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Dear Colleague,

I'm really feeling the need to get away from it all and go gorilla trekking again. It's been a few years since my last trek, and wouldn't it be lovely to escape the texts, emails, FB messenger, Skype, WhatsApp and the general pinging of modern day life in the travel business?

It's those moments in nature, or in special places, that make our chosen careers the best in the world!

We are so privileged to work with fabulous companies on the African continent who are really doing an amazing job of living up to the Emerging Destinations vision statement -- Saving Wild Places Through Travel. Take a look below at updates from Adventure Consults, Elewana, SkySafari, Cheli & Peacock and EcoTraining!

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News At A Glance

#### <u>Adventure Consults</u>

 Convenient direct flights from Kenya's Masai Mara to Entebbe, with onward connections to Uganda's national parks have begun operation. All travelers more than one year old are now required to present a valid yellow fever vaccination certificate when visiting Uganda.

### **The Elewana Collection**

- Check out our New Fast Facts Sheet.
- Guided walking safaris have been suspended in Lewa Conservancy at Kifaru House and Lewa Safari Camp until further notice.
- As of 1st June 2019, the sale and use of polythene bags for commercial or household packaging will be banned throughout Tanzania. Please ensure that your guests are advised.
- The Rejuvenated Elewana Sand River Masai Mara includes new tent decking and rain showers as well as the new infinity pool and landscaping. Take a peek at the upgrades in Dropbox.
- Shanga Elewana Collection's social enterprise program at <u>Arusha Coffee</u> <u>Lodge</u> — was one of three finalists for a 2019 Tourism for Tomorrow Award in the "Investing in People" category. MORE
- Our new 5-star <u>Elewana Lodo Springs</u> at Loisaba Conservancy is open!. Offering an exclusive safari experience, the property includes eight spacious tented rooms with sweeping views, each with an Elewana guest ambassador to cater to guests' needs and a dedicated safari vehicle with a personal guide.
- Our live webcam at Elewana Tarangire Treetops safari camp captures the waterhole in real time. Check it out here.
- Enjoy staying three nights at either our Elewana AfroChic Diani or Elewana Kilindi Zanzibar and only pay for two nights. Valid for travel from 01 November 2019 to 31 May 2020 (Excludes Festive Season).

### Cheli & Peacock

- The sale and use of polythene bags for commercial or household packaging is banned throughout Tanzania. Please ensure that your guests are advised not to bring plastic bags with them.
- From conquering Mount Kilimanjaro to exploring north of Kenya on foot, our 2019 Signature Itineraries offer inimitable East African experiences and the safari of a lifetime. More
- Our 2019 sample itineraries are available via WebConnect, WETU sample itinerary catalogues and PDFs. Please Contact us for more information and rates.
- To help streamline the beginning of Tanzania safaris, please recommend the new E-Visa Service to all clients. Visa requirements and charges have not changed.

### Kenya Airways

• A new <u>codeshare agreement</u> with Delta adds the convenience of seamless travel between Nairobi and 111 US and 4 Canadian cities.

### **Emerging Destinations**

New! Join our Travel Trade Facebook Page for insider access to our client's trade news, events, promotions, webinars, and more! Feel free to use this forum to ask questions, request information or share insights! All feedback is welcome.

Raising the Bar on Safari <u>Luxury — Elewana</u> Loisaba Lodo Springs



Elewana Collection is proud to announce the opening of Elewana Loisaba Lodo Springs tented camp in the Loisaba Conservancy. Perched on an MORE



## Zanzibar for Music Lovers

Sauti za Busara, the Zanzibar music festival that brings people together under African skies, has signed a new sponsorship deal with the Norwegian Embassy in Tanzania and secured US\$340,000 funding to cover the cost of hosting the event for the next three years. MORE

## A Filmmakers' Journey to Kenya

Cheli & Peacock hosts a young and very talented film crew in Kenya — at Elsa's Kopje, Joy's Camp, Lewa Safari Camp, Loisaba & Elephant Pepper Camp — a journey that not only changed the way the crew viewed Kenya, but also how they viewed their work and life!



## 5 Tips for Traveling in <u>Uganda & Rwanda</u>

Nothing compares with having someone on the ground with an intimate understanding of the place you're visiting. Adventure <u>Consults</u> takes great pride in knowing that travelers can immerse themselves in everything that Uganda and Rwanda have to offer with complete peace of mind, in MORE





## Can You See Yourself Doing a Bushwalk?

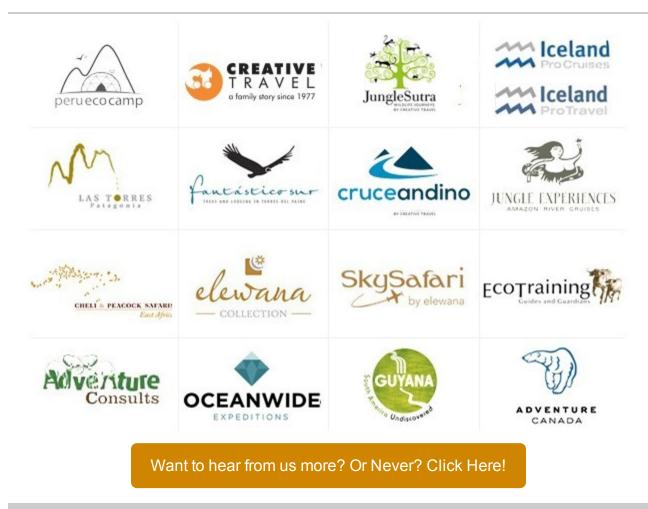
EcoTraining's awesome EcoQuest course isn't about dashing from one Big Five sighting to the next in a safari vehicle. It's about getting intimate with the ecosystem and the biodiversity of the area around Karongwe Camp in South Africa. MORE

# Fantastic Beasts: Masai Mara and Serengeti

## <u>Combo</u>

Based around the entire Serengeti-Mara ecosystem rather than a single park in Tanzania or Kenya, Cheli & Peacock's sevenday Mara-Serengeti Combo Flying Safari combines two iconic wildlife destinations into one incredible adventure. MORE





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