

CLASSIC PORTFOLIO

# Nomad Tanzania Greystoke

MAHALE NATIONAL PARK, TANZANIA



# General Information

CLASSIFICATION	<b>Premier.</b> 1 camp. Open from June – Mid March Privately owned and operated by Nomad Tanzania.
LAND RELATIONSHIP	Greystoke Mahale lies within a protected area managed by Tanzania National Parks (TANAPA) and offers exclusive access to one of the world's best locations for a wild chimpanzee trekking experience.
OVERVIEW	Greystoke Mahale is a unique camp set between Lake Tanganyika and the forested Mahale Mountains. This remote outpost offers intimate chimpanzee trekking in one of their last wild strongholds. With just a few open-fronted bandas made from reclaimed dhow wood, it combines barefoot luxury with Nomad's signature style and deep sense of place.
IMPACT OF YOUR STAY	LOW   MEDIUM   HIGH   <b>VERY HIGH</b> Nomad Tanzania actively supports local communities and conservation, which provides finance, logistics, and advice to trusted grassroots partners. With this support, initiatives include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lifelong Learning: Apprenticeships, scholarships, and school support, including a meal-a-day programme reaching over 1 000 children across 12 schools.</li><li>• Health &amp; Well-being: Mobile medical and dental clinics hosted at Nomad camps.</li><li>• Conservation &amp; Environment: Assistance with anti-poaching patrols, environmental clean-ups, and conservation logistics.</li><li>• Guests may also Pack for a Purpose, bringing useful supplies that benefit community projects during their visit.</li></ul>
ACCESS	Shared charters (Mon & Thu) to Mahale Airstrip from Arusha, Serengeti, Ruaha (via Katavi). Returns same days to Arusha/Kili or via Ruaha, Nyerere, Dar & Zanzibar (Jun–Oct). Followed by a 90-min dhow boat transfer on Lake Tanganyika.
CAMP	8 open-fronted bandas. Per person rate.
CHILDREN	12+ years. Kids must be 12+ to partake in chimpanzee trekking.
HEALTH	Malaria protection is advised. Yellow fever certificate required if arriving from risk areas. Remote location with basic medical kit; medical rescue included in trip cost.

## Need to know

OPERATING SEASON	June - mid March	GYM / KEEP FIT	Yoga mats available in rooms.
ELECTRICITY	Solar-powered with generator backup.	SPA / MASSAGE	In-room massages.
WIFI & MOBILE SIGNAL	WiFi available in rooms (limited bandwidth). No mobile phone coverage.	FOOD & WINE	Fully inclusive: all meals, & drinks. No Halaal / Kosher.
CHECK-IN CHECK-OUT	From 13:00 Until 10:00	GUIDE ROOM	Yes
CREDIT CARDS	Yes	OTHER FACILITIES	Beach bar, games and library deck & chill out deck. Safari shop selling local Tanzanian products.
SECURITY	Unfenced, Askari escorts.	ACTIVITIES	Chimp trekking, Kayaking, Forest walks, Boating, Fishing, Dhow cruise.

## Weather

A tropical, forested region on the shores of Lake Tanganyika. The climate is warm and humid, with distinct wet and dry seasons and cooling lake breezes.

**JANUARY – MARCH**  
23– 33 °C | 73 – 86 °F  
Peak wet season, heavy rains, high humidity.

**APRIL – JUNE**  
22 – 29 °C | 72 – 84 °F  
Drier trails, lush greenery, waterfalls, and great photography.

**JULY – SEPTEMBER**  
19 – 27 °C | 66 – 81 °F  
Cool, dry season: Best trekking, chimps lower down, clear skies, calm lake.

**OCTOBER – DECEMBER**  
22 – 30 °C | 72 – 86 °F  
Short rains, rising temps, dramatic light, good sightings, higher humidity.

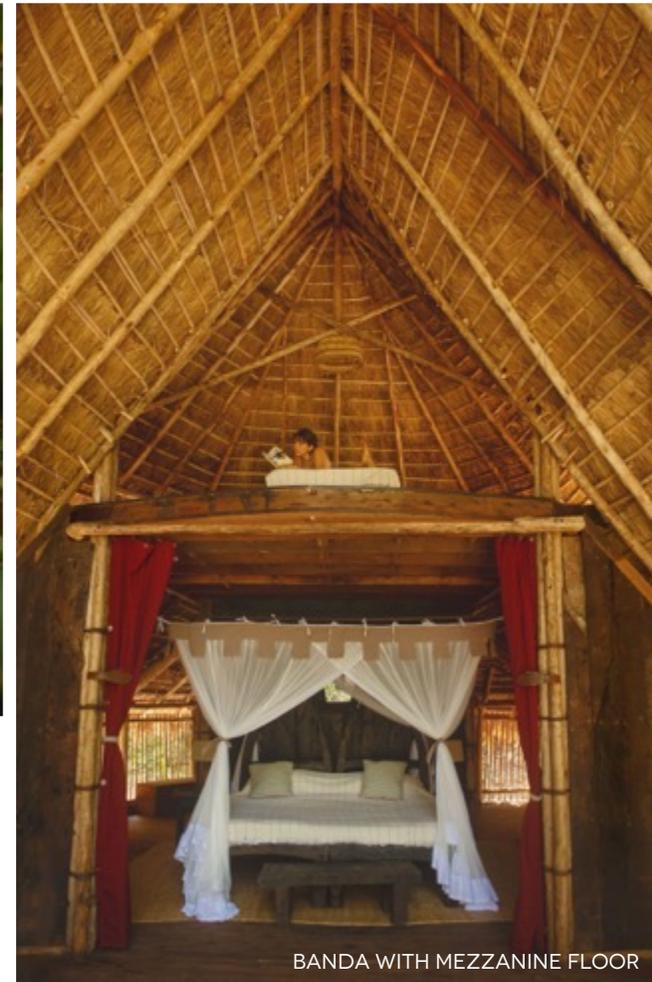
# GREYSTOKE

8 BANDAS - CHILDREN 8+

# BANDAS	8	POOL	✗
EXTRA BEDS	✓ 3 bandas have a mezzanine floor with 1 bed	IN-ROOM WIFI	✓
TWIN BEDS	✓ All	MINI BAR	✗
BATHROOM	En-suite	AIR CON	✗
SHOWER	✓	FAN	✓
BATH	✗	MOZZIE NET	✓
HAIRDRYER	✓	LAUNDRY	✓ Included
ROOM SAFE	✓ Lockable bag or box	DISABLED ACCESS	✗



BANDAS AMONG THE TREES



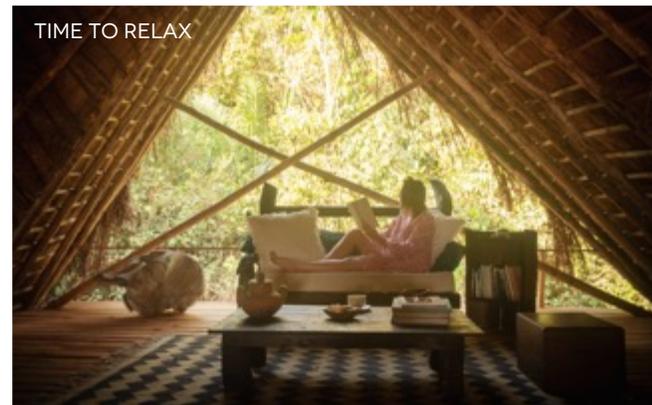
BANDA WITH MEZZANINE FLOOR



DRESSING ROOM



BATHROOM



TIME TO RELAX



BANDA EXTERIOR

# Activities & Experiences

## CHIMP TREKKING & FOREST WALKS

1 trek per full day (mornings)  
Max 6 guests per group  
1 hour with chimps  
Walks start from camp  
Guided by expert primatologists

## KAYAKING

Paddle across the clear waters of Lake Tanganyika in glass bottom kayaks - serene and immersive.

## SWIMMING

Take a boat trip to the deeper waters of Lake Tanganyika where you can safely swim away from the crocodiles & hippos.

## SUNSET SUNDOWNERS & RELAXATION

Watch the sun set from your banda or beach, cocktails in hand.

## BIRDWATCHING & WILDLIFE VIEWING

Spot diverse bird species, primates, butterflies, and small mammals around camp and forest trails.

## FISHING

Engage in catch-and-release fishing in the lake - occasionally enjoying your fresh catch at the camp kitchen.

## COMMUNITY VISITS

Opportunities to visit Katumbi village and experience local culture and community projects.



CHIMP TREKKING



BOAT TRIP

## WILDLIFE SIGHTINGS

	HIGH	MEDIUM	LOW	DOES NOT OCCUR HERE
CHIMPANZEE	✓			
HIPPOS	✓			
CROCODILES	✓			
RED-TAILED MONKEYS	✓			
BLUE MONKEYS	✓			
VERVET MONKEYS	✓			
YELLOW BABOONS	✓			
ANGOLA COLOBUS MONKEYS	✓			
RED COLOBUS MONKEYS	✓			
GREY-STORK	✓			
LION				X
LEOPARDS			✓	
BUFFALO				X
BUSHBUCK			✓	
BUSH PIG		✓		
GENERAL ANTELOPE SPECIES			✓	
VARIETY OF BIRD LIFE	✓			
SPECIAL SIGHTING FOR THIS AREA	Chimpanzees in their natural habitat, red colobus and other forest primates, rare forest birds.			
OTHER	Here you can find the world's most diverse array of cichlid fish in the lake, alongside prolific birdlife, with over 350 recorded forest and migratory species.			

# Location & Access Map

## Flight Access

### GREYSTOKE

- Mahale Airstrip
- Airstrip to/from 90 minute boat ride on Lake Tanganyika to Greystoke

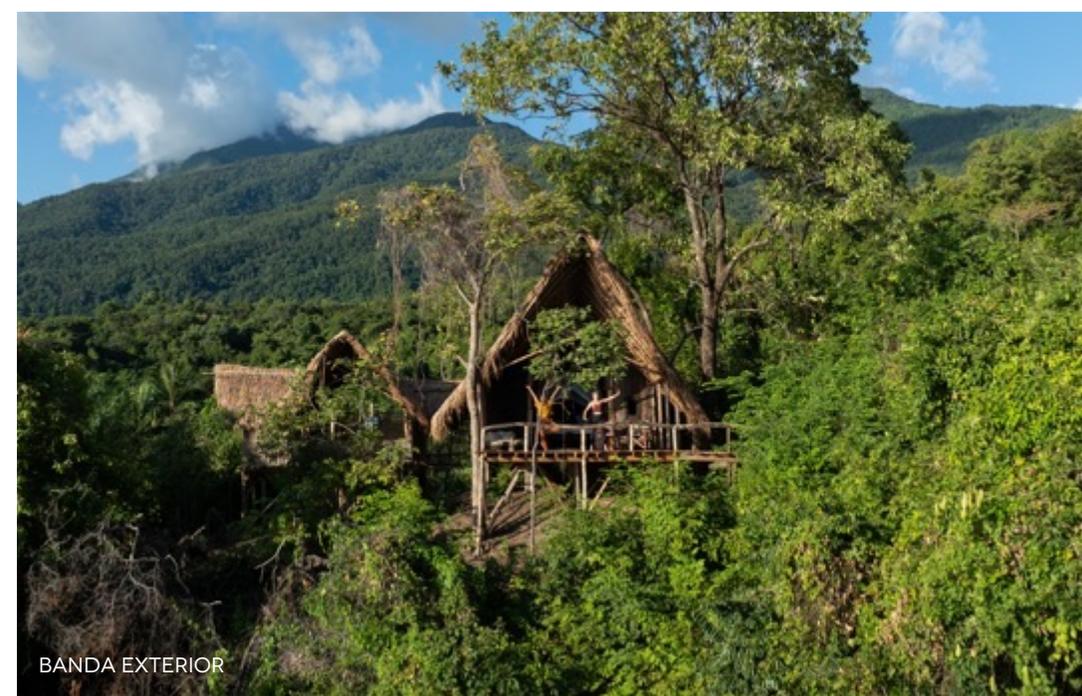
### ARRIVAL

- MON | THUR: **Arusha & Serengeti** – Mahale (4 hours) with Nomad TZ shared charter via Katavi.
- MON | THUR: **Ruaha** (3 hours) – Mahale via Katavi on inducement with Safari Airlink. Operates from June to October.

### DEPARTURE

- MON | THUR: Mahale – **Arusha or Kili** (4 hours) with Nomad TZ shared charter.
- MON | THUR: Mahale - **Ruaha – Nyerere – Dar – Zanzibar** on inducement with Safari Airlink. Operates from June to October.





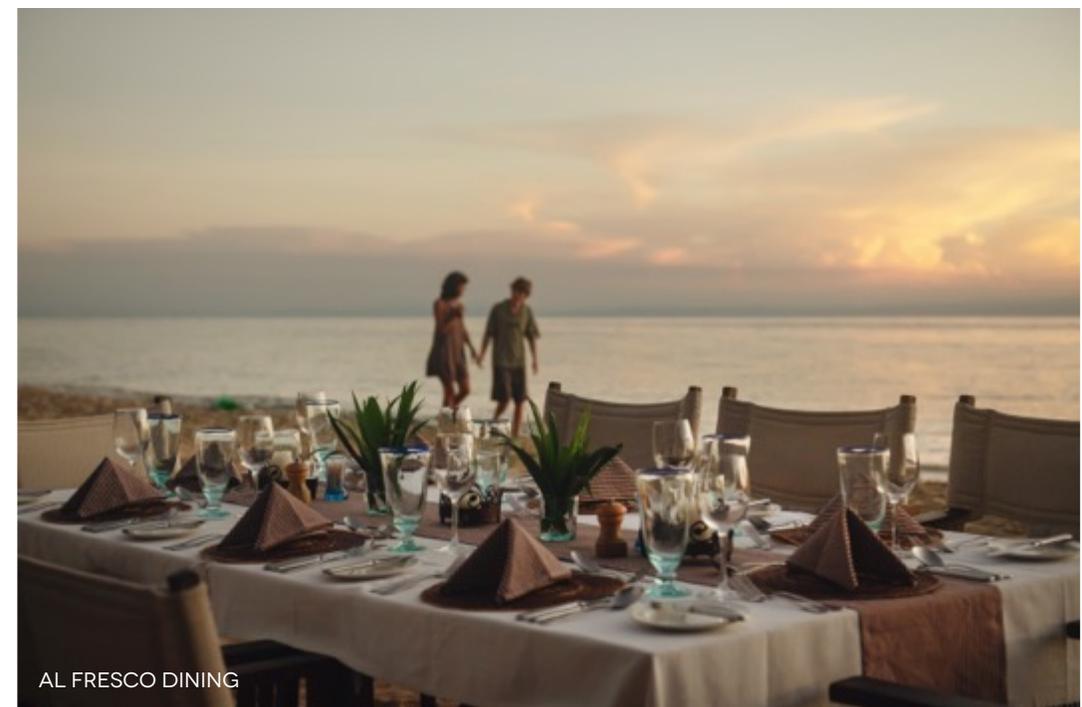
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CHIMP TREKKING



WATER SAFARI



AL FRESCO DINING



WILDLIFE



BEACH BAR

# NOMAD TANZANIA

## Mahale National Park

GREYSTOKE

CLASSICS CLASSIFICATION	PREMIER
IMPACT OF EACH GUEST STAY	VERY HIGH
CHILDREN (MINIMUM AGE)	12+
FAMILY ROOMS	X
EXCLUSIVE CAMP / VILLAS	X
HONEYMOON OFFER	✓
LAND SAFARI	✓
WATER SAFARI	✓
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	CHIMP TREKKING, BOATING, FISHING, COMMUNITY VISITS
GET INVOLVED - CONSERVATION	X
GET INVOLVED - COMMUNITIES	✓
WELLNESS & MASSAGE	✓

### CLASSIC CLASSIFICATIONS:

P – Premier: These camps/lodges feature luxurious amenities and are often 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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