

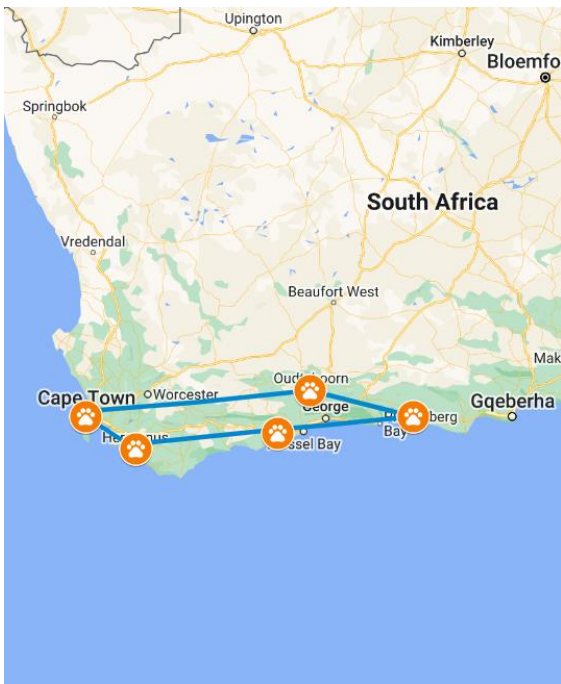


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# 4 Day Garden Route Safari Accommodated Tour



## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Beautiful Beaches and Scenery
- Route 62 Road trip
- Big 5 Game Drives
- Ostrich Farm Visit
- Cango Caves
- Map of Africa Viewpoint
- Knysna & Knysna Heads
- Hermanus
- Betty's Bay Penguin colony
- Tsitsikamma National Park & Forest



# TOUR ITINERARY

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## 4 Days | South Africa

Information is subject to change. Travel times and accommodation can change depending on road or weather conditions, etc. These are used as a guideline only.

### **DAY 1: CAPE TOWN – OUDTSHOORN**

Depart Cape Town at 6am and head up to Oudtshoorn in the Little Karoo semi desert area, which also is the ostrich capital of the World. This drive follows the world-famous Route 62 which is the longest wine route in the world! We'll visit the Cango Caves for a tour through this magnificent cave system and also visit an ostrich farm for a closer look at this enormous bird. Tonight, we'll stay in Oudtshoorn and have a delicious braai (bbq) for dinner where you can even sample a bit of ostrich steak if you like!

<b>Meals:</b>	Dinner
<b>Included Highlights:</b>	Route 62 road trip, Entrance to Cango Ostrich Farm, Cango Caves Standard tour
<b>Overnight:</b>	Oudtshoorn
<b>Guesthouse Accommodation:</b>	De Akker Guest House OR Similar - <a href="https://www.deakkeroudtshoorn.co.za/">https://www.deakkeroudtshoorn.co.za/</a>
<b>Backpacker Accommodation:</b>	Uthando Backpackers OR Similar - <a href="https://uthandobackpackers.com/">https://uthandobackpackers.com/</a>

### **DAY 2: OUDTSHOORN – KNYSNA – STORMS RIVER**

Leaving Oudtshoorn we'll cross the mountain range to the coast and the gorgeous Garden Route. Our first stop is the scenic 'map of Africa' lookout in the Wilderness and then we're off to Knysna (consistently voted as South Africa's favourite town). Here we will visit the Knysna Heads, Waterfront, markets and explore thoroughly. After Knysna we pass through Plettenberg Bay! We also stop at the World Highest Bungee Bridge at 216 Meters! where we overnight in Storms River Village.

<b>Meals:</b>	Breakfast, Dinner
<b>Included Highlights:</b>	Knysna Heads, Knysna Waterfront, Map of Africa viewpoint
<b>Optional Activity:</b>	Bloukrans bungy jump
<b>Overnight:</b>	Storms River
<b>Guesthouse Accommodation:</b>	Andelomi Guesthouse OR Similar - <a href="http://www.andelomi.com/">http://www.andelomi.com/</a>
<b>Backpacker Accommodation:</b>	Tune n Axe Backpackers OR Similar - <a href="https://www.tubenaxe.co.za/">https://www.tubenaxe.co.za/</a>

### **DAY 3: STORMS RIVER – TSITSIKAMMA – GARDEN ROUTE GAME LODGE**

Today we head through to Tsitsikamma National Park for a hike to the ever-famous Storms River mouth- walk on the recently finished Hanging Bridge, where we can take a dip in the Indian Ocean!! From here we head to the Garden Route Game Lodge where we can enjoy a Big 5 sunset game drive, fantastic buffet dinner. We'll also overnight in their award-winning chalets.

<b>Meals:</b>	Breakfast, Dinner
<b>Included Highlights:</b>	Tsitsikamma National Park, Big 5 Sunset Game drive
<b>Accommodation:</b>	Garden Route Game Lodge - <a href="https://rgamelodge.co.za/">https://rgamelodge.co.za/</a>

### **DAY 4: GARDEN ROUTE GAME LODGE – CAPE TOWN**

We start the day with an early morning game drive to see some animals you perhaps didn't see the evening before followed by a scrumptious breakfast! Around noon, we make our way to Hermanus, which is famous for being the best land-based whale watching site (in season) in the world and is a beautiful little town with wonderful Cliffside walks. Returning towards Cape Town, our last stop is at Stony Point where we visit the local penguin Colony – making our way back with spectacular views over False Bay.

<b>Accommodation:</b>	Own Arrangements / Post tour accommodation can be booked through your agent
<b>Meals:</b>	Breakfast
<b>Included Highlights:</b>	Big 5 morning game drive, Hermanus, Stony Point Penguin Colony



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# TOUR INFORMATION

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## PRE DEPARTURE INFORMATION:

Once booking has been confirmed we will send you a full and detailed pre-departure Booklet to help you prepare. Below is some basic tour information.

## WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- Qualified and registered tour guide
- Transport in air-conditioned bus
- Accommodation
- Breakfasts & Dinners
- 2 x Big 5 safari game drives
- Entrance fees: Ostrich farm  
Cango Caves (Standard Tour only)  
Tsitsikamma National Park  
Penguins @ Betty's Bay

## OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES:

The optional activities are not included in your tour because these are activities that not everybody would like to do! Optional activities are a great way to add more adventure to your experience. Our tours are designed so that it is not necessary to do the optional activities to have a good time – there are always plenty of things to see & do.

- Bloukrans Bungy Jump (216m) ZAR 1690
- Whale and dolphin watching (if time allows) rates available on tour (seasonal)
- Lunches, drinks, souvenirs, tips & items of a personal nature

*Please note that we have done our best to provide accurate pricing, but these prices are subject to change!*

## ACCOMMODATION:

We will arrange all accommodation along the way, at locations we have selected over the years for their cleanliness, unique setting, and atmosphere. Guests have a choice of backpackers lodges, in which dorm rooms, private rooms, and private en suite rooms are available; or guesthouses, which are all private en suite rooms. Single, double, and twin rooms are available at both the backpackers and guesthouses. All bedding and towels will be provided.

Although we frequently utilize the same accommodation every week, we cannot guarantee that we will stay at a specific location each week, due to availability and group size.

## LUGGAGE

We have space for each passenger to have one suitcase/backpack and one "carry-on"-sized piece of luggage – a laptop bag, backpack, or similar. There are generally not porters or staff available to assist with luggage – your luggage should be of a size and weight you can comfortably manage. Hard or soft suitcases are fine. If you have more luggage than this, please contact us in advance to make alternative arrangements.

## MEALS:

Breakfasts typically include fruit, muesli, eggs, toast, yogurt, and cereals. Dinners are usually traditional South African meals, such as potjie (stew) and braai (barbeque). Please advise us of any special dietary requirements in advance. We are able to cater for vegetarian, gluten-free, and lactose-free diets, but not strict vegan or halal diets.

Lunch and drinks are on guests' own account. Dinners for all clients, including those staying at the guesthouse, usually take place at the backpackers.



**VEHICLES:**

The vehicles that we will be touring in are fully air-conditioned and can comfortably seat 8 adults including driver/guide or 14 adults including driver/guide. We also have a CD and MP3 player. You are welcome to bring your own music, and if it is not too terrible, we can play it! All vehicles have valid operating licenses to convey paying customers.

**GROUP SIZE:**

Our groups are between 4-12 people, with most guests hailing from Europe, America, Canada, and Australia. Our average age is 33, so we host students, young professionals, parents, and the “young at heart”. The tour is perfect for the solo traveler, small groups of friends, or couples, as you will have the opportunity to travel with a diverse group of people from all over the world.

**MALARIA:**

Our tours take place in a malaria free area. No anti-malaria precautions are therefore necessary. You are however, advised to bring insect repellent during summer.

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**Should you have further questions, please feel free to contact us on the below details:**

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