

Kenya Safari and Friends of Ngong Road Visit

See the impact the Ngong Road Children Association is making in Nairobi



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March 11-19, 2017

Trip Fee: \$3,995

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Visit students supported by the Ngong Road Children Association



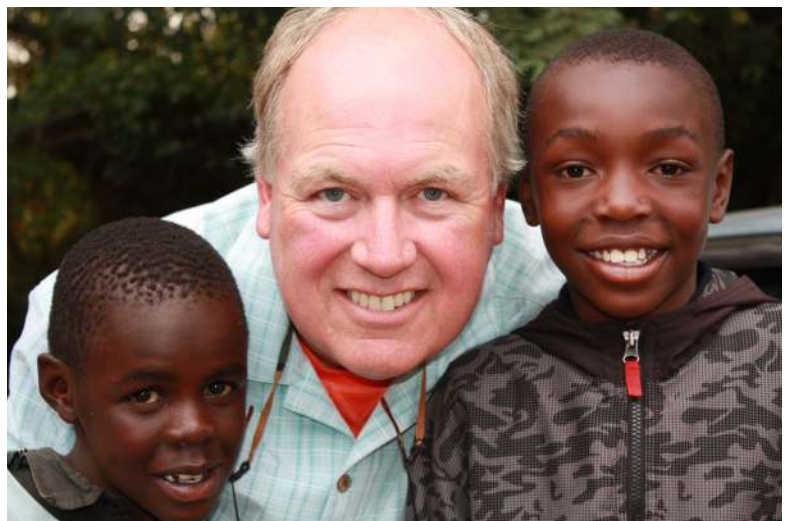
Giraffes are everywhere



Get close to the "Big Five" animals on safari

Quick Trip Facts

- 9 days in Kenya
- Professional Kenyan safari guides and cultural liaisons
- Interpretation of cultural and natural history
- All accommodations on safari and in Nairobi included
- All meals included
- Transportation in safe, quality vehicles operated by professional drivers
- Visits with Ngong Road Children's Association supported students and families



Directly connect with the kids whose education you support

Sample Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport, Nairobi. Check in for a good night's sleep at Amber Hotel.

Day 2: After breakfast you have the opportunity to attend church. Later we will visit the Giraffe Center to view and feed these majestic animals. That evening, we will be joined by a professor from the University of Nairobi who will teach us about the history and culture of Kenya. Overnight at Amber Hotel.

Day 3: Meet Ngong Road Children Association (NRCA) staff and learn in more detail about the program in Nairobi to transform children's lives through education and support. Visit the schools in Nairobi that students who are sponsored by trip participants attend. Overnight Amber Hotel.

Day 4: After breakfast proceed to Lake Nakuru National Park, arriving time for an early lunch. Enjoy a relaxing afternoon in a luxurious game lodge and an evening game drive. Lake Nakuru is renowned for its peaceful setting, plentiful game and lush natural environment. Hordes of flamingo, Cape buffalo, giraffe, waterbuck, baboon, lion and white rhino frequent the area. Overnight at Sarova Lion Hill Game Lodge.

Day 5: After breakfast proceed to Masai Mara Game reserve. Overnight at the famous Keekerok lodge.

Day 6: Morning and afternoon game drives in the famous Masai Mara Game Reserve, the number one wildlife attraction in Kenya. This is "Big Five" game country. Lion and leopard are quite common, and even the rare rhino might appear. Hyenas and cheetahs are plentiful. During your afternoon game drive, you will come very close to these animals and a myriad of exotic birds. The magnificent Masai people will stand out today as a highlight of the safari. Red-clad, spear-wielding Masai warriors tend their multi-colored herds among the wild animals, admirably unimpressed by the presence of large predators. Overnight at Kekerook Lodge.

Day 7: Our last early morning game drive. After breakfast, travel back to Nairobi with a stop at a village for women who have escaped genital mutilation. If time, we will stop at Marathon Weavers and other local shops. Overnight at Amber Hotel.

Day 8: The day will be spent in Nairobi with Ngong Road Children Association. Students who are sponsored by those on the trip will join us at the office before departing for shopping at the local Nakumatt. This is a chance for sponsors to purchase a small gift. After shopping we will take the children out to lunch before joining all students at NRCA's Saturday program to participate in reading, games and other activities. We will end the day by visiting the homes of sponsored students to see where they live and meet their family. This is sure to be a favorite day for many.

Day 9: The final day in Kenya will begin with a private craft sale at the NRCA office. Mothers of children in the program are involved with making beaded baskets, jewelry, and other crafts. You will get the satisfaction of knowing you have helped these women feed and support their children. Later we will visit David Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage, the premier authority on the successful raising of milk-dependent infant elephant and rhino orphans. Return to the Amber Hotel and refresh before heading to the airport for the flight home.

Weather, Accommodations, Meals, Visas, etc...

Much more detailed information about travel, terrain, weather, group size, accommodations, meals, packing lists, health, passport/visa requirements, etc., may be found at: wildernessinquiry.org/NgongRoad.