

TASSIA RATES 2020

INTERNATIONAL RACK RATES

Valid 1st Jan 2020 - 31st Dec 2020

All rates are quoted for an all-inclusive stay at Tassia in US Dollars and subject to change without further notice.

HIGH SEASON RATES

December, January, June, July & August 2020

DETAILS	RACK RATE
Per Adult Sharing Per Night	US\$ 684.00
Adult Single Per Night	US\$ 939.00
Per Child Sharing Per Night (6 - 15 years)	US\$ 342.00
Child Single Per Night (6 - 15 years)	US\$ 470.00
Children (0 - 5 years)*	Free
CONSERVATIONS FEES per person per day	US\$ 60.00

LOW SEASON RATES

February, March, May, September & October 2020

DETAILS	RACK RATE
Per Adult Sharing Per Night	US\$ 649.00
Adult Single Per Night	US\$ 891.00
Per Child Sharing Per Night (6 - 15 years)	US\$ 325.00
Child Single Per Night (6 - 15 years)	US\$ 446.00
Children (0 - 5 years)*	Free
CONSERVATIONS FEES per person per day	US\$ 60.00

**Children 5 and under stay for free only when sharing a room.*

Please see next pages for further information on what is included & what is extra in the rates, How to get to Tassia, Accommodation, Activities & Terms and Conditions.

RATES INCLUDE:

- Full board accommodation
- Tassia airstrip transfers
- Sundowner excursions
- Soft drinks, beers, wines and spirits
- Bush meals and picnics
- Game drives (day & night)
- Guided bush walks
- laundry
- Lekurruki Conservancy Community bed night fee \$20 pr resident pr night
- Extra hired Safari Vehicles with Guides so each group staying has their own vehicle for Game drives

RATES EXCLUDE:

- Conservation fees: \$60 per adult resident, per night ; \$30 per child (5 - 12 years) per night
- Transfers to and from Tassia \$250 from Lewa Airstrip & \$300 from Nanyuki Airstrip/Town
- Maasai village walk at a cost of US\$20 per person which goes directly to the community
- Horse Riding at Borana at a cost of US\$100 per person (approx. 2 hour drive) *
- Gratuities (we recommend \$10 per guest per day to be split between general camp staff and US\$10 - \$20 per day for your guide)
- Visa, travel and medical insurance
- Late departure from camp \$50 per person (includes full lunch). It does not guarantee use of the room past check out unless we do not have clients checking in that day

GUIDES:

Guide room rates are \$150 per guide, per night, in guide accommodation (plus applicable conservation fees). This rate allows the guide to join clients on all activities and for all meals.

GETTING TO TASSIA:

- By private charter flight to Tassia airstrip (commercial charters available for Nairobi, Nanyuki and Gilgil) Tropic Air.
- By daily schedule flight (via Nanyuki) to Lewa Wildlife Conservancy with either Air Kenya or SafariLink. Road transfer from Lewa airstrip to Tassia is US\$250 per vehicle per way (up to 6 Pax) and takes approx. 2.5 hours
- By daily scheduled flight to Nanyuki with either Air Kenya or SafariLink. Road transfer from Nanyuki airstrip to Tassia is US\$300 per vehicle per way (up to 6 Pax) and takes approx. 3 hours passing through Borana Ranch and the Mokogodo forest.
- By road from Nairobi 6 – 7 hour drive passing through Nanyuki turning off left after Timau town and taking the road to Ethie town, left to Borana Conservancy. Through Bornana Conservancy. onto the Mokogodo plains then right into the Mokogodo forest and down the steep hills to the Lekaruikik conservancy and right into the signed Tassia driveway.

ACCOMMODATION:

- 6 spacious rooms, 5 doubles and 1 twin. Spare single beds to make up family rooms.
- Accommodates 12 adults sharing and up to 16 people including children.
- Each room is beautiful and unique in design, all are ensuite with flushing toilet and heated shower
- The side of the room facing the view is completely open, giving an unobstructed view of the wilderness and wildlife below
- In the rooms there is solar power lights and sockets for charging devices. No hair dryer please, as they are too much for the solar power.
- Organic Shampoo, conditioner, body wash, body lotion, soap, is provided in the rooms. As well as washing powder for underwear.
- Laundry service is included in your stay. All washing is done by hand by our room ladies.
- There is no wifi or signal in rooms meaning guests can switch off from the outside world and relax. If you need to send an urgent email or make a phone call we can arrange this for you.
- There is drinking water provided in the rooms.
- Other features of the lodge include a horizon swimming pool, upstairs deck with yoga mats available & paints and paper, gift shop, viewing platform and water hole and salt lick for wildlife below
- Dining room & other dining options: we dine around a large dining room table, on the star deck overlooking the waterhole, on the roof on a low table on cushions with lanterns, or on a camp table a cleared area near the lookout rocks with a warm fire with candles.

ACTIVITIES:

Tassia is fantastic place to be directly in touch with the Mokogodo Maasai tribe and to get out of the vehicle and walk, hike, ride, swim, throw spears, visit the Maasai village, have a picnic breakfast or dinner in the bush. As well as unwind and relax. It is place to switch off read, swim and enjoy being immersed the bush.

At Tassia the game is truly wild and can often be well dispersed, which makes tracking with your guide on foot more exciting. The amount of game is dependent on the water in the area. There are elephant, buffalo, giraffe, Greater and Lesser kudu, Gerenuk, Waterbuck, Grevy zebra, We also have sightings of leopard, cheetah, wild dog, spotted and striped hyena, the rare golden cats and many other varieties of mammals and birds. As well as some of the most diverse Flora in the Laikipia region.

Walks

- Gentle botanical walks led by guide to learn the traditional cultural medicinal uses of plants, trees and shrubs as well as the wildlifes uses for them and their names
- Bush Walks tracking wildlife lasting 1 - 2 hours
- Hikes tailored individually to guests needs, this can include climbing Mt Lolos which can take around 6 hours and not for the faint hearted. Also hikes to Blood Mountain which include the Tribal history of the area
- Walk to the caves and rock shelters where the Mokogodo Maasai lived for 40,000 years.
- Explore the Mokogodo forest, especially enjoyable for those keen on birds

Game drives:

Best undertaken early morning or evening, and can be combined with a gentle walk and/or bush breakfast, picnic lunch or sun downer drinks in the evening. We also offer night drives after sundowners drinks, this is a good opportunity to see leopard, hyena, porcupine, wild cat, genet cats, porcupines and other nocturnal wildlife.

Maasai Olympics:

Spear throwing & archery has become a very popular activity amongst guests in friendly competition with the Maasai. Learn how to throw a spear and shoot a traditional bow and arrow.

Maasai Village Visit:

This is a working Maasai village, where members of the community live a traditional Maasai lifestyle. It offers an authentic insight into their culture and way of life. Accompanied by your guide you will meet many of the amazing 'bead ladies' from Maasai bead project. You can watch and learn how they bead and meet their children. Your guide will explain how & where they live and other Mokogodo Maasai Traditions .

Horse riding at Borana Ranch:

An early morning drive through the Mokogodo forest onto the high plains of Borana ranch, is an exciting start to an exhilarating experience of riding close to wildlife. This is for experienced riders only and must be booked advance.

Day Tips to Lewa Conservancy, Borana Ranch and The Ngare Ndare Forest

Get up early and travel with a picnic breakfast to a neighboring conservancy where you a guaranteed viewing of some of the big five, enjoy the dramatic landscapes and scenic views of Mt Kenya. Lunch at the Crystal Pool Waterfalls of the Ngare Ndare Forest. Take swimwear.

Bush Beauty:

We offer Massage and beauty treatments at Tassia. As well as Manicures, Pedicures and Facials using locally harvested organic Essential oils and products by Cinnebar Green & Wild Earth Botanics. A great way to unwind after car journeys and long walks.

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS:

Deposits: In order to confirm your booking, you will need to pay a 30% non refundable deposit.

Cancellation Policy: All cancellations must be made in writing.

- full payment to be made 30 days prior to arrival, 100% of the full value is forfeited.

Full confirmation and payment: On receipt of full payment, a final reservation summary will be issued. Payment must be received one month in advance.

Refunds: Whilst Northern Frontiers Conservation Ltd endeavors to ensure that all anticipated accommodation is available as planned, there shall be no claim whatsoever against Northern Frontiers Conservation Ltd for a refund either in whole or in part, if any accommodation or excursion is unavailable.

Insurance: All peoples who travel to Tassia Lodge or undertake a tour with us, are required to have comprehensive travel and medical insurance to cover cancellation, medical expenses, personal baggage and money.

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