

Arusha National Park Guide 2026

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Overview

Arusha National Park is one of Tanzania's most scenic and diverse parks, located just a short drive from Arusha town. Though smaller than Serengeti or Tarangire, it offers unique landscapes, fewer crowds, and unforgettable experiences including canoeing safaris and Mount Meru trekking.

Key Attractions

- Mount Meru – Tanzania's second highest mountain and a popular trekking destination.
- Momella Lakes – Ideal for canoeing safaris and birdwatching.
- Ngurdoto Crater – Often called the 'Little Ngorongoro'.
- Diverse Wildlife – Giraffes, zebras, buffaloes, colobus monkeys and flamingos.

Top Activities

- Game Drives
- Walking Safaris with Armed Ranger
- Canoeing Safari at Momella Lakes
- Mount Meru Trekking
- Photography & Birdwatching

Best Time to Visit

June – February offers the best wildlife viewing and trekking conditions. The park is accessible year-round and is perfect for day trips or as part of a Northern Circuit safari.

Why Visit Arusha National Park?

• Close proximity to Arusha town • Unique canoeing safari experience • Less crowded and peaceful environment • Ideal for short safaris and first-time visitors • Spectacular views of Mount Kilimanjaro on clear days

Plan Your Visit with SubSaharan Expeditions

Our experienced safari team can organize a tailored Arusha National Park experience, whether it's a day trip, Mount Meru climb, or a full Northern Circuit safari. Email: info@subsaharanexpeditions.com Location: Arusha, Tanzania Website: www.subsaharanexpeditions.com