Safari Tour 'Dik-Dik': 2-Day Tarangire & Lake Manyara

Duration: 4 Days / 3 Nights

Type: Private Safari

Main Focus: Safari

Country: Tanzania

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Tarangire elephants plus Manyara escarpment in a short northern loop. Private 4×4 Land Cruiser, experienced English-speaking guide, and hand-picked lodges. Itinerary adapts slightly to season and wildlife movements — your consultant confirms nightly camps before travel.

Pricing follows published northern-circuit tiers with **USD 50 off** each per-person bracket versus common list rates — see calculator on your proposal. Serengeti Nexus operates with the same safety, park-rule and ethical-wildlife standards you expect on a world-class Tanzanian safari.

DESTINATIONS

- Ngorongoro Conservation Area
- Arusha National Park
- Arusha

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DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

Day 1: Arrival

The group arrives at Kilimanjaro Airport (JRO). Participants are met by a representative of Serengeti Nexus and transferred to a hotel in Arusha.

Note:The hotel cost only includes breakfast. Check-in starts at 2:00 PM.

DESTINATION

Arusha

ACCOMMODATION

Ngare Sero Mountain Lodge

Day 2: Arusha National Park

Arusha National Park is a lush green corner of wildlife tucked at the foot of Mount Meru - the second-highest peak in Tanzania. It’s one of the few places in the country where you can not only drive through the wilderness but also step out and experience it on foot. Walking safaris here are led by an armed ranger who ensures you stay at a safe distance from wild animals and shares fascinating insights about the local plants and creatures.

If you're curious to learn more about the park, you can also stop by the Ngurdoto Museum. It features displays about the fight against poaching and other stories highlighting the relationship between humans and nature.

There’s something for everyone in Arusha! Craving adventure? Head off on a 4-hour trek through the tropical forest at the base of Mount Meru. More into wildlife watching? Opt for a short 1.5-hour bush walk to a scenic waterfall. Prefer wide-open views? Try canoeing on the Momella Lakes or enjoy a classic safari drive in a 4x4. You can even mix and match a few of these activities in one day!

This program includes a short bush walk - a great way to experience the wild side of Africa at your own pace. Afterward, you’ll hop into a safari jeep and continue exploring the park. On the walk, it's easy to spot giraffes, bushbuck antelopes, buffalos, and warthogs - sometimes just 20–30 meters away!

Later, you’ll head to the beautiful Momella Lakes. From October to March, they attract flocks of pink flamingos. In total, around 200 bird species can be seen here, including ibises, pelicans, hornbills, and even vultures.

If you’d like to include a longer trek, a canoe trip, or any other activity combo - just let your manager know, and we’ll make it happen.

Additional notes:

This is your first day on safari, so we kindly ask that you pay special attention to the national park visitor rules and our company’s recommendations:

- It is strictly prohibited to exit the vehicle during the safari, except in designated areas. Violating this rule may result in significant fines for the company, including the revocation of its license.
- Off-road driving is also prohibited as it can cause irreparable damage to the delicate balance of the park's ecosystem.
- Smoking is allowed during the safari, but please be extremely careful when extinguishing and disposing of cigarette butts, as they are a frequent cause of fires in the savanna.
- We kindly ask that you do not put your feet on the seats or sit on the backs of the safari vehicle’s seats, as such behavior quickly damages the vehicle.

Thank you in advance for your understanding!

DESTINATION

Arusha National Park

ACCOMMODATION

Sound of Silence — Lake Manyara

Day 3: Ngorongoro Conservation Area

On this day, it is best to leave the hotel as early as possible to maximize your chances of seeing the animals that are most active in the morning. Depending on whether you'd like to extend your safari time, breakfast can either be served at the hotel or packed in lunchboxes for you to enjoy on the go. At 7:00 AM, you will depart for Ngorongoro Conservation Area, and after about an hour, you will enter the crater.

Ngorongoro is one of the most famous and fascinating national parks in Tanzania, as it is home to the highest concentration of animal species per square kilometer. During your visit, you'll have the chance to see buffalo, elephants, lions, wildebeests, zebras, hippos, and feline species like caracals and servals. The luckiest travelers may even spot a rhinoceros, whose population is rapidly declining.

By lunchtime, you'll arrive at the lakeside, where lunchboxes will be provided. After lunch, you can either continue the safari or begin your drive back to your hotel in Arusha - whichever you prefer!

DESTINATION

Ngorongoro Conservation Area

ACCOMMODATION

Ngare Sero Mountain Lodge

Day 4: Departure

Rest in the hotel and transfer to the airport.

Note: Hotel check-out is at 10:00 AM. In case you need a late check-out before your evening flight, you have the option to extend your hotel stay for an extra fee. Let your manager know in advance if you need a late check-out.

DESTINATION

Arusha

ACCOMMODATION

No Accommodation

WHAT'S INCLUDED & EXCLUDED

Included

- All transfers described in the programme (airport meet-and-greet, lodge ? park gate)
- Accommodation and meals as stated each night (B = breakfast, FB = full board on safari nights)
- Bottled water, soft drinks, coffee and tea while on game drives in the vehicle
- Private 4×4 safari Land Cruiser with pop-up roof, fridge, Wi-Fi where signal allows, charging ports
- Certified English-speaking safari guide
- Park entry and concession fees for the route as quoted
- AMREF Flying Doctors air-evacuation cover for the safari segment (as per policy)
- Binoculars (1 per vehicle) and onboard medical kit
- 24/7 in-country support from Serengeti Nexus

Excluded

- International flights and airport taxes
- Tanzania visa fees
- Travel insurance (required — confirm cancellation and evacuation coverage)
- Tips for guide (industry guideline often USD 30–50 per vehicle per day — at your discretion)
- Alcoholic drinks and premium beverages at lodges
- Hot-air balloon flights (optional add-on where offered)
- Personal expenses, laundry and souvenirs
- Single room supplements unless quoted

PRICING INFORMATION

All prices are per person in USD and may vary based on season and group size.

Low Season

April 1 - May 31

GROUP SIZE	SOLO	2 PAX	3 PAX	4 PAX	5 PAX	6+ PAX
4-day	$2,041	$1,242	$1,065	**$937**	$891	**$891**

Mid Season

March 1 - March 31, November 1 - December 15

GROUP SIZE	SOLO	2 PAX	3 PAX	4 PAX	5 PAX	6+ PAX
4-day	$2,041	$1,242	$1,065	**$937**	$891	**$891**

High Season

June 1 - October 31, December 16 - February 28

GROUP SIZE	SOLO	2 PAX	3 PAX	4 PAX	5 PAX	6+ PAX
4-day	$2,041	$1,242	$1,065	**$937**	$891	**$891**

Group Discount: The more travelers, the lower the price per person. Perfect for families and groups!

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