

Monday, 29 November 2021



The Land of Mystery and Marvels

Only 335 days before we leave JFK and begin our amazing adventure!!!!



As you can see, the Maasai are ready for us!!! Are you??? :>)

I've been asked just how much walking, hiking, trekking we'll be doing... and will we be safe? For the most part, we'll be in vehicles unless our guides feel it's safe to get out and see something specific. The only real walking we'll do will be around the properties we're staying at. Yes! We'll ALWAYS be safe. Just don't decide to wander off on your own. And for heaven's sake, if you see an animal wandering around in one of those properties and want to take a picture with it, DON'T! Remember, as "tame" and used to people as these animals are, they are still WILD!



Nope! It's not a sand castle, it's an ant hill! As I recall, this one was about 4' high!!! And, like an iceberg, it's even deeper with multiple chambers and even an underground farm. Of course we won't be visiting it too closely ... :>)

If any of you choose to go up in the Balloon, you'll see scenes such as these ...

You'll be amazed at how very quiet it is up there and how



close your pilot MAY get to the animals on the ground. We got so close to the hippos you could smell them!!!



I'm still getting questions about what to wear and if you should buy special clothes. Please bear with me on this. We have a number of new comers who may not have gotten or read the old newsletters.

NO! You don't have to buy any special clothing! Just stay away from heavy boots and jeans. They take up too much room in your luggage and we won't be trekking through the jungle! Shorts and light-weight slax will do as well as sneakers ... don't forget your bathing suit and flip-flops or the pools!

Food! There will be plenty and all of it is edible! You MAY opt to try some local dishes, but you will recognize and enjoy every meal. BTW the meals are all generally buffet, giving you the chance to pick and choose what you'd like. ... and YES! Every property we stay at WILL have a bar!!! The cost of Alcohol is NOT included in the cost of our trip, so drink responsibly. :>) You beer drinkers may want to try the local "Tusker" .. I understand it's quite good!

Here's a peek at Sarova Lion Hill Game Lodge's bar ... although we will most likely take out drinks outside!



That's it for this week ... enjoy the beautiful sunset at the end of a beautiful, surprise filled, day!



Kwa Heri! Jeanie

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