

Loldaiga hills ranch conservancy, a well kept gem.

The simple reason is this conservancy is privately owned and has been used as a cattle ranch for the last three generations with an extremely high fauna and flora conservation mindset. The latest owners have opened up the ranch for the enjoyment of all in order to continue their commitment to its preservation. Important levels of investment for perimeter fencing, anti-poaching rangers, community support initiatives and wildlife monitoring are ongoing.



These stunning hills offer excellent walks -early morning with an armed ranger- a magnificent way of



discovering outstanding views and chosen parts of the Loldaiga's incredible 49,000 acres of wilderness. From cedar forests to open grasslands and valleys, they provide the chance to see up close some of the 104 different mammals and 385 bird species. Normal vehicle game drives will be done as well as night drives to discover lesser seen fauna.

The Laikipia Maasai have been living on this land for over 500 years. There are cave paintings and archaeological sites you will visit that attest to this.

Loldaiga ranch has several programs that contribute importantly to the local communities. One of which is funding a number of a local school students as well as providing them with a teacher since 2012.

Your discovery adventure of Loldaiga ranch will go a long way in preserving the communities around it and this magnificent very little known piece of Kenyan land.

Your safari

Day 1

Early morning flight from Nairobi to Nanyuki or Kamok airstrip in Ol Pejeta. You will be met and transferred to the camp in Ol Pejeta Conservancy (45 minutes). Lunch at camp then relax until afternoon tea is served. An afternoon game drive will have you enjoy an incredible array of game. Ol Pejeta Conservancy is a true pleasure with very few vehicles in the area. Follow this with a scenic sundowner drink spot followed by a spotlight drive back to camp. After a refreshing hot shower join the other guests around the campfire or in our cozy lounge tent. Diner with your hosts, under the stars or in our dining tent.



Day 2

An early start with hot coffee or tea brought to your tent. The morning game drive til 11 will confirm the incredible offer of this Conservancy yet so close to Nairobi.

Lunch at camp with a great chance for some sightings along the camp's fence. Elephants, buffalos, giraffes are the usual visitors but also waterbucks and numerous birds coming to drink from the waterhole in front of the camp.

Afternoon? Choose between a mountain bike ride, canoe in the small lake to get closer to the animals or enjoy another game drive in a different part of the 90,000 acres conservancy.

Dine early and opt for a night drive where you will discover a whole new wildlife not seen during sunlight hours or simply stay in camp to share fascinating stories with your hosts.

Day 3

You will appreciate again the hot coffee or tea brought to your tent and will carry on with a morning game drive, back to camp around 11 followed by lunch. We will then leave by open 4x4 to the neighbouring Loldaiga Hills Ranch where a 1st walk (approximately 3 hrs with an armed ranger) is planned. The hike will end at the light weight fly camp that will have been put up just for you in a beautiful setting. Night will be spent at the Fly camp.

Day 4

As is necessary to better enjoy the game, we start before dawn with a quick tea, coffee or chocolate & cookies. You start your walk at approx. 7 am for another 3 hours before the sun gets too strong and return for a real breakfast at the Fly camp site.

After breakfast you will take to the Loldaiga hills ranch in an open 4x4 to enjoy the scenery and game. We will organize for your picnic lunch at the cave paintings site following which a short game drive will bring you back to your fly camp site for sundowner drinks, showers and an early dinner.

If you so wish a night game drive is possible, to see the nocturnal fauna before a good night sleep.

Day 5

Last breakfast at the Fly camp then back to Nanyuki –a 2 hr drive- for your flight back to Nairobi.

Note: You can opt to stay only 1 night in wild camping in the Loldaiga Hills and come back on day 4 to Kicheche Laikipia. The same cost applies