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**News on: Adventure Consults, Anantara Southern Africa, Atua Enkop, Avani Vic Falls, Garonga Safari Co., Mara Siana Camp, Sierra Leone Tourism Board, Karibu Camps and Yadi Travel**

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Dear Colleague,

Greetings from snow-covered Saskatchewan! Arriving home from Tanzania a couple of days ago, I was greeted by over four feet of fresh snow. Nothing says “welcome home” quite like a winter wonderland.

During my time in Tanzania, I had the opportunity to visit all **five Karibu Camps & Lodges** located in prime locations throughout the country’s northern safari belt: [Ngorongoro Lion’s Paw](#), [Serengeti Woodlands Camp](#), [Serengeti Sametu Camp](#), [Serengeti Mara River Camp](#), and [Elephant Springs Camp](#). I’m more than happy to provide training on any (our all) of these incredible camps if you’d like to book a 1:1 with me [here](#).

There’s still some **extreme last-minute holiday availability** at Garonga Safari Co. in South Africa, where they have three rooms available for Christmas and New Year’s.

Meanwhile, **Happy Thanksgiving** to all my American colleagues! May your holiday be filled with family, friends and great food.

Enjoy the final month until Christmas... The countdown is officially upon us!

Warm regards,

Jenna, Jane, Ana & Paula



**News at a Glance**

## [Garonga Safari Co](#), South Africa

- **Garonga Safari Camp:** Three rooms available for Christmas and New Year's! Don't miss out on a luxurious safari escape this holiday season—[book now](#) before they're gone.
- **MCH Safari Camp:** Rooms available for Christmas, New Year, and early January. Start 2024 with an unforgettable safari adventure!

## [Karibu Camps and Lodges](#), Tanzania

- **Explore our newest property [Tarangire Elephant Springs](#)** featuring 9 spacious luxury suites offering stunning views of the Tarangire landscape.

## [Mara Siana](#), Kenya

- We're thrilled to share that Mara Siana Camp in Kenya has been recognized on **Condé Nast Traveler's 2024 Bright Ideas** in Travel list! [Check it out](#)

## [Anantara Southern Africa](#), Mozambique & Zambia

- **Royal Livingstone Hotel by Anantara Wins Best Hotel in Africa/Indian Ocean at ULTRAS 2024:** this award reflects our team's dedication to creating unforgettable experiences in Zambia.
- **The Royal Livingstone gorge picnic experience:** Experience the natural beauty of Batoka Gorge with a helicopter ride to the exclusive Bobo Camp. Enjoy a gourmet picnic on a secluded beach overlooking the Zambezi River. Perfect for intimate celebrations, this one-of-a-kind setting combines luxury and nature in unforgettable harmony.
- **An endless Summer at Anantara Bazaruto Island Resort:** Immerse yourself in sun-drenched Bazaruto, where towering dunes meet an enchanting underwater realm. Glide beneath warm waves, snorkelling amidst vibrant sea life. Savour a sunset cruise on a classic dhow. Craft your idyllic marine retreat with boundless non-motorised water sports and enjoy spa luxuries at special rates.

## [Atua Enkop](#), Kenya

- **Last Chance!** Book within 21 Days prior to the date of travel to get the at any of our FIVE enchanting camps: **10% OFF** (1st Nov – 20th Dec 2024)

## [Adventure Consults](#), Uganda & Rwanda

- **Uganda's New Chimpanzee Tracking Spot - Bugoma Forest** Bugoma Forest is now open for tourism, offering a new option for chimpanzee tracking in Uganda. This exciting development eases the pressure on other popular spots like Kibale Forest, Kyambura Gorge, and Kanio Pabidi. □  
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## [Sierra Leone](#)

- Minister of Tourism and Cultural Affairs: Nabeela Tunis talks to the BBC on Sierra Leone's tourism and cultural offerings.

## [Yadi Travel](#), Morocco

- **Book your 1:1 Meeting** with our director, Kamil Benjelloun [here](#) to learn more about Yadi Travel

and all of our niche travel specialties!

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## Tarangire Elephant Springs Camp



Part of Tanzania's northern safari circuit, Tarangire National Park is renowned for its diverse landscapes and abundant wildlife, including large elephant herds and over 550 bird species.

Tarangire's varied terrain, featuring iconic baobab trees and lush river valleys, creates a unique safari experience, especially during the dry season when myriad animals are attracted to the park's water courses.

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## Is There Anything More Romantic Than a Wedding at Victoria Falls

Say "I do" against the majestic backdrop of Africa's iconic waterfall, celebrate your love under the stars, or explore Zambia's stunning natural beauty on a honeymoon adventure during a romantic sojourn at the Avani Victoria Falls Resort

Plan an unforgettable wedding in Zambia with venues and details to suit your style.

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## Wildlife Lovers Guide to Sierra Leone



There are two main things Sierra Leone is known for – beaches and wildlife! Read on to find out what animals you're likely to see in Sierra Leone. Are you ready? Let's go!

### **Primates**

Sierra Leone harbors 15 primate species including chimpanzees (the national animal) and cute little bush babies, the red and western red colobus, olive and Guinea baboon, and rare species like the Diana monkey and lesser spot-nosed monkey.

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## How Elephants Finally Became My Friends

Norma-Jean Naude, manager of Garonga's [MCH Private Tented Camp](#). Explains how she learned to understand and embrace the majesty of the largest animal in the South African bush.



Growing up on a farm in South Africa, she only truly felt at home when she was in the bush. From sliding in the mud on your belly after heavy rains and swimming in reservoirs or water troughs filled with all sorts of living organisms, she knew this was the life she wanted to continue to live.

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## Desert Dreams & Kasbah Gleams



Winter is the ideal time to visit Morocco on a weeklong extension from Europe. For those who've already visited the big cities, Yadi offers a fascinating journey into the Atlas Mountains and Sahara Desert.

Offered between mid-September and May when North African temperatures are cooler, the eight-day "Desert Dreams & Kasbah Gleams" adventure meander from the Atlas Mountains and lofty Tizi N'Tichka Pass to the desert plains near Ouarzazate before exploring the Skoura Oasis, the Valley of the Roses, and the Dades Canyon.

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## Never A Dull Moment at Mara Siana

Mara Siana Camp in Kenya's fabled Masai Mara region offers plenty of ways to get the most from your sojourn in the Masai Mara.

### **Game Drives**

General activities include game drives (day or night), bush walks and bush meals.

### **Walking Safari**

Guided bush walks are a perfect opportunity to discover and observe wildlife smaller creatures that become more apparent from the slower pace and lower angle of being on foot.

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## African Adventure at Vic Falls



Looking for exquisite adventure?

Fly high above the Victoria Falls in a Microlight, explore the Zambezi's rapids on the river rafting experience and watch the glorious African sunset as you cruise on a private river safari.

Bask in graceful safari style only steps from one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World.

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Video of the Month



### **Atua Enkop: Elephant Bedroom Camp**

An intimate tented camp with simplistic elegance, luxury and style providing an astonishing safari experience. [Elephant Bedroom Camp](#) offers luxury in a setting of breathtaking beauty. It is set along the banks of the Ewaso Nyiro River and shaded by Doum palms and other trees that make up this green belt of riverine forest in Samburu National Reserve.

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