



CLASSIC PORTFOLIO

Legendary Expeditions: Mila, Songa, Nyasi

TANZANIA

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GENERAL INFORMATION

CLASSIFICATION	PREMIER: 3 tented camps. Privately owned. Annual Closures: Mila 1 Apr – 14 May Songa 7 Oct – 14 Dec and 1 Apr – 14 Jun Nyasi 11 Jan – 31 May.
LAND RELATIONSHIP	Mila Tented is in the Nyasirori region of the western corridor of Serengeti National Park and is under the management of TANAPA. Nyasi is located in the Lamai area in the northern Serengeti and is managed by TANAPA. Songa migrates between the north (the Kogatende area of the Serengeti National Park (TANAPA)) and the south (in the exclusive-use wildlife protected area of the Maswa Wildlife Reserve).
OVERVIEW	Explore Tanzania's famed northern circuit with the Great Migration. Each booking includes a private vehicle and guide, ensuring personalised adventures without the need for a fixed itinerary. With three tented camps in separate locations, you have the freedom to experience a safari your way.
IMPACT OF YOUR STAY	LOW MEDIUM HIGH VERY HIGH With Legendary Expeditions, it's about more than just the camps - it's the entire journey. Explore remote regions, enjoying activities like 4x4 drives, safari walks, and cultural experiences, all supported by the Friedkin Conservation Fund (FCFT). Every stay contributes through park fees, crucial for managing the Serengeti National Park, and a significant portion of revenue is invested into local communities and wildlife conservation efforts.
ACCESS	Mila: Daily scheduled flights to Grumeti Airstrip. Songa: Daily scheduled flights to Kogatende Airstrip. Nyasi: Daily scheduled flights to Mwiba Airstrip (South) or to Kogatende (North).
LODGES & VILLAS	Mila Tented – 5 tents & 1 family tent. Per person rate or base family tent rate. Songa Migrational – 8 tents & 1 family tent. Per person rate, base family tent rate, or private camp rate.* Nyasi Tented – 8 tents & 1 family tent. Per person rate, base family tent rate, or private camp rate.* *Tent configurations will change in 2025. Please see pages 3 and 4 for details
CHILDREN	Children 4+ years
HEALTH	Malaria area – seek advice from your health professional. Proof of yellow fever vaccination is not required unless travelling from a yellow fever area.

WEATHER

Tanzania enjoys a subtropical climate with fairly consistent temperatures year-round. The winter months of June – September are slightly cooler and very dry, while the summer months of October – May are warm with a higher chance of rain. The wildebeest migration follows the rains across the Serengeti.

JANUARY – MARCH

15 - 28 °C | 59 - 82 °F

The hottest time of the year, with some short rain bursts. Migration can be seen from Songa South.

APRIL – JUNE

14 - 25 °C | 57 - 77 °F

April and May bring the long rains and the start of cooler temperatures with it. Mila offers migration viewing.

JULY – SEPTEMBER

13 - 25 °C | 55 - 77 °F

Long dry season before the rains begin. Nyasi and Songa North are amidst the migration through until mid - Oct.

OCTOBER – DECEMBER

15 - 27 °C | 59 - 81 °F

Short rainy season with scattered showers. Migration heads back south from Dec.

NEED TO KNOW

ELECTRICITY	220V off solar with backup generator.
WIFI & MOBILE SIGNAL	WiFi in tents and main area. Limited mobile signal.
CREDIT CARDS	Yes
SECURITY	Unfenced, 24-hr security.
MAKE AN IMPACT	Interact with the Datoga tribe – Songa South only.
GYM / KEEP FIT	Yoga mats on request.
SPA	No
FOOD & WINE	Fully inclusive: all meals, & local drinks. No Halaal / No Kosher.
OTHER FACILITIES	Main lounge & dining area. Outdoor seating by fires.
ACTIVITIES	Day drives, night drives (Songa South), walking (Mila & Songa South), hot air ballooning (Songa North, Mila / Nyasi seasonal), heli trips (Songa South), bush dining.

SONGA MIGRATIONAL CAMP

TENTS – CHILDREN 4+

# TENTS	See breakdown below	POOL	X
EXTRA BEDS	✓ Max 4	IN-ROOM WIFI	✓
TWIN BEDS	✓ All	MINI BAR	X
BATHROOM	En-suite	AIR CON	X
SHOWER	✓ Indoor	FAN	✓
BATH	X	MOZZIE NET	✓
HAIRDRYER	✓ On request	LAUNDRY	✓ Included
ROOM SAFE	✓	DISABLED	X



LOCATIONS & TENT CONFIGURATIONS:

Songa Migrational camp tent configuration will be changing slightly from 2024 to 2025, as per the below:

SOUTH	15 Dec 2024 – 31 Mar 2025	8 tents & 1 family tent, with private camp option
	15 Dec 2025 – 31 Mar 2026	10 tents & 1 family tent, with private camp option
NORTH	15 Jun – 6 Oct 2024	8 tents & 1 family tent, with private camp option
	15 Jun – 6 Oct 2025	10 tents (no family tent)

CAMP DESCRIPTION:

Songa Migrational Camp moves with the migration as it passes throughout the Serengeti. In the north, it is located in the Kogatende area, positioned on a hilly outcrop and giving prime access to the wildebeest migration as they head towards Kenya. In the south, it is ideally situated on the vast plains of the southern Serengeti in the Maswa Game Reserve.

Currently and until 31 March 2025, Songa includes both double tents and a family tent regardless of where it is located. From June 2025 onwards, there will be 2 additional double tents added, and the family tent will only be available when it is in its southern location.

NYASI TENTED CAMP

TENTS – CHILDREN 4+

# TENTS	See below breakdown	POOL	X
EXTRA BEDS	✓ Max 4	IN-ROOM WIFI	✓
TWIN BEDS	✓ All	MINI BAR	X
BATHROOM	En-suite	AIR CON	X
SHOWER	✓ Indoor	FAN	✓
BATH	X	MOZZIE NET	✓
HAIRDRYER	✓ On request	LAUNDRY	✓ Included
ROOM SAFE	✓	DISABLED	X



CAMP DESCRIPTION:

Nyasi Tented Camp is permanently situated in the Lamai Wedge of the northern Serengeti, perfectly poised to witness the magic of the migration as it passes north to Kenya, and then back down again.

The camp currently has a total of 8 en-suite tents and 1 family tent, split across two sides of the camp. There is an option of booking one side of the camp, with the family tent, as a private camp, giving a more exclusive offering. As of 2025, the camp will reduce to 6 double tents, but in high season, a second family tent will be brought in, and the private camp option will remain. In low season, one family tent will move to Songa, as will the option for a private camp setup.

LOCATIONS & TENT CONFIGURATIONS:

From early 2025, Nyasi Tented Camp will see a slight change to their camp configuration, as per the below:

6 Jan – 1 April 2024, 1 June 2024 – 10 Jan 2025

8 tents & 1 family tent, with private camp option

1 June – 31 Oct 2025

6 tents & 2 family tents, with private camp option

1 Nov 2025 – 10 Jan 2026

6 tents & 1 family tent (no private camp option)

MILA TENTED CAMP

TENTS – CHILDREN 4+

# TENTS	6 (1 family tent) Max 14 guests	POOL	X
EXTRA BEDS	✓ Max 3	IN-ROOM WIFI	✓
TWIN BEDS	✓ All	MINI BAR	X
BATHROOM	En-suite	AIR CON	X
SHOWER	✓ Indoor	FAN	✓
BATH	X	MOZZIE NET	✓
HAIRDRYER	✓ On request	LAUNDRY	✓ Included
ROOM SAFE	✓	DISABLED	X

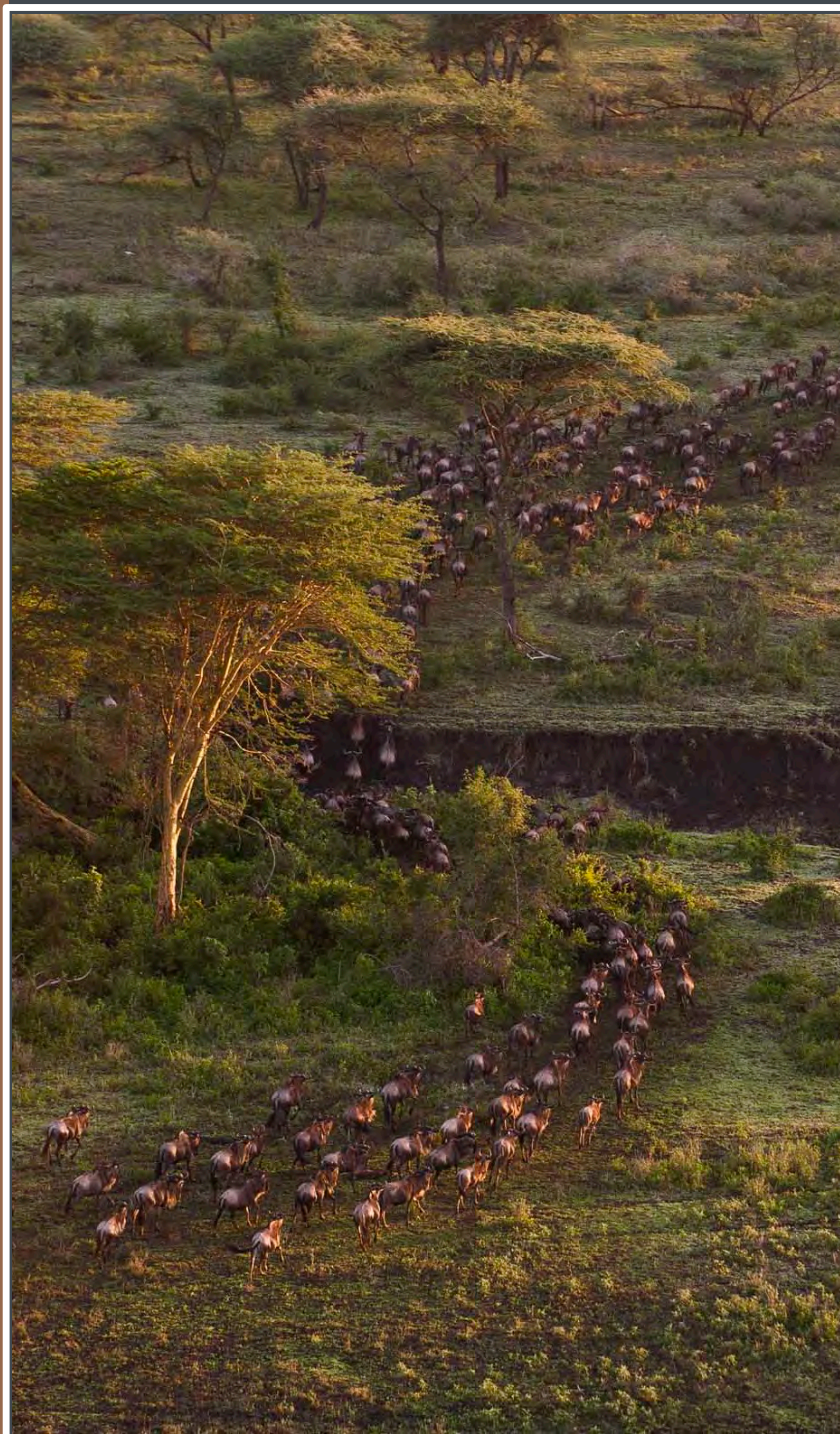
CAMP DESCRIPTIONS:

Mila Tented Camp's prime location in the Nyasirori region, in close proximity to the Grumeti River and riverine forest, is home enormous crocodiles and large lion prides. The five tented rooms, two-bedroom family tent and main areas draw inspiration from Tanzanian tribes and the yellow-gold grasses of the Serengeti, the colour of which is reflected in the linens and textiles, with gentle nature-inspired colours blending into the landscape.



ACTIVITIES & EXPERIENCES

PRIVATE VEHICLES	Each booking receives a private vehicle and guide.
GAME DRIVES	Morning and afternoon drives.
NIGHT DRIVES	Available from Songa when in its southern location.
GUIDED WALKS	1 armed guide and ranger. Max 6 guests per walk. Guests 12+ years (at guides discretion). <i>Currently only available from Songa South and Mila.</i>
FULL DAY SAFARIS	Full day safaris available from each camp.
COMMUNITY AND CULTURE	Visit the Datoga Village. <i>Only available from Songa when in the south.</i>
HOT AIR BALLOONING	Available from Songa North, and seasonally at Mila and Nyasi. <i>Book in advance, extra cost.</i>
HELI FLYING	Various journey options. Available from Songa when in its southern location. <i>Book in advance, extra cost.</i>

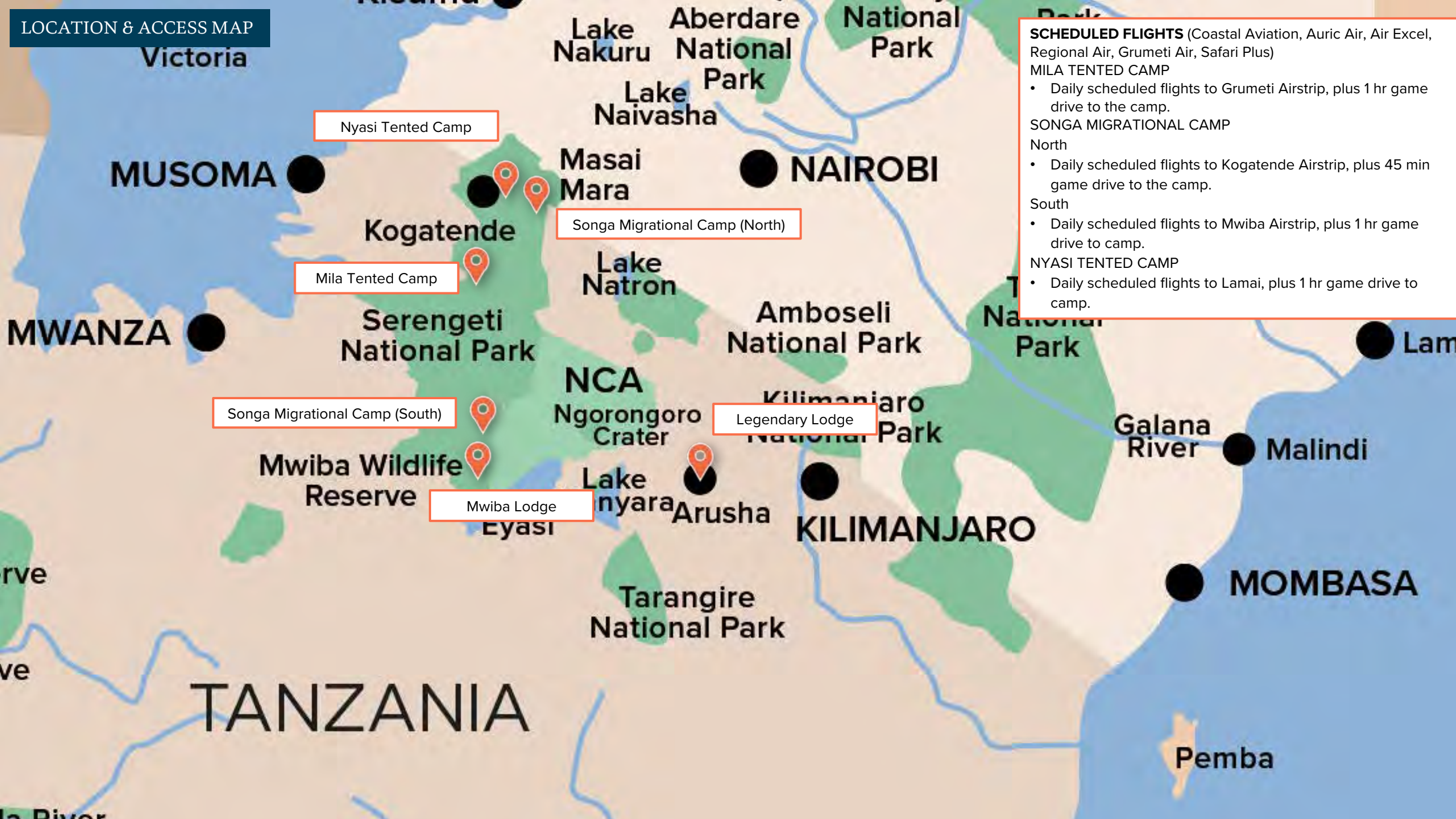


WILDLIFE SIGHTINGS

	HIGH	MEDIUM	LOW	DOES NOT OCCUR HERE
LION	✓			
LEOPARD	✓			
CHEETAH	✓			
ELEPHANT		✓		
RHINO – WHITE & BLACK			N*	
BUFFALO			✓	
GIRAFFE	✓			
ZEBRA	✓			
HIPPO		N*		
CROCODILE		N*		
WILD DOG				X
HYENA - SPOTTED	✓			
AARDVARK				X
MIGRATION	✓			
GENERAL ANTELOPE SPECIES	✓			
VARIETY OF BIRD LIFE	✓			
SPECIAL SIGHTING FOR THIS AREA	Follow the Great Wildebeest Migration, variety of vulture species			
OTHER	River crossings with Nile crocodiles and hippos in the north, and calving season for zebra and wildebeest in the south.			

**N = seen only in the North

LOCATION & ACCESS MAP



SCHEDULED FLIGHTS (Coastal Aviation, Auric Air, Air Excel, Regional Air, Grumeti Air, Safari Plus)

MILA TENTED CAMP

- Daily scheduled flights to Grumeti Airstrip, plus 1 hr game drive to the camp.

SONGA MIGRATIONAL CAMP North

- Daily scheduled flights to Kogatende Airstrip, plus 45 min game drive to the camp.

South

- Daily scheduled flights to Mwiba Airstrip, plus 1 hr game drive to camp.

NYASI TENTED CAMP

- Daily scheduled flights to Lamai, plus 1 hr game drive to camp.

Nyasi Tented Camp

Songa Migrational Camp (North)

Mila Tented Camp

Songa Migrational Camp (South)

Mwiba Lodge

Legendary Lodge

SONGA MIGRATIONAL CAMP SUNDOWNERS



TENTED LUXURY



SONGA MIGRATIONAL CAMP



MILA TENTED CAMP



MIGRATION



GAME DRIVES



HOT AIR BALOONING



BATHROOMS



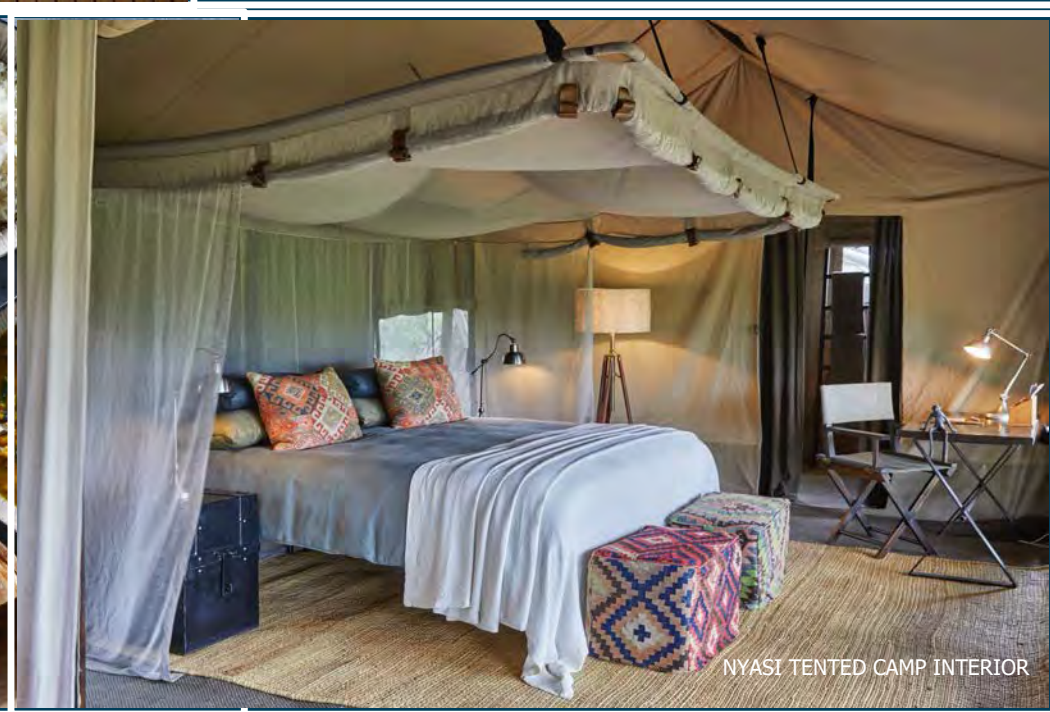
SUNDOWNERS



MORNING COFFEE BY THE FIRE



TANZANIAN INSPIRED CUISINE



NYASI TENTED CAMP INTERIOR

LEGENDARY EXPEDITIONS	MILA SONGA NYASI
CLASSICS CLASSIFICATION	PREMIER
IMPACT OF EACH GUEST STAY	HIGH
CHILDREN (MINIMUM AGE)	4+
FAMILY ROOMS	✓
EXCLUSIVE CAMP / VILLAS	✓
HONEYMOON OFFER	✗
LAND SAFARI	✓
WATER SAFARI	✗
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	HOT AIR BALLOONING, GREAT MIGRATION
GET INVOLVED – CONSERVATION	✗
GET INVOLVED – COMMUNITIES	✓
EXPEDITION TRIPS	✗
WELLNESS & MASSAGE	✗

CLASSIC CLASSIFICATIONS:

P – Premier: These camps/lodges feature luxurious amenities and are priced at a higher tier.

C – Classic: These camps/lodges offer a more down-to-earth experience and are priced at a mid-level rate.

E – Expedition: These experiences are best suited for small groups or trips led by private guides.

IMPACT OF EACH GUEST STAY:

L – Low

M – Medium

H – High

VH – Very High

Based on the following 4 considerations we look at the positive impact that each guest is making by staying here:

- Transferability: What percentage of the daily rates is allocated to conservation and community initiatives?
- Removability: What impact would arise if the property were absent? Are there alternative lodges in the vicinity that continue to make positive contributions?
- Responsibility: To what extent does the property handle management privately, and how much is overseen as a concession under a collaborative arrangement?
- Fragility: How vulnerable is the surrounding environment and community?

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