



**Thompsons**  
Holidays

OUR PREFERRED  
SIGHTSEEING  
*Experiences*

## MOMBASA & SURROUNDINGS

TOUR DESCRIPTION	DAYS OF OPERATION	DURATION
<b>Shared Half Day Mombasa City Tour</b> After breakfast at your resort, depart for a half day tour of Mombasa. Some of the historical and cultural sites to be visited include: the Fort Jesus, the Mwembe Tayari open-air market, the local bazaars, handicraft carvers, walk through the famous curvy alley-roads and the business district.	Departs daily 08h00 or 13h00	Approx. 3 hours
<b>Shared Full Day Mombasa City Tour</b> Begin with a morning city tour. Some of the historical and cultural sites to be visited include: the Fort Jesus, the Mwembe Tayari open-air market, the local bazaars, handicraft carvers, walk through the famous curvy alley-roads and the business district. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant. In the afternoon, visit the Haller Park, the largest animal sanctuary in Mombasa. Located next to the Bamburi Cement Factory, the Park boasts an enormous variety of animals, reptiles, insects and botanical gardens. Walking along the trail is the ideal way to look at the various animals, and on many occasions holding or feeding a reptile such as a snake is allowed under close supervision of a guide Return to your resort.	Departs daily 08h00 Incl. Lunch at Tamarind Village	Approx. 6 hours

Share your amazing memories with us on   @thompsonsholidays

**www.thompsons.co.za**



**Thompsons**  
Holidays

OUR PREFERRED  
SIGHTSEEING  
*Experiences*

### Shared Full Day Tsavo East National Park

Start your day with an early pick-up from your resort and enjoy a scenic three-hour drive through the beautiful Kenyan countryside to Tsavo East National Park. Once you arrive, embark on an exciting game drive across one of Kenya's oldest and largest parks.

Keep an eye out for the famous Big Five, red-dusted elephants, and a variety of plains game as you explore the vast savannah.

Midday, relax and enjoy a delicious bush lunch set amidst the stunning natural surroundings of the park. In the afternoon, continue your game drive as you make your way toward the park's exit, soaking in the last moments of this incredible wilderness experience.

Afterward, begin your journey back to Mombasa, where you'll be dropped off at your resort in the early evening, filled with unforgettable memories of your safari adventure.

Departs daily

05h30

**Incl. Bush Lunch**

Approx.  
8 hours

### Shared Tamarind Dhow Dinner Cruise

Dinner aboard the Tamarind Dhow. The dinner cruise begins at 6:30 pm with a welcome "Dawa" cocktail as the Dhow sails smoothly towards Fort Jesus.

The twinkling lights of Mombasa and the starlit skies provide idyllic surroundings for a delicious seafood dinner meticulously prepared in Swahili style on the deck in front of the guests.

The resident band on board offers a wide choice of dance music, from the latest hits to the golden oldies as the Dhow gently glides back to the Tamarind Jetty by 10.30 pm.

Departs daily

From 15h30

**Incl. dinner**

Approx.  
4 hours



**Thompsons**  
Holidays

OUR PREFERRED  
SIGHTSEEING  
*Experiences*

### Shared Full Day Wasini Island Excursion

Enjoy a full day of discovery with pick-up from Diani hotels only, starting with a traditional **dhow cruise** and **snorkelling in crystal-clear waters**. Explore the **historic Slave Caves**, rich in cultural significance, before indulging in a **delicious seafood lunch**. End the day on a high note with an **unforgettable swim with dolphins** – the perfect blend of adventure, culture, and relaxation.

Departs daily

From 06h30  
Incl. lunch

Approx.  
8 hours

### Shared Full Day Shimba Hills National Reserve

Begin your day with a scenic drive from your coastal resort to the lush and wildlife-rich **Shimba Hills National Reserve**, located just an hour inland.

Upon arrival, set out on an exhilarating **game drive** through diverse landscapes, where you may encounter **elephants, giraffes, and buffalo**, as well as the rare and striking **Roan and Sable antelope**. Venture into the forest areas, home to fascinating creatures like the **Black and White Colobus monkey, Serval cats, Red Duiker, and Suni antelope** – a haven for wildlife lovers and photographers. Enjoy a **sumptuous buffet lunch** at the peaceful **Shimba Hills Lodge**, offering scenic views over a nearby waterhole often visited by wildlife.

After lunch, take in the final views of the reserve before returning to your resort – relaxed, refreshed, and filled with unforgettable memories of Kenya's untamed beauty.

Departs daily

From 08h00  
Incl. lunch

Approx.  
6 hours

### Shared Glass Boat Tour

Explore the ocean without getting wet on a glass bottom boat for an insight into the amazing underwater world. Exotic fish, interesting marine life and corals offer a beautiful and amazing view just beneath your feet!

Departs daily

From 08h00

Approx.  
1 h30



**Thompsons**  
Holidays

OUR PREFERRED  
SIGHTSEEING  
*Experiences*

### Shared Sunset Dhow Cruise

Step aboard a traditional dhow for a truly enchanting sunset cruise along the Indian Ocean. As you sail into the horizon, watch the sky transform from vibrant blues and oranges to a cascade of golden hues. Along the way, you might be treated to a glimpse of playful dolphins, and in the right season, even the rare whale shark. Cap off the evening with an exclusive, sumptuous seafood dinner, served under the stars – a perfect blend of romance, nature, and coastal charm.

Departs daily

From 15h30  
Incl. dinner

Approx.  
2 hours

### Shared Kongo River Estuary - Sunset Tour

The journey to the **Kongo River** takes approximately 30 to 45 minutes. The Kongo River estuary is where the river gracefully meets the Indian Ocean, creating a vibrant ecosystem teeming with life. On this guided tour, you'll cruise up the river towards **Ukunda**, surrounded by lush **mangroves** and a rich variety of **birdlife** and fascinating **sea creatures**. As you birdwatch and take in the serene, untouched beauty of the area, you'll enjoy approximately **four hours** of peaceful exploration and nature discovery.

Departs daily

From 15hh00

Approx.  
4 hours



**Thompsons**  
Holidays

**OUR PREFERRED  
SIGHTSEEING  
Experiences**

### **Shared Full Day Village Tour & Snake Park Mwamanga Village**

Enjoy a leisurely tour through Mwamanga Village, starting with a visit to a local primary school where you can interact warmly with the children.

Next, explore the local snake park, home to a variety of reptiles and tortoises, while learning about their role in the community and local traditions.

Continue to the botanical gardens, where you'll discover diverse species of trees and plants. Hear fascinating stories about their medicinal uses and the cultural beliefs tied to them within the Digo community. Refresh yourself with bottled water, madafu (coconut water), and seasonal fruits such as bananas or mangoes. The tour concludes with a stroll through the village market, perfect for some souvenir shopping, before returning to your hotel.

Departs daily

From 08h00

Approx.  
5 hours

**Sightseeing options are to be used as a guideline only.**

Certain guided tours depart from South Coast (Diani Beach) points and additional charges may apply for pick up points located outside of the central points. Please enquire directly with Thompsons for pricing and additional information.  
Standard terms & conditions apply.

Share your amazing memories with us on   @thompsonsholidays

**www.thompsons.co.za**