# 3-Night Zanzibar Beach CME AWAY® Post-Tour Extension

November 14-17, 2023



Perched on an outcrop overlooking a shallow, coral-fringed lagoon on the quiet northeastern coast of Zanzibar Island, Matemwe Lodge's blissful location and famously relaxed atmosphere make it the ideal place to unwind. Whether you take a break in a hammock or dive the depths of the Indian Ocean, Matemwe Lodge provides an unbeatable island escape.

Your days at Matemwe can be spent sitting poolside and sipping on cocktails, or they could have a more adventurous flavour. You might be interested in going for a snorkel or walking through Stone Town: it all depends on what you're looking for!

Days can be as action-packed or as relaxing as you desire. With so many exciting activities and excursions to choose from, you'll be spoiled for choice. When you're not out sampling the various cultural and aquatic activities, you can enjoy some pampering at the spa or a lazy afternoon beside the pool.



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## Day 1 | November 14, 2023

After breakfast you will be transferred to Mara Ngerende airstrip where your scheduled flight is waiting to take you to Nairobi Wilson Airport. Upon arrival in Nairobi Wilson, you will connect for your onward flight to Zanzibar.

On arrival at Zanzibar Airport you will be met by a Lion World Travel representative and transferred to Asilia Matemwe Lodge, an intimate lodge with 12 luxury suites perched on a coral rock, surrounded by long sandy beaches. Matemwe is about a1 hour 15-minute drive away from Stone Town and Zanzibar International airport.

Matemwe's friendly staff, relaxed atmosphere and excellent cuisine (specializing in fresh fish & seafood) are renowned. There are 2 intimate swimming pools, lush tropical gardens and a spa. Enjoy fantastic diving and snorkeling, sipping a cocktail on the beach or enjoy unforgettable views of the Indian Ocean from the poolside or from the comfortable sofas and hammocks of your private veranda.

Accommodation: Matemwe Main Lodge (D)

### Day 2 | November 15, 2023

The day is at leisure to lounge on the beach, enjoy watersports, take leisurely walks or indulge in a spa treatment.

Matemwe is in the quieter north-east coast of Zanzibar opposite the well-known Mnemba atoll, hotspot for scuba diving and snorkeling. Perched on an outcrop overlooking a shallow coral fringed lagoon, Matemwe's peaceful location and famed relaxed atmosphere, makes it the ideal place to unwind. Beautiful fleets of fishermen in traditional wooden dhow boats sail past on their way to and from their fishing grounds.

Activities at/ around Matemwe: swimming/lounging in/ around the pool, guided reef walks & guided cultural village walks, traditional sailing on dhow boats, guided kayak trips, private trips to Muyuni Beach (just north of Matemwe).

Activities on offer – Extra Charges:

Diving: Guests can do diving. Diving & snorkeling conditions are excellent around the Mnemba atoll just off the coast from Matemwe.

Snorkeling: snorkeling trips to Mnemba atoll can be done with Matemwe's own wooden boats

Activities on the island: the island offers a range of excursions such as spice tours and visits to Jozani forest. Due to Matemwe's secluded location, driving time can be an hour to these locations. The Matemwe team can furthermore organize the following activities: Traditional fishing, deep sea fishing, Parasailing, jet skiing, windsurfing (45min away), Kitesurfing, horse riding, cooking classes with women of the village and other activities on request.

Accommodation: Matemwe Main Lodge (B, D)

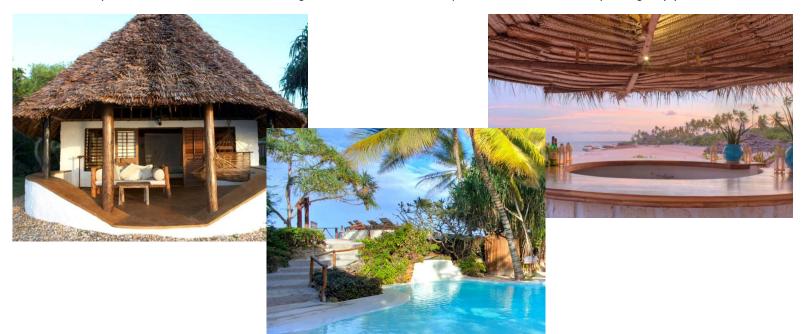
### Day 3 | November 16, 2023

Spend your final day in Zanzibar at leisure either relaxing on the beach or taking part in the many optional activities and excursions offered at the lodge.

Accommodation: Matemwe Main Lodge (B, D)

## Day 4 | November 17, 2023

After breakfast you have some free time before being transferred to Zanzibar Airport in time to check in for your flight. (B)



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## What's Included

- Airport/hotel round trip transfers
- Internal Flight from Wilson Nairobi Airport to Zanzibar Airport at beginning of tour
- At the end of the tour, guests have the option of flying from Zanzibar to either Wilson Nairobi Airport OR Dar es Salaam Airport, Tanzania. Please discuss with your CME Away® Advisor
- Accommodation and meals as specified in the itinerary
- Half day Stone Town Tour
- Matemwe Lodge: Breakfast & Dinner, tea, coffee & filtered drinking water, guided reef walks, cultural village walk and kayaking
- Lion World Travel Representative Meet and Greet upon arrival

# **Not Included**

- Associated fuel surcharges and taxes for flights
- Costs of obtaining Passports or Visas
- Gratuities and porterage
- Personal travel, baggage and medical insurance
- Drinks and laundry except where specified
- Telephone bills and any items of a personal nature
- Trip Cancellation, Interruption and/or Medical Insurance please note that
  insurance for this trip is a mandatory requirement from suppliers in Africa –
  proof of insurance must be provided before bookings are confirmed. It is your
  personal responsibility to ensure you have sufficient insurance coverage.

# Terms & Conditions

- The tour is capacity controlled and space is limited. Book early to avoid disappointment.
- Prices are subject to change and are only guaranteed with deposit.
- Deposit of \$500 per person due at time of booking. Deposit is refundable up to July 12, 2023.
- Final payment is due July 13, 2023.
- Cancellations after July 13, 2023 are completely nonrefundable.
- Trip and conference must be booked through Sea Courses.



# **General Points About This Tour**

- Visas are required for Tanzania
- PASSPORTS: Please ensure that you are in possession of a valid passport with at least THREE BLANK PAGES marked "VISA" for entry to TANZANIA. Passports
  must be valid for at least 6 months after date of return.
- You are visiting an area where malaria is found. Please contact your physician or travel clinic for advice as to what precautions against malaria they suggest for you. Other vaccinations: that might be considered before you travel include typhoid, hepatitis A and B, meningitis, and tetanus. For more information, contact your doctor or travel clinic.
- Vaccination against yellow fever is recommended it is also required if arriving within 6 days after leaving or transiting countries with risk of yellow fever transmission, including Kenya and Uganda as well as a number of South American countries. Please note that these requirements can change, please always check with the CDC or Canada Health at least a month prior to traveling.
- A Traveler Surveillance Form needs to be completed and handed in on arrival into Tanzania a copy of the form will be included in your final documentation.
- Baggage allowance: Baggage is restricted to 15kg/33lb per person including hand luggage (this includes camera equipment) on safari vehicles as well as on any domestic flights, as space is limited. Soft-sided luggage or duffels are preferable to hard luggage for storage on safari vehicles and on aircraft used within East Africa. Large suitcases of dimensions greater than 24" x 17"x 7" are impossible to store in vehicles and on aircraft and should not be used. (Baggage and personal effects are at owner's risk throughout the tour and baggage insurance for members is strongly recommended).
- Traveling by road in East Africa: Road conditions in East Africa can be different to what you are used to in North America which adds to the adventure of the trip. Whilst every effort is made to ensure your comfort, rough terrain could result in bumpy drives. In some cases, there may be an option to fly, at an additional cost, instead of driving some of the longer distances. Please let your Africa Specialist know if you would like more information on this.
- Currency: Kindly note that travelers purchasing their visas on arrival to Tanzania (airports and road border posts) must pay in US dollars using bills that have been issued after 2009. Older notes are not accepted and may result in travel delays or refusal of entry.
- Travellers' cheques generally are not accepted in East Africa. US bank notes cannot be older than 2009 and must have the most current security markings (large portrait of the president).
- Valuables: Some areas you visit will be quite poor by our standards and it is thoughtless to flash money or jewellery. We urge you to leave valuables, passports
  etc. in hotel safes or with camp managers at lodges that do not provide safes.
- Import regulations: Please note that the import of meat or any products thereof (dried, canned etc.), plants, seeds, vegetables, fruits, livestock, endangered wildlife species and products thereof (for example clothing and accessories) into the United States and Canada is prohibited. This includes Ostrich eggs and animal skins for sale in Africa!
- Photography/Security: Do not take photographs of the local people without their permission. Never take photographs of military, military institutions, armed forces barracks, policemen, the President, Government officials or airports.
- Plastic bags: No plastic carrier bags are allowed in Tanzania. This includes Duty Free carrier bags, dry cleaning bags, general shopping bags and Ziploc bags
  (the type usually given for carrying smaller liquid items in carry-on luggage. Suitable replacements include paper bags, durable 'bag for life' bags and bags
  made from cloth, woven grass or sisal. You will be asked to leave any bags on the banned list at the point of entry to Tanzania.

Prices as of January 13, 2023, based on double occupancy	
3 Night Tour in CAD	\$3,362 per person
3 Night Tour in approx. USD	\$2,490 per person

