

# GOVERNORS' BUSH CAMP

Located in a private concession area adjacent the Masai Mara Game Reserve  
Kenya

At Governors' Camp we are constantly striving to introduce new and exciting activities for today's more discerning clients. We have been conducting walking safaris with experienced guides for some years and are now combining this with the option of staying in our Bush Camp.

There is nowhere like the Masai Mara ~ one of the world's last remaining preserved animal wildernesses. The thrill of seeing Big game on foot, the excitement of face to face encounters with small animals and the details of insect and plant life combine perfectly with the magic moments of dining and showering under the stars and sleeping in your own traditional mobile camp are real untamed Africa.

Patrick Reynolds, who has many years of walking safari experience in the African Bush, leads our walks. Clients are secure in the hands of one of Africa's most experienced walking safari guides. Bernard or Jackson, our two delightful Masai Scouts, whose rich cultural background has enabled them to live alongside the game in harmony for centuries, accompany the walks. Their intimate knowledge on the flora and fauna of the area, the medicinal properties of the plants and their knowledge of Masai culture and customs enhance the walking safari experience.

Governors' Bush Camp has 4 double tents with ensuite bathrooms and here all the traditions of the bush ~ mouthwatering meals, all facilities under canvas, a nightly campfire, freshly made bread, all creature comforts and falling asleep to the Sounds of Africa complete the safari experience.

Governors' Bush Camp fulfills the discerning and adventurous travelers clamour for knowledge and life changing experience in surroundings beyond the reach of modern day stresses.

There are various activities on offer: predominantly walking safaris but game drives in open Landrovers during the day and night game drives are also available, as are balloon flights over the wide plains of the Masai Mara. Day excursions to the Lake Victoria are also on offer. However, we recommend booking this excursion well in advance and combining the Lake Victoria trip with an overnight stay.

All meals, walking and game drive activities are included in our price. Koyaki Park tickets and Park entrance fees, drinks, as well as other activities (such as ballooning, an excursion to Lake Victoria and visits to a Masai village) are to be paid separately. Please announce special dietary requirements to us in advance.

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## Information and Details

<b>Location:</b>	The <i>Governors' Bush Camp</i> is located in a walking concession area close to the boundary of the <i>Masai Mara Game Reserve</i>
<b>Number of beds:</b>	4 tents (maximum 8 beds)
<b>Double &amp; Twins:</b>	Twins and double tents as per requirement
<b>Facilities:</b>	En-suite bathrooms with his and her safari showers, hot and cold water, basin and flush toilet
<b>Tents:</b>	Spacious luxurious safari tents under canvas, each with private verandah
<b>Electricity:</b>	Gas & Paraffin lamps in tents and in the camp
<b>Bar / Restaurant:</b>	Open bar and dining tent with view over the <i>Mara</i> plains
<b>Room service:</b>	Room service on request. Tea and coffee is served in the tents with the morning wake up call
<b>Bush meals:</b>	Bush breakfasts, lunches & dinner under the stars
<b>Laundry:</b>	Daily at no extra cost
<b>Credit cards:</b>	Visa, Mastercard, Eurocard, American Express and Traveller Cheques are accepted
<b>Communication:</b>	Telephone, Fax and Email at <i>Governors' Camps</i> . A satellite telephone is also available at <i>Governors' Camp</i> and <i>Little Governors' Camp</i> . Radio contact with other camps and the <i>Nairobi</i> office
<b>Musiara Airstrip:</b>	Length 1.600 m, all weather gravel airstrip, Coordinates: S 0117.98 E 03503.92
<b>Contact details:</b>	<i>Governors' Camps</i> , Musiara Limited Ngong Race Course, Block A, <i>Nairobi Business Park</i> , P.O. Box 48217, <i>Nairobi Kenya</i> Tel: (+254) 20 2734000/5 Fax: (+254) 20 2734023/24 email: <a href="mailto:reservations@governorscamp.com">reservations@governorscamp.com</a> <a href="http://www.governorscamp.com">http://www.governorscamp.com</a>
<b>Member of:</b>	Classic Safari Camps of Africa

**Activities:**

<b>Game walks:</b>	Game Walks during the day with qualified guides in a private concession area adjacent to the Masai Mara Game reserve daily; morning with a champagne bush breakfast and afternoon with sundowners and canapés (included in the price). Whole day game walks with a picnic lunch can also be arranged on request
<b>Game drives &amp; Night Game Drives:</b>	Game drives during the day are available for clients staying at the bush camp, early and mid morning as well as in the afternoon with experienced driver guides in the Masai Mara Game Reserve (included in the price). Night game drives are offered after dinner, which is particularly rewarding for the nocturnal animals not seen during the day at no extra cost
<b>Balloon Safari:</b>	With professional balloon pilots daily, at dawn, in the Masai Mara Game Reserve followed by a champagne bush breakfast and game drive on return to camp (Extra cost)
<b>Culture:</b>	Visits to a nearby Masai village (manyatta) can be arranged (to be paid locally) or visits to the local school, one of <i>Governors' Camps</i> charity and community support initiatives
<b>Mfangano Island Camp on Lake Victoria:</b>	Day excursions to Lake Victoria by light aircraft. Bird watching, boat rides, walking and fishing are available on Lake Victoria. Excursion with overnight at Mfangano Island Camp highly recommended (booking prior to the trip is advisable) (Additional cost)

**General**

<b>Seasons:</b>	Peak season months August and September and 15 <sup>th</sup> - 31 <sup>st</sup> December. High season months January - March inclusive and June, July, October, November and 1 <sup>st</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup> December. <b>Green season - April and May and November the Bush Camp is closed</b>
<b>Children:</b>	Of all ages are welcome and catered for, however walks are only available for children over 10 years old
<b>Rate includes:</b>	Airstrip transfers, accommodation, meals, walks and game drives daily and laundry
<b>Rate excludes:</b>	Flights, drinks, Park entrance fees
<b>Terms &amp; Conditions:</b>	Booking any service with Musiara Ltd, <i>Governors Camp Rwanda Ltd</i> or <i>Governors Balloon Safaris Ltd</i> signifies acceptance of our standard Terms and Conditions which are available from <a href="http://www.governorscamp.com">www.governorscamp.com</a> or from <a href="mailto:info@governorscamp.com">info@governorscamp.com</a> or from our Head Office upon request
<b>Health:</b>	Preventative Malaria medication is recommended

**How to get there and transfers:**

<b>Air Kenya &amp; Safari Link</b>	Twice daily (10:00 hrs & 15:00 hrs) scheduled flight from Nairobi Wilson Airport to Musiara Airstrip (duration approx. 45 minutes). Clients met on arrival and transferred with a Landrover to the camp (duration approx. 30 minutes). Alternatively clients can be picked up from the <i>Governors' Camps</i> and driven to <i>Governors' Bush Camp</i> (duration 40 minutes). Return Musiara Airstrip - Nairobi twice daily (11:00 hrs & 16:00 hrs) There are scheduled flights from other airstrips in Kenya such as Nanyuki, Samburu, Lewa, Lamu, Malindi, Mombasa, Ukunda (Diani)
<b>Charter flights:</b>	From all airports/airstrips in Kenya to Musiara Airstrip
<b>Luggage restriction:</b>	Maximum 15 kg luggage per person in small air craft including hand luggage
<b>Road transfer:</b>	Ex / to Nairobi is possible. Duration approx. 6 hours (depending upon road conditions)

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