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Micato Safaris

Micato Safaris provides quintessential safari experiences, with the addition of a meaningful and impactful cultural exchange that often changes lives. By far the number-one volunteer experience is connecting with Mukuru slum residents in Nairobi by reading to children or playing basketball or a game of soccer. “Everything we do revolves around education,” says managing director Dennis Pinto. Inspired by the One for One initiative run by TOMS Shoes, Micato’s nonprofit arm, AmericaShare, pays the fees required to send an African child living in poverty to school for every traveler booked on safari.

