

**PROPOSED FOREST EXCURSION PROGRAM BY AFF WORKSHOP PARTICIPANTS  
AT SUATF OLMOTONYI STATION ON 27<sup>th</sup> JULY, 2023**

**✚ Teaching and learning Infrastructure and Environment at Olmotonyi Campus**

- ❖ Tree nursery
- ❖ Sawmill – log value addition: lumber, slabs and saw dust
- ❖ Lumber yard – lumber grading and staking
- ❖ Carpentry – lumber value addition and use of wood waste

**✚ Unique features of the forest.**

- ❖ A normal plantation forest
- ❖ Various trees species (80% planted trees and 20% natural vegetation)
- ❖ Agroforestry practices (Taungya/PELIS – plantation establishment and livelihood improvement scheme - Kenya)
- ❖ Watershed protection area for the region (Seliani and Ngarenaro streams)
- ❖ Eco-tourism potentials- Attractive evergreen forest, viewpoints, forest hiking, Wild animals
- ❖ Tree species trial plots

<b>TIME</b>	<b>LOCATION/STOP AREA</b>	<b>KEY OBSERVATIONS/RESPONSIBLE</b>
<b>08:00–08.45 a.m.</b>	<b>Travel from hotel in Arusha city to SUATF office</b>	❖ <b>All AFF participants and facilitators</b>
<b>08.45 – 09.45 am</b>	<b>Olmotonyi Campus office</b>	❖ <b>Teaching and learning infrastructures</b>
<b>09.45-12.45 p.m</b>	<b>Drive to the forest entry point</b>	❖ <b>Land use by Timbolo village</b>
	<b>Drive to Narok view point</b>	❖ <b>75% of SUATF Olmotonyi</b> ❖ <b>Peak of Mount Meru if sky is cloudless</b> ❖ <b>Taungya farming</b>
	<b>Tree improvement</b>	❖ <b>Species trial plots</b> ❖ <b>Water sources - Ngarenaro stream</b>
	<b>Laikinoi view point</b>	❖ <b>Land use by adjacent villages</b> ❖ <b>Arusha city</b>
<b>12.45–13.45 p.m</b>		❖ <b>Drive back to Hotel in Arusha city</b>
<b>13.45-14.45 p.m.</b>		❖ <b>Lunch at the Hotel</b>
<b>14.45-15:45 p.m.</b>		❖ <b>Visit NMAIST</b>

