4 day













# Uganda Gorilla Safari

# Highlights

Single largest population of gorillas

• Bwindi Impenetrable National Park Cultural tour of local communities Lake Victoria IDI IMPENETRABLE

# **ENTEBBE**

Guests arrive at Entebbe International Airport, and are met and assisted by a Sense of Africa representative. They are then transferred to Entebbe for overnight at The Boma Guest House. Spend the rest of the day at leisure. Dinner will be by own arrangement.

Overnight at Boma Guest House - Breakfast.

#### Day 2 BWINDI IMPENETRABLE NATIONAL PARK

Guests wil be collected at 6.30am and drive to the airport for a 7.45am flight out to Bwindi Impenetrable Forest. Guests will land at Kihihi Airstrip at 8.55am and board a transfer, about 40 minutes, to Mahogany Springs Lodge, which will be the base for gorilla tracking for the next 2 nights.

This rainforest is located in south-western Uganda, at the junction of the plain and mountain forests. Bwindi Impenetrable Forest National Park covers 32 000 hectares and is

known for its exceptional biodiversity, with more than 160 species of trees and over 100 species of ferns. Many types of birds and butterflies can also be found there, as well as many endangered species, including the mountain gorilla.

Overnight at Mahogany Springs Lodge Breakfast, lunch and dinner.

### BWINDI IMPENETRABLE NATIONAL PARK

Today, after an energizing breakfast, quests will embark on a gorilla trek. Before 8am, quests must report to the ranger station for registration and briefing by one of the rangers; the guides will then lead guests through the undergrowth, parting thick creepers, to track the gorillas. The trek can take anywhere from half an hour to 7 hours.

A reasonable degree of fitness is required as well as a sturdy pair of walking boots. It is an extraordinary feeling sitting in the dense rainforest knowing you are with a few of the

last remaining mountain gorillas – sadly enough there are only about 1 000 of these beautiful

Guests are allowed exactly one hour with the gorillas before returning to the base station. In the afternoon, guests will go for a community visit, the neighbouring communities are organised in giving visitors an opportunity to explore and discover the behaviour and lifestyle of the Batwa and Bafumbira people.

Overnight at Mahogany Springs Lodge Breakfast, lunch and dinner.

## DEPARTURE

Guests are transferred to the airstrip for a scheduled flight at either 9.25am or 11.25am to Entebbe International Airport for their departure flight back home or further travel plans. Breakfast.

4WD safari vehicle

### Live This!

Experience the highlight attraction of Uganda, the mountain gorillas living deep inside Bwindi Impenetrable Forest. Spend some time with the Batwa and Bafumbira people, original inhabitants of the forest.

#### Group size: Min 2 guests

### Departure details:

Daily departures subject to availability

Accommodation: As specified Meals: As specified Activities: As specified Transfers: Arrival and departure transfers Entrance fees: Park fees

Guide: Qualified English speaking driver-guide

- All international / domestic flights and taxes
- Travel and personal accident insurance
- Personal expenses
- Excursions / activities not specified

