



4 Day tour - Exploring the Garden Route

The affordable, safe, flexible and fun way to see the tourism hotspots of the Garden Route.

Tour including accommodation:

The soccer world cup will be hosted by South Africa during June / July 2010. Due to high demand during this period, accommodation will be expensive. Please reserve your spot early to avoid disappointment.

	MULTI / DORM ROOM			2 DOUBLE/TWIN ROOM			1 SINGLE ROOM		
Seasonal Rates	until May 2010	Jun-Jul 2010	Aug - Apr 2011	until May 2010	Jun-Jul 2010	Aug - Apr 2011	until May 2010	Jun-Jul 2010	Aug - Apr 2011
BACKPACKER	R 3000	R 3900	R 3300	R 3400	R 4400	R 3700	R 3600	R 4900	R 3900

! Whether you want to stay in a hostel, guesthouse or luxurious hotel, we will find the best deal for you.
Please inform us to get a quote on other accommodational options we offer: including 4 star GUESTHOUSE or 5 star HOTEL options.

Day 1

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Cape Town / Stellenbosch to Mossel Bay

Cape Town/ Stellenbosch > Mossel Bay

Depart from Stellenbosch or Cape Town on the N2. See the Cape Peninsula and False Bay spread out beneath you from the top of Sir Lowry's Pass.

Arrive in the coastal town of Mossel Bay by early afternoon to walk on wide golden beaches or see the Big 5 (excluding leopard) on an optional extra 4x4 drive at a nearby game reserve. Board the stationary Santos Train on the edge of the beach and watch the waves during the night from your compartment/ bedroom window.



Departures:

every last Friday of the month
from Cape Town or Stellenbosch

Prices include:

- Wilderness canoeing
- Entrance to Wilderness National Park
- Entrance to Tsitsikamma National Park
- Big Tree entrance fee
- Cango Caves Adventure tour
- Ostrich farm tour and ostrich riding
- Accommodation

Prices exclude:

- Bloukrans Bungee jumping
- Game drive
- Entrance to the Elephant Sanctuary
- Meals and drinks



Day 2

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Mossel Bay to Tsitsikamma

Mossel Bay > Tsitsikamma

Wilderness – 18km of beaches cooled by sea spray, five lakes, five rivers and two estuaries, Wilderness is one of nature's jewels in the crown and is a protected National Park. Canoe on the Wilderness lagoon and watch the bird life while we glide over the water in our pure nature encounter.

Knysna – This popular holiday town with a lively buzz lies between forested mountains and the sea, curving around a big lagoon. Lunch stop is at The Heads, where the sea crashes through two massive sandstone cliffs.

From Knysna we will drive through the **Garden of Eden**, a landscape of indigenous forests, the Outeniqua Mountains and a rugged coastline.

Nature's Valley - We'll take a swim in the warm Indian Ocean on this wide, sandy beach that stretches into the distance.

Via the two scenic passes of **Groot River and Bloukrans** we get a bird's eye view of the Garden Route before we arrive at the Tsitsikamma National Park, where we will overnight in forest huts on the edge of the ocean.

Day 3

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Tsitsikamma to Oudtshoorn

Tsitsikamma > Oudtshoorn

Tsitsikamma National Park – Spend the morning in paradise as we explore the marine reserve with its unique combination of dramatic coastal and forest landscapes. Walk along forest trails to a suspension bridge and find a quiet spot from where to absorb this beauty.

Bloukrans Bungee Jump – Face your fear and jump from the world's highest bungee jump or watch the adrenaline junkies as they scream through the air. (optional extra)

Elephant Sanctuary – Meet these huge but lovable creatures with an experienced guide who will teach you everything about elephants' background, behaviour and characters. Touch, feel and feed the elephants and fall in love on a trunk-in-hand stroll. (optional extra)

Oudtshoorn – A town in the semi-desert Klein Karoo, offering a more harsh kind of beauty as the setting sun paints the Swartberg and Outeniqua mountains in shades of pink.

Day 4

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Oudtshoorn to Stellenbosch/ Cape Town

Oudtshoorn > Stellenbosch/ Cape Town

Cango Caves – These caves are an illuminated wonderland of subterranean magic and mystery. Our adventure tour will explore three kilometres of passageways that lead to vast halls inside the earth, where colourful stalactites hang from the roof like ancient chandeliers.

Ostrich farm – We tour an ostrich farm, where the more daring among us can ride the ostriches (within weight limits). The rest of us get to stand on their eggs - and make sure your friends take a picture of you hugging and kissing the world's most friendly female ostrich, Betsie.

Cape Route 62 – Along South Africa's famous country road you'll capture the beauty of high mountains, twisting passes, rugged Karoo plains, vineyards and orchards in your personal road movie.

We will reach Cape Town and Stellenbosch by nightfall.

