

PORINI AMBOSELI CAMP



Located in the Selenkay Conservancy, Porini Amboseli Camp offers an authentic safari experience in a private wilderness area north of Amboseli National Park. The camp supports community-based conservation and provides excellent wildlife viewing away from the crowds.

ABOUT THE CAMP

Location:

Selenkay Conservancy, Amboseli

Room Type & No. of Rooms:

9 Guest Tents, 1 Family Tent

Room Amenities:

King or twin beds, writing desk, charging points, private veranda

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 Amboseli Camp provides accommodation for guides accompanying guests

Max No. of Guests:

18 Pax (plus children)

Seasons:

Porini Amboseli Camp is open all year (Closes from April 15th to May 31st for the long rains)



FACILITIES

- 24 hours security
- Low eco-foot-print
- Complimentary airstrip / airport transfers to/from Selenkay airstrip
- Outside dining area
- Dedicated dining tent (Dining with lounge area)
- Private verandas with safari chairs
- Free WIFI in the public Areas
- Board games
- Internet in the mess/lounge area
- Waterhoed viewing platform
- Curio shop supporting the local community
- Laundry services provided



ACTIVITIES



Shared Day Game Drives

[max 6 per 4x4 so every client gets a 'window' seat]



Night Game Drives



Picnic Breakfasts and Bush Lunches



Guided Nature and Bird Walks



Sundowners



Safari Weddings



Cultural Visits



Educational Talks and Star Gazing



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Nestled within the private 12,500-acre Selenkay Conservancy, Porini Amboseli Camp delivers an intimate safari experience in the heart of Kenya's Amboseli ecosystem. This exclusive conservancy is a safe haven for elephants, giraffes, lions, cheetahs, and a wide range of plains game. Its acacia woodlands, dry riverbeds, and open savannahs form a dramatic stage for your adventures.

As a **low-impact eco-camp** and **the only one operating in Selenkay**, Porini Amboseli ensures a secluded and authentic safari, far from crowded tourist circuits. Game drives explore the conservancy and extend into the iconic Amboseli National Park, with breathtaking views of **Mt. Kilimanjaro as a backdrop**.

Porini Amboseli Camp's commitment to community-based tourism directly benefits the local Maasai, creating employment and empowering landowners. With a focus on wildlife conservation and sustainable tourism, the camp offers a peaceful retreat into nature while protecting the rich biodiversity of this unique region.

CONSERVANCIES

Porini Amboseli Camp is located in the Selenkay Conservancy, spanning 12,500 acres within the nearly 200,000-acre Eselenkei Group Ranch; it shares the same ecosystem as Amboseli National Park. This land has been leased from the local Maasai community by Gamewatchers Safaris to preserve wildlife habitats and promote conservation as a sustainable alternative to traditional farming, offering a viable source of income for the local people.

Within just a short time of conception each conservancy saw a significant increase in wildlife numbers and a regeneration of vegetation in areas that were previously over-grazed by livestock. Over the years there has been a dramatic increase in wildlife numbers with elephants returning to make the land their own after a 20 year absence.

SUSTAINABILITY

Porini Amboseli 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. Every guest stay directly supports conservation management, helping to protect biodiversity, restore habitats, and maintain the health of the Selenkay 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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