

Spay and Neuter Camp Kilimanjaro Animal C.R.E.W.
With the vets of Kilimanjaro☺

Dive into the fascinating life of Tanzania, where you not only experience the beauty of wildlife but also lend a helping hand to the local community

Expand your knowledge, gather unforgettable experiences, and become part of a significant mission.

In many cultures, including Tanzania, dogs and cats are indispensable companions. However, often there is a lack of knowledge and financial resources to humanely control their population and ensure medical care.

This leads to a rapid increase in stray animals, which not only pose a danger to humans and other pets but also threaten wildlife. To combat this, we have been conducting sterilizations for years, but the demand exceeds our financial and personnel capabilities.

Help us improve the lives of animals and support communities while experiencing unforgettable adventures and learning valuable lessons.

The Project: Join our inspiring project that conducts regular sterilization camps specifically for students and beginners in the field! Immerse yourself in a world where you can provide comprehensive treatment options for animals while gaining valuable practical experience.

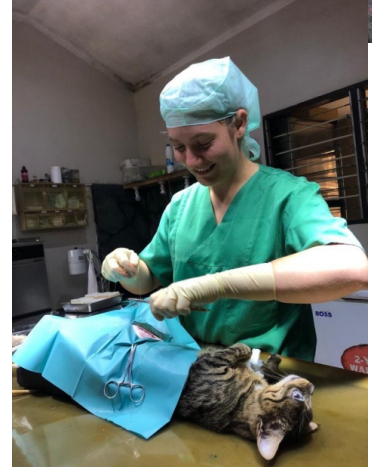
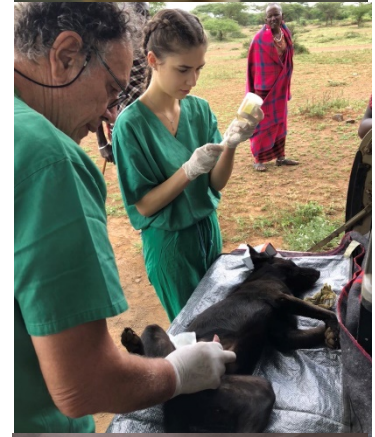
Our clinic, led by experienced surgeons, provides a stress-free environment where you can learn and perfect sterilization and treatment techniques. Our surgeons are dedicated to guiding and supporting their young colleagues.

During the camp, you will develop a routine that allows you to feel confident in various areas, whether it's performing sterilizations, preparing for surgeries, or handling challenging situations.

Local veterinarians and students are often part of the team as well, allowing them to gain more experience for professionally conducting sterilizations in the communities.

The Goal: Our goal is to achieve effective population control through the continuous implementation of this project and to educate the next generation of veterinarians to the best of our ability.

Become part of this inspiring initiative and contribute to improving the lives of animals and supporting communities sustainably!



Probable scheduled details:

Day 1: Arrival.

Day 2: Introduction and overview of the process and projects of KiliCREW. Instruction and practical exercises: Use of blowpipes, stitching and knot techniques, demonstration of surgery, etc. Possibly also a trip to villages near the wildlife area to treat dogs and bring them to the Makoa Farm for surgery.

Days 3-4: Weekend/Rest days:

Saturday: Excursion to the Hot Springs, with a visit to a colorful local market on the way.

Sunday: Walk to the village and visit to the farm, swimming in the river with its own waterfall, bird and monkey watching, introduction to medicinal plants still regularly used by locals today.

Days 5-9: Dog/Cat Surgery (castration, ovariohysterectomy, possibly tumor excision, wound care, dental cleaning, ear cleaning, nail trimming, anal gland check, deworming, vaccination). Participants will be assigned alternately to preparation, post-operative care, surgeries, and routine treatments.

Days 10-11: Weekend/Rest days:

Saturday: City tour of Moshi, visit to markets and souvenir shops, and a drink at a rooftop bar with a view of Mount Kilimanjaro (weather dependent).

Sunday: 1-day safari to West Kilimanjaro or Arusha National Park.

Days 12-14: Dog/Cat Surgery (castration, OHE, possibly tumor excision, wound care, dental cleaning, ear cleaning, nail trimming, anal gland check, deworming, vaccination).

Day 15: Departure (depending on departure time, a hike on the farm, to the river, etc.), possibly also returning dogs.

Note:

This itinerary serves primarily as an example of the schedule during the stay and may be subject to change depending on external factors.



Additional Details:

Duration of Stay: 15 days, but additional days can be arranged upon prior agreement (additional costs apply), **Timing:** By prior arrangement, available year-round.

Estimated Costs* for 15 Days:

Amount	Wherefore	How to raise
€1.000	"To KiliCREW, as this project is solely funded by participants' donations, and each participant sponsors up to 20 dog castrations* with this amount. (With this amount, for example, 8 dogs can undergo surgery, and an additional 12 male dogs can be castrated via injection under short anesthesia)."	Self-funding or fundraising from parents, relatives, friends (tax-deductible in Germany)
€300	To KiliCREW, this will be used to purchase additional needed dog food if dogs need to stay in the clinic longer than planned due to additional issues. Additionally, this amount will cover transportation costs to pick up dogs from villages near the wildlife area and return them after recovery.	Self-funding or fundraising from parents, relatives, friends (tax-deductible in Germany)
€500	To Makoa Farm, for accommodation and meals, airport transfers, and excursions.	Self-funding, parents, or generous relatives and friends (but not tax-deductible)
Additional Information: Note: *All entry and other fees are subject to change at any time.	Direct Payments, for example: - Immigration fees* payable via the Immigration website or upon arrival at the airport (Visa €50), - Flight booking (flights often start from €700), - Park entrance fees* (around \$59 or higher per day depending on the area), - Community fees* such as Hot Springs \$10 per day, - International insurance and Flying Doctors Membership*, - Other personal expenses.	Self-funding, parents, or generous relatives and friends (but not tax-deductible)

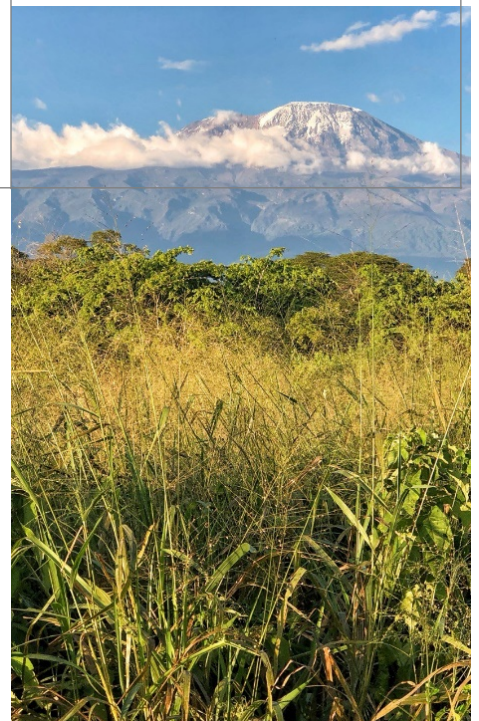
*The costs are calculated very tightly, and we ask participants to make efforts to bring additional in-kind donations (materials and medications as suggested on extra sheet) if possible.

Accommodation: At Makoa Farm in rooms/cottages/safari tents.

Location: In one of the most beautiful areas in Africa, in northern Tanzania, at the southern foot of Mt. Kilimanjaro and 1-hour drive from Kilimanjaro Airport (i.e., flight booking to arrive at JRO). Our base is Makoa Farm.

Number of Participants: Minimum of 2 participants.

Tanzania offers friendly people, fascinating wildlife areas, and great beaches. An extended program is highly recommended, and we are happy to assist in planning, organizing, and booking.



Scheduled dates 2025:

18. March - 01. April 2025

25. July - 08. August 2025 - confirmed

03. - 17. September 2025

Other dates can be arranged in the second half of the year, subject to availability and a minimum of 4 participants.

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- Please bring enough sterile gloves for your personal use, as these are not readily available locally, especially in appropriate sizes.
- Pack your own work clothes, including attire suitable for operating theaters.
- For daily use, please bring a durable, refillable water bottle, such as a metal or hard plastic trekking bottle. It's essential to drink at least 2.5-3 liters of water per day to prevent dehydration.

And here are a few impressions of a day safari in the wildlife area.....





Further we greatly appreciate donations of consumables for our neutering camps.

Below is a list of items that are continuously needed:

- Suture material: 2metric, 3metric, 3.5metric (preferably Vicryl, with needles, and fully absorbable)
- Surgical drapes and adhesive plasters (rolls, for covering surgical wounds)
- Bitter spray/paste (to protect surgical wounds for some animals)
- Iodine soap
- Infusion tube extensions (e.g., Heidelberg extensions)
- Brown needles (0.9mm x 25mm) and reflux valves
- Gauze/swabs: Non-sterile, 7.5x7.5cm (or other sizes), as these are not always available in Tanzania
- Used or surplus veterinary instruments and supplies: Surgical tools, cutlery, or any equipment being discarded that could still be useful in a veterinary practice in Tanzania

Your support makes a significant impact,
and we are deeply grateful for any items you can bring!