# Spectacular South Africa Cape Town, Knysna, Amakhala Game Reserve, Suncity & Johannesburg

# 10 nights/ 11 days

### Itinerary

#### Day 1 – Cape Town

Arrive at Cape Town International Airport. Our Representative will meet and assist you to the waiting vehicle for transfer to the hotel. Upon arrival at the hotel, check in. Spend the balance of the day at leisure.



Arrive in the **Mother City "Cape Town** is the tourism capital of South Africa, receiving the largest number of tourists of any South African city. The area is also famous for its unique plant life: fynbos (an Afrikaans word meaning "fine bush"), a shrubby vegetation type similar to other winter rainfall shrublands, in which proteas are prominent and characteristic and which occurs nowhere else but the Cape coastal belt, the adjacent mountains and some isolated inland mountain tops. Fire is a necessary stage in the lives of almost all fynbos plants. In readiness for fire, most proteas retain their seeds on the bush for at least one year, a habit known as serotiny, Strikingly beautiful and long-lasting, which accounts for their use in dried floral arrangements". Overnight at Cape Town.



#### Day 2 – Cape Town

Breakfast will be served at the hotel. Commence a tour of the city. Take the cable car to the top of **Table Mountain** for a panoramic view of the city and coastline. Then through the historic Malay Quarter, past the South African Museum, with its famed Bushmen exhibits, the Castle and other interesting sights. Towards the end of the morning a visit is made at the Victoria and Alfred Waterfront. This is South Africa's most talked about tourist venue with many shops and restaurants. Evening free at Leisure.

Overnight at Cape Town. (Meals : Breakfast)

## Day 3 – Cape Town

Breakfast will be served at the hotel.

You will be collected at your hotel for a Private Full Day Cape Peninsula Tour. Travel at a pace



that allows you to explore the beauty of the Cape Peninsula. Depart for the Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve along one of South Africa's most scenic routes, passing Hout Bay. Enjoy a cruise to Seal Island, to view seals and sea birds at Duiker Island (weather permitting). During summer, several thousand Cape Fur Seals – along with the rare Black Cormorant – lollop leisurely among the kelp beds. Continue to the Cape of Good Hope

Nature Reserve. The scenery en route to Cape Point, at the

South Western tip of the reserve, is particularly lovely in spring when wildflowers carpet the landscape. The new lighthouse – the most powerful in the world – beams an electric light of 19 million candle power across the ocean. Ascend to the top of by Funicular. Visit the penguin colony at Boulders Beach. Then drive through the historic naval base town of Simon's Town.



Return to your hotel and spend the balance of the day at leisure.

Overnight at Cape Town. (Meals : Breakfast)

# Day 4 – Cape town to Knynsa Via the Garden route

You will be collected at Cape Town based hotel. In the company of your driver/guide enjoy a private **Garden Route Tour**. Depart Cape Town and transfer down the Garden Route to the coastal town of Knysna (5-6 hours by road).



Explore the quaint town known for its art & craft shops. "The place of the people, beauty and mystery." This ever-popular charming town of legend, history, arts and crafts catering to visitor's every need or fancy. The town is built on the banks of the Knysna Lagoon, a National Lake Area that falls under the protection of South African National Parks, is a home to more than 200 species of fish – including the rare Knysna seahorse – and is a popular destination for water sports enthusiasts and nature lovers alike.

Embark on a ferry trip on the Knysna Lagoon to view the famous Knysna Heads aboard the pleasure boat, the John Benn (weather permitting).

Upon arrival at the hotel, check in.

Overnight at Knynsa. (Meals: Breakfast)

### Day 5 – Knysna

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel. Transfer to Oudtshoorn for a full day guided tour.



Oudtshoorn is the ostrich capital of the world. Nowhere else are ostriches found in such great number and nowhere else do they produce feathers of such fine quality – but the world's biggest bird is just one attraction in an area of enormous contrasts. The



small, crime-free town, built around a wide green belt, is the commercial centre of the Klein Karoo – a rolling plain that is surrounded by towering mountains. Thus, all roads into the district follow stunningly beautiful mountain passes and all present the traveler with an interesting, scenic drive from the Garden Route, Cape Town or the hinterland.

Enjoy a guided visit at the Cango Caves. Visit the Cango Wildlife Ranch. Enjoy a guided visit at Safari Ostrich Farm.

Overnight at Knynsa. (Meals: Breakfast)

### Day 6 – Knysna to Port Elizabeth

Today after breakfast your driver/guide will transfer you further down the Garden Route to the city of Port Elizabeth (about 3 ½ hours by road). Upon arrival at Port Elizabeth you will be met and transferred to your game lodge located within the Amakhala Game Reserve (about 1 hour by road).



**Amakhala Game Reserve** "a pride member of Lion Roars" is located in the malaria free Eastern Cape of South Africa. The private Game Park offers guests accommodation in a selection of 11 Luxury star rated establishments made up of restored Country houses, Safari Lodges and Tented camps located in different areas of the large 18 000 acres Safari park. Some dwellings are owned and managed by fifth generation Frontier Settlers families.

Day and Night game viewing trips under guidance of professional game rangers are available. Wild Life likely to be encountered during the game drives in the Game Reserve is: the "Big Five", lion, elephant, rhino, buffalo and cheetah as well as giraffe, zebra, wildebeest and plenty of antelope species.

Lunch is served at the lodge upon arrival (arrival time permitting).

Afternoon game drive which may continue into the early evening in order to view the nocturnal animals as well. Dinner at the Lodge

### Overnight at the Lodge. (Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner)

### Day 7 – Amakhala Game Reserve



Early morning wake up Call. After tea, coffee & snack your ranger will escort you to his open safari vehicle for a morning game drive.

Later breakfast will be served at the lodge. Balance of the morning at leisure.

Lunch is served at the Lodge. Afternoon game drive continues into evening.

Dinner at the lodge. Overnight at the lodge. (Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner)

#### Day 8 – Port Elizabeth to Sun City

Early morning wake up Call. After tea, coffee & snack your ranger will escort you to his open safari vehicle for a morning game drive.

Later breakfast will be served at the lodge. After breakfast check out and transfer back to Port Elizabeth to connect with your flight to Johannesburg.

On arrival at Johannesburg Airport make your way to the Shuttle Bus departure point and board your onward shuttle transfer to Sun City Resort. Check in and spend the next 2 days exploring and enjoying the Sun City.



Arrive in **Sun City** is internationally renowned as South Africa's premier holiday resort offering a multitude of attractions and activities to keep everyone occupied. With its combination of golf, game and gambling, as well as world class hotels. Sun City is the perfect



choice for any holiday in South Africa. Conveniently located about two hours' drive outside Johannesburg, Sun City in South Africa has so much to offer... Sun City boasts four hotels, each of which offers a unique holiday experience, from romance to family fun

Check in and spend the next 2 days exploring and enjoying the Sun City. (Meals : Breakfast)

## Day 9 – Suncity

After breakfast, enjoy the sights for the marvelous city on your own.

Overnight at Suncity. (Meals : Breakfast)



### Day 10 – Johannesburg

Check out later today and transfer back to Johannesburg, where you overnight at a nearby Airport or City Hotel. Evening at Leisure to explore the City on your own.

Overnight at Johannesburg. (Meals : Breakfast)

### Day 11 – Depart Johannesburg

After breakfast this morning, check out and transfer by shuttle bus back to Johannesburg International Airport & check in for your onward flight. (Meals : Breakfast)

# COME HOME WITH WONDERFUL MEMORIES OF THE TOUR!!!

#### Inclusions :-

- 1. 3 nights' accommodation at Cape Town with breakfast
- 2. 2 nights' accommodation at Kysna with breakfast
- 3. 2 nights' at Amakhala Game Reserve with all meals
- 4. 2 nights' accommodation at Sun City with breakfast
- 5. 1 night accommodation at Johannesburg with breakfast

- 6. Meet & Greet at Cape Town International Airport
- 7. Meals as defined in itinerary.
- 8. Airport & city transfers as indicated in itinerary.
- 9. Game drives in open safari's at Kruger National Park
- 10. Tours as described in itinerary with fully qualified driver.
- 11. Entrance Fee where applicable, unless otherwise stated.