

## Cape Town and Desert

### 14 day - Cape Town to Windhoek

South Africa - Namibia



### Top Destinations visited on this tour

Cape Town - Cedarberg - Orange River - Namibia - Fish River Canyon - Sesriem - Swakopmund - Spitzkoppe - Brandberg - Etosha National Park - Windhoek

## Tour Price

**Price:** EUR 1465 + ZAR 1200  
(EUR 70 single supplement)

**Local Payment:** Local Payment is a portion of your total tour cost which is paid locally to your Crew, in cash, at the beginning of your tour.

**Single Supplement:** Should you book this tour as a solo traveler and are happy to share a room, a single supplement may not apply (depending on availability). If you wish to have a room to yourself or can not be paired up with another same-sex traveler you would need to pay the single supplement.

**Tour Length:** 14 days

**Meals:** 11 Breakfasts, 10 Lunches, 7 Dinners

**Crew:** 2 crew (including cook)

**Vehicle:** Overland Truck

**Tour Code:** CTW14-14

## Tour Itinerary



**Day 1 : Cape Town via Cape Point.** After breakfast we head south to Cape Point. A scenic and awesome drive along winding coastal roads to the tip of Africa awaits. After a visit to the stunning Cape Point Peninsular, Cape Of Good Hope Nature Reserve and the Boulders Beach Penguin Colony we head back to our base in Cape Town.



**Day 2 : Cape Town to Cedarberg.** This morning we make our way northward out of Cape Town, passing through the beautiful wine lands. We set camp tonight in the shadow of the Cederberg Mountains.



**Day 3 : Cedarberg to Orange River - Namibia.** Today we journey to a region that is renown for its wildflower display in the Spring, Namaqualand. We make a quick pit stop in Springbok for supplies before journeying on to the Orange River. We cross the border into Namibia and tonight we sleep on the Orange Rivers edge.



**Day 4 : Orange River - Namibia to Fish River Canyon.** An optional canoe trip on the calm Orange River is available here before we travel further into Namibia. Our campsite is Hobas, which is only a short drive away from the Fish River Canyon.



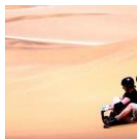
**Day 5 : Fish River Canyon to Sesriem.** We enter the Namib Naukluft Park and the oldest desert in the world today as we drive towards the dune fields of Sesriem and Sossusvlei. The stark but stunning landscape is worthy of some brilliant photos!



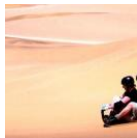
**Day 6 : Sesriem to Sesriem (via Sossusvlei).** An early start as we enter into the park and head for Dune 45. Clamber to the top for a stunning high-point view over the dunes. We continue to Sossusvlei and from here you will have your own free time to explore the vlei or the surrounding area. Stunning photographic opportunities are available in the dunes so bring those cameras!!



**Day 7 : Sesriem to Swakopmund.** A spectacular sunset awakens us this morning. We travel north towards Walvis Bay via some glorious desert passes, and make our way along the coast, before finally arriving in Namibia's prime adventure resort - Swakopmund.



**Day 8 : Swakopmund.** A leisure day today to get the feel of this quaint German town sandwiched between the edge of a massive dune field and the ocean. Take on some adventure activities or relax in a cafe on the beachfront.



**Day 9 : Swakopmund to Spitzkoppe.** Today we make our way to the ancient San bushman sacred site of Spitzkoppe. Explore the 1728m high formation and view the rock paintings before bush camping under the African stars.



**Day 10 : Spitzkoppe to Brandberg.** Our next stop is the Brandberg where we camp next to the dry Ugab River bed, home to the rare desert elephants. We explore the mountains on foot with our local guides, who lead us through this region adorned with rock art.



**Day 11 : Brandberg to Etosha National Park.** Leaving the Brandberg behind we travel to Etosha National Park - the jewel of Namibia. Keep an eye out for all kinds of wildlife and predators as we crisscross the park on our game drives.



**Day 12 : Etosha National Park.** Today we enjoy a full day of game driving, making our way east along the length of the park. After dinner make your way to another floodlit water hole to see what animals arrive at the water to drink, or relax at the campsite.



**Day 13 : Etosha National Park to Windhoek.** We leave the wildlife to head to the capital city of Windhoek. You may wish to explore this city steeped in German atmosphere or choose to enjoy a flagon of ale at one of the local taverns.



**Day 14 : Windhoek.** After a lovely breakfast our tour draws to a end.

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### Included Highlights

These 2 highlight(s) are included in your tour cost.

- **Cape Point Day Trip**
- **Sossusvlei Guided Walk**

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### Optional Highlights

These 8 highlight(s) are optional activities which you can do on your trip. We have supplied indicative prices so you can plan your spending money accordingly:

- **Cape Town Township Tour** - \$65
- **Cape Winelands Wine Tour** - \$90
- **Orange River Canoeing** - \$40
- **Robben Island** - \$30
- **Swakopmund Sandboarding** - \$65
- **Swakopmund Sky Diving** - \$350
- **Swakopmund Township Tour** - \$75
- **Table Mountain Cable Car** - \$28

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### General Notes

Got more time? Extend this trip all the way to Livingstone and Victoria Falls! Ask us how!

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### Departure Dates

**Start - End**

07 Jun 2012 - 20 Jun 2012  
21 Jun 2012 - 04 Jul 2012  
26 Jul 2012 - 08 Aug 2012  
09 Aug 2012 - 22 Aug 2012  
23 Aug 2012 - 05 Sep 2012  
27 Sep 2012 - 10 Oct 2012  
11 Oct 2012 - 24 Oct 2012  
15 Nov 2012 - 28 Nov 2012  
20 Dec 2012 - 02 Jan 2013  
03 Jan 2013 - 16 Jan 2013

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### Before and After Your Trip

Your pre-departure meeting starts at 07h3am on Day 1 of the trip at the Sweet Orange Guest House 1 Bellevue Rd Sea Point Cape Town .

Your trip departs from the Sweet Orange Guest House at 08h00am on Day 1 of the trip. We suggest you get there 15 minutes before to avoid delays.

Your trip ends at/in Klein Windhoek Guesthouse Windhoek on 08h00am on Day 14. Please note end times are approximated.

Contact us from information and prices for the pre and post tour accommodation, flights, transfer, car rental and activity bookings.

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