



# Affordable Africa

## SOUTH AFRICAN EXPLORER

### Adventure Accommodated Safari (18-55 Age Group)

21 days / 20 nights

from **\$4470**

per person twin share

**Price includes all pre-paid taxes**

**Includes Airfares ex Australia & 42 meals**



Departs Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Coolongatta, Adelaide, Canberra & Perth:

2, 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, 27, 30 Sep; 4, 7, 11, 14, 18, 21, 25, 28 Oct;

1, 4, 8, 11, 15, 18, 22, 25, 29 Nov; 2, 6, 9, 13, 16, 20, 23, 27, 30 Dec 2010

South Africa is a haven of spectacular scenery, abundant wildlife, diverse cultures and first world norms, topped with a healthy and invigorating climate. These qualities, as well as a relatively cheap currency, make it an adventure destination not to be missed. Overnight stops are mostly at Drifters owned properties and reserves where extensive conservation and game introduction projects have created some truly unique accommodation and surroundings. The tour requires a certain amount of flexibility and an adventure mentality.

#### Itinerary

**Day 1:** Fly from Australia to Johannesburg with South African Airways. Transfer to Drifters Lodge.

*Accommodation: Drifters Lodge – 1 night.*

**Day 2:** Johannesburg to Mpumalanga. Along the way visit Bourke's Luck Potholes and the Blyde River Canyon. (B,D)

*Accommodation: Drifters Bush Camp, Bushveld Camp – 2 nights.*

**Day 3:** Morning bush walk (approximately 3 hours) in search of game, stopping regularly to learn more about the ways of the bush. Afternoon open vehicle game drive. (Brunch, D)

**Day 4:** Travel through the rural Bushbuck ridge area to the sleepy settlement of Hazyview. Afternoon at leisure. (B,L,D)

*Accommodation: Drifters Hazyview – 2 nights*

**Day 5:** Continue onto the world-renowned Kruger National Park, spend the entire day game viewing. (B,L,D)

*Accommodation: Cabin Accommodation – 1 night*

**Day 6-7:** Travelling south to the Kingdom of the Swazi, enjoy the spectacular scenery, passing numerous traditional homesteads and curio markets. Game walk on the reserve and open vehicle game drive in Hlululuwe National Park. Also visit a rural Zulu school. (2B,2L,2D)

*Accommodation: Drifters Zululand Camp – 2 nights*

**Day 8:** Travel to one of the world's finest coastlines, Dolphin Coast. Soak up the sun and enjoy the beach and the warm ocean. (B,L,D)

*Accommodation: Drifters Dolphin Coast Inn – 1 night*

**Day 9-10:** Continue onto the Drakensberg with a stop at Durban. Spend time hiking and exploring the wonders of this National Heritage Site. (2B,1L,2D)

*Accommodation: Drifters Drakensberg Inn – 2 nights*

**Day 11:** Travel to Ladybrand and spend the night on a farm near the town of Ladybrand. (B,D)

*Accommodation: Farm – 1 night*

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1 Sep - 30 Nov 2010	<b>\$4,470</b>	<b>\$4,630</b>
1-30 Dec 2010	<b>\$5,699</b>	<b>\$5,475</b>
Single Supplement	<b>\$52</b>	<b>\$52</b>

**Price includes all pre-paid taxes**

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#### Price Includes:

- Return economy class airfares with South African Airways from Australia to Cape Town and Johannesburg.
- Arrival transfer in Johannesburg from airport to hotel and departure transfer in Cape Town from hotel to airport.
- Accommodation - 1 night pre tour in Johannesburg at Drifters Inn and 1 night post tour at Drifters Cape Town including breakfast
- 18 Day Drifters Overland Explorer – Accommodation 6 nights Inn and 11 nights cabin, transport, meals as indicated on itinerary, coffee, tea, fruit juice at breakfast, group equipment, permits and entry fees and services of a professional guide.
- Airport Taxes. These taxes are subject to alteration until final payment has been received by our office.

#### Note:

- Airfares are only guaranteed when paid in full.
- Airfare valid for sale up until 15 September 2010.
- Sleeping bag, towel and pillow required.
- Age restriction applies, group members must be 18-55.
- Prices subject to availability and currency fluctuations and are only guaranteed when paid in full.
- Flexible itinerary, contact us to tailor make an itinerary to suit you.

**Day 12-13:** Exploring lesser-known gravel roads, head into the dry Karoo interior. Enjoy an extensive walk in the mountainous terrain, home to a variety of interesting plants, animals and bird life. (2B,2L,2D)

*Accommodation: Drifters Karoo Inn – 2 nights*

**Day 14-16:** Cross the mighty Outeniqua Mountains, barrier between the dry interior and the lush coastal Garden Route area. Days will be spent exploring this renowned region and its many attractions. (3B,2L,2D)

*Accommodation: Drifters Knysna Inn – 3 nights*

**Day 17-19:** Leave Knysna and travel onto the "Mother City" of Cape Town arriving late afternoon. Enjoy a hike up Table Mountain. (3B)

*Accommodation: Drifters Cape Town Inn – 3 nights*

**Day 20:** Transfer to Airport. Fly to Australia via Johannesburg. (B)

**Day 21:** Arrive Australia.



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