



THE FAR HORIZONS

Journeys Discovering Africa

TRAVELLER TOURS

A trip to three beautiful national parks that immerses you in the spectacular geography and wildlife of the Albertine Rift System

ALBERTINE ADVENTURE



DAY 1: ARRIVAL - KIGALI

We will meet you at Kigali International Airport and take you to your nearby hotel for a welcome drink and a briefing

A Guesthouse in Kigali
Meal Plan: Dinner

DAY 2: KIGALI - VOLCANOES NATIONAL PARK

Today we drive 3 hours north and get to our lodge, nestled on the slopes of the Mt Sabyinyo, one of the Virunga chain of Volcanoes.

Mountain Gorilla View Lodge
Meal Plan: Full Board

DAY 3: VOLCANOES NATIONAL PARK

An exciting and challenging day. The Mountain Gorillas are part of a worldwide population of just 720 individuals, and the families we track on the first day belong to one of several habituated family groups. The gorillas are by no means tame, and are wild animals, and experienced guides will accompany us on our tracking, many of whom have been involved in the habituation process themselves.

Mountain Gorilla View Lodge
Meal Plan: Full Board



DAY 4: VOLCANOES NATIONAL PARK – QUEEN ELIZABETH NATIONAL PARK

Today we traverse a wide swath across Rwanda and Uganda, driving 8 hours across the varied and interesting countryside. As we descend from the Kigezi Highlands, we are confronted by the savannah scrubland of Queen Elizabeth National Park on the floor of the Rift Valley.

Katara Lodge
Meal Plan: Full Board



DAY 5: QUEEN ELIZABETH NATIONAL PARK

A morning game drive to view the area's game, including Lion at the Kob leks, or perhaps Giant Forest Hog of Kazinga, which are the only known population not to live in thick montane forest. This afternoon, we take a launch trip on the Kazinga Channel, with its thousands of birds and Hippopotamus, as well as Elephant and Buffalo that come down to the water's edge to drink.

Katara Lodge
Meal Plan: Full Board

DAY 6: QUEEN ELIZABETH NATIONAL PARK – KIBALE FOREST NATIONAL PARK

Today we drive north to Kibale Forest National Park, renowned for its primates, including its Chimpanzees.

These animals are our closest living relatives, sharing just under

98% of their DNA with us. Time spent observing them in the wild is an unforgettable experience.

Kyaminga Lodge
Meal Plan: Full Board

DAY 7: KIBALE FOREST NATIONAL PARK

We enjoy a morning tracking Chimpanzees in Kibale Forest and get to spend up to an hour observing these fascinating creatures. After lunch, we visit a community run conservation project in Bigodi where we have the chance to spot a variety of birds and monkeys on a guided nature walk.

Kyaminga Lodge
Meal Plan: Full Board



DAY 8: KIBALE FOREST NATIONAL PARK – ENTEBBE - DEPARTURE

Today we drive back to Entebbe for our international flight out.

Meal Plan: Breakfast, Lunch



MAIN TOUR PRICE

1st Jan—31st May 2012

US\$ 4,648 per person in twin

US\$ 375 single room supplement

1st Jun—31st Dec 2012

US\$ 4,914* per person in twin

US\$ 375 single room supplement

1st Jan 2013 onwards

US\$ 4,914 per person in twin

US\$ 375 single room supplement

*EARLY BIRD OFFER:

Book and pay a deposit for this safari by 15th May 2012 and you will receive a \$250 discount per person off the published price. Offer only valid on travel between 1st June-31st December 2012.

Minimum group size: 2 travellers

Maximum Group Size: 6 travellers

Minimum age: 15 years

Maximum age: No maximum age

A general level of basic fitness is normally recommended for Gorilla and Chimpanzee tracking. However, if you have any disabilities or believe your fitness levels may be an issue, please do not despair. The Far Horizons has a history of helping clients who are differently-abled or who have certain conditions that would normally prevent participation. Please let us know your requirements when you enquire and we will do our best to help.

Available dates: check online at <http://bit.ly/voGrzi>

We retain the right to substitute the accommodations shown above with other suitable accommodations if there is no availability, and we retain the right to run the itinerary in a reverse direction to fit the availability of accommodations.

INCLUSIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

INCLUDED IN THE MAIN TOUR PRICE

Accommodation in standard twin rooms

Meals as indicated in the daily meal plan

All road and air transfers as indicated

1 Gorilla permit per person

1 Chimpanzee permit per person

Services of an English speaking driver guide

Park fees

All activities described in the itinerary, unless specified as extras

Mineral water, tea and coffee in the vehicle

Medical Evacuation Insurance (to Nairobi)

NOT INCLUDED IN THE MAIN TOUR PRICE

International Air Fares, entry visa fees, domestic and international departure tax

Beverages other than those in the vehicle

All expenses of a personal nature

Tips and gratuities to your driver/guide hotel/camp staff etc.

Full terms and conditions at <http://bit.ly/sbnwZu>

WHAT TO PACK

FOR TRACKING:

A small, lightweight day backpack

Light, waterproof hiking boots or shoes

Walking socks

Waterproof trousers/pants

Waterproof jacket or poncho, with hood (or waterproof hat)

Lightweight, quick-dry hiking trousers

Short-sleeved shirt or T-shirt

Water bottle or canteen (boiled water and a packed lunch will be provided by your camp)

A camera or video-camera with high-speed settings (or 800ASA speed film minimum—no flash photography is allowed when tracking)

GENERAL:

Long-sleeved shirts and trousers

Short-sleeved shirts, T-shirts and shorts

A down / fleece vest or safari jacket

Travel alarm clock

A sweatshirt or sweater for chilly evenings and early mornings

Sunscreen & after-sun care

Insect repellent (tropical formula recommended)