

# RESTAURANT OF THE YEAR

## THE LORD ERROLL

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**The Lord Erroll**  
Gourmet Restaurant

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Set in the rural suburb of Runda, just outside Kenya's capital of Nairobi, is a haven of relaxation. The Lord Erroll – a fine dining restaurant indulging guests in a mouthwatering selection of gourmet treats – can be found among evergreen gardens carved with streams and ponds. Dating back to 1970, The Lord Erroll is a picture of English colonial design inside and out, boasting a wrap-around terrace ideal for al fresco dining, alongside a regal interior complete with dark wood panelling and open fireplaces. Its blend of classic French cuisine, superior service, and a winning wine list, makes The Lord Erroll a premier gourmet restaurant in East Africa. Guests can expect to tuck into appetisers like smoked salmon and escargot bourguignon, house specialities such as prawns and meticulously prepared fillet, or even cheese fondue – a Lord Erroll speciality. Whether you are looking for an extensive evening meal, an afternoon coffee, or a tempting sundowner cocktail, the restaurant caters to all.

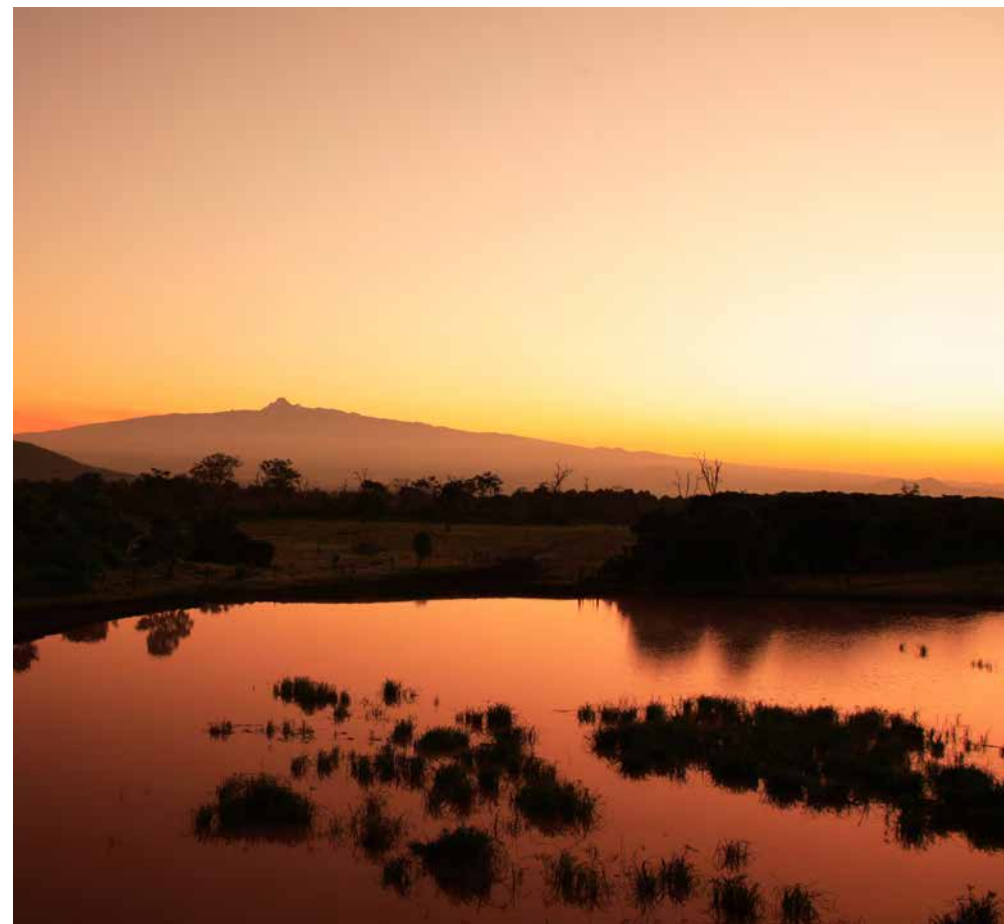
Located just minutes from the United Nations Headquarters and the American Embassy, The Lord Erroll is perfectly placed for corporate meetings and events, be it a discreet breakfast or an international conference. Comprising of multiple dining rooms that can be booked privately for groups as small as six and as large as 80, the restaurant attracts an international clientele as well as a loyal local following. The Claremont – a large square room with a stunning stained glass skylight – is an ideal space for large parties, boasting a hearty fireplace and a rich mahogany panelled interior. Meanwhile, the Conservatory is a warm blend of natural light and smooth mahogany flooring, with walls adorned with illustrations of birds, flowers and butterflies. What completes an experience at this unassuming gem of a restaurant is a dedicated team of staff who offer a prompt and friendly personalised service, allowing guests to sit back, relax and enjoy a quality experience in a serene environment.



# Kenya: the jewel of East Africa

Slicing the equator in Africa's far east is Kenya; the archetypal African nation where visitors will find their senses assaulted with a patchwork of myriad landscapes. From the snow-capped, mist-swimming peak of Mount Kenya, to the talcum powder sands and turquoise water of the Indian Ocean coastline, adventure and relaxation confronts visitors around every corner. In between mountain and shore sprawls mile upon mile of sprawling savannah, lush forest, and dusty plain – each stretch spilling with tiny villages and occasionally the glassy, metallic thrust of a city. Nairobi, its capital, is a pulsating concrete jungle and the commercial, political and economic hub of the nation, and from the foot of this humming metropolis tumbles globally renowned game reserves housing some of Africa's most impressive and rare wildlife. Spy elephants sipping at a watering hole in the red-stained sweep of Tsavo National Park, or leopards skulking through the dewy grasses in Aberdare National Park.

Such a melange of landscapes makes Kenya a favourite African destination for Westerners, and it has been for decades due to the nation's history as a British colony. Today, traces of its colonial past are found preserved in its architecture, its cuisine, and in its language. In the rural suburb of Runda, just minutes outside of Nairobi, and peeking from among an explosion of palms and exotic shrubbery, sits The Lord Errol restaurant – one such relic of Kenya's colonial history. The restaurant draws locals, tourists and business travellers for its authentic African setting and striking embodiment of colonial architecture.







# The Lord Erroll

Nairobi, Kenya

The Lord Erroll is a heavenly haven of relaxation where among evergreen gardens carved with streams and ponds guests enjoy a fine dining experience featuring a mouth-watering selection of gourmet treats. Dating back to 1970, this renowned restaurant is a picture of English colonial design inside and out. Set in a palm-studded wreath of greenery scattered with a resident population of cranes, the restaurant boasts a wrap-around terrace furnished with sleek wooden floors and a striking mustard and white colour scheme – an ideal spot for al fresco dining or a quiet evening drink where guests can watch the garden transform into a silhouetted jungle. The interior also embodies a regal colonial ambience where dark wood panelling is teamed with rich carpets and open fireplaces making for a cosy alternative to the veranda. Whether you are looking for an extensive evening meal, an afternoon coffee, or a tempting sundowner cocktail, the restaurant caters to all.

The Lord Erroll features the finest recipes from classic French cuisine. Guests can expect to tuck into appetisers like smoked salmon and escargot bourguignon, house specialities such as Flambé dishes, prawns, and meticulously prepared fillet, or even cheese fondue – a Lord Erroll speciality. Everything at the restaurant is freshly sourced so guests are promised a meal of the highest quality. The delicious cuisine is rounded off with an extensive wine list which the staff are happy to make recommendations on, including the finest French selection such as Moët et Chandon and Dom Perignon. Finally, what completes an experience at this unassuming rural gem is a dedicated team of staff who offer a prompt, friendly and personalised service, allowing guests to sit back, relax and enjoy a quality gastronomic experience in a serene environment that is guaranteed to leave a lasting memory.

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# Facilities & Events

Located just minutes from the United Nations Headquarters and the American Embassy, The Lord Erroll is perfectly placed for corporate meetings and events, be it a discreet breakfast or an international conference. Comprising of multiple dining rooms that can be booked privately for groups as small as six and as large as 80, the restaurant attracts an international clientele as well as a loyal local following. Alongside the restaurant, and a welcome addition for those hosting an event, is the Highlander Bar which serves an enticing and extensive selection of cocktails, wines and spirits, and bar snacks. The weaving gardens are one of the most unique features of The Lord Erroll and the perfect location for weddings. Over the years the team have hosted many events, so whether you are tying the knot or hosting a birthday bash, they will work tirelessly with the event planners to ensure everything runs flawlessly. Guests are also presented with a number of conference and wedding menu packages so you can tailor the cuisine to the style of the event.

For business groups, two exquisite spaces are on offer to host meetings, brunches, conferences or gala dinners. The Claremont – a large square room with a stunning stained glass skylight – is an ideal space for large parties, boasting a hearty fireplace and a rich mahogany panelled interior taking inspiration from the traditional English Victorian 'Club Room'. Meanwhile, the Conservatory is a warm blend of natural light and smooth mahogany flooring, whilst the walls are adorned with illustrations of birds, flowers and butterflies which imbue the room with a rural character. In both spaces, doors to the veranda and garden present the option of bringing the beauty of the outside in, and the team of staff are also on hand to prepare the rooms with all of the necessary equipment required. Whatever the nature of your event, it is sure to be unique and exceptionally executed at The Lord Erroll.

