

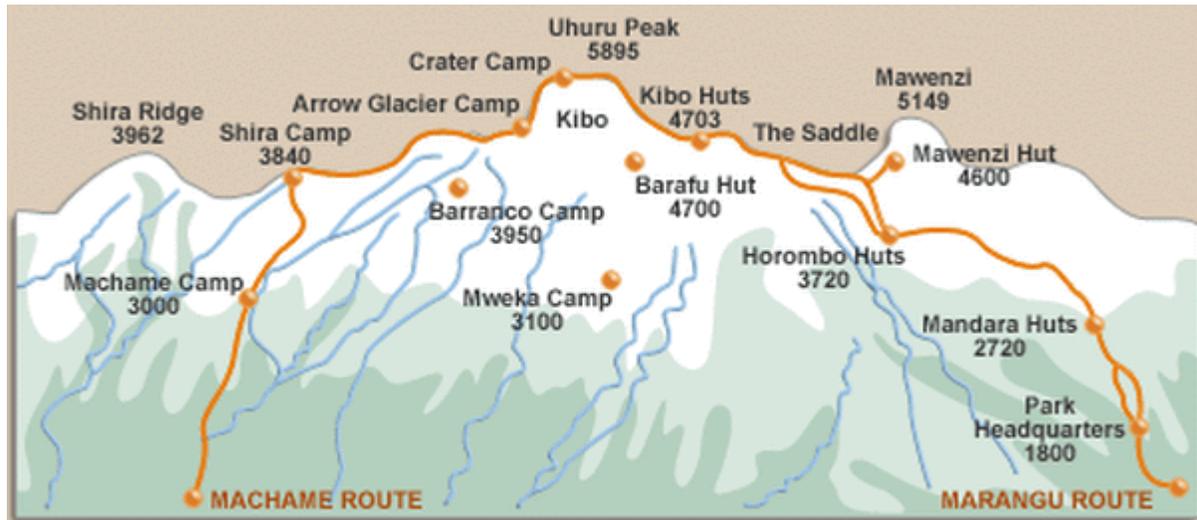


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## 6 DAYS MACHAME ROUTE PACKAGE

### ITINERARY



#### **Day 1: Arrive in Kilimanjaro**

You will be picked up at the Kilimanjaro International Airport and transferred to your hotel in Moshi town where you will meet your guide who will brief you on your upcoming trek and do an equipment check to make sure you have all the necessary mountain gear.

**Accommodation:** Accommodation is either in *Standard* or *Mid-Range* hotels depending on your preference

**Meals:** Dinner Included

#### **Day 2: Machame Gate (1817m) to Machame Camp (3021m)**



Half an hour drive from Moshi lies the gate to the Machame route, where you will complete park registrations, then you are off on your 6 day trek. The first section of the route climbs steadily and passes through magnificent, dense rainforest. This path is less well-trodden so it can get somewhat overgrown in places and it is often wet and muddy underfoot.

**Distance covered:** 10km

**Approx. time taken:** 6 hours

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included



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### Day 3: Machame Camp (3021m) to Shira Camp (3830m)

Our route continues on up through the forest until we reach the steep ascent onto the Shira Plateau, where there are rewarding views of the mountain. Looking back, you will be able to see Mt Meru rising high above Arusha town in the distance.

**Distance covered:** 4.8km

**Approx. time taken:** 5 hours

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included

### Day 4: ShiraCamp (3830m) to Barranco Camp (3972m)



Walking now on high moorland, the landscape changes the entire character of the trek. We traverse the southwest side of Kilimanjaro, passing underneath the Lava Tower and the final section of the Western Breach and finally reach camp. The day has been spent at altitude (up to 4600m), but we have followed the mountaineering code of 'walk high, sleep low' to aid your body's acclimatization to altitude.

**Distance covered:** 10km

**Approx. time taken:** 8 hours

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included

### Day 5: Barranco Camp (3960m) to Barafu Camp (4640m)



Our day starts by descending into the Great Barranco, a huge ravine. We then exit steeply, up the Great Barranco Wall, which divides us from the southeastern slopes of Kibo. It's a climb over rock, not technical, but long and tiring. Passing underneath the Heim and Kersten glaciers, we head towards the Karanga valley, which is our last stop for fresh water before the summit. Scree now forms the terrain as we walk through arid and desolate land towards Barafu camp.

**Distance covered:** 8.5km / 5.3mi

**Approx. time taken:** 8 hours

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included



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### Day 6: Barafu Camp (4642m) to UHURU PEAK (5895m) & down to Millennium Camp (3801m)



We start off at around midnight and walk steeply upwards to the summit glaciers. We will be climbing scree for 4 to 5 hours but gain incredible height over a short distance. The views are spectacular. We should be on the crater rim at Stella Point (5739m) as the first rays of the sun hit us. Spectacular ice cliffs within the crater surround us and the views to jagged Mawenzi peak and beyond are breathtaking. Another hour's walking takes us to the summit, Uhuru Peak (5895m). We begin our descent by returning to Stella Point and then descending on scree slope and track back to Barafu Camp for breakfast, before finally heading down to Millennium Camp for a long well-earned rest.

**Distance covered:** 13.4km

**Approx. time taken:** 12 – 15 hours

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included

### Day 7: Trek Millennium Camp (3801m) to Mweka Gate (1635m)



A gentle trek takes us down through the rain forest to Mweka Gate, where we complete park formalities and receive certificates, which you can hang up with pride! We are then met by our vehicles and return to the hotel in Moshi, where you can treat yourself to a welcome shower (and a cold beer or two!) before our big celebration. Overnight in Moshi.

**Distance covered:** 11.5km

**Approx. time taken:** 6 hours

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included

**Accommodation:** Accommodation is either in *Standard* or *Mid-Range* hotels depending on your preference

### **Day 8: Depart Kilimanjaro**

The day is left free to rest and relax after a long, challenging week of trekking. You will be transferred to the airport to catch your morning flight back home.

**Meals:** Breakfast Included

**\*\*\*End of Tour\*\*\***

**Standard Accommodation Includes:** [Weru Weru River Lodge](#) and [Kilimanjaro Wonders Hotel](#)

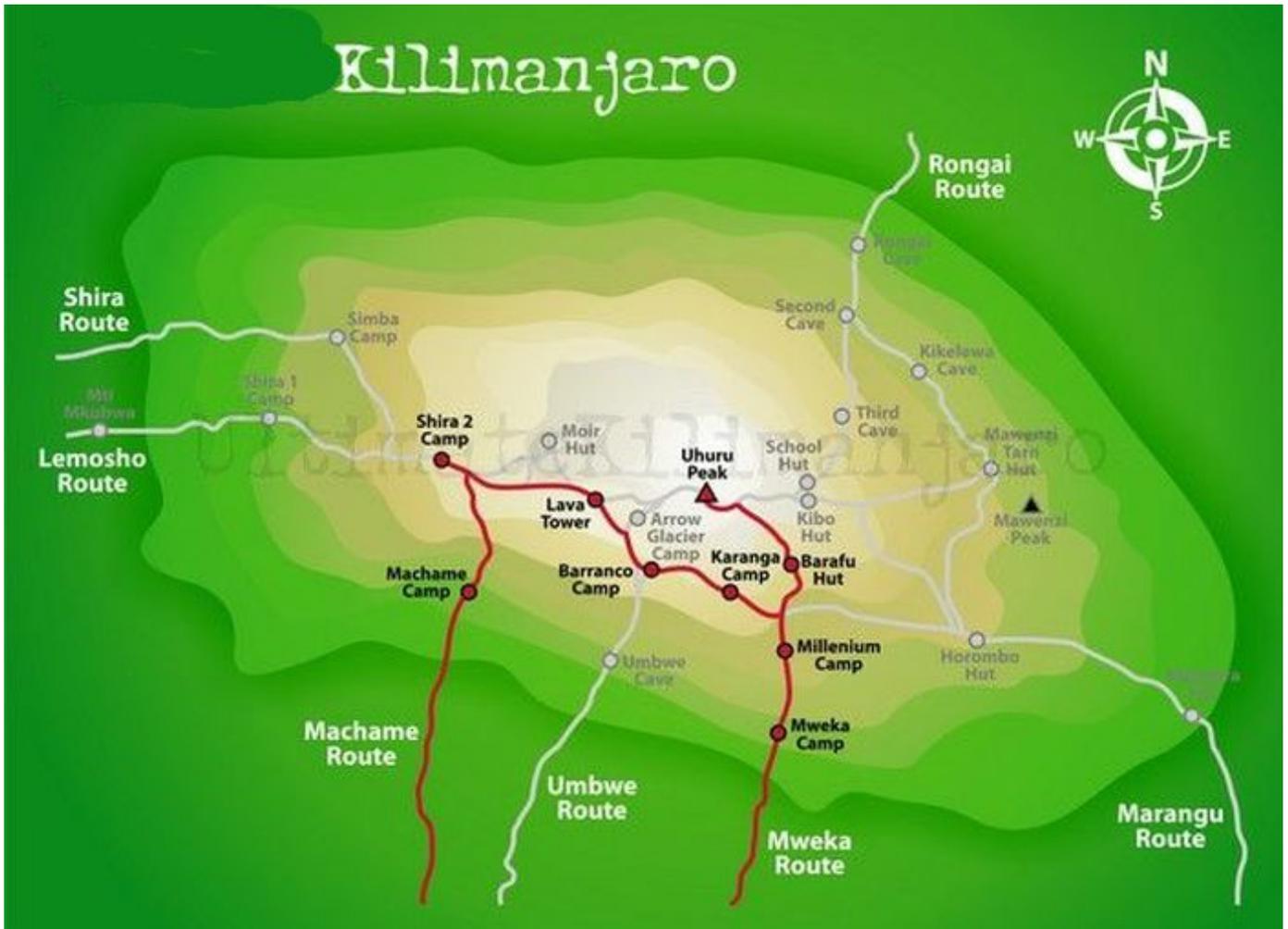
**Mid-Range Accommodation Includes:** [Panama Garden Resort](#) and [Stella Maris Lodge](#)



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