

Little
ELEPHANT PEPPER MASAI MARA

KENYA

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MASAI MARA NATIONAL RESERVE

A private safari, designed for shared experiences

Little Elephant Pepper offers a more exclusive take on the classic camp - ideal for families or small groups seeking privacy and flexibility.

Overlooking a natural mineral lick fed by a seasonal stream, the camp is positioned to quietly observe wildlife movement throughout the day, offering a sense of immersion without intrusion.



Designed with a strong nod to classic safari heritage, the camp features just three spacious safari suites and one generous two-bedroom family suite, ensuring privacy, space, and a deeply personal experience. Interiors draw inspiration from traditional safari craftsmanship: campaign-style furniture, warm woods, brass detailing, soft linens, and a restrained, earthy palette that sits comfortably within the landscape.

Fast Facts

Location

- Mara North Conservancy, bordering the Masai Mara National Reserve, Kenya

Global Coordinates

- 1°12'18.3"S 35°09'08.0"E

Access

- Mara North Airstrip is a 30 minute drive from camp. Musiara airstrip is a 1 hour drive from camp. Both are a 45 min flight from Wilson airport.
- Serviced by Safarilink with twice-daily scheduled departures, and Airkenya offering twice-daily services in low season increasing to three times daily during high season, directly from Nairobi's Wilson Airport

Check-in

- From 14:00 to 18:00

Check-out

- 10:00

Lodge Facilities

- 24hr power
- Baby Sitting
- Bar
- Bush Spa
- Charging facilities in rooms
- Child Friendly
- Children's menu
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Credit Cards Accepted
- Laundry Service
- Private Plunge Pools
- Restaurant
- Room Service
- Secure Parking
- Shop


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RECEPTION
GIFT SHOP
WASHROOM
BUSH SPA
KITCHEN
LOUNGE
STAFF
STORES
DINING
FAMILY SUITE
4B
GUIDE TENT
MANAGEMENT
FIRE PIT
4A
1
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Key Highlights

Heritage Safari
Combining spacious tented suites and fine dining with a 100% solar-powered design, the camp masterfully evokes the romantic spirit of a bygone era. Evening campfire gatherings and traditional hosting foster authentic storytelling and a timeless safari feel.

Private Mara
Situated within an exclusive private concession, guests enjoy uncrowded access to the core of the Masai Mara ecosystem. Vehicle entry is strictly regulated, providing privileged access to iconic wildlife locations including Leopard Gorge, famed for BBC's *Big Cat Diary*.

Family Fun
The camp offers an exceptional environment for families to unplug and engage directly with the African bush. From afternoon lawn croquet to animal tracking and traditional archery skills, children enjoy classic, educational outdoor experiences.

The Migration
Secluded from high-density tourist routes, the camp serves as an exclusive base for full-day Migration excursions into the main reserve. Outfitted with gourmet picnic lunches, guests can spend the entire day exploring the plains and visiting iconic river crossing sites.













Heritage & Seclusion

Featuring just four suites inspired by traditional craftsmanship, the camp provides an intimate retreat defined by privacy and timeless elegance. Each suite includes a private plunge pool and generous verandas for outdoor living, while shared spaces remain intentionally understated. A relaxed guest lounge and dining area encourages unhurried moments, complemented by shaded hammocks for quiet reflection between game drives.

- 3 Safari Suites
- 1 Two-Bedroom Family Suite

It is a refined sanctuary where the elegance of the interior design perfectly complements the wild, unscripted beauty of the Mara North Conservancy.









Watch elephants wander through the nearby thickets from your private veranda, track the legendary Big Five across the golden plains, or enjoy a starlit dinner under the vast African sky as the distant calls of the night echo through the Mara North.

Activities

Select activities and excursions require advance booking and may carry additional charges. Should you have any questions or require further information, our team is available to assist.

Guided Game Drives
Embark on early-morning or late-afternoon game drives led by expert guides to witness the incredible abundance of wildlife, including the Big Five.

Bush Sundowners
Relax with a chilled drink and gourmet snacks as the sun sets over the horizon, listening to the evening calls of the bush in a timeless safari tradition.

Walking Safaris
Explore the intricate details of the bush on foot alongside experienced Maasai guides, discovering wildlife tracks, medicinal plants, and micro-ecosystems away from the vehicle.
(Minimum age 16 years).

Maasai Cultural Tours
Visit an authentic local boma for a meaningful look into traditional Maasai life, learning about pastoralist heritage, homestead routines, and vibrant cultural customs from community hosts.

Hot Air Balloon Safaris
Take off before dawn to float silently over the Mara at sunrise, taking in breathtaking aerial views before landing for a classic champagne bush breakfast.

Picnic Breakfast & Lunch
Savour beautifully packed gourmet breakfasts and lunches out in the field, allowing for uninterrupted full-day safari adventures across the vast Masai Mara wilderness.

Night Game Drives
Spot elusive nocturnal species on a spot-lit evening drive, watching the African savannah transform into a fascinating world of nocturnal activity under the stars.

Culinary Shamba Tours
Tour our organic vegetable gardens supplying the lodge kitchen, learning about our deep commitment to sustainable, farm-to-table dining deep in the wilderness.

Wellness & Massage
Indulge in a deeply rejuvenating professional massage treatment while soaking in the peaceful atmosphere and soothing natural sounds of the surrounding forest.









Children's Activities

- **Warrior & Bush Training**
  Learn animal tracking, map reading, and natural navigation using the sun, stars, and local flora.
- **Bow, Arrow & Spear Skills**
  Master traditional target skills and craft techniques guided by our resident Maasai Askaris.
- **Animal Track Moulding**
  Search for fresh wildlife prints around camp and pour plaster casts to create a lasting keepsake.
- **Mini Twitcher Bird Walk**
  Learn to spot, track, and identify colourful local bird species.
- **Baobab Cultural Walk**
  Uncover the folklore, ecosystem role, and superfood benefits of the ancient 'Tree of Life'.
- **Stargazing & African Folklore**
  Discover planets and constellations while listening to traditional night-sky legends around the campfire.
- **S'mores & Bush Tales**
  Roast marshmallows over the campfire while enjoying captivating traditional stories.
- **Lawn Croquet**
  Enjoy a classic garden game on the lush lodge lawns - a delightful, relaxed outdoor activity for the entire family.
- **Giant Lawn Jenga**
  A giant-sized lawn game where pulling each block reveals a fun wildlife fact.
- **Homemade Playdough**
  A creative, hands-on crafting session - perfect for rainy afternoons or pre-dinner downtime.





The Culinary Experience

Fire is the method - fresh, locally sourced ingredients are cooked over open flame, allowing smoke, char and the elemental nature of fire to become part of the flavour.

Lunch begins with tapas-style sharing plates before moving into an à la carte main course and dessert. At sunset, guests gather around the fire pit overlooking the Mara plains for pre-dinner bitings and drinks.

Dinner rotates between refined à la carte menus and the camp's signature fire-grill experience, where flame and smoke take centre stage. The result is a culinary identity that feels elemental, generous and entirely connected to the wilderness surrounding the camp.



Sustainability & Conservation

Circular resource management, and deep community partnerships across the Mara North Conservancy.

Environmental Stewardship

- **Accreditations & Emissions:** Glasgow Declaration signatory, operating on 100% solar power with biological wastewater treatment and low-impact cooling.
- **Resource & Waste Management:** Zero-tolerance single-use plastic policy paired with rainwater harvesting, organic culinary gardens, and off-site recycling via TakaTaka Solutions.
- **Wilderness Protection:** Active conservation efforts within the Mara North Conservancy, integrating sustainable beekeeping and low-impact safari operations.

Community & Local Legacy

- **Education & Infrastructure:** Long-term partnership with Ololomei Primary School and the Land & Life Foundation to enhance educational facilities and student welfare.
- **Scholarships & Mentorship:** Funding secondary school scholarships for high-achieving, disadvantaged youth alongside regular career mentorship and wildlife education days.
- **Youth Leadership:** Empowering the local community by training and inspiring the next generation of hospitality and conservation leaders from the surrounding area.







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