Newsletter
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COTTAR'S 1920'S CAMP, MAASAI MARA

Dear Friends,

2012 has been a very good year. We have been able to enjoy the great migration once more and the initiation of the Olderikesi Conservancy. We recently got rated Silver by Eco-Tourism Kenya. As we gradually approach the festive season, we would like say thank you to all our past guests, agents and journalists -your patronage and support are much appreciated!

Our business has been established on the foundation of family values and the love for Safari. For the guests staying with us during this Christmas period, you are most welcome and we are looking forward to having you over at camp.

To all our well-wishers and past clients we would like to wish you a MERRY CHRISTMAS & A HAPPY NEW 2013.

Looking forward to your visit next year at Cottars 1920s Camp

Welcome to our news and views from the Maasai Mara.

Wildlife & Conservation: Anti-Poaching & Game Count in the Olderikesi Conservancy:

Cottars would like to announce the arrival of an Italian made Magni M24 Orion Gyroplane that will be used for anti-poaching patrols and game monitoring. Cottars in association with C.W.C.T are working together to ensure that the wildlife around Cottars is well protected from poachers, kindly visit the C.W.C.T website for more details: http://kenyawildlifeconservation.org/about

Cottars Video: Cottar's 1920's Camp has had a small 3 minute promotional video made by the amazing and talented Eva Gilliam. It reflects key elements of Cottar's 1920's Camp and Cottar's safari experience: http://www.cottars.com/cottars-1920s-camp-film

Cottars Mobile Website: Our website is now mobile friendly; go to www.cottars.com on your mobile device, to access the Cottar website.

Renovations: Cottar's 1920's Camp has always been dedicated to the comfort of guests and the luxury of their safari; we are currently having a few renovations including new bathroom floors, mess ten revamp, upgrade of some of the tent interiors and exterior to prepare for the Christmas and the New Year's Period.

Silver Eco-Rated: Cottars 1920s Camp has joined the list of Silver Eco-rated travel destinations; this is from a recent audit by Eco-Tourism Kenya. The environment and wildlife is a major part of Cottars Camp; for us to continue providing bespoke safaris to our clients we have taken the initiative to ensure that we are committed to safe guarding the environment and wildlife around us. We are also proud to have been nominated for this year's, Ecotourism Enterprise of the Year 2012- Tented Camp Award. Cottar's 1920's Camp will be working in 2013 towards Gold Eco-Rating standard and towards the Zeitz Foundation Global Ecosphere status.

Cottars Private Homestead: Cottar's 1920s Camp is featured in the 2012 Tatler Travel Guide, 101 Best Hotels in the World. The Cottars Mara Private homestead has also been featured in the October 2012 edition of Emirates Home Magazine. Go to http://www.emirateshome.com/ for more details.

Special Offers: For 2013, Cottar's 1920's Camp along with Cheli and Peacock have a series of special offer safaris. For further details kindly contact your African Specialist Travel Agent.

Wishing you once again a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Please do check us out on www.cottars.com and keep in contact with us on facebook and twitter as below.

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Best Wishes,

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