal dam.

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Private guide & private vehicle

<p><i>Wildlife viewing</i> <i>Get your checklist ready</i></p>	<p><i>Activities included</i> <i>Keep your camera close</i></p>
<p>Elephants, Buffalo, Cheetah, Crocodiles, Gerenuk, Giraffes, Hippos, Hyenas, Kudu, Lions, Ostrich, Waterbuck, Zebras</p>	<p>Wildlife viewing</p>

DAYS 7 & 8

Satao Camp Tsavo East National Park

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Satao Camp provides delicious food, quality service and is one of the best places to view passing elephants from the comfort of camp. View the wild herds roaming freely throughout Tsavo here and watch the close bonds between the family members.

The southern area of the park provides an opportunity to see many other wildlife species, particularly the unique Tsavo lion, which neither look nor behave like their Serengeti cousins. Adult males often lack a mane which would normally cause them to be shunned by

females and bullied by other males. But here, maneless lions exist in all resident prides and this does not put the lions at a disadvantage. Requiring less water to cool themselves, they can travel longer and farther in search of females and prey. Tsavo prides are made up of single males with 4 to 10 adult females each, larger than the Serengeti's prides.

**Includes: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Private guide & private vehicle**

The fight is far from over. African elephants continue to face a myriad of threats to their survival.

Sheldrick Wildlife Trust

30%

Decline in African Savanna Elephant population in 15/18 countries according to The Great Elephant Census

8%

Per year
Decline in elephants between 2007 & 2014

More than

30,000

elephants killed by poachers last year

Ivory is now BANNED or soon to be in China, USA, UK, Taiwan & Hong Kong. Legal ivory markets still exist in Laos, Vietnam & Thailand.

Tanzania, Mozambique & Angola experienced staggering declines, according to The Great Elephant Census. Elephants will go extinct within the next decade if the killing continues at this rate.

“Only
elephants
should own
ivory.” -Yao Ming

DAY 9

The Social House

Flights & International Travel

After breakfast, depart with a picnic lunch to the bush airstrip in Tsavo West National Park for your flight back to Nairobi. Stop by Mzima Springs—a series of four natural springs hosting populations of hippos, crocodiles and a variety of fish species.

A Deeper Africa driver awaits you at Wilson Airport to transfer you to The Social House where you have a day room. In the evening, your driver will see you safely to Jomo Kenyatta Airport for your international departure.

Includes: Breakfast
Swimming Pool, Wi-Fi
Private guide & private vehicle

Flight #1 (Day 9)

Departs | Nairobi, Kenya

Arrives | TBD

Flight #2 (Day 10)

Departs | TBD

Arrives | TBD

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2023 Pricing: \$8,500 - \$10,190

2023 Custom Pricing & Departures

**Apr 1 - May 31
Nov 1 - Nov 30**

- 2 guests: \$9,750 USD per person
- 4 guests: \$8,900 USD per person
- 6 guests: \$8,500 USD per person
- Single supplement: \$5,300 USD

**Jan 6 - Mar 31, Jun 1 - Jun 30
Oct 1 - Oct 31, Dec 1 - Dec 20**

- 2 guests: \$9,990 USD per person
- 4 guests: \$9,200 USD per person
- 6 guests: \$8,700 USD per person
- Single supplement: \$5,450 USD

**Jul 1 - Sept 30
Dec 21 - Jan 5**

- 2 guests: \$10,190 USD per person
- 4 guests: \$9,300 USD per person
- 6 guests: \$9,100 USD per person
- Single supplement: \$5,500 USD

All pricing is in US dollars. Arrivals and departures are through Jomo Kenyatta International Airport in Nairobi. Prices do not include international airfare. All itineraries and prices are subject to change.

Elephant Walk safari includes:

- Start-to-finish safari expertise
- Accommodations in all lodges and tented camps
- All meals as stated in itinerary
- Wildlife viewing with private guide in private 4x4 safari Land Cruiser
- Visit to Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage, visit to elephant research camp
- All park and entrance fees
- Enrollment with Flying Doctors Evacuation Service
- All in-country transportation
- Laundry at some camps and lodges
- Alcohol and beverages at some camps and lodges
- Safe drinking water available at all times
- Beverages in your 4x4 safari vehicle
- Extensive pre-departure briefing and materials including health information, reading list and map
- Vaccinations and Visa support
- Curated list of Cultural Resources

International airfare and gratuities not included. Certain brands of alcohol and beverages not included in some camps.

We plan your adventures in areas where wildlife habitats are known to exist for the season and time you're traveling. Still, animals are not in a zoo. They run freely and we cannot always anticipate their movements.



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