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**VALID 01/12/16-30/11/17 except \* Full Day Aquila Wildlife Safari**

Complimentary collection is available from central Cape Town Hotels. Collection from other areas will be on request. Tour duration and collection times may vary depending on hotel collection route.

**FULL DAY CAPE PENINSULA TOUR (SC1) – R 995.00 per person**

Bring your camera; we're headed for Cape Point at the south western tip of the Cape Peninsula, and the most spectacular views in the world. The drive there is just as inspiring, passing steep mountains', secluded coves and sweeping beaches, as well as villages and fishing communities.

Our tour begins with a scenic drive along the Atlantic coast, passing through the cosmopolitan suburb of Sea Point and Camps Bay with its glorious views of the Twelve Apostles, part of the Table Mountain range. We'll continue to the fishing village of Hout Bay, one of Cape Town's best-kept secrets. Here there is an option to take a short boat trip to Duiker Island (for own account & time permitting) to view the Cape Fur Seals, which inhabit the island. From here we travel to the Cape Point Nature Reserve, comprising over 17,300 acres of indigenous fauna and flora. Here we can see a variety of wildlife that includes baboons, Reebok, Cape Mountain zebra, bontebok and the elusive eland. The reserve is also one of the world's largest breeding grounds for tortoises. Bird-watchers, too, will find many fine species to observe.

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Departs daily at approx 09h00 and returns at approx 17h00  
(Excludes lunch)

**Dual language German/English commentary available:**

**Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday**

**HALF DAY CAPE POINT (SC2) – R 740.00 per person**

Our tour begins with a scenic drive along the Atlantic coast, passing through the cosmopolitan suburb of Sea Point and Camps Bay with its glorious views of the Twelve Apostles, part of the Table Mountain range. From here we travel to the Cape Point Nature Reserve, comprising over 17,300 acres of indigenous fauna and flora. Here we can see a variety of wildlife that includes baboons, rhebok, Cape Mountain zebra, bontebok and the elusive eland. The reserve is also one of the world's largest breeding grounds for tortoises. Bird-watchers, too, will find many fine species to observe.

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**HALF DAY CITY AND TABLE MOUNTAIN TOUR (SC3) – R 495.00 per person**

Our drive to the city centre takes us past famous landmarks such as the Castle of Good Hope built in 1666 by the Dutch East India Company and City Hall, a baroque building and the Grand Parade. As we follow the city's main thoroughfare, Adderley Street, we will see St. George's Cathedral, the Anglican Diocese of Nobel Peace Laureate Archbishop Desmond Tutu. We will pass the Company Gardens and the Malay Quarter [also known as the Bo-Kaap] which means "Above Cape" because of its location up against the slopes of Table Mountain. In the early 18th century, thousands of slaves from Java, Ceylon and other Far Eastern regions were brought to Cape Town. After slavery was abolished, their descendants, known as the Cape Malay's, settled here. Our route then leads us to Kloof Nek and the magnificent Table Mountain. We'll ascend to the top [weather permitting] by the revolving cable car. Here, we'll see wild flowers and the famous silver tree, and marvel at a birds-eye view of the city and its beaches. On a clear day it is even possible to see Robben Island where Nelson Mandela was imprisoned on one side and Cape Point on the other. Descend from the Upper Cableway station to your awaiting vehicle and then proceed around Table Bay to the Milnerton area (time permitting). From here we can see Table Mountain from the same perspective as the early settlers did when they sailed into Table Bay.

Departs daily at approx 08h00 and returns at approx 12h30 (morning tour) or approximately 13h00 and returns at approx 17h30 (afternoon tour) (excludes the cost of the Cable Way ticket)

Visit to the Castle of Good Hope (time permitting).

**Minimum 2 guests required for afternoon tour**

**Dual language German/English commentary available:**

**Sunday|Tuesday|Thursday|Saturday on the Morning tour only**

**HALF DAY WINELANDS TOUR (SC4) – R 740.00 per person**

This enchanting excursion begins with a tour through historic Stellenbosch, an architectural jewel that serves as the historic heart of the country's wine region. A gracious blend of 18-century Cape Dutch, Georgian and Victorian buildings is evident as we drive down Dorp Street, where massive Oaks still shade original water furrows, then enjoy a wine tasting in the Stellenbosch area. A second wine tasting will be included (time permitting), before returning to Cape Town.

Departs daily at approx 14h00 and returns at approx 17h00

**FULL DAY CAPE HIGHLIGHTS TOUR (SC5) – R 1 350.00 per person**

**THIS TOUR IS A FANTASTIC COMBINATION OF SC2 AND SC4 HALF DAY TOURS.**

**TOUR MIGHT INCLUDE A TRIP BACK TO CAPE TOWN TO COLLECT ADDITIONAL GUESTS FOR 2nd HALF OF TOUR.**

**TOUR MAY BE OPERATED IN REVERSE DIRECTION.**

This combination tour offers the highlights of Cape Point and the Cape Winelands. Our tour begins with a scenic drive along the Atlantic coast, passing through the cosmopolitan suburb of Sea Point and Camps Bay with its glorious views of the Twelve Apostles, part of the Table Mountain range. From here we travel to the Cape Point Nature Reserve, comprising over 17,300 acres of indigenous fauna and flora. Here we can see a variety of wildlife that includes baboons, rhebok, Cape Mountain zebra, bontebok and the elusive eland. The reserve is also one of the world's largest breeding grounds for tortoises. Bird-watchers, too, will find many fine species to observe.

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Departs daily at approx 08h00 and returns at approx 17h00

**Minimum 2 guests required**

**(Excludes lunch)**

**FULL DAY WINELANDS TOUR (SC6) – R 995.00 per person**

While South Africa's fertile valleys are world famous for their crisp white and classic French-style red wines, the area is also a treasury of rustic beauty and sprawling estates shaded by giant oak trees. Our drive today will include the country's principal wine routes of Paarl, Stellenbosch and Franschhoek, with a stop en route for lunch (for own account).

Our day starts with a visit to Paarl where you will be struck by the beauty of the Valley, the pristine blue sky, the rolling vineyards and the Pearl of Paarl set high above the valley. Paarl made headlines when President Mandela was released from the Groot Drakenstein prison (ex Victor Verster), on the outskirts of the town, to freedom and the start of the new South Africa. We enjoy a wine tasting and cellar tour at one of the local estates.

From Paarl, we'll continue north-west to the beautiful village of Franschhoek, near the Drakenstein Mountains founded in 1688 by French immigrants fleeing the Huguenot religious persecution in Europe. A memorial in the town commemorates the arrival of these early settlers who helped develop the wines sought after by Napoleon, Bismarck and royalty such as Edward VII, the Prince of Wales. Here we will stop for lunch (for own account) and another wine tasting at a vineyard.

We'll then head to Stellenbosch, the second oldest town in South Africa and the historic heart of the country's wine region. In 1679, Dutch East India Company governor Simon van der Stel, recognized the fertility of this long valley on the banks of the Eerste River, as perfect for vineyards. The rest is history, which has been carefully cultivated in this town. A gracious blend of 18th-century Cape Dutch, Georgian and Victorian buildings is evident on Dorp Street, where massive oaks still shade original water furrows. Enjoy a final wine tasting before returning to Cape Town.

**Please note that this tour may run in reverse.**

**Departs daily at approx 09h00 and returns at approx 17h00**

**(Excludes lunch)**

**Dual language German/English commentary available:**

**Monday | Wednesday | Friday | Saturday**



**HALF DAY TOWNSHIP CULTURAL TOUR (SC7) – R 570.00 per person**

Join us for a unique experience travelling through the three South Africa's – The birth, where it all started, Apartheid South Africa, what happened then – the New South Africa, what is different since Nelson Mandela was released from prison. The tour affords the opportunity to interact, mingle and exchange cultural values with the local community. You will be welcomed in the traditional African manner in the township of Khayalitsha (the largest informal settlement). The tour includes visits to the Malay Quarter [also known as the Bo-Kaap] which means "Above Cape" because of its location up against the slopes of Table Mountain, the Philani Empowerment centre in Khayalitsha, where locals are taught basic life skills (weaving / arts & crafts etc), a walking tour in "shanty town Khayalitsha" with a local guide, with a visit to his shack to experience local living conditions, followed by a drive through the middle-class Khayalitsha, to share some of the achievements, such as new housing developments, shopping malls, hospitals, swimming pool & magistrate's court, under the leadership of Nelson Mandela

**The Sunday morning tour includes a visit to a church service in Langa.**

**Departs Mon-Fri at approx 09h00 and returns at approx 12h30 or**

**Departs Mon-Fri at approx 13h30 and returns at approx 17h00**

**SAT/SUN& PUBLIC HOLIDAYS at approx 09h00 and returns at approx 12h30**

**Minimum 2 guests required**

**FULL DAY HERMANUS TOUR (SC8) – R 995.00 per person**

This circular tour takes you over a mountain pass to the seaside town of Hermanus. This town, nestled between mountains and the sea is not only very beautiful but offers some of the best shore based whale watching opportunities in the world (August – November). Close sightings of the Southern Right whale are likely. On the return journey we follow the coastline with the possibility of further sightings of whales (and even the possibility of sighting dolphins). A stop is made at Stoney Point, near Betty's Bay to have a look at the penguins (optional, for own account & time permitting) before returning to Cape Town in the afternoon.

**Seasonal Departures: July – November 2015 only on Wednesdays, Fridays & Sundays at approx. 08h30 and returns at approx. 17h30**

**Minimum 2 guests required.**

**(Excludes lunch)**

**\*FULL DAY AQUILA SAFARI (SC9)**

**R 2 506.00 per person (01-19/12/16 & 11/01-31/10/17) / R 2 656.00 (20/12/16 – 10/01/17)**

After an early morning departure we head up the N1 Highway, through the spectacular Hex River Valley and arrive at the Aquila Private Game Reserve. The bio-diverse habitat of the reserve ensures plenty of interest for the avid game viewer and birder. Giraffe, Blesbok, Black and Blue Wildebeest, Zebra, Springbok, Gemsbok Klipspringers, Duiker, Greybuck, Steenbok, Ostriches, Baboons Caracul, Foxes, Jackal, Leopard and 172 species of birds, including the Black Eagle are found on the reserve. An experienced Game Ranger will take you on a Game Drive. Lunch is enjoyed at the Lodge.

**Minimum 2 guests required**

**Depart daily at approx 08h00 and returns at approx 18h00**

**(Lunch included)**

**FULL DAY GREAT WHITE SHARK CAGE DIVING (SC11) – R 2 580.00 per person**

Between the islands of Geyser Rock and Dyer Island is a narrow and shallow channel called Shark Alley – reputed to be the world’s best place for Great White shark cage diving. Due to the resident seal colonies in the area, Shark Alley has been dubbed “the supermarket for sharks”.

A short boat ride from Gansbaai, Shark Alley is ideal for those who wish to experience the thrill of getting up close and personal with these giant predators, but who do not possess a dive certification. Your cage dive takes place just meters below the surface of the water so no diving experience is necessary.

**Minimum 2 guests required**

**Departs daily at approx. 06h00 and returns at approx. 17h00**

**(Includes light breakfast)**

**Weather & sea conditions permitting**

**COMPLIMENTARY PICK UP AND DROP OFF AVAILABLE FROM FOLLOWING HOTELS:**

Southern Sun Waterfront  
Southern Sun Cullinan  
Southern Sun Cape Sun  
Table Bay Hotel  
Victoria and Alfred Hotel  
One and Only Hotel  
Protea Hotel Breakwater Lodge  
Protea Hotel Cape Castle  
Protea Hotel Victoria Junction  
Cape Grace Hotel  
Commodore Hotel  
Portswood Hotel  
Westin Hotel  
Cape Royal  
Winchester Mansions  
President Hotel  
Premier Cape manor  
Protea Hotel Sea Point  
Mount Nelson Hotel  
Queen Victoria Hotel  
Cape Town Hollow  
Hotel on St Georges  
Radisson Blu Waterfront  
Park Inn by Radisson – Foreshore  
Icon Apartments  
Bantry Bay Luxury Suites  
Protea Hotel North Wharf  
15 on Orange