

## Extraordinary Ways to Experience East Africa's Great Migrations

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### From a Treehouse

Put up your feet and take a load off as you observe the migrations crossing the Mara River from your very own wooden paradise atop a tree in the Maasai Mara. The Nest, which is bookable as part of a larger safari experience through **Micato Safaris**, is a treehouse perched 12 feet above the ground on a limb of a Warburgia tree overlooking the mighty river. There are two nest-shaped double beds (plus room for



cots), a flush toilet, and plenty of candles and kerosene lanterns. Guests will also find an infra-red spotlight and a night-vision camera for nighttime game viewing.

### Helicopter

For a bird's eye view of the massive herds, a helicopter ride is the perfect method. While Tanzania doesn't allow helicopters from viewing heights, Kenya permits the aircraft as long as they don't swoop down too close to the animals. **Micato Safaris** can arrange a helicopter ride over the Maasai Mara with the doors off, allowing for prime adventure and superior photo ops.