#### UGANDA TRACKS



### Day 1 : Arrive Entebee

Upon arrival at the Entebee airport transfer to your hotel and time to relax from the flight.

# Day 2 : Entebee - Murchison Falls

After breakfast drive to Murchison Falls where you arrive in time for lunch at the lodge. Murchison Falls National Park lies at the northern end of the Albertine Rift Valley and is Uganda's largest and oldest conservation area. The park is bisected by the Victoria Nile which plunges 45m over the remnant rift valley wall, creating the dramatic Murchison Falls. Enjoy an evening game drive before dinner.

# Day 3: Murchison Falls National Park

After breakfast this morning at the lodge get ready for your morning game drive in the park. Later lunch is served at the lodge. In the afternoon experience a boat trip on river Nile followed by another exciting game drive.

# Day 4: Murchison Falls - Kibale Forest Park

After breakfast make your way to Kibale Forest National Park. Embark on an early morning drive. Later enjoy a picnic lunch before you arrive in Kibale Forest Park, home to some 13 species of primates including the red colobus, chimpanzee and L'Hoest's monkeys as well as 70 mammal species. In the late afternoon discover more of the park on a nature walk before dinner is served at the lodge.

# Day 5 : Kibale Forest - Queen Elizabeth Park

After breakfast embark on the chimp tracking. On the trek you can see other primates such as grey-cheeked mangabeys along with red tailed and blue monkeys. Your expert guide shares the secrets of the forest's flora and fauna, ensuring that the trail is both informative and enjoyable. In the afternoon drive to Queen Elizabeth National Park through scenic volcanic crater lakes. On a clear day one can see the famous "Mountains of the Moon", The Rwenzori Mountains. Later enjoy a game drive before dinner.

# Day 6: Queen Elizabeth National Park

Today head for a morning game drive in the Queen Elizabeth National Park whose diverse ecosystems include sprawling savanna, shady, humid forests, sparkling lakes and fertile

wetlands. This makes it the ideal habitat for classic big game, primates and over 600 species of birds. Set against the backdrop of the jagged Rwenzori Mountains the park's magnificent vistas include dozens of enormous craters carved dramatically into rolling green hills and the panoramic views of the Kazinga Channel. After lunch at the lodge take a boat trip on the Kazinga Channel before going on another game drive. The water system has the highest concentration of Hippo in the world. You see also crocodiles, buffalos and other game that drinks from the channel and you can marvel at the abundant ornitho-life here as well.

# Day 7: Queen Elizabeth Park - Bwindi Impenetrabel Park

After breakfast drive to the Bwindi Impenetrable National Park, a sanctuary for colobus monkeys, chimpanzees and many birds such as hornbills and turacos. It is most notable for the 340 Bwindi gorillas, half of the world's population of the critically endangered mountain gorillas. It is accessible only on foot and is a United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization designated World Heritage Site.

# Day 8: Bwindi Impenetrable National Park

This morning embark on your gorilla trek. Before 8 am report to the ranger station for registration and briefing by one of the rangers. The guides then lead you through the undergrowth, parting thick creepers, to track the gorillas. It is an extraordinary feeling sitting in the dense rainforest knowing you are with a few of the last remaining mountain gorillas, sadly enough there are only about 650 of these beautiful creatures left.

# Day 9 : Entebee Departure

After breakfast transfer to the Kisoro airstrip for scheduled flight to Entebbe airport for your international departure flight.

