

3 days Safari extension in Queen Elizabeth National Park









What is included?

3 game drives: game drive in Ishasha sector which is famous for its tree-climbing lions. Early morning and sunset game drive in QE NP. We expect to see Lions, Elephants, Leopards, Buffaloes, Hyenas and a variety of Antelope species.

You will also visit the Crater Lake region and drive along the Baboon Cliffs Viewpoint from where you can have a splendid view of the plains and surrounding countryside. At Lake Katwe you have the opportunity to see centuries old methods of producing salt.

1 boat trip: along the hippo-crowded Kazinga Channel which connects Lake Edward in the West and Lake George in the East. The two hours boat trip gives an opportunity to see some of the 550 registered species of birds, the highest concentration of hippos in Africa, many elephants, buffalos and antelopes passing along the channel.

Optional activity: take a walk to Kyambura to see chimpanzees while trekking in a beautiful gorge. The savannah type vegetation of the park transforms into a lush tropical forest here that gives home to many forest-living species. The view from the edge is spectacular and in the depth of the gorge chimpanzees can be tracked. (USD 50)





2 nights accommodation in Bush Lodge

Rates for this tour are:

If 2 persons are travelling: **US\$ 830**/person If 3 persons are travelling: **US\$ 660**/person If 4 persons are travelling: **US\$ 510**/person

Prices include:

- All ground transport with an experienced English speaking Ugandan driver/guide (incl. all fuel for the tour); Pick up in Bwindi NP and dropping in Kampala after the tour.
- Accommodation (in double rooms/safari tents)
- All activities described in the itinerary
- All meals
- Park entry fees
- 1,5l bottled mineral water/person/day

Prices do not include:

- Optional activities
- Travel insurance
- Tips and gratuities
- Personal spending money for souvenirs, laundry, etc.
- All drinks
- Medical expenses, such as malaria prevention
- Holiday surcharge

Note: Upgrades for accommodations are possible at all locations. We retain the right to substitute any accommodations to suitable accommodations if there is no availability.

Your accommodation will be in Bush Lodge. It is in a quiet place, opposite a lake and has self-contained african style sasfari tents and excellent food. Elephants are common guests at the lodge. An upgrade for this accommodation is possible. The final itinerary for this or any of the extended safaris can be made once I know the exact date of the end of your bicycle tour.



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Other safarias, activities you could do after the cycling tour:

1. Murchison Falls National Park: located about 1 day drive from Bwindi.

Varied habitats, rolling grasslands, bushy hills, papyrus swamps, tropical forest and open water describes Uganda biggest conservation area.

The park is a paradise for birders with its more than 430 registered species.

The small boat cruise on the Nile drives along the shores where many water birds, grazing buffalos, elephant, crocodiles and hippos can be observed.

The boat reaches close to the bottom of the 40 metre Murchison Falls where the river cascades through a less than 7 metre wide breach. A walk can be taken from where the boat stops to the top of the waterfalls. The Nile divides the park into two parts and the northern part is better for watching wildlife. Budongo Forest in the southern part is an excellent place for chimpanzee tracking.

Activities: game drive, chimpanzee tracking, boat cruise on the Nile, birding

2. Rafting or kayaking on the Nile in Jinja-full day trip (the start of the rafting is located about 1,5 h from Kampala)

3. Rwenzori Mountain Climbing

Rwenzori lies along the border of Uganda and DRC. Although it is not the highest but certainly the largest and most important mountain range in Africa. The "cousins" Mt.Kili and Mt. Kenya are both higher but they are single volcanic peaks. Rwenzori, whose highest point is 5109 m is a massif composed of six separated mountains. The peaks are covered by permanent snow and glaciers.

Rwenzoris were first described by Ptolomy (from the time of the ancient Greeks) as the "Mountain of the Moon" because they were believed to be the source of the Nile. The peaks Alexandria (5091) and Margherita (5109) were climbed for the first time 1906.

The bizarre Afro-alpine plants, giant lobelias and scenecios, orchids and ferns, boggy terrains, stunning waterfalls, spectacular glaciers, moss and lichens which cover the ground and fallen trees give the feeling of being in a wonderland.

Rwenzori is climbed any time throughout the year although most trekkers prefer to do it in dry seasons of June to early September and December to early March.

Margherita climb: 7-8-9 days, Margherita peak(5109m)

Central Circuit Trail: 6 to 7 days up to Kitandara Hut (4027m)

To see the most spectacular views we recommend to do the Central Circuit Trail. The weather can be rainy and misty which makes to climbing even more challenging. The climbing of the highest peaks requires one to have experience in mountain climbing.

Please contact Agnes (info@maamajombo.com) or Craig if you liked to get an itinerary and price for any of these safaris.

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