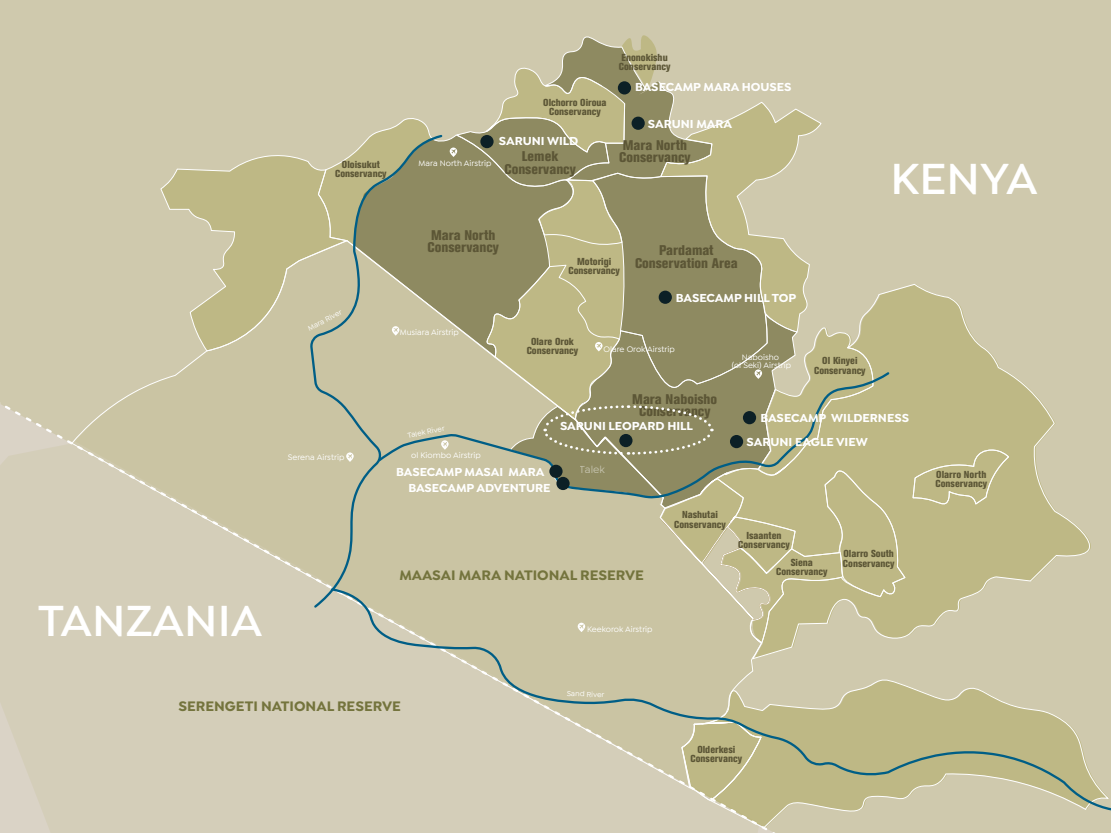




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# INTRODUCING SARUNI LEOPARD HILL

Saruni Leopard Hill is a contemporary take on traditional Maasai architecture, and lets you connect with the ancient rhythms of Africa, and of the cosmos. During the day, you can enjoy the views out over the waterhole and the iconic fig trees – ancient survivors that have cultural significance for our Maasai neighbours. At night, press a button and the tent roof above your head will open, giving you unrestricted views of the planets and constellations. Situated in a very special place where the savannah meets the sky, Saruni Leopard Hill offers a vantage point for the ages – back to the dawn of the universe, and forward to a brave new world of community-focused conservation. It's time to take a fresh look at the Mara.



## SARUNI LEOPARD HILL AT A GLANCE

-  Mara Naboisho Conservancy  
Masai Mara, Kenya
-  Eco Camp
-  Best for stargazing
-  6 Guest tents
-  Children welcome
-  Solar power
-  No annual closure dates

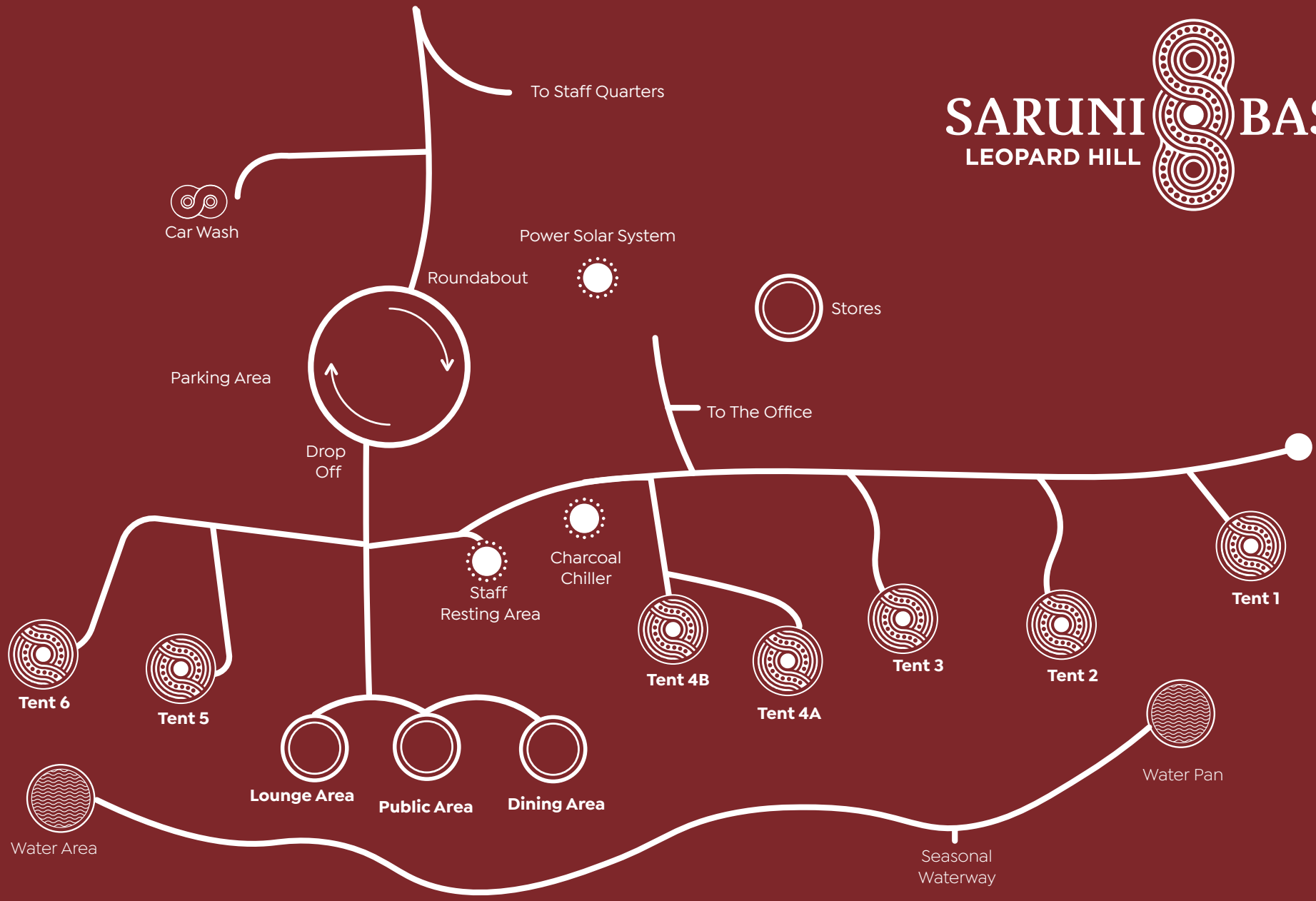
## HIGHLIGHTS

-  Unique, secluded location
-  Local Maasai warriors as guides
-  Wildlife photography
-  Authentic cultural experiences
-  Migration river crossing



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VIEW OVER MARA NABOISHO CONSERVANCY

# CAMP LAYOUT

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## SARUNI LEOPARD HILL DETAILS

Location	Mara Naboisho Conservancy, Masai Mara, Kenya	
Road access	✓	4x4 vehicles only
Self-drive access	✓	5 hours' drive from Nairobi
Air access	✓	Naboisho Olseki Airstrip (around 20 minutes' drive from the camp), with 45-minute domestic flights from Nairobi's Wilson Airport.
Traversing area	50,000 acres	Mara Naboisho Conservancy is a 50,000-acre wildlife conservation area in Kenya's Greater Mara Region
Views	Fig trees and natural waterholes	

### GEOGRAPHY & CLIMATE

Altitude	5,500 – 6,400ft
Days	Warm, dry
Nights	Cool
Humidity	Zero
Annual rainfall	760mm

### CAMP AMENITIES

Architecture	Inspired by traditional Maasai houses	Each tent has its own distinctive theme
Construction	Wood, canvas	
Maximum guests	15	4 standard double rooms (8 guests) 1 family tent max of 5 guests and a honeymoon tent with 2 guest.
Minimum age requirement	✓	Aged 12 or above for guided walking safaris
Can be booked on an exclusive-use basis	X	
Electricity – 220V	✓	Solar Power
Back-up generator	✓	



International adaptors	x	3-point British plugs
Hairdryers supplied	✓	
Complimentary Wi-Fi	✓	Guest tents only
Mobile phone signal	✓	Safaricom – signal strength varies
Pool	x	
Wellness experiences	✓	Spa treatments and massages (payable extra)

#### ACCOMMODATION & ROOM AMENITIES

En suite	✓	
Viewpoint Tents	4	King or twin
Family Tent (5 pax)	1	
Honeymoon Tent	1	
Optional extra bed for child aged 7 – 12	✓	Child sharing with adults pays 50% of adult rate
Indoor shower	✓	Solar heated water
Outdoor safari shower	✓	Solar heated water
Indoor bath	x	
Private viewing deck and firepit	✓	
Private pool	x	
Yoga/exercise mat	✓	

#### FOOD & DRINK

Full-board accommodation (breakfast, lunch, dinner)	✓	Meals prepared by Maasai chefs
Dietary requests and allergies accommodated	✓	
Shared dining area	✓	
In-tent dining (optional)	✓	Request in advance
Bush meals, picnics & sundowners	✓	
Complimentary bottled mineral water	✓	
Complimentary refillable water bottle	✓	
Complimentary local drinks	✓	
Premium/imported drinks	✓	Payable extra
Languages spoken	English, Kiswahili	





### VEHICLE ACTIVITIES IN OPEN-SIDED GAME VIEWERS

Shared game drives	✓	
Exclusive use of vehicle	✓	Payable extra - daily cost

### ACTIVITIES AND EXPERIENCES – INCLUDED

Local Maasai guides	✓	
Guided day game drives	✓	
Guided night game drives	✓	
Waterhole sightings	✓	
Picnics, bush meals and sundowners	✓	
Guided walking safaris	✓	
Birdwatching	✓	
Young Explorers Club	✓	Family and children's activities - bookable in advance
Tribal storytelling through song and dance	✓	On occasion only
Wellness treatments and massages	✓	One complimentary 30-minute back & neck massage per room per stay included.

### ACTIVITIES AND EXPERIENCES – OPTIONAL (PAYABLE EXTRA)

Entrance into Masai Mara National Reserve	✓	Reserve entry fee payable extra
Local Maasai Manyatta/Village visit	✓	
Gift shop (artisanal crafts)	✓	
Hot air balloon safari	✓	Bookable in advance



### ACCEPTED PAYMENTS IN CAMP

Cash – KSH	✓	
Cash – USD	✓	Only notes newer than 2013
Cash – EUR	✓	
Cash – GBP	✓	
Credit cards – Visa	✓	Surcharge applies if settling accommodation costs
Credit cards – Mastercard	✓	Surcharge applies if settling accommodation costs
Debit cards	✓	

### GRATUITIES (DISCRETIONARY)

Recommended per day – guide	US\$10	Please pay any gratuities in cash
Recommended per day – staff	US\$5–10	

### HEALTH PRECAUTIONS

Malaria risk	Extremely Low
Sun protection	Recommended

### RESPONSIBLE TOURISM

Saruni Basecamp believes fully and invests significantly in community development and conservation.

- The majority of the team members at Saruni Leopard Hill are Maasai from the local communities. They are trained and employed to enable local communities to benefit directly from the lodge being in their area.
- Opportunities are provided for local artisans to sell their craft items, giving them an alternative revenue stream and contributing to the revival of interest in traditional skills.
- Saruni Basecamp sponsors young Maasai to train as guides at the Wildlife Tourism College of Maasai Mara, and lead future generations of conservationists and safari guides.
- The camp helps to protect the Masai Mara ecosystem, and contributes to the preservation of the Mara Naboisho Conseruancy.





## SARUNI LEOPARD HILL – IN A NUTSHELL

Exceptional wildlife & diverse landscapes	Life-transforming experiences	Positive impacts for the land and its people
Prime game viewing with abundant wildlife all year round	Migration river crossing viewing (seasonal)	The Maasai are the custodians of their community land
Home of the Great Wildebeest Migration	Motorised tent roof opens at the push of a button for unparalleled night sky views	Majority Maasai camp management and team
Located in an area renowned for lion sightings	Young Explorers Club	Tourism revenue is the main source of commercial income for the community
Waterhole wildlife viewing from camp	Visits to community upliftment projects	Guests can contribute to conservation projects through daily conservancy fees
Views of the iconic Double Fig Tree	Opportunity to support local artisans through authentic craft purchases	Built with excellent sustainable credentials - recycled wood and steel

Book your Saruni Leopard Hill experience today!



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