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# CITY WALK

Cape Town inner city is now officially part of the Big 7, joining the top tourist attractions such as, Cape Point, Robben Island, Groot Constantia, Table Mountain, Kirstenbosch Gardens and the V&A Waterfront.

Cape Town Partnership, a non-profit organisation working on projects that can make a positive impact in Cape Town's transformation, has launched the new Big 7 City Walk. The walk aims to connect the city by bringing the public spaces to life, through story-telling, way-finding signs, public art, walking tours and retail offerings.

In addition to organised walking tours and regular activations on the City Walk route, the Cape Town Partnership hosts a monthly flagship event called City Walk Saturdays, including live entertainment, yoga, dancing, food, giant chess and more, taking place on the third Saturday of every month, from 10h00 to 14h00.

## CITY WALK TOURS

**As a part of the Big 7, Taj Cape Town is offering 'City Walk Tours'. City Walk Tours aims to educate and entertain our guests through customized city walking tours curated for your personal interest. The walk will cover, history, politics, places of interest, trendy foodie spots and cafés, all in close proximity to the hotel.**

Duration: 1½ Hours

Complimentary to all in-house guests

Time: 10h30; Tuesday - Saturday

Our professional tour guide will meet you in the Lobby of the hotel at 10h20.

For more information and bookings, contact: [concierge.capetown@tajhotels.com](mailto:concierge.capetown@tajhotels.com) or visit our City Guide in the Hotel Lobby.



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Disclaimer: All rates and information is subject to change without notice. Some activities are weather permitting, and may also only operate on selected days or dates. Taj Cape Town will not be held responsible for any loss or changes from course. Some tours & activities might require a minimum number of guests.



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## CHAPTER 1: DISCOVERING CAPE TOWN

### 1.1 HOP ON HOP OFF BUS

See beautiful Cape Town in two exciting Hop On Hop Off tours available: The Red City Tour and/or the Blue Mini Peninsula Tour. Discover this mysterious, beautiful and exhilarating city.

Opening Hours: Summer: 08h00 - 19h00  
Winter: 08h00 - 18h00

Rate: From ZAR 170 (pp) - Adults / ZAR 80 (pp) - Children (aged 5-17) / under age 5 - free  
Online: ZAR 150  
Pay R100 extra and upgrade to a 2-Day Combo ticket / Translation in various languages

### 1.2 TABLE MOUNTAIN

Table Mountain, the flat-topped mountain forming a prominent landmark overlooking the city of Cape Town, is proud to be one of the official New 7 Wonders of Nature. Competing against major international attractions, Table Mountain made it to the top seven after a campaign that attracted more than 100-million global votes.

Opening Hours: Summer: 08h00 - 19h00  
Winter: 08h00 - 18h00

Rate: From ZAR 225 (pp) Return / ZAR 110 per child under 18  
ZAR 115 (pp) One Way / ZAR 58 per child under 18  
Children under 3 return - Free.

### 1.3 ROBBER ISLAND MUSEUM

From the 17th to the 20th centuries, Robben Island served as a place of banishment, isolation and imprisonment to indigenous African leaders, Muslim leaders, Dutch and British soldiers and anti-apartheid activists, including South Africa's first democratic President, Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela. Today it is a World Heritage Site and museum.

Opening Hours: 09h00 - 15h00  
Ferries depart at 9am, 11am, 1pm and 3pm, weather permitting.

Rate: From ZAR 300 (pp) Return - Adults / ZAR 160 (pp) Return - Children (under 17)



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### 1.4 KIRSTENBOSCH BOTANICAL GARDENS

Kirstenbosch National Botanical Garden is acclaimed as one of the great botanic gardens of the world. Few gardens can match the sheer grandeur of the setting of Kirstenbosch, against the eastern slopes of Cape Town's Table Mountain. Kirstenbosch was established in 1913 to promote, conserve and display the extraordinarily rich and diverse flora of southern Africa, and was the first botanic garden in the world to be devoted to a country's indigenous flora.

Opening Hours: Sep-Mar (Summer) Mon-Sun 08h00-19h00  
Apr- Aug (Winter) Mon-Sun 08h00-18h00  
Conservatory Mon-Sun 09h00 -17h00

Rate: From ZAR 50 (pp) Adult / ZAR 10 (pp) - Children (aged 6-17) / Free for children under 6

### 1.5 TWO OCEANS AQUARIUM

The Two Oceans Aquarium is an aquarium located at the Victoria & Alfred Waterfront. The aquarium was opened on the 13 November 1995 and comprises of seven exhibition galleries with large viewing windows. The enchantment of this particular zoo is due to its location, where the Indian and Atlantic Ocean meet.

Opening Hours: 09h30 until 18h00.

Rate: From ZAR 118 (pp) Adult / ZAR 92 (pp) - Children (aged 14-17) / ZAR 57 (pp) - Children (aged 4-13) Free for children under 4

### 1.6 CAPE TOWN SCENIC FLIGHTS

#### The Hopper Flight

Experience the breathtaking views of Cape Town's beauty from a helicopter. Take off from the hanger at Cape Town International Airport for an adventure of a lifetime.

Opening Hours: 08h00 - 17h00

Rate: From ZAR 800 (pp) (min 2 pax)

#### 1.6.1 CAPE TOWN SCENIC FLIGHTS

##### Two Bay Helicopter Trip

Enjoy the sight of the beautiful beaches of Clifton and Camps Bay before swinging around Karbonkelberg, Hout Bay. Fly alongside the magnificent Table Mountain before returning over the City Bowl to the Cape Town Airport.

Opening Hours: 08h00 - 17h00

Rate: From ZAR 1150 (pp) (min 2 pax)



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## 1.6.2 CAPE TOWN SCENIC FLIGHTS

### Two Oceans Helicopter Trip

Experience the sights of the Mother City, the beaches and the vineyards along with the world renowned Chapman's Peak. View the beauty of False Bay before returning to Cape Town.

Opening Hours: 08h00 - 17h00

Rate: From ZAR 1600 (pp) (min 2 pax)

## 1.6.3 CAPE TOWN SCENIC FLIGHTS

### Full Peninsula Helicopter Trip

Combining the best of all our trips in one, this excursion has been extended to include a bird's eye view of the Cape of Good Hope from all angles, as you fly around Cape Point, a breathtaking and unforgettable experience.

Opening Hours: 08h00 - 17h00

Rate: From ZAR 3200 (pp) (min 2 pax)

## 1.7 THE ONLY TEAM PRIVATE TOURS

### 1.6.1 Winelands Tours

Discover 'food-and-wine pairing' with one of South Africa's leading cuisine specialists. Offering tours of privately owned wine estates where you can do a cellar tour with the winemaker or owner, do a technical tasting and see méthode champenoise in action.

### 1.6.2 Peninsula Tours

Enjoy exploring the Cape Floral kingdom in the Kirstenbosch Gardens with a botanical specialists, visiting the Penguin colony, meeting local Capetonians from the fishing community, exploring coastal routes or take an informed and leisurely walk with one of the nature guides on the Cape Point nature reserve, to name a few.

### 1.6.3 City Tours

Enjoy a city walking tour and discover the "trending" places and things to do within the Taj Cape Town precinct. or choose from an array of memorable experiences to uncover Cape Town's diversity by boat, on foot or vehicle.

### 1.6.4 Cultural Tours

Explore the history, culture and architecture of Cape Town, with curated experiences in areas such as Granger Bay, Table Mountain, Signal Hill and Cape Town Central City.



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### 1.6.5 Whale Tours

Enjoy a day of watching whales and dolphins, from land or sea, with a qualified guide in the town of Hermanus (120km from Cape Town). Continue with lunch in Hermanus or at a scenic Wine Estate and explore the majestic Cape floral kingdom of the Overberg Mountains.

Make enquiries and bookings directly with Concierge or our City Specialist located in our hotel Lobby

## 1.8 BEST OF THE CAPE FULL DAY

Enjoy the Best of the Cape in a day visit to the Winelands and the Peninsula. Your morning visits on the wine route will include wine tasting, a cellar tour and a discovery of the quaint historical town of Stellenbosch. From Stellenbosch you will travel along the scenic coastal road around False Bay to Muizenberg. After a stop at the naval village of Simon's Town, discover the Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve which includes the most south-westerly tip of Africa : Cape Point. Return via Chapman's Peak drive, Hout Bay, Camp's Bay and Sea-Point to Cape Town. (Scheduled tour)

Rate: From ZAR 1135 (pp) (Scheduled Tour 08h20 - 08h30 collection)

## 1.9 CAPE TOWN CITY TOUR HALF DAY

The City Tour of Cape Town will enable you to discover the multi-ethnic character and historical wealth of the city through visits to the SA Museum, the Company Gardens, the colourful Malay quarter with its Muslim community, the city centre and the District 6 Museum. Finally from the top of Signal Hill, you will gaze in awe at the splendour of the Mother City.

Collection Times: 08h20 - 08h30 am  
13h20 - 13h30 am

Rate: From ZAR 635 (pp)

## 1.10 BOULDERS PENGUIN COLONY

Boulders Penguin Colony in Simons Town is home to a unique and endangered land-based colony of African Penguins. This colony is one of only a few in the world, and the site has become famous and a popular international tourist destination. The Boulders section consists of 3 pristine beaches, 1 penguin viewing area and 3 boardwalks.

Opening Hours: 7 days a week.

Dec – Jan 07h00 – 19h30  
Feb – April 08h00 – 18h30  
May – Sept 08h00 – 17h00  
Oct – Nov 08h00 – 18h30

Rate: From ZAR 60 (pp)



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## CHAPTER 2: LIVING THE HISTORY OF CAPE TOWN

### 2.1 COMPANY'S GARDENS

The garden was formally established in 1652 by Dutch settlers who sought to establish a re-fueling station to service and re-provision spice-trading sailing ships on the long sea route to the East. The public section of the garden has been enjoyed by visitors for the sheer beauty of its flora and the allure of its historic setting since it was proclaimed for public use in 1848.

Opening Hours: 08h00 - 17h00

Free entrance

### 2.2 IZIKO MUSEUMS

Iziko Museums of South Africa (Iziko) operates 11 national museums, the Planetarium, the Social History Centre and three collection-specific libraries in Cape Town.

Iziko Museums: Bertram House / Bo-Kaap Museum / Groot Constantia Manor House / Koopmans-de Wet House / Maritime Centre / Michaelis Collection at the Old Town House / Planetarium / Rust en Vreugd / SAS Somerset / Slave Lodge / Social History Centre / South African Museum / South African National Gallery / William Fehr Collection at the Castle of Good Hope

Opening Hours: 10h00 - 17h00

Rate: From ZAR 30 - 50 (pp)

### 2.3 FOOTSTEPS TO FREEDOM WALKING TOUR

This is a remarkable walking tour to get to grips with the dramatic history of Cape Town and South Africa as you take in the scenic highlights of the historic Old City. The Specialist City Guides use the bustling streets of Cape Town, old buildings and squares, people and places as props to develop the South African story of Dutch and British rule, slavery and apartheid, freedom and democracy.

Opening Hours: Tours depart 10h30 Tuesday - Saturday

Duration: 2½ Hours

Rate: From ZAR 250 (pp)



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### 2.4 CASTLE OF GOOD HOPE

Built between 1666 and 1679 by the Dutch East India Company (VOC) as a maritime replenishment station, the Castle of Good Hope is the oldest surviving colonial building in South Africa. From 1678 it was the centre of civilian, administrative and military life at the Cape, until the settlement grew and some functions and activities moved away from the Castle. Today the Castle is the seat of the military in the Cape, and houses the Castle Military Museum and Iziko Museums of Cape Town.

Opening Hours: Gates open: 09h00 daily (last entry 15h30 - close at 16h00)

Rate: From ZAR 30 (pp) / ZAR 15 Children 5 - 12 years

### 2.5 DISTRICT SIX MUSEUM

District Six was named the Sixth Municipal District of Cape Town in 1867. Originally established as a mixed community of freed slaves, merchants, artisans, labourers and immigrants, District Six was a vibrant centre with close links to the city and the port. By the beginning of the twentieth century, however, the process of removals and marginalisation had begun. By 1966 more than 60 000 people were forcibly removed to barren outlying areas aptly known as the Cape Flats, and their houses in District Six were flattened by bulldozers. The District Six Museum, established in December 1994, works with the memories of the District Six experience.

Opening Hours: 09h00 - 16h00 Monday - Saturday

Rate: From ZAR 30 (pp) Self guided / 45 (pp) Guided / ZAR 15 Scholars

### 2.6 SOUTH AFRICAN JEWISH MUSEUM

A moving tribute and detailed account of one of the great Jewish communities of the diaspora, the South African Jewish Museum is one of Cape Town's not-to-be missed heritage experiences. The museum also looks back fondly at the origins of SA Jewry hailing from Eastern Europe and elsewhere (and featuring a wonderful recreation of shtetl life) and traces the cultural history of Jews, Jewish life and Judaism in general.

Opening Hours: 09h00 daily (last entry 15h30 - close at 16h00)

Rate: From ZAR 30 (pp) / Free Children 12 years



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## 2.7 GOLD OF AFRICA MUSEUM

The Gold Museum Cape Town provides an unusual, fascinating experience as it presents the relationship between the people of the African continent and gold over the centuries. Complete with state of the art visual effects and artistic displays, the Gold of Africa Museum in Cape Town is a one of a kind experience.

Opening Hours: 09h30 - 17h00 Monday - Saturday

Rate: From ZAR 20 (pp)



## CHAPTER 3: SEEKING ADRENALIN IN CAPE TOWN

### 3.1 SHARK CAGE DIVING

Great White shark cage diving. Through the ages, the Great White Shark has stirred up emotions of fear & fascination. Experience an expedition into this noble creatures world. You could get close and personal in the cage or enjoy the experience from the deck of the largest and most stable boat operating from Gansbaai Harbour.

Opening Hours: From 06h00, Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 1850 - 1900 (pp) Transport Included

### 3.2 SANDBOARDING

Cape Town is one of the few places in the world where you can experience the radical new sport, Sand Boarding. Offering the best imported snowboarding equipment which we modify using secret techniques. Join us in the incredible dunes nature reserve situated just a short distance from central Cape Town for an adventure day to be remembered, suitable for total beginners to pro's alike.

Opening Hours: From 08h00, Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 750 (pp) Full Day / ZAR 595 (pp) Half Day

### 3.3 MOUNTAIN BIKING & CYCLING

Downhill Adventures Mountain Biking day trips have been carefully designed to offer guests of all experience levels a challenging, fun-filled experience. Our cycling activities include; Cape Point & Winelands, Table Mountain, Tokai Forest and Franschoek / Stellenbosch. This is a brilliant way to experience the unique environment that Cape Town and its surrounds have to offer. Our cycling tours range in difficulty from leisurely to extreme offroad.

Opening Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday or by appointment  
Times from 09h45 until 17h00

Rate: From ZAR 850 (pp)



### 3.4 TANDEM SKYDIVING

A tandem jump is the way to go if you want the ultimate joy-ride, or if you're unsure about skydiving, and want to try it out before committing to a full course. Experience the thrill of freefall without the effort of learning all the theory.

Opening Hours: From 08h00, Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 1750 (pp)

### 3.5 PARAGLIDING

In Cape Town, paragliding mainly takes place from Lions Head and Signal Hill. The paragliding launch site will depend on the wind direction at the time. Fly from Signal Hill & move across to Lions Head, landing in Clifton or Camps Bay.

Opening Hours: From 08h00, Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 950 (pp)

### 3.6 ABSEILING

Table Mountain abseiling. Step off, at 1000m above sea level and abseil into pure vertical space.

Opening Hours: From 08h00, Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 695 (pp)

### 3.7 SEA KAYAKING

Paddle the warm waters of False Bay with us and we'll show you some amazing things. We offer trips from the sedate to the adventurous but our most popular trip is to visit the penguins at Boulders Beach. We paddle every day of the year, weather permitting.

Opening Hours: From 08h00, Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 250 (pp) 2Hrs / ZAR 950 (pp) 4 - 6Hrs



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### 3.8 CAPE TOWN KLOOFING

Kloofing, otherwise known as canyoning, is a uniquely Western Cape experience. It involves getting yourself down a river gorge; one that is fast-flowing, but with too little water for kayaking. Boulder hopping, wading, swimming, climbing, sliding down natural slides and jumping off cliffs from 3-21 metres high is what you will be doing. This is a full day of great fun and extreme adventure over a 17 km course which takes place at Suicide Gorge in the Hottentots Mountains just outside of Cape Town.

Opening Hours: From 08h00, Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 800 (pp)

### 3.9 HIKING

Table Mountain and the surrounding Cape mountains have an abundance of excellent hiking trails and walking trails that will take you through attractive and scenic mountainous landscapes. Overlooking the city and urban areas of Cape Town you have the famous landmark of Table Mountain towering above the city. The distinctive lure of Table Mountain comes not only from its famous silhouette but also from its diverse, natural habitat that has so much for you to explore.

Rate: Free of Charge  
Chargeable if you require a guide

### 3.5 BIKE AND SADDLE

Enjoy the splendors of Cape Town with all your senses. Absorb the sun, smell the sea, fill your camera, listen to locals and taste the best indigenous food and wine available while travelling on a guided bicycle tour.

Opening Hours: Tours begin at 10h00 and 16h00 (3 hour duration), Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 880 (pp)

### 3.5 TABLE MOUNTAIN ZIPLINE

Dangling 155 metres above the tree canopy on the southern side of Table Mountain for 2.2 kilometres, the Table Mountain Zipline is South Africa's most extreme zipline tour yet. It starts at Silvermist Mountain Lodge and Wine Estate near Constantia Nek where, once registered, you will be allocated an instructor who will outfit you with a harness and helmet, and give you a safety briefing and demonstration

Opening Hours: 09h00 - 17h00, Weather dependant

Rate: From ZAR 480 (pp)



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## CHAPTER 4: SHOPPING

### 4.1 VICTORIA AND ALFRED WATERFRONT

Situated at the foot of Table Mountain, within a stone's throw from the Cape Town Stadium and in the heart of Cape Town's working harbour, the V&A Waterfront offers the visitor an abundance of unforgettable experiences. Indoor shopping and entertainment venues seamlessly merge with ocean vistas and mountain views and the fresh sea breeze and warm African sun add zest to a cosmopolitan and vibrant atmosphere.

### 4.2 CANAL WALK

Canal Walk Shopping Centre is Africa's leading super-regional retail mall. Its dominant presence attracts diverse shoppers from an extensive portion of the Western Cape, and further afield, with its comprehensive retail and leisure options. Canal Walk merges the world's most desirable brands with shopping convenience and entertainment with everyday leisure, all in a majestic setting.

### 4.3 LONG STR / KLOOF STR / BREE STREET / ST GEORGES MALL / GREENMARKET SQUARE

Fashion has no boundaries through the streets of Cape Town's city centre. Throughout Long street, Kloof Street and Bree Street you will discover boutiques, vintage finds and handmade high fashion. Explore cultural African markets in Greenmarket Square and St Georges Mall or pick from one of the many dining options, from organic markets to fine-dining cuisine.

### 4.4 OLD BISCUIT MILL / WOODSTOCK EXCHANGE

A vibrant, warm-hearted little village in the heart of Woodstock where talented people come together to share, collaborate and show off their heart-felt passion. The Mill is home to day and night markets, dynamic office space, a range of workshops and designer stores, delicious farm stalls, decadent restaurants as well as an inspiring line-up of festivals and productions. Come and explore the Mill and meet some of South Africa's most talented, innovative designers, artists, photographers, and connoisseurs of fine taste and décor.

### 4.5 HOUT BAY MARKET

Hout Bay Market provides a uniquely-social shopping and eating experience in an atmosphere which is friendly, vibrant and entertaining, above all, distinctly South African.



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### 4.6 KIRSTENBOSCH GARDENS MARKET

This craft market offers beautiful garments for children and adults, stationery, jewellery, glassware, ceramics, children's dress up clothing, knitwear, plants and hanging baskets are just some of the multitude of items on offer. Lots of food and drink available with the beautiful backdrop of Table Mountain.

### 4.7 EARTH FAIR FOOD MARKET

Top quality traders and artisans sell a good selection of farm cheeses, free range meat, organic produce, olives and olive oil, biltong, preserves and pâtés at the market. You will find a charming stall outside of Taj Cape Town offering some of Bombay Brasseries sumptuous dishes, such as Chicken Tikka Masala or India inspired Biryani.

Place: St Georges Mall, terrace of Mint, the Local Grill  
Time: 12h00 – 15h00  
Date: Every Thursday

### 4.7 BREE STREET FOODIE WALK

Located on the very doorstep of the Mother City's globally renowned central city, Taj Cape Town's unique position places the hotel a short distance from the many attractions, activities and experiences, including what is described as Cape Town's hippest street. Bree Street has grown into a foodie's paradise with a range of gourmet restaurants, speciality bars and hip street food outlets. These are just some of the amazing places you can discover when taking a walk along the Mother City's hottest restaurant strip.

### 4.7 FIRST THURSDAY'S

First Thursdays is a public event and free to attend. Art galleries and cultural events around Cape Town's central city stay open until 21h00 or later on the first Thursday of every month, allowing every one to explore the city on foot and experience the cultural wealth this city has to offer. While you are exploring the First Thursdays route, you can pass by Twankey Bar for a refreshing cocktail or a local Craft beer. The Pendock Wine Gallery, located in the Lobby Lounge of Taj Cape Town is open every First Thursdays event to enjoy a selection of six outstanding wines.

Time: 18h00 – late  
Date: Every first Thursday of the month



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## 4.7 CITY WALK SATURDAYS

The monthly City Walk Saturdays event is an opportunity for community and creative projects to use the public space of the inner city to showcase their work, using their collective presence to draw citizens into the city, in turn allowing Capetonians to reimagine what our urban environment can be. Enjoy live performances, giant jenga, chalk-drawing and other interactive games with your family and friends. Taj Cape Town is the perfect base from which to enjoy a special offering on the day, explore authentic Cape Town and experience the new City Walk route.

Time: 10h00 – 14h00

Date: Every third Saturday of the month



## CHAPTER 5: LAND ACTIVITIES

### 5.1 CAPE PENINSULA & CAPE OF GOOD HOPE FULL DAY

This Peninsula Tour takes you along both the Atlantic and Indian Ocean Coastlines. The first stop is at the charming fishing village of Hout Bay where boat trips to Seal Island are available. We then continue along the untamed Atlantic coastline to the Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve and Cape Point, the most south-westerly tip of Africa. On the return trip, we pass through Simon's Town (S.A's naval base), we traverse the fishing port of Kalk Bay and the lush suburb of Constantia. The tour ends with a visit to the renowned Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens.

Opening Hours: Daily 08h30 - 17h00

Rate: From ZAR 875 (pp) Group / ZAR 3650 (pp) Private - Adult  
Half price - Children (aged 2-12) / Free for children under 2

### 5.2 CAPE PENINSULA & CAPE OF GOOD HOPE HALF DAY

Cape Peninsula Half Day Tour. Experience the rugged coastlines and unspoilt beauty as you wind your way along the shores of the Cape Peninsula to the mythical meeting place of two great oceans. Highlights are Clifton & Camps Bay, Twelve Apostles, Hout Bay, Chapman's Peak Drive, Noordhoek, Ostrich viewing, Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, Cape Point, False Bay, Penguin Colony (optional), Simons Town, Muizenberg and Constantia.

Opening Hours: Daily 08h30 - 13h30

Rate: From ZAR 635 (pp) Group / ZAR 3650 (pp) Private

### 5.3 WINE ROUTE FULL DAY

Discover the Wine Route. Learn everything there is to know about wines, from the vineyard to the bottle. Visit a wine estate, the town of Franschoek with its Huguenot Memorial. Admire the quaint historical town of Stellenbosch. (tour includes 3 wine tastings and a cheese tasting). (Scheduled tour)

Opening Hours: Daily 08h00 - 17h00

Rate: From ZAR 875 (pp) Group / ZAR 3650 (pp) Private



#### 5.4 WINE ROUTE HALF DAY

Half Day Wine Tour. The protestant refugees from France brought with them their finely tuned centuries-old viticultural skills, applied locally with immediate success. Their settlement in the 1680s around the newly established villages of Stellenbosch gave birth to what we know today as the cradle of the South African wine industry. Highlights are Wine tasting on Stellenbosch Wine Estate, Cheese tasting, Stellenbosch orientation, De Braak, Dorp Street, Cellar Tour, Second Wine Tasting, opportunity to purchase wine. (Scheduled tour)

Opening Hours: Daily 12:30 - 17:30

Rate: From ZAR 635 (pp) Group / ZAR 3650 (pp) Private



### CHAPTER 6: SEA ACTIVITIES

#### 6.1 WHALE WATCHING

Discover the Whale Route. During the Southern winters, the whales' feeding areas are drastically reduced by the increase in ice flow from the Antarctic. These mammals migrate to warmer waters near Hermanus where they can be seen in large numbers and where they co-habit the waters with dolphins, seals, penguins and great white sharks. Pass through the coastal towns of Gordon's Bay, Pringle Bay and Betty's Bay.

Opening Hours: 08h00 - 17h30 Weather Permitting (June - November)

Rate: From ZAR 875 (pp) Adult / Half price - Children (aged 2-12) / Free for children under 2 (land based) / Additional R660 (pp) on boat

#### 6.2 SURF SCHOOL & SURFING LESSONS

Tropicsurf specialise in Exclusive Surfing Experiences worldwide, we are therefore proud to announce the launch of our latest operation based in the beautiful city of Cape Town, South Africa. Whether you are seeking a fun 'day trip' to surf our beautiful Cape Town surf spots, a tailored surfing-safari from Cape Town along the garden route to the fabled Jeffreys Bay or a surf adventure from KZN to Mozambique, join us and experience the amazing landscapes and wildlife South Africa has to offer combined with quality, un-crowded surf.

Opening Hours: From 06h00 Daily, Weather Permitting

Rate: From ZAR 1100 (pp)

#### 6.3 SUNSET UNDER SAIL CRUISE

Cape Town has one of the best locations to see the Sunset from the Sea. Fabulous Table Mountain and city views while the sun dips into the sea at sunset. The Sail boats follow the wind for this cruise. They do not offer a specific destination. Typically they motor out of the Harbour and sail across Table Bay towards Milnerton lighthouse, then return to the protection of Granger Bay in the lee of Table Mountain to watch the sun set, and then motor back to the Waterfront. Sunset

Opening Hours: Champagne Cruise Departure time is 17h00. Weather Dependant

Rate: From ZAR 240 (pp)



## 6.4 SUNSET ON A MOTOR VESSEL

Cape Town has one of the best locations to see the Sunset from the Sea. The Motor Vessels' follow a different route to the sail boats. They can offer a destination and normally cruise slowly along the Atlantic seaboard towards Clifton beach and return.

Opening Hours: From 15h00 Daily, Weather Dependant

Rate: From ZAR 230 (pp)

## 6.5 SEAL ISLAND TOURS

Experience a 35 minute cruise that goes to Seal Island or for a 1 hour trip, which also includes to an impressive shipwreck in Maori Bay. During the scenic cruise you hear plenty of information about the Cape Fur Seal, an animal that has been protected since 1973 by the Sea Birds and Seal Protection Act.

Opening Hours: From 07h00 Daily, Weather Dependant

Rate: From ZAR 400 (pp) Adults / ZAR 300 (pp) Children



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## CHAPTER 7: KIDDIES ACTIVITIES

### 7.1 NOON GUN

The gun is situated on Signal Hill, close to the centre of the city. The tour comprise of a small tour about the history, then shooting takes place at 12h00pm.

Monday - Sunday: 11h00am - 12h30pm  
Free.

### 7.2 CAPE TOWN CARRIAGE

Exploring Cape Towns CBD and Company's Garden's in a horse driven carriage, and experience a more sedate way of viewing the historical landmarks amassed in this area.

Tuesday - Sunday: 10h30 /12h45 & 14h45

Rate: R30 per adult / R15 per child /  
"Kids Up The Gardens" - taking a maximum of 20 children - R1200.  
From the Castle to the Gardens, 1½ trip with a resting spot at the gardens.

### 7.3 KIRSTENBOSCH BOTANICAL GARDENS

Kirstenbosch National Botanical Garden is acclaimed as one of the great botanic gardens of the world. Few gardens can match the sheer grandeur of the setting of Kirstenbosch, against the eastern slopes of Cape Town's Table Mountain.

Monday - Sunday: 08h00am - 19h00pm

Rate: From ZAR 10 age 6-17yrs

### 7.4 COMPANY'S GARDENS

The public section of the garden has been enjoyed by visitors for the sheer beauty of its flora and the allure of its historic setting since it was proclaimed for public use in 1848. Home to Houses of Parliament, Iziko SA Museum, Planetarium, St George's Cathedral, National Library of SA, SA National Gallery and the Holocaust Museum are all walking distance from Taj Cape Town.

Rate: Free



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## 7.5 CAPE TOWN CARRIAGE PLANETARIUM

Inside the domed auditorium, is the recreated night sky, so whatever the weather outside, the Planetarium sky is always clear. An extraordinary audio-visual experience for old and young. Shows Daily

Rate: From ZAR 40 Adults (19 years and older) - / ZAR 20 - Children, students and SA Pensioners

## 7.6 CAPE TOWN AQUARIUM

The Aquarium is open 365 days a year from 09h30 until 18h00.

Rate: From ZAR 125 (pp) / Under 4 years Free / ZAR 60 Children (4 to 13 years) / Children (14 to 17 years) R97

## 7.7 BIODIVERSITY PARK

The area around the Cape Town Stadium has been successfully transformed into a public park, inviting Capetonians and tourists to explore, be active and learn about biodiversity.

Rate: From ZAR 17 Children under 12 / ZAR R35 Children older than 12

## 7.8 CITY SIGHTSEEING

Explore Cape Town at your own pace, hop off and on at any of our stops with your ticket. Kids Special - 2 kids under 18 get a free ticket when an adult purchases a ticket for any of the tours. Times are scheduled as per the docking area.

Rate: From ZAR 80 Children aged 5 - 15 / Children under 5 Free



## 7.9 CHILDREN'S ADVENTURE PARK (MOUILLE POINT)

### MOUILLE POINT MAZE

A children's Adventure Park is open on the beach front Mouille Point. This adds to the activities in this area which includes the Blue Train and Putt Putt and the Serendipity Maze.

Rate: From ZAR 20 (pp)

### BLUE TRAIN

The Blue Train, Mouille Point Beachfront, Mouille Point, Cape Town.

Monday - Sunday: 09h00am - 17h30pm

Rate: ZAR 20 (pp)

### PUTT PUTT - MINI GOLF

Monday - Sunday: 09h00am - 22h00pm

Rate: 18 holes - R16 (pp)





## CHAPTER 8: FOODIE EXPERIENCES

### 8.1 DINNER AT THE HOME OF A LOCAL

Enjoy a home cooked 3 course South African meal paired with regional wines in a local Capetonian's home. This can be anything from a gourmet braai (South African version of a barbeque) to Bobotie (a South African dish consisting of spiced minced meat baked with an egg topping).

Rate: From ZAR 1095 (pp) / min 2 pax - max 6 pax / Duration 3-4 hours

### 8.2 MASTER STEAK CLASS (LUNCH)

South Africa is renowned for its excellent quality of meat. Learn how to cook the perfect steak and then enjoy an amazing three course meal, paired with local wines at one of Cape Town's oldest steakhouses whilst overlooking the ocean. An evening alternative can be arranged on request.

Rate: From ZAR 1095 (pp) / min 4 pax - max 8 pax / Duration 3-4 hours

### 8.3 GOURMET BRAAI

Enjoy learning about the traditions of the South African braai (barbeque) from a Master Braaiier and enjoy a delicious three course braai meal, paired with South African wines at one of the beautiful homes located in either Sea Point, Hout Bay or Stellenbosch.

Rate: From ZAR 1210 (pp) / min 4 pax - max 8 pax / Duration 3-4 hours

### 8.4 BRAAI ON A YACHT

Board a beautiful yacht just alongside the V&A waterfront and enjoy a cruise around the bay whilst sipping on a glass of ice cold bubbly. Once safely docked, experience a typical South African braai (barbeque) with a difference on board the yacht.

Rate: Price on request / min 2 pax - max 4 pax / Duration 3-4 hours



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### 8.5 CAPE MALAY COOKING

Cape Malay food originated in the 17th century when the forefathers of the current community were transported as slaves by the Dutch from Southeast Asia to the Cape. They brought with them many of their culinary practices and recipes. Today whilst still retaining much of its origins Cape Malay fare has evolved to suit local conditions and ingredient availability.

Enjoy a hands on cooking demonstration in a traditional Cape Malay home, located in Bo-Kaap, 500m from Taj Cape Town, while learning to mix the perfect Masala, Chicken Curry, Rotis (traditional flat bread), Samosas (fried pastries with a savoury filling) and Chilli Bites, then enjoy the meal you have prepared with your host.

Rate: From ZAR 1375 (pp) / min 4 pax - max 8 pax / Duration 3-4 hours

### 8.6 CHEFS TABLE SEAFOOD LUNCH @THE FLAGSHIP WITH DUNCAN DOHERTY

If you love Seafood, then this is a not to be missed culinary experience. Enjoy an 8 course set menu in the company and conversation of the Chef and fellow foodies. All the ingredients are sourced within a 20km radius of the venue located in Simon's Town, whilst enjoying magnificent ocean views. Should you wish, this tour can have an early start and also include a visit to Cape Point before lunch.

Rate: From ZAR 1540 (pp) / min 4 pax - max 8 pax / Duration 3-4 hours

### 8.7 DEMONSTRATIONS WITH LOCAL CHEFS

Experience interactive demonstrations with local Cape Town chefs in their restaurant kitchens followed by a three course meal paired with local wines.

Rate: From ZAR 1540 (pp) / min 2 pax - max 8 pax / Duration 3-4 hours

### 8.8 STELLENBOSCH WINELANDS EXPERIENCE

Start your winelands experience with a chilled glass of Cap Classique in the courtyard and then take a cellar tour as you learn how the wine is made. Enjoy a guided walk through the vineyards, olive trees and fynbos on one of Stellenbosch's magnificent wine estates. After your walk enjoy either a wine tasting or chocolate and wine pairing. Then it's time for lunch at another Stellenbosch wine estate.

Rate: From ZAR 1760 (pp) / min 2 pax - max 8 pax / Duration 5+ hours



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## 8.9 MEALS AT LOCAL RESTAURANTS

Join your host for a meal at one of the top Cape Town restaurants or at one of the hidden gems that the locals keep secret. As an avid foodie, your host can guide you on your food and wine selections and also keep you entertained with local Cape Town knowledge and anecdotes.

Rate: From ZAR 1760 (pp) / min 4 pax - max 8 pax / Duration 5+ hours

## 8.10 MARKET DAY

The Oranjezicht City Farm (OZCF) celebrates local food, culture and community through urban farming in Cape Town. Every Saturday the OZCF Market Day is held at the historic Granger Bay site of the V&A Waterfront. Enjoy a morning at the market with your host tasting different coffee's, pastries & fresh, cooked and raw dishes, or even shop for gifts.

Rate: From ZAR 1070 (pp) / min 2 pax - max 8 pax / Duration 3 hours

Note that all of the above are subject to availability and minimum numbers.  
All Sa-vour tours will collect guests from and return them to Taj Cape Town.  
Pricing is dependent on number of guests and subject to change without notice.

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