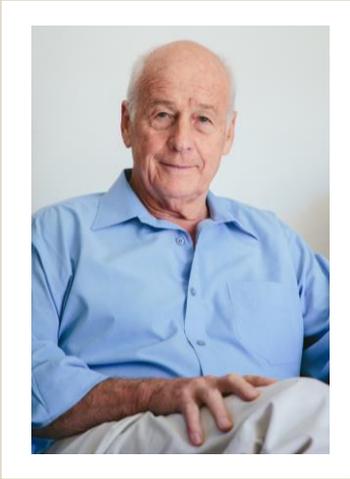




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Join Michael on this very special tour as he takes you back to his home country, Kenya. Starting in Nairobi and safari-ing your way through Kenya & Tanzania. Then on to the romantic spice island of Zanzibar to discover Stonetown & the warm Indian Ocean.

Meet your Titch Tour Leaders



Tour leading for his favourite tour company, Titch Tours is Michael's main retirement hobby and fun, assisting his daughter Mandi Aliverti.

Titch Tours offers regular, fully-escorted tours to exotic destinations, catering for the "mature traveller". Michael has been leading tours for over 40 years, starting as early as his University days; that passion is still with him. He is fortunate to have his partner Linda Godlonton accompanying him, assisting him on most of the tours.

Michael loves life and seeks at all times to share his love of travel, as well as his travel brand of *joie de vivre*, with his fellow travellers, who become lifelong friends.

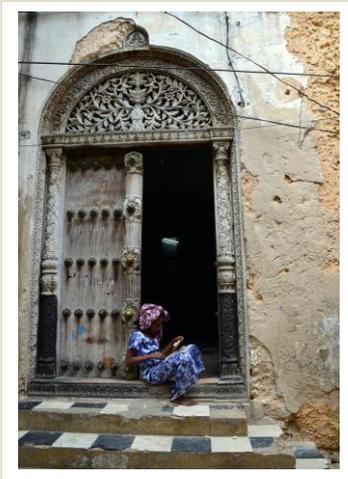


Mandi was born practically with a backpack on her back and a head filled with dreams of adventure. Given both her parents working in the industry, it's no surprise that Mandi went on to complete studies in travel and marketing before jetting off to explore the world.

She later returned to South Africa where she worked in the family travel businesses Titch Travel & Titch Tours for 12 years before being appointed as MD of Titch Tours back in 2008. In addition she holds the appointment as MD of Travel Concepts, as part of the Concepts Collection Group.

Mandi is married to her Italian husband Federico and they have 2 children, Gabriella and Claudio. Mandi promises to share her love of travel and all places foreign!

Information & Costs : East Africa



East Africa Tour :

Includes:

All accommodation, guided touring in 4x4 safari vehicles, & park fees.

Domestic airfares : Arusha-Zanzibar-Nairobi

Meals as indicated with Breakfast **(B)**, Lunch **(L)**, Dinner **(D)**

Excludes:

Airfare estimate on Kenyan Airways to Nairobi :

From R9 800 Cape Town / R8 900 ex Johannesburg

Per person sharing R57 900

Single Supplement R11 600

Based on 15 passengers

You will visit all the places included in the following itinerary. However, Titch Tours reserves the right to amend the itinerary according to conditions before, or at the time of, travel.

Estimated costings & Itinerary as at September 2017.

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6 November | Depart South Africa – Nairobi | (2 nights)

On your arrival at the Nairobi International Airport, we will be met and transferred to our hotel, we expect a late arrival.

7 November | Nairobi | B D

After breakfast, we will visit the David Sheldrick **Elephant Orphanage** to have the opportunity of seeing the orphaned elephant babies and their guardians, a truly memorable experience. We will continue to the **Giraffe Centre** and the **Karen Blixen Museum**, the former home of the Danish author known for her book, *Out of Africa*. Return to the hotel for dinner.

8 November | Nairobi – Maasai Mara | B L D (2 nights)

In the morning, we will receive a short briefing before the adventure begins with the drive towards the **Maasai Mara**. There is lots to see on our 5-7-hour drive, passing the **inactive volcanoes**, Mount Longonot and Mount Suswa, then driving deeper and deeper into the land of the Maasai.

On arrival, we will have our first game drive. The Maasai Mara is known for its **large wildlife populations** and home to the Big Five.

9 November | Maasai Mara | B L D

Today we will have plenty of time for extensive game drives through the beautiful Maasai Mara, including a stop at the **Mara River**.

The Maasai Mara is host to the greatest wildlife show on earth: **The Great Migration**. Millions of wildebeest and zebras migrate from the southern Serengeti in Tanzania to the savannahs of the Maasai Mara. A safari in the Maasai Mara is a unique experience since many animals call the game reserve home year-round. If you have seen the Big Five, you might want to turn your attention to the more than 400 bird species living here.

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10 November | Masaai Mara – Lake Naivasha | B L D (1 night)

After breakfast, there will be enough time for one last game drive in the Maasai Mara Game Reserve before we head towards **Lake Naivasha**, one of the few fresh water lakes in the **Great Rift Valley**, while most lakes in this region are alkaline. The shores of the lake are green year-round and a refreshing change from the often dry savannahs. You can see zebras, small gazelles and giraffes at the shores.

11 November | Lake Naivasha - Amboseli National Park | B L D (2 nights)

After an early start we will drive back towards Nairobi. Leaving the busy city, your journey takes you to the **Amboseli National Park**, close to the Tanzanian border. This park is famous for iconic images of **elephant herds** on the plains with **snow-capped Mount Kilimanjaro** in the background. (on a clear day) Apart from herds of elephants (sometimes as many as 500 animals), we might also see lions, leopards and the rest of the “Big Five”.

12 November | Amboseli National Park | B L D

Today we will have the entire day to explore the Amboseli National Park. A dry and hot climate dominates this region. A dusty salt desert of the mostly dried-up Lake Amboseli and grasslands stretch through the park and over the border to Tanzania. The dryness of this area is quite deceptive. Rainwater and water from Kilimanjaro’s melting snow peaks flow into the area, creating wetland areas, which attract many animals. A large reservoir of groundwater turns Amboseli National Park into a green oasis in the rainy season. The large fever acacia trees also benefit from this existing groundwater.

13 November | Amboseli National Park – Tarangire National Park Region | B L D (1 night)

Today we will continue through the park on your way to the **Tanzanian border**. After going through customs, you will enter Tanzania where a new safari team will be waiting for us. We will drive towards the **Tarangire National Park**.

In the late afternoon, we will reach our lodge located in a wildlife corridor between Lake Manyara and the Tarangire National Park.

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14 November | Tarangire National Park - Karatu | B L D (2 nights)

In the morning we will enter the Tarangire National Park. **Giant baobab trees**, the savannah and the seasonal marshes add to the wonder of this nature reserve. The Tarangire National Park is considered as one of the best places to **view elephants up close**, not only because there are thousands of animals but also because they are not disturbed by the presence of vehicles. The park is also home to buffaloes, zebras and wildebeests which are always closely followed by a range of predators such as lions. Leopards are seen now and then but cheetahs are rarely spotted. From the open roof of our safari vehicle we will be able to absorb the landscape and watch the animals. After a picnic lunch we will leave the park and drive towards the highlands of the **Ngorongoro Crater** to spend the night in the Karatu area.

15 November | Karatu – Ngorongoro Crater - Karatu | B L D

After breakfast at daybreak we travel back to the **Ngorongoro Conservation Area** before we drive down **into the crater**. The massive collapsed volcano is home to over **25 000 mammals** ranging from the “Big Five” – lion, elephant, buffalo, rhino and leopard to spotted hyenas, rare wild dogs and some of the more than 500 bird species of the area. After an **extensive game drive** and a picnic lunch, we will leave the **caldera**.

16 November | Karatu – Arusha – Zanzibar - Stonetown | B L D (1 night)

After breakfast, we will leave Karatu and make our way towards **Arusha**. We will **fly Arusha-Zanzibar** at midday. On arrival in Zanzibar, we will be met and transferred to our hotel in **Stonetown**.

17 November | Zanzibar Stonetown - Coast | B D (3 nights)

Morning at leisure on your own to enjoy wandering around the **historic Stonetown**, visiting the museum and markets and enjoy all the sights and smells.

In the afternoon, we will be transferred to the beautiful **north-east coast** of the island.

The next couple of days can be spend at leisure **relaxing on the beach**, taking long walks, swimming, snorkelling....

20 November | Zanzibar – Nairobi – South Africa | B

Today we will be transferred back to the Zanzibar Airport.

Fly Zanzibar-Nairobi-South Africa.

Map of East Africa

Titch Tours Booking Form | East Africa | November 2018

Please complete this booking form and return it with your deposit of R 10,000 and photo-copy of your passport to Travel Concepts.

Tour (please tick if you are interested in the extension):		India:	Sri Lanka:	
Name as per passport:		Title:		
Name you wish to be called:		Maiden name (if applicable):		
Address:				
Telephone:		Work -	Cell -	
Home -				
Fax:		Email:		
Nationality:		Id no:		
Passport no		Date of birth:		
Date of issue:		Date of expiry:		
Alt passport no:		Nationality:		
Date of issue:		Date of expiry:		
If you have two passports, which one will you be travelling on:				
Smoking:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Special meal requests:	
Seating request (on flight):				
Please note that we can only request your choice of seating and cannot confirm it.				
Accommodation - I would like to share with:				Single <input type="checkbox"/>
In the case of passengers travelling alone who wish to share twin accommodation, we endeavour to fulfil these requests. However, should this not be possible, a single room supplement will be payable.				
Name of next of kin /friend:		Relationship:		
Address:		Tel:		Email:
<p>I enclose my cheque for the deposit of R 10,000 (or will do so, or have done so by eft) to secure a place on the tour. Furthermore I confirm I have read, understood and accept the terms & conditions (as overleaf) of travelling on tour with Titch Tours, a division of Travel Concepts. I also note that the balance of the cost of the tour is payable 6 weeks before departure; costed January 2017, based on 15 full paying passengers. Please contact us if you are 85 years or older at time of travel before booking.</p> <p>Signed this.....day of.....2017 Signature</p> <p>Method of payment: tick applicable one</p> <p>Air ticket: Bank transfer <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Credit card <input type="checkbox"/> No. _____ Expiry date: _____ 3 digit code: _____</p> <p>Card type: _____ Bank name: _____</p> <p>Land & Deposit (no credit card): bank transfer <input type="checkbox"/> cheque <input type="checkbox"/></p>				
Bank details:		Name: Travel Concepts Bank: Standard Bank Cape Town Branch Code: 051001		Account no.: 0624830802 Swift Code: SBZAJJ

Terms & Conditions | Titch Tours

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Accommodation | In specially chosen hotels & lodges with private facilities; mainly 4 star.

Airline Clause | The carrier(s) concerned will not be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time the passengers are not aboard the aircraft or conveyance. The passenger ticket in use by the airline concerned, when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the airline(s) concerned and the purchaser of this tour and/or the passengers.

Baggage | On the airline, one piece of luggage per person not exceeding 20 kilograms (on an exceptional basis this may be increased to 23 kilograms) plus one piece of cabin luggage/carry-on, not exceeding a total length of 115cm.

Cancellation | All cancellations must be made in writing. Titch Tours reserves the right to claim all or a portion of the fares paid by passenger(s) who cancel(s) reservations. In accordance with standard procedures adopted by tour operators worldwide, Titch Tours reserves the right to cancel the tour prior to departure without any further liability to Titch Tours, other than making an appropriate refund, at the discretion of Titch Tours, of amounts paid to Titch Tours in respect of the tour.

Fares/Flights | The tours are generally costed excluding international airfares. Accordingly Titch Tours recommends the air carrier, according to the destination of the tour, based on convenience of the flights/connections recommended and competitive pricing.

Gratuities | Tips for personal services are not included. Tips for the guides and drivers are not obligatory, but are customary and are left to the discretion of the travellers; ideally these are collected by the tour leader at the beginning of the tour.

Insurance | Comprehensive insurance cover is strongly recommended and is obtainable through Titch Tours, which constitutes an additional expense. Please note if you are 85 years or older at the time of travel to contact us regarding your insurance.

Itinerary | The itinerary is subject to alteration, without notice, where necessary, according to the conditions en route.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch and/or Dinner daily shall be supplied, as specified in terms of the itinerary and subject to clause 8 above, by the symbol B, L or D.

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Liabilities | Titch Tours, its employees, the Tour Operators and/or their agents, in making arrangements for the tour, act as agents only and on condition that they shall not be held liable for injury, damage or any loss arising in respect of their services. Participation in the tour is strictly undertaken at the traveller's own risk. Titch Tours warrants that whilst it will use its reasonable endeavours to ensure that the services are carried out timeously, and accordingly it cannot warrant such services and cannot be held liable for any claims of whatsoever nature by any person whosoever, arising directly or indirectly out of, or in consequence of its services.

Not included in tour price | The tour specifically excludes all entertainment not shown in the itinerary, insurance cover, flights/fares, gratuities, meals or food purchased over and above the tour menus, morning and afternoon teas, beverages, wines, spirits, laundry, optional tours, additional portorage, telephone calls or any other incidental expense etc.

Passport and Visas | Travellers will be advised of visa requirements, if any, in relation to the destination(s) of the tour. Travellers are furthermore requested to ensure that their passports are valid for at least 6 months after the end of the tour, and that there are a minimum of 2 (two) blank and consecutive pages in the passport still unused for the purpose of applying for a visa, if required.

Payment | A deposit of R10 000 is required at the time of booking. The cost of the tour in question will be based on the advertised minimum full-paying passengers. In the event that less than the minimum number of full-paying passengers are on the tour, the tour cost may change, in which event the traveller will be entitled to withdraw from the tour if desired, and will be refunded any monies paid for the tour, provided the payment for the tour has not already been remitted to the destination country/countries in question.

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