

**General:** Kenya and the Masai Mara, in particular, are known as the heartbeat of the safari, the origins of which date back to the early 1920's. Ngerende Lodges strive to capture the excitement, style and good living of those times but in contemporary style and in keeping with its environment.

**Location** Ngerende in the Wild is situated on the banks of the Mara River within the Masai Mara National Park, only 15 minutes from one of the key migration crossings. The lodge is a 5 hours drive from Nairobi or 45 minutes by air flying into Musiara Airstrip with scheduled flights from Malindi, Mombasa, Wilson Airport, Nairobi.

**Accommodation:** The lodge has two wings as follows;

Ngerende in the Wild Riverview is an exclusive and luxurious tented camp, located on the banks of the Mara River surrounded by indigenous trees and bushes and is truly exceptional with wildlife all around. The camp is a true bush experience but with real, real luxury and is supported by its own kitchen, chef, 4x4 land cruiser vehicle and experienced professional driver guides. The two large Riverview suites are tastefully furnished with comfortable seating provided, with open air dining under the stars, great sunsets and your very own private butler. The experience is a must as emphasis is on a magical bush experience!

Ngerende in the Wild Lakeview is extremely spacious, very exclusive and luxurious with only two suites built on stilts, has mahogany flooring, comfortable seating provided inside the suites and terrace, has fireplace and each suite has individual Jacuzzi and lap-pool and has great views of the Savannah. It is not unusual during the migration period to see the crossing from the terrace of the suites and watch Elephant, Black Rhino, Giraffe and Buffalo only a few metres away. There is a restaurant, a bar and a kitchen supported by chef, butlers and exclusive vehicle for each suite and experienced professional driver guides.

**Description:** The lodge is ideally situated to take full advantage of the numerous wildlife for which the Masai Mara is famed so every game drive is an "event". Resident animals around the lodge include Buffalos, Black Rhinos, Hippos and Elephant. Combine this with a private chef serving international gourmet meals from the private kitchen, personal butlers, dining under the stars with only the sounds of the night to disturb the peace. It is truly surreal.



**Ngerende in the Wild is an intriguing combination of the modern with the tradition of canvas but with a special emphasis on comfort. This is truly one experience not to be missed so join us at Ngerende for the best of both worlds- luxury and the bush!**

#### Activities:

- Game drives in exclusive 4x4 wheel drive vehicles
- Bush Breakfasts / lunch / dinner weather permitting
- Sundowners

#### Wedding and Honeymoon:

The lodge is ideally suited for the hosting of intimate weddings and the Lake View suites have individual Jacuzzi and lap pool for the perfect honeymoon getaway.

#### Drinks and cuisine:

Soft drinks, house wine, bottled water, local beers and selected spirits are included on the rates. Champagne, non-house wine and luxury spirits/liquors are an additional extra. Cuisine is international from our very own talented chefs who uses whenever possible organic vegetables grown at the main Ngerende Island Lodge and will easily adapt the menu to suit individual tastes and requirements.

#### Climate:

The long rains are usually from Mid-April until Mid-June while the short rains fall during November. The rains generally however occur at night so day activities are not normally affected. The hottest months are January, February and October and the coldest July and August when evening temperature can drop to 15 C.

#### Recommended Clothing:

The lodge is informal but shorts/sleeveless T-shirts are not permitted in the dining area where smart casual attire is requested. For your comfort we suggest you pack hat, sunscreen, binoculars, sandals, walking shoes and for the cool evenings and early mornings some warm clothing will be required. We suggest you also bring a light waterproof jacket.

#### Malaria:

The risk of malaria is not high but please take all necessary precautions including contacting your doctor before traveling.

#### Park Fee:

According to County Council of Narok the gazette rates for park fees is US\$ 70.00 per guest per night but there are proposal to add 16% VAT on the charges.

#### Airstrip:

Musiara Airstrip.

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