

Asa Holidays FIT Package 2016 - Classic South Africa

Cape Town - Knysna - Sun City - Pilanesberg National Park - Johannesburg 9 Days / 8 Nights



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PRICE — Rates below are based on 3 star properties

Valid January to March 2016 & September to November 2016

02 PAX - SGD 3008.00 per person sharing

04 PAX - SGD 2188.00 per person sharing

06 PAX - SGD 1998.00 per person sharing

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT – SGD 698.00 per person

Valid April to August 2016

02 PAX - SGD 2978.00 per person sharing

04 PAX – SGD 2148.00 per person sharing

06 PAX - SGD 1968.00 per person sharing

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT - SGD 608.00 per person

Valid December 2016 to March 2017

02 PAX - SGD 3338.00 per person sharing

04 PAX – SGD 2438.00 per person sharing

06 PAX - SGD 2228.00 per person sharing

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT - SGD 778.00 per person

Above rates excludes peak periods – Christmas and New Year, Chinese New Year, Opening of Parliament and Mining Indaba

Domestic flights not included:

Cape Town (CPT) / Johannesburg (JNB)

Overview

| Accommodation | Destination | Nights | Basis | Room Type |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------|--------|-----------|
| Southern Sun Cape Sun | Cape Town | 3 | В&В | |
| Knysna Log Inn | Knysna | 2 | В&В | |
| The Sun City Hotel | Sun City | 1 | В&В | |
| Bakubung Bush Lodge | Pilanesberg National Park | 1 | D, B&B | |
| Crowne Plaza Rosebank | Johannesburg | 1 | В&В | |
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Key

B&B: Bed and breakfast

D, B&B: Dinner, bed and breakfast

Day 1: Southern Sun Cape Sun, Cape Town

Cape Town

Resting at the confluence of the Indian and Atlantic Ocean, sandwiched between the slopes of the iconic Table Mountain and the glistening sapphire waters of Table Bay, the exceptionally scenic city of Cape Town is in a class of its own. Some cities boast rich culture, vibrant nightlife, a cosmopolitan atmosphere and extraordinary architecture, while others boast breathtaking landscapes and extraordinary natural wonders. Cape Town, is lucky enough to be blessed with all of these attractions and so much more. With its bustling harbour, world-class beaches, top-notch vineyards, and its mountainous surroundings brimming with diverse flora and fauna, Cape Town consistently captivates the hearts of all who visit.

Day Notes

Arrive at Cape Town International Airport

Personal Meet & Greet by ERM Representative

Cape Town City tour and Table Mountain Aerial Cableway (weather permitting)

Meals by own arrangement

Overnight: Southern Sun Cape Sun View iBrochure

From it's undeniably idyllic location within the Cape Town CBD, this 32 floor city skyscraper offers the ideal base from which to explore the many attractions, from Cape Point to Cape Winelands. Business and leisure travellers alike are invited to experience a blend of elegance, traditional hospitality and world class facilities - all offered at this memorable Tsogo Sun hotel. At over 100 meters above sea level, guests can enjoy postcard-perfect views of Table Mountain and the iconic Robben Island. With plenty of amenities within the hotel itself, including conferencing, spa facilities, delicious dining and more - unwinding has never been easier. Should you wish to step outside of your tranquil oasis in the city, there are many things to see and do within the area ranging from Museums to Art galleries and restaurants. The Cape Sun offers complimentary WI-FI, a complimentary shuttle to and from the V&A Waterfront and is a mere 15 minutes away from the Cape Town Convention Center - CTICC. Cape Town has a bustling night life in Long Street and is a walk away from Cape Town train Station and the MyCiti Bus terminal.





Activities

Cape Town City Tour Half Day Table Mountain Cableway

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On a clear day from the summit of Table Mountain you get spectacular views of the City, its Waterfront, Camps Bay, the majestic Hottentots Holland Mountains to the East and the mountains of the Cape Peninsula all the way down to Cape Point to the south. The Table Mountain cableway, a must for all visitors to the Cape, boasts revolving floors, giving passengers a 360 degree view. After descending the mountain, you will depart on a tour of the "Mother City" taking in Signal Hill – where the Noon Day Gun is fired at midday, every day except Sunday – through the colourful Bo-Kaap or Cape Malay Quarter, past the Grand Parade, City Hall and the Castle of Good Hope and South African Cultural History Museum.

Table Mountain Cableway

A trip up Table Mountain is quite rightly one of the first things a tourist wants to do when arriving in Cape Town. Once on the top, a 1000m above the city below, you are rewarded with spectacular 360 views. Take your time and enjoy this unique environment, go for a walk or have a bit to eat at the restaurant with arguably one of the best views possible.

Included

Bed & Breakfast

Day 2: Southern Sun Cape Sun, Cape Town

Day Notes

Breakfast at hotel

Full day Cape Point Tour, including Seal Island Cruise from Hout Bay, Cape of Good Hope including the Cape Point Funicular and the penguins at Boulders Beach.

Meals by own arrangement

Activities

Cape Point Tour Full Day Seal Island Hout Bay Cape Point Funicular Boulders Beach Cape Point

Cape Point Tour Full Day

Highlights of a trip down to Cape Point include; one of the world's most spectacular drives, Hout Bay, Chapman's Peak, Noordhoek Beach, the Cape Point Nature Reserve, two lighthouses on the tip of Africa, Boulders Penguin Colony, Simonstown, Kalk Bay and the Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens.

Seal Island Hout Bay

Trips departing from Hout Bay Harbour ferry passengers across to nearby Duiker Island – also known as Seal Island – where thousands of Cape Fur Seals can be seen in their natural habitat. The boat trip provides beautiful views of the bay, the harbour, The Sentinel and Chapman's Peak.

Cape Point Funicular

The Flying Dutchman funicular takes visitors at Cape Point up to the lighthouse, where there is an outstanding view of the point and ocean. The funicular is named after a ghost ship whose destiny it is to sail the oceans forever. More information can be found at the museum.

Boulders Beach

Boulders Beach in Simon's Town is ideal for kids as immense boulders shelter the cove from currents and large waves - but please always take care. It is a rare pleasure to swim with the penguins but don't touch or feed them. They might look cute and cuddly but their beaks are as sharp as razors and if they feel threatened they have no qualms about nipping the odd finger or nose.

Cape Point

Cape Point is a spectacular sight, covered in endemic fynbos and home to breathtaking bays, beaches and rolling green hills and valleys, just 60km outside of Cape Town. Cape Point falls within the Cape Floral Region, a World Heritage Site. The Cape Floral Region is one of the richest areas for plants in the world – it is home to nearly 20% of Africa's flora. Cape Point is open daily and is a must-see.

Included

Bed & Breakfast

Day 3: Southern Sun Cape Sun, Cape Town

Day Notes

Breakfast at hotel
Transfer to Full day Winelands Tour of Stellenbosch, Paarl and Franschhoek including wine tasting
Cheetah Outreach Programme
Meals by own arrangement

Activities

Cape Winelands Day Tour Cheetah Outreach Program

Cape Winelands Day Tour

From Cape Town make your way out into the picturesque winelands visiting South Africa's most famous wine regions – Paarl, Franschoek and Stellenbosch. Aside from the excellent wines the area is renowned for its food and is steeped in history such as the Taal monument, various museums and the contribution of the French Huguenots. There are also many attractions you wouldn't expect to find on a wine route, from butterflies to cheetahs and pretty much everything in between.

Cheetah Outreach Program

Cheetah Outreach is an education and community-based programme designed to raise awareness of the plight of the cheetah and to campaign for its survival. Here you are able view and interact with these amazing creatures. A wonderful experience for both adults and kids.

Included

Bed & Breakfast

Day 4: Knysna Log Inn, Knysna

Knysna

Nestled between the imposing Outeniqua Mountains and the Indian Ocean and surrounded by world-renowned forests, Knysna offers a wealth of activities for visitors. The beautiful lagoon and more than eight beaches provide opportunities to swim, surf, canoe, yacht, jet-ski, boat, fish, walk on soft sand and take ferry rides. Various markets offer organic goods, delicious food, indigenous plants and a social atmosphere. Mountains, valleys, lakes, forests and streams are ready to be explored. The region isn't known as the "Garden of Eden" for nothing! A birding route is available for avid bird watchers. World class golf courses are at your doorstep. And of course the area is famous for the Knysna Heads and delicious oysters.

Day Notes

Breakfast at Hotel
Check out out hotel
Transfer to Knysna, Garden Route
Afternoon John Benn Sunset Cruise
Meals by own arrangement

Overnight: Knysna Log Inn

Built in 1998, the Knysna Log-Inn Hotel embodies an "indigenous" concept that combines the character and the spirit of the surrounding indigenous forests with Knysna's romantic history. Harking back to the logging history of Knysna exquisitely solid Yellowwood trunks tower upwards to the magnificent Scandinavian hammer trusses and rays of sunshine flooding through the stained glass windows, illuminating the solid Yellowwood staircase. 57 en-suite luxury bedrooms invite you to unwind in comfort and style. Each room is equipped with air-conditioning, ceiling fans, electronic safes, remote control TV's (M-Net, Sport and local channels), direct dial telephones, hairdryers and tea/coffee making facilities. The lush tropical pool area is home to an all season's swimming pool, wooden sun deck, Jacuzzi and sauna.





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Featherbed John Benn

The Featherbed Eco tour offers our guests an UNFORGETTABLE, NATURAL and REAL experience!! This pristine piece of paradise situated on the Western Head of Knysna is a privately-owned, registered Nature Reserve and a South African Heritage Site. In order to protect the splendour of the natural beauty, access to the reserve is controlled. Visits are only permitted in the company of the reserve's specialist guides. The nature reserve offers a Knysna adventure activity not to be missed. The eco tour begins with a cruise across the knysna estuary. On arrival at the nature reserve guests will enjoy a 4x4 trailer ride to the top of the Western Head. Here the optional 2.2 kilometre downhill guided walk will begin, passing through Milkwood forests onto the steep sandstone cliffs, into ancient Khoi-San sea caves and along a scenic coastal path fringed with aromatic fynbos. Your guide will inform you on the fauna, flora and bird life in the reserve. On the coastal walk back, you can often spot the resident Black African Oyster Catcher, one of the rarest coastal birds in South Africa. The Food Forest Restaurant is situated on the edge of the Lagoon under a canopy of Milkwood trees where we serve the most sumptuous buffet lunch fit for a king.

Included

Bed & Breakfast

Day 5: Knysna Log Inn, Knysna

Day Notes

Breakfast at hotel

Transfer to Full day Tour of Oudtshoorn, including Cango Caves, Cango Wildlife and the Safari Ostrich Farm including lunch

Dinner by own arrangement

Activities

Cango Caves
Cango Wildlife Ranch
Safari Ostrich Showfarm

Cango Caves

The spectacular Cango Caves are a subterranean wonderland of magnificent stalactite and stalagmite rock formations that attracts thousands of visitors annually. They extend more than two kilometres into the Swartberg Mountains and visitors can take guided tours that wind through narrow passageways and steep stairways linking the massive caverns.

Cango Wildlife Ranch

The Cango Wildlife Ranch promotes awareness and conservation of endangered species, while encouraging supervised interaction – making this a wonderful destination for children of all ages. Housing the oldest and largest cheetah contact centre worldwide, visitors can view these powerful, speedy cats in a natural bushveld environment

from elevated walkways. From predators of the land to predators of the water, visitors can then move on to the crocodile and alligator enclosures to study more of the world's most dangerous beasts.

Safari Ostrich Showfarm

Safari Ostrich Show Farm is an operating farm where visitors will see large flocks of ostriches at different stages of development in the surrounding fields. Visitors are assured of personal attention and upon their arrival are greeted by one of our multi-lingual guides who will, during the course of the tour explain every aspect of ostrich farming, from breeding to rearing. The tour starts in the breeding camp, with a nest of ostrich eggs, where the first stage of the ostrich life cycle is explained. Visitors will get the opportunity to test the strength of the eggs by standing on them - a great photo opportunity. During the breeding season visitors get to see ostrich eggs hatching in the incubator rooms. Visitors get to sit on an ostrich and those who are brave enough can even try their hand at riding one. Every tour ends with an "Ostrich Derby" where local jockeys display their riding skills. A highly entertaining and educational tour is guaranteed.

Included

Bed & Breakfast

Day 6: The Sun City Hotel, Sun City

Sun City

Sun City is internationally renowned as South Africa's premier holiday resort and it offers a multitude of attractions and activities to keep everyone occupied. With its combination of golf, game and gambling, as well as world class hotels it is a mini Las Vegas in the African bush.

Day Notes

Breakfast at hotel

Transfer to George Airport

Flight to Johannesburg, OR Tambo International Airport (not included)

Personal Meet & Greet by ERM Representative

Transfer to Sun City

Rest of day at leisure

Overnight: The Sun City Hotel <u>View iBrochure</u>

In the heart of the bushveld, overlooking valleys and surrounded by mountains, lies South Africa's Sun City Hotel. With spacious rooms and exotic cuisine in any of the excellent themed restaurants, this hotel embodies perfect luxury. Try a Big 5 safari, let the Sun City Casino dazzle you with its exciting slot machines and tables, marvel at the spectacular shows in The Sun City Theatre or travel the short distance to Johannesburg to enjoy all the entertainment and splendour this exciting city has to offer.





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Bed & Breakfast

Day 7: Bakubung Bush Lodge, Pilanesberg National Park

Pilanesberg National Park

The Pilansberg Game Reserve lies inside a 1300 million-year- old volcanic complex and offers a wide variety of beautiful landscapes. Pilansberg is home to a great diversity of plants and animals, including the Big 5, wild dog and 360 species of bird. Being on the Highveld, it is malaria free. It has great game drives for both day trippers and visitors staying in the various camps. If you like to mix a little glitz and glamour with your wildlife, South Africa's leading resort, Sun City, is only minutes away.

Day Notes

Breakfast at hotel
Check out of hotel
Transfer to Bakubung Game Lodge
Afternoon game Drive
Dinner at Lodge

Overnight: Bakubung Bush Lodge <u>View iBrochure</u>

A mere two hour drive from the hustle and bustle of Johannesburg and ten minutes from Sun City, is a place of breathtaking beauty and serenity. Overlooking the rich expanses of the malaria-free Pilanesburg National Park, Bakubung, or 'People of the Hippo', offers guests Big 5 viewing in one of Africa's beautiful national parks. Guests are spoilt for choice be it having a cup of coffee overlooking our resident hippo in the waterhole, bushveld boma barbecues, game walks or the culinary experience of Bakubung's famous buffet.





Activities

Pilanesberg Game Drives

Included

Dinner, Bed and Breakfast

Day 8: Crowne Plaza Rosebank, Johannesburg

Johannesburg

Johannesburg is one of Africa's biggest and most vibrant cities. It is the economic capital of Africa and the gateway to Southern Africa. Although not as famous as other South African destinations, there is plenty to do in Johannesburg and nearby Pretoria. The old city is a multi-cultural mixture of traditional medicine shops, Chinese restaurants, taxi ranks and ultra modern skyscrapers. There are excellent museums, art galleries and organised tours of historical and political interest. The shopping is Southern Africa's best and the many restaurants cater for all tastes. The nearby township of Soweto is Johannesburg's most popular tourist attraction.

Day Notes

Morning Game Drive

Breakfast at lodge

Check out

Transfer to Johannesburg via Lesedi Cultural Village

Afternoon city tour

Dinner at leisure

Overnight: Crowne Plaza Rosebank

Crowne Plaza Johannesburg – The Rosebank is a modern and stylish Johannesburg Hotel that is ideally located for business and leisure travel. The establishment is only two blocks away from The Rosebank Gautrain station, 30 minutes drive from O.R.Tambo International Airport and a short drive from the Johannesburg and Sandton Business Districts. The hotel is in walking distance of the Rosebank Mall and the African Craft Market that offers visiting guests a wide array of up-market shopping and dining options. The hotel's central location makes it the ideal base to access famous Johannesburg tourist attractions such as the Apartheid Museum, Lion Park and Soweto. Coca Cola Park Stadium and Wanderers Cricket Ground , both major sports stadiums are within 10 minutes drive from the hotel.





Activities

Lesedi Cultural Village

Lesedi Cultural Village

Lesedi African Lodge and Cultural village is located in the heart of the African bushveld and rocky hills, in the Cradle of Humankind, a World Heritage Site, only 45 minutes' drive from Johannesburg and Pretoria. An enthralling opportunity to experience the mystical cultures and traditions of the people of Africa, and visit five traditional homesteads, each inhabited by Zulu, Xhosa, Pedi, Basotho and Ndebele tribes who live according to tribal folklore and traditions of their ancestors. Accommodation is unique, and these traditionally styled rooms, give an insight into rural African lifestyles, while still enjoying all creature comforts. A gastronomic feast of traditional dishes from the far corners of Africa in its three-tiered restaurant, Nyama Choma, which means the Great African Feast, forms part of the cultural experience. Five Conference venues and African team building activities make Lesedi an ideal venue for corporate outings with difference. Situated close to the Hartebeespoort dam, activities include game drives, walking trails, guided Anglo-Boer history tours, craft markets, horse-riding, and bird-watching. A scenic cableway ride to the top of Magaliesberg, an aquarium, bird-park and local zoo are in close proximity. The famous De Wildt Cheetah breeding farm is situated on the northern slopes of the Magaliesberg.

Included

Bed & Breakfast

Day 9: Departure

Day Notes

Breakfast at hotel Check Out Transfer to OR Tambo International Airport Assistance with Flight Check In Flight Home





