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Will this be the first thing we see when we get to Ol Tukai Lodge the afternoon of Tuesday, 01 November 2022???

Continuing with "The Shy the Ugly, and the Impossible Five" ... The SHY: aardvark, porcupine, bat-earred fox, aardwolf, and the meerkat! All are













Oh, yes, and for those of you who aren't keen on snakes, I've only seen ONE in the wild ... the others were in the Nairobi National Museum's attached reptile area!



Ok, guys, here's a little more info about the animals: RHINOS!! The White Rhino tends to be significantly larger than the Black Rhino. Their body is long and barrel shaped.



White Rhino



Black Rhino

Black Rhinos are shorter, sturdier, and more compact. An Adult White Rhino can weigh up to 2,300 kilograms (5,070.632 lbs), while a Black Rhino is usually less than 1,000 kilograms (2,204.62 lbs). Carol, I'm sure you remember being told all this. Then we saw that White Rhino lying down and didn't think it was all THAT big until the Zebra walked out from behind it!!! We never saw the Zebra standing behind this White Rhino that was lying down! Talk about BIG!!!

By this time next year, you'll all have packed, un-packed again and taken out things you don't think you'll need, re-packed and added things you think you may need, and gone all through that again! RELAX!!! We'll go over the list again giving you enough time to change your "wardrobe" so it all fits in your bag, WITHOUT you having to go out and buy special clothing! Remember: COMFORT is key! :>)

Will this be you next year? >> Feeding these gentle creatures is not to be missed and we'll be visiting the Giraffe Centre to do just that!
That's me!

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That's it for now! Keep your questions coming, just email me and I'll get back to you and/or put your question and answer in the newsletter!

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