



News on The Royal Livingstone, Bazaruto Island Resort, Avani Victoria Falls Resort, EcoTraining, Adventure Consults, TopGuides Bush Camps, Sierra Leone, Mara Siana, Atua Enkop, JW Marriott Masai Mara Lodge and the Crowne Plaza Nairobi Airport

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Dear Colleague,

Wow! What a month July has been and it's not even over yet!

I took some time off for a multilayered vacation that landed me at a fly-in fishing camp in Northern Saskatchewan for Part 1 and then Nova Scotia for Part 2. They were both fabulous!

Now that I'm refreshed and back to work, I'm thrilled to share what's happening this month with our African clients.

Anantara and **Avani** have released their Holiday Specials for the upcoming festive season. Also, the **JW Marriott Masai Mara** is happy to announce their partnership with Canon!

Lastly, we'd love to **hear your feedback** or suggestions for subjects for Emerging Destinations future webinars - Tell us if there is something you'd like to learn more about!

Enjoy the sunshine and summer vibes!

Best regards,



The Emerging Destinations team

Jane, Jenna & Ana



Upcoming Webinars

News at a Glance

Anantara Southern Africa, Mozambique & Zambia

- **It's official! Our Festive offer for The Royal Livingstone**, Vic Falls is now available to view [here](#).
- Anantara Bazaruto Island Resort and Aujan Group are proud to **launch their scholarship programme**. Read more about it [here](#)!
- The Royal Livingstone Hotel by Anantara's [African Adventure Experience](#) is now available for your clients looking to visit Victoria Falls, Zambia.

Avani, Zambia

- Avani Victoria Falls Resort Festive offer is ready to be booked now [here](#)!

EcoTraining, Southern Africa & Kenya

- EcoTraining added an additional **Field Guide Course** due to popular demand! We now have a November intake available for booking.

TopGuides Bush Camps, Tanzania

- **Our New Camp is officially open!** Check out a sneak peak of our [recent photography session](#) to see this beauty for yourself. Stay tuned for the full album!

Adventure Consults, Uganda & Rwanda

- AeroLink Uganda has sent out an Important Update on their Revised Flight Schedule to Accommodate Increased Demand. **These changes will be implemented immediately!**
- Rwanda held another successful Ubumuntu Arts Festival - The 3-day event was a great opportunity to witness the power of belief as musicians, actors and dancers took the stage which sparked hearts as well as minds with the talent and passion.
- The New Kigarama Wilderness Lodge, Uganda. Located in Lake Mburo National Park – is the newest property in the pearl of Africa! **Contact us** for more information.
- **Rwanda to build a Luxurious Golf Course Hotel!** There's always something new and exciting from the land of a thousand hills – Rwanda! Plans are underway to construct a well-appointed Golf Course Hotel within the country's Southern Province.

Sierra Leone

- Have you ever wondered about the wildlife in Sierra Leone? **Check out** this article to find out what the top 6 animals to spot are!
- Do you have clients that want to experience something off the beaten path? Why not send them to Sierra Leone for a week? Check out our suggestions for a **one week itinerary!**

JW Marriott Masai Mara Lodge, Kenya

- **We have partnered with Canon!** This partnership reflects a growing trend in the tourism industry, where photography has become an integral part of the travel experience. Learn more about this collaboration **here!**

Atua Enkop, Kenya

- We are thrilled to announce the completion of works on the Tipilikwani Mara Camp tents! **Our circuit discount are as follows:** For 2 properties booking the discount is 5%, for 3 properties booking the discount is 7.5%.
- Work is now completed on the deck at Elephant Bedroom Camp!
- Over the last three to four weeks, **wildlife sightings in Samburu National Reserve** have been very good, with regular sightings of the cats (lions, cheetahs and leopard), and in addition to the regular plains game, there are also a large number of elephants within the reserve. The camp is witnessing regular visits from three or four of our well known elephants, among them Obama, Mangati, Tom, Sam and Onyango. We generally have about 8 bull elephants visiting the camp on a regular basis and who feel very much at home within the camp grounds.

Mara Siana, Kenya

- The migration is on in Kenya and **there is still time to book your last minute trip to the Mara!**
 - We have space for the rest of the season AND are **offering a 'Stay 4 Pay 3' rate now through June 1, 2024**, with no single supplement! Check out rates and offers **here**.
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Upcoming Travel!

Emerging Destinations On The Road

We will be in the following places over the next few months, and would love to see you! If we will be in your area, click on the link below to request an event invitation or schedule an appointment with us:

Sarasota, FL: Tuesday, August 22nd

Naples, FL: Wednesday, August 23rd

Denver, CO: Friday, September 15th (appointments only, no event)

Boston, MA: Wednesday, September 20th (appointments only, no event)

Sabbatical with Elephants



Taking time off from his consulting job in Europe, Sven Ringling explains why a “notorious night owl, a late riser, and a technology addict” spent two months in basic accommodation in the African bush studying

animal behavior with EcoTraining. [More here.](#)

Sarabi or Fig Tree - What's Your Masai Mara Dining Style?

The lowdown on both restaurants — and JW Garden dining — at the new JW Marriott Masai Mara Lodge in Kenya. Sarabi Restaurant offers international meals to suit your own

distinctive tastes. Sit alfresco on the veranda and enjoy breathtaking views over the legendary Mara. It's a wonderful place to have dinner during your sojourn at the JW Marriott. Open for breakfast, lunch and dinner; the dress code is smart casual. The Fig Tree Lounge is ideal for beautiful moments together beside the outdoor firepit or on the deck as you enjoy the sound of the river and gaze across the Mara plains. Open for lunch and dinner; the dress code is casual. [More Here.](#)



Anantara Bazaruto Island Resort: Escape to a Natural Island Paradise



Awaken to an island dream at Anantara Bazaruto Island Resort. Nestled beside a white sand beach and crystal-clear waters, the luxurious all-inclusive Mozambique resort beguiles with enchanting villas, inspiring culinary moments and transformative spa treatments inspired by the locale. Embark on exhilarating island adventures, or cocoon in comfort as you treat yourself to authentic Anantara moments at this enchanting island hideaway.

Tranquility on the Talek: Tipilikwani Mara Camp



Tipilikwani Mara Camp offers an elegant yet relaxed atmosphere for experiencing the full adventure of the African bush. This uniquely situated luxury camp on the banks of the Talek River

overlooks the mottled plains of the Masai Mara, where vast herds of wildlife co-exist with the Masai people.

Camp life revolves around a spacious open-sided dining and lounge area with incredible views. Private meals can be arranged on the verandah of your tent or under the stars on request.

[**More here.**](#)

Chimps in the Mist

Located just a 40-minute drive from Freetown's city center, the world renowned Tacugama Chimpanzee Sanctuary is tucked away in the dense

forests of Sierra Leone's Western Area National Park.

However, this 100-acre reserve for rescued and rehabilitated orphaned chimpanzees is much more than a sanctuary, as visitors will come to discover when they embark on one of the one-hour daily guided tours. [More Here.](#)



The Legendary "Fundi" Guides Behind Mara Siana



A small upscale camp located in the newly formed Ripoi Conservancy (formerly Olarro South), Mara Siana lies in a stunning undiscovered area just outside Masai Mara National Reserve.

The camp is 50% Masai and 50%

female owned. Among its directors are some of Kenya's safari stars. [More Here](#)

Lolkisale Camp

Lolkisale Camp is situated right in the heart of Tanzania's Tarangire National Park, on the edge of an open wetland. Here, you'll have the unique experience of

watching the drama of nature unfold while sipping a coffee or wine on your front porch. In these wetlands, the view changes each day as different herds pass by in search of water, and after them, the big cats that inevitably follow. [More Here.](#)



The Journey of Green Living Is A Solid Living



Avani Hotels and Resorts is constantly reinforcing its commitment towards environmental, social and cultural conservation. Around the world, they work in partnership with local communities and promote cultural awareness among guests by integrating

indigenous cultures into everyday experiences. [More here.](#)

FAQs About Crowne Plaza Nairobi Airport

Is there a restaurant on site?

Yes! Crowne Plaza Nairobi Airport has four restaurants.

When is breakfast served?

Breakfast at Crowne Plaza Nairobi Airport is available daily between 6:30 and 10:30 a.m.

What are the check-in and check-out times?

Check-in at Crowne Plaza Nairobi Airport is from 12 noon and check-out time is 10 a.m. Contact the hotel directly for options available for early check-in or late check-out.

Is there a pool?

Yes, Crowne Plaza Nairobi Airport has an outdoor pool. [**More Here.**](#)



Ngamba Island To Celebrate 25 Years of Chimp Conservation



Established in 1998 with only 11 animals, Uganda's Ngamba Island Chimpanzee Sanctuary is now home to 52 of the IUCN Red Listed endangered species.

Most of the chimps on the island were rescued from illegal wildlife traders who intended to sell them as pets, for bushmeat, local medicine or other unacceptable uses. When first captured, a number of them were orphans whose parents died of different causes. [**More here.**](#)

			
			
			
			
			

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