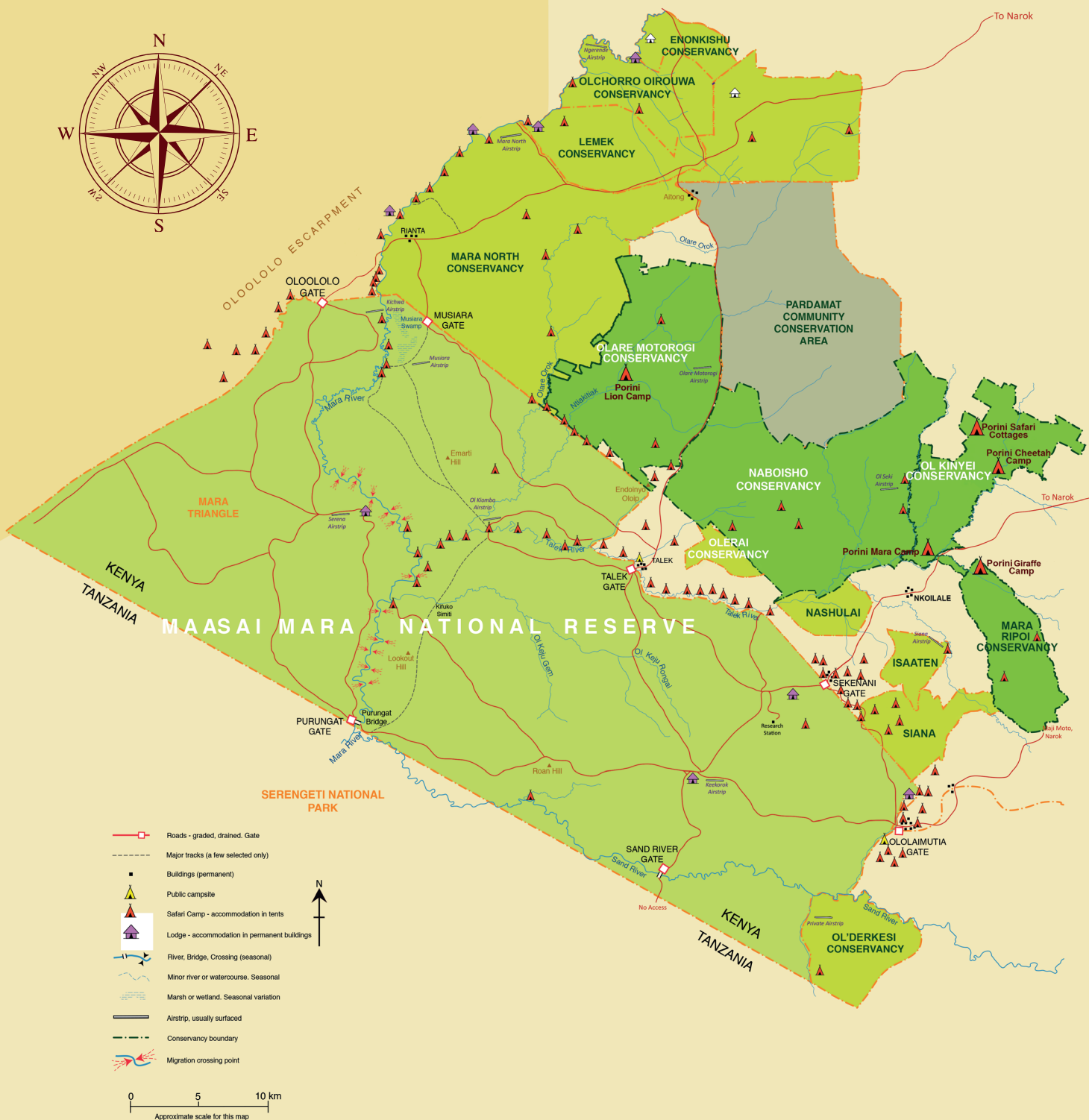


# PORINI MARA CAMP



With only 6 tents and an entire wildlife conservancy reserved for Porini guests only, Ol Kinyei Conservancy was the first community conservancy of its kind set up in 2005 and every tent pays to secure 700 acres with the vehicles being limited to no more than 1 vehicle to 1400 acres.





## LOCATION AND ACCESS

This 18,700 acre Kenyan wildlife conservancy is on a tranche of land belonging to a Maasai community who leased it to Porini Camps to be set aside for the purposes of wildlife conservation.

Ol Kinyei Conservancy is home to two safari camps, the Porini Mara Camp and Porini Cheetah Camp and the Ol Kinyei Safari Cottages.

Apart from our eco-camps, no other tourist vehicles are allowed into the Conservancy so our guests have the thousands of acres in the conservancy to themselves but we are also able to have game drives in the neighbouring Naboisho Conservancy which we also support by contributing to the land lease payments to the local Maasai community.

### Getting There:

- Schedule a flight from Nairobi's Jomo Kenyatta International Airport or Wilson Airport to the nearby Ol Seki airstrip.
- Organise a private charter to the nearby Ol Seki airstrip.
- Travel by car to Ol Kinyei Conservancy, Maasai Mara (approximate driving duration from Nairobi is **4 hours**)
- Complimentary airstrip / airport transfers to / from Ol Seki airstrip
- Distance from Nairobi to Porini Mara Camp: **250 kilometers** or **155 miles**

Porini Mara Camp GPS Coordinates:  
**1°22'57.7"S 35° 27'43.8"E**

## ABOUT THE CAMP

**Location:**

Ol Kinyei Conservancy, Maasai Mara

**Room Type & No. of Rooms:**

Safari Camp, 6 Tents

(5 Double Tents, 1 Family Unit)

**Room Amenities:**

Writing desk, Charging sockets

**Bathroom:**

Ensuite bathroom with flushing toilet, Safari shower

**Child Policy:**

Children aged over 8 years are welcome, and can share a tent with adults or, for older children, stay in their own tent.

**Hair Dryers:**

No

**Check-in & Check-out:**

Check in time: 11.00am

Check out time: 10.00am

Afternoon departure options at extra cost.

**Guide Accommodation:**

Porini Mara Camp provides accommodation for guides accompanying guests

**Max No. of Guests:**

14 Pax (plus children)

**Seasons:**

Porini Mara Camp is open all year

(Closed for one month during rainy season)





## FACILITIES

- 24 hours security
- Low eco-foot-print
- Charging points in the guest tents
- Complimentary airstrip / airport transfers to/from Ol Seki airstrip
- Outside dining area
- Dedicated dining tent (Dining with lounge area)
- Free WIFI in the public Areas
- Board games
- Internet in the mess/lounge area



## ACTIVITIES



**Shared Day Game Drives**



**Night Game Drives**



**Picnic Breakfasts and Bush Lunches**



**Guided Nature and Bird Walks**



**Sundowners**



**Safari Weddings**



**Balloon Safaris**



**Cultural Visits**



**Educational Talks and Star Gazing**





## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

**Nestled within the exclusive 18,700-acre Ol Kinyei Conservancy**, Porini Mara Camp offers an unparalleled safari experience in the heart of Kenya's Maasai Mara ecosystem. This pristine conservancy is a sanctuary for a diverse array of wildlife, including a resident lion pride, elusive leopards, swift cheetahs, majestic elephants, and towering giraffes. The conservancy's varied landscapes—open savannahs, riverine forests, and gently rolling hills—provide a breathtaking backdrop for your safari adventures. **As the sole operator within this conservancy**, Porini Mara Camp ensures an intimate and exclusive wildlife viewing experience, far removed from the typical tourist trails.

Beyond the conservancy's borders, guests have access to the adjacent Naboisho Conservancy, further expanding the range of habitats and wildlife encounters available. This seamless integration allows for extended game drives and exploration, enhancing the depth and richness of your safari. The region is renowned for its significant predator populations and hosts the **annual Loita Migration**, where thousands of wildebeest and zebras traverse the plains—a spectacle that rivals the more famous Great Migration.

Porini Mara Camp's strategic location not only offers exceptional wildlife encounters but also provides a **serene retreat amidst the unspoiled African wilderness**. The camp's commitment to eco-friendly practices and sustainable tourism ensures that your stay contributes positively to the preservation of this remarkable ecosystem and supports the local Maasai community. Embrace the tranquility and exclusivity of Porini Mara Camp, where luxury meets nature in perfect harmony.



## CONSERVANCIES

Porini Mara Camp is located in the award-winning Ol Kinyei Conservancy, a 18,700-acre protected wilderness area in the Maasai Mara ecosystem. This community conservancy is one of only about 70 IUCN (International Union for the Conservation of Nature) Green List protected areas in the world and is exclusively reserved for Porini guests, offering an uncrowded and authentic safari experience. Ol Kinyei is a sanctuary for abundant wildlife including two resident lion prides, leopards, cheetahs, elephants, and more. It is also the most northern protected calving grounds for the Loita wildebeest migration which are found year round in the conservancy and calving occurs each year typically in January and February. With no other tourist vehicles permitted, guests enjoy the rare privilege of exploring unspoiled nature in total privacy, guided by expert Maasai safari guides and spotters.

## SUSTAINABILITY

Porini Mara Camp is a model of eco-tourism, built and operated to leave a minimal footprint while maximizing conservation impact. If the camp were to be moved, in a few months and with some rains one would not know there was anything there. This gold eco-rated camp runs on solar power, uses environmentally sensitive materials, and avoids permanent infrastructure to preserve the land's natural integrity. Guests have the opportunity to support the Wildlife Habitat Trust (WHT), with 100% of donations going directly to our community and conservation projects. Every guest stay directly supports conservation management, helping to protect biodiversity, restore habitats, and maintain the health of the Ol Kinyei ecosystem. By prioritizing sustainability at every level, Porini sets a standard for responsible tourism in Africa.

## COMMUNITY

Porini Camps were established on a foundation of partnership with local Maasai landowners, creating a conservation model that benefits both people and nature. Through long-term land lease payments, employment opportunities, and community development support, Porini helps sustain livelihoods while incentivizing the protection of wildlife habitat.

Guests are welcomed into this relationship and can engage meaningfully through cultural visits to villages or schools—fostering connection, understanding, and mutual respect. This shared approach ensures that conservation success is deeply rooted in community support.

Additionally, guests have the opportunity to support community initiatives through the Wildlife Habitat Trust, which funds projects focused on education, healthcare, and sustainable livelihoods—such as youth beekeeping programs. Every contribution goes entirely to the projects, ensuring direct and meaningful impact





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