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2024

EDGE

Trip

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DAY 1
Tuesday, June 11

Welcome aboard. Today we depart to catch our connecting flight. Some of us will find it difficult to sleep, but we encourage everyone to have a good rest on the plane, if possible.

DAY 2
Wednesday, June 12

We'll arrive in Nairobi in the evening and will be met by our guides and safari vans. The night will be spent at the Four Points by Sheraton Hotel.

→ **Four Points by Sheraton Nairobi Airport**

DAY 3
Thursday, June 13

After a good night's rest, we will begin the day with a visit to the David Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage just outside of Nairobi. In the afternoon we will drive to Naivasha and stay at the Sopa Naivasha Lodge. A boat tour has been planned on Lake Naivasha to get closer to the hippos and wildlife.

→ **Sopa Naivasha Lodge**

DAY 4-6
Friday-Sunday, June 14-16

The days will be dedicated to our visit to schools built by A Better World. We'll visit the classrooms and interact with students, teachers, and parents. We will plan a sports game and deliver some classes in English, Math, Geography and enter competitions. We will also dialogue about life in Canada and Kenya.

→ **The 818 Hotel** & **The Midland Hotel**

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DAY 7

Monday, June 17

Today we will travel to the hill country area where tea is grown. We will stop at Koige Primary School. The Kericho area in Kenya is known for its cast tea plantations, which produce some of the finest tea in the world and offer breathtaking scenic beauty.

→ **The Exotic House Kericho**

DAY 8

Tuesday, June 18

We will visit a remote integrated school for children with disabilities. Through this visit, we aim to gain insight into their unique educational model and foster understanding and support for inclusive education practices.

→ **The Exotic House Kericho**

DAY 9

Wednesday, June 19

Most of the day will be spent traveling to the Maasai Mara region for an exciting adventure. Traveling on some rough roads, we will likely see a few animals as we approach the Maasai Mara Game Park. We will stay at the AA Lodge.

→ **AA Lodge**

DAY 10

Thursday, June 20

We begin the day with an early morning drive or hot air balloon safari. After lunch we will visit a Masai school and village. In the afternoon, we'll go to the game park for an afternoon drive and a sundowner overlooking the plains of the Mara and return to the AA Lodge.

→ **AA Lodge**

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DAY 11
Friday, June 21

We plan to visit Ole Keene Boarding Primary School, another site where A Better World works. Our hotel for the next 2 nights will be the amazing Sekenani Camp.

→ **Sekenani Camp**

DAY 12
Saturday, June 22

Today will be an all-day game drive through the Kenyan sector of the famous Mara-Serengeti ecosystem and we will stop for a bush lunch along the river.

→ **Sekenani Camp**

DAY 13
Sunday, June 23

Today we will fly from Mara to Nairobi and catch another flight to Lamu. On arrival, if the weather is good, we will sail on a dhow along the Indian Ocean.

→ **Kijani Hotel**

DAY 14
Monday, June 24

We will visit schools on the island, do a historical tour of Lamu, and enjoy the nice beaches of Lamu.

→ **Kijani Hotel**

DAY 15
Tuesday, June 25

Today we will walk through the village of Shella, do some final paperwork, have lunch, and fly to Nairobi. That evening we will depart Nairobi to our home destinations.

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