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Dear Colleague,

I'm off and running AGAIN! Turkey and Malta were amazing and I'm currently in South Africa visiting the Garonga Safari Co. properties and then experiencing a GVI Expedition.

While I'm in southern Africa, I'll be representing Karibu Camps & Lodges at We Are Africa and Indaba later this month. If you're going to be at either event, let me know and we can plan an in-person meet up.

Our very own Paula recently completed a visit to three of Atua Enkop's properties in Kenya and will be hosting a webinar to tell you all about her adventures.

In the meantime, don't hesitate to reach out if there's anything we can assist you with!

Warm regards,

Jenna, Jane, Ana & Paula



News at a Glance

Garonga Safari Co., South Africa

- **Activities during closure Extensive Property Refresh:** Deep cleaning, painting, floor sealing, tent checks, sleepout care, and new soft furnishings across all rooms and public areas. **Infrastructure**

- **& Safety Upgrades:** New Main Kitchen, drainage/sewage & water systems installed; thorough checks/audits of solar, gas, and fire safety equipment. **Comprehensive Staff Training:** Qualifications-focused training including track/trails, first aid/firefighting, online health & safety, management, and waste management.
- **Garonga Sleep Out:** Romantic night under the stars with private dinner & wildlife sounds – perfect for couples seeking an unforgettable, intimate safari experience.

Karibu Camps and Lodges, Tanzania

- **Meet John**, the majestic elephant who frequently wanders near **Ngorongoro Lion's Paw**, leaving guests in awe with his presence.
- How to plan for a safari the 'Karibu' way – **Check out this guide**

Mara Siana, Kenya

- In case you missed it – An **Easter Message** from Mara Siana Camp
- **Find out** the story of Mara Siana Conservancy

Avani, Zambia

- **Avani Victoria Falls Resort:** Superior Room Refurbishment (May 1 – June 30, Block 4). Limited suite availability.

Anantara Southern Africa, Mozambique, Zambia & Zimbabwe

- **Exclusive Black Rhino Conservation Drive:** Learn about and spot endangered Black Rhinos in Victoria Falls Private Game Reserve with an expert guide, followed by afternoon tea at Anantara Stanley & Livingstone.
- **Coming 2026:** Anantara Kafue River (Zambia) – Luxurious, eco-friendly camp in Kafue National Park with 12 tents (including Presidential Villa with private boat access), offering game drives, walking & boating safaris, and a focus on sustainability & local culture.

Atua Enkop, Kenya

- **Mara Ngenche Closure for Refurbishment** from the 20th April and open from the 28th May 2025
- **Mara Ngenche Community Charge:** \$50 per adult night (\$25 per child) effective January 3, 2026 (partial subsidization in 2025).
- **2026 Rate Increase:** General 10% increase on 2025 rates due to rising operational costs and ongoing property refurbishments.
- **Revised Season Dates:** High Season: July 1 – October 15 & December 23 – January 2. Mid Season: Jan 3 – Mar 31, Jun 1 – Jun 30, Oct 16 – Dec 22. Low Season: April 1 – May 31.

Adventure Consults, Uganda & Rwanda

- **Uganda Lake Mburo boat rides:** Prime for wildlife photography, especially spotting some of the park's 350+ bird species

Yadi Travel, Morocco

- In case you missed our last webinar: "*Morocco Behind the Scenes*" watch it [here](#)

Garonga: More Than Just Game Drives



Garonga Safari Co's holistic "safari for the soul" philosophy translates into the unhurried, highly personal South African bush experience that includes a range of activities other than morning and late afternoon game drives.

From intimate wildlife encounters to personal time to reflect in nature, our abundance of relaxing safari activities is designed to encourage exactly that.

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Karibu's Innovative Virtual Safari Tours

Karibu's innovative Virtual Safari Tours allow future guests (and potential guests) to experience their camps and lodges in Tanzania from the comfort of their own homes, providing a true sense of comfort, beauty, and adventure that awaits.

Whether you're planning a family safari, romantic getaway or an adventure with friends, these tours help to envision your perfect stay.

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GVI's New Wilderness Camp in South Africa



Answering the call for a mid-luxury tented safari option, **GVI Expeditions** has unveiled its new Selati Wilderness Camp in South Africa.

A serene bushveld retreat nestled within the expansive Selati Game Reserve, this exclusive tented camp is consciously designed to minimize environmental impact.

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The Flavors of Morocco

Moroccan cuisine is a treasure trove of culinary delights waiting to be discovered.

From humble soups and savory pies to exquisitely preserved foods, Morocco offers a culinary journey like no other, where every dish tells a story, and every bite is an adventure.

Morocco's renowned cuisine often steals the spotlight. But its exceptional wines, from over a dozen estates, are increasingly gaining recognition globally.

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4 Ways to Discover the Zimbabwe Side of Vic Falls



From a personalized tour of the Smoke that Thunders and helicopter flightseeing to dining on the Zambezi and traditional afternoon tea, the **Anantara Stanley & Livingstone Victoria Falls Hotel** in Zimbabwe offers four unique ways to experience the area.

Smoke & Rainbows

Guests can tailor this trip to the World Heritage Site to match their personal interests.

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Cheers! Creative Cocktails in the Mara?

Kenya’s upscale **Mara Siana Camp** reinvents the Africa safari sundowner experience with creative cocktails like the Siana Sour, Mara Rebellion, Siankiki Sunrise and more.

The libations are served in the camp’s open sided bar or the adjoining dining area, both of which feature panoramic views of a nearby waterhole where elephants, zebra, giraffe and other wildlife gather to drink.

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Up Close and Very Personal With Chimps & Gorillas



What’s even more awesome than a gorilla or chimpanzee tracking safari in Uganda? An experiential

primate habituation experience that features the step-by-step processes that national park staff go through to ensure these amazing animals get used to people.

Adventure Consults has been offering experiential encounters for close to two decades

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Royal Livingstone Urges You to "Pack for a Purpose"

The Royal Livingstone Victoria Falls Zambia Hotel by Anantara supports Linda Community School. Located in Livingstone, the school provides education to 470 of the area’s most vulnerable and orphaned children.

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Video of the Month





Welcome to **Elephant Gorge Camp**, an exclusive lodge in Amboseli nestled on the slopes of Mt. Kilimanjaro within the ALOCA conservancy.

The lodge offers a unique and evocative safari experience with classic contemporary décor, capturing the history and romance of a bygone era. It's a tranquil retreat for those seeking an authentic, luxurious bush experience.

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