

EAST AFRICAN WILDLIFE SOCIETY AND MUTHAIGA COUNTRY CLUB

Present

IMRE LOEFLER LECTURE

'Conservation in Kenya - Suggestions for a New Approach'

by

Mr. Richard Vigne

Thursday, 2nd September 2010  
in the Ballroom



Richard Vigne will be presenting a brief description of the differences that exist between the South African model/policy for conservation as compared to Kenya, the implications of these differences in terms of creating incentives for land to be set aside for conservation. The history of the recent developments on OI Pejeta - creation of the largest black rhino population in Kenya, integration of commercial cattle operations with wildlife, the constraints facing the emergence of conservation in the private sector, the absolute necessity for more land to be brought into the conservation arena. Also implication for conservation of the OI Pejeta model in terms of its ability to maximize land use/productivity; create profit and achieve conservation - could this model reverse current wildlife declines by reducing the opportunity cost of wildlife conservation? He will provide tangible examples of how that could happen. He will end with an attempt to redefine "Conservation" in the context, and to provide a paradigm for future success

**Charges**

Lecture & Dinner

Members - 2,000/-

Members' Guest - 2000/-

Lecture only

Members - 800/-

Members' Guest - 800/-

**Programme**

6:30 pm - Bar available

7:00 pm - Lecture starts

Dinner