

Gamelands & Greens Golfing Tour of South Africa – 15 days

From the wildlife of Kruger National Park to the incredible Blyde River Canyon, and from the famous Garden Route to spectacular Cape Town, this journey unveils the many faces of South Africa with a touch of our favorite sport along the way! Starting in Johannesburg, our comprehensive golfing tour incorporates incredible scenery, outstanding wildlife and amazing golf courses of South Africa. First up we visit Sun City to play on the unique lost city golf course where we have been warned to watch out for the crocodiles at the 13th hole!



Then onwards to explore the Kruger National Park on 2 morning game drives in search of the 'Big Five'. We have time for a round of golf in the region before returning to Johannesburg for our flight to Port Elizabeth. On the Indian Ocean coastline, the Wild Coast and Garden Route offers plenty of superb photographic opportunities and unforgettable vistas. We visit the bird, elephant and monkey sanctuary's in the area adding to our wildlife experiences.

We finish our journey by coming face to face with a stunning example of South Africa's gorgeous scenery - the iconic beauty of Table Mountain soaring over the city of Cape Town. This remains a sight that continues to amaze and inspire. A sure highlight is set to be the round of golf at the Royal Cape Golf Club!

DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

Day 1 / Johannesburg – Sun City

Upon your arrival at O R Tambo airport, meet your tour guide and transfer to The Cabanas at Sun City. The most relaxed and casual of all Sun City's hotels, the Sun City Cabanas is a lakeside hideaway situated in the Sun City Resort. The Cabanas open out onto lush gardens leading down to the Sun City Lake which is a watersport playground for visitors of all ages. You have the rest of the day at leisure to enjoy some of the facilities that the resort has to offer.

Day 2 / Sun City Golf Day

After breakfast you will be taken to the Lost City Golf Course for 18 holes of golf. The Lost City Golf Course is a unique experience and offers spectacular views across the bushveld. With its desert style design and the contrast between green fairways and the surrounding bush this is a course with great appeal. Also to be noted are the uses of bunkers and extensive water-features - and at the 13th hole 38 crocodiles await! Facilities available include the Clubhouse and the Crocodile Lounge, Golf Lessons and Driving Range.

Accommodation: The Cabanas – Sun City

Meals included: 1 breakfast



Day 3 / Sun City to Kruger National Park

After an early breakfast this morning check out of the cabanas, today you will head towards the Kruger National Park. This is a long journey and will take 6 – 7 hours. You will be staying at The Protea Hotel Hazyview which is not situated in the Park but close by. In the heart of the lush Mpumalanga Lowveld and only 15 minutes drive from the Kruger National Park, the Protea Hotel Hazyview is perfectly positioned for exploring this enchanting region. This charming country retreat is situated on a magnificent 10 acre garden estate with breathtaking views and superb facilities. Nestled on a hill, outside the malaria risk area, the hotel has exceptionally good weather. This ideal location makes for a truly relaxing getaway.

Accommodation: Protea Hotel

Meals included: 1 breakfast

Day 4 / Kruger National Park & Golf

You will need to wake up very early this morning for your game drive. You will be collected at about 5 am, dress warmly. The Kruger National Park is one of the world's largest and most famous nature reserves and arguably home to the greatest variety of wildlife in Africa. The numerous species that we may encounter include lion, elephant, white and black rhinos, leopard, buffalo, hippo, crocodile, giraffe, zebra, wildebeest, warthog, jackal and the many species of antelopes, such as impala, kudu, waterbuck, steenbok, bushbuck and klipspringer. If we are lucky, we may even see the elusive and endangered Cape hunting dog. In addition, there is also prolific amounts of bird life in the park. Once you have finished your game drive have a few hours of free time before preparing to go and play some golf at the White River Country Club.



White River Country Club is set amongst picturesque plantations on the banks of the White River. In addition to an 18 hole Championship parkland golf course the club boasts excellent tennis, squash, cricket and hockey facilities, with an outstanding swimming pool adjacent to the clubhouse. The rest of your evening is at leisure.

Accommodation: Protea Hotel Hazyview

Meals included: 1 breakfast

Day 5 / Kruger & Blyde River Canyon

You will need to wake up very early this morning again for your game drive. You will be collected at about 5 am, dress warmly.

After your game drive return to your hotel and freshen up before departing on a panoramic route tour. One of the major highlights of the region is The Blyde River Canyon Nature Sanctuary, home to spectacular animal and plant-life and some of the best views in the country. The Blyde River Canyon is the third largest canyon of its kind in the world. Other highlights include The Three Rondavals, Bourke's Luck Potholes and Gods Window, the exquisite waterfalls in Graskop and Sabie, and the Gold Rush territory, Pilgrim's Rest, home to the early gold prospectors.

Accommodation: Protea Hotel Hazyview

Meals included: 1 breakfast

Day 6 / Kruger to Port Elizabeth via Johannesburg

After breakfast check out of the Protea Hotel Hazyview. You will have another long drive back to Johannesburg. Once you reach O R Tambo Airport you will board your flight to Port Elizabeth. Upon your arrival at Port Elizabeth you will be collect by another tour guide who will be with you for the rest of your holiday.

Check-in to your accommodation in Port Elizabeth at the Kelway Hotel. The Kelway Hotel is built on the site of the former Caboose Train Suites, high up on Brooks Hill Drive overlooking Kings beach and Algoa Bay. The hotel's facilities include 18 hours room service, swimming pool and the new Farriagers Restaurant and Bar.

Enjoy your afternoon by visiting the beaches, shopping malls, Oceanarium & Boardwalk Casino they are within walking distance from The Kelway.

Accommodation: Kelway Hotel

Meals included: 1 breakfast

Day 7 / Port Elizabeth Golf Day

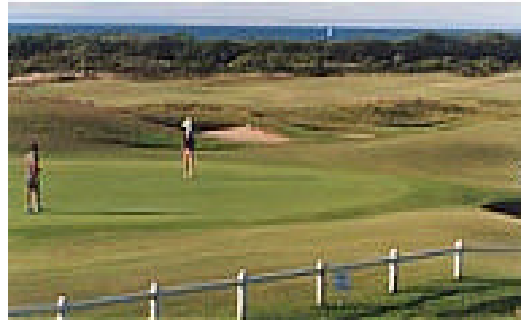
After breakfast this morning get ready to depart for your game of golf at the Humewood Golf Course.

Humewood Golf Course consistently ranks in the top 10 Golf Courses in South Africa. Humewood is a true links course, rarely found outside the British Isles. Home to four South African Opens, Humewood boasts an abundant animal life, including monkeys, small buck, tortoises, meerkats and plovers. Look out for the crowned plover or

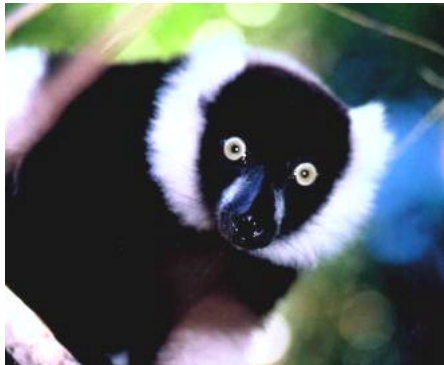
"kiewietjie" the club's emblem.. It is situated beautifully at the Indian Ocean in Port Elizabeth. Here you will find undulating fairways, fast greens and large coastal bushes. If you love golf you have to play this golf course. You will find many different birds on Humewood Golf Course. After a round of golf you relax at the "19th" at Humewood's elegant club house with fantastic view over the golf course and Algoa Bay. The rest of your day is at leisure.

Accommodation: Kelway Hotel

Meals included: 1 breakfast



Day 8 / Port Elizabeth to Knysna



After breakfast today check out and you will drive through to Plettenberg Bay where you will go to Monkeyland, Birds of Eden and The Elephant Sanctuary.

Monkeyland is the world's first free roaming multi-specie primate sanctuary. It is unique in that the sanctuary caters for several species of primate, and they are not caged but free to move about the forest, and do so in harmony. The primates are therefore not found on predetermined points displayed on a map, the emphasis is to search for them, and the reward is to see them as they should be: free and in the wild.

Like Monkeyland, the popular primate sanctuary next-door, Birds of Eden boasts its own canopy walk, while shorter than the 128m bridge at Monkeyland, it hangs above the clouds. The decision to develop Birds of Eden stems from the need to create a safe environment in which to release

a large collection of free-flight African birds, miniature monkeys and the sanctuary also enables bird owners to apply to release their pet birds into the sanctuary, after undergoing rehabilitation.

After this you can walk across to the elephant Sanctuary where a guide will take you to the elephants and your elephant experience will begin.

Hereafter you will transfer to Knysna where you will be staying at The Graywood Hotel. Knysna's newest timberlog hotel is ideally situated to enjoy the town's many attractions and activities. Facilities include a swimming pool and wooden sundeck, which is surrounded by a beautifully manicured courtyard garden. The hotel has a fully licensed pub where pre-dinner drinks can be enjoyed before sampling one of Knysna's many excellent restaurants. Both town centre and the Waterfront (Knysna Quays) are just a short 300m walk from the hotel. The waterfront is a shoppers paradise, and is also the departure points for the Featherbed and Lagoon Ferries as well as the Outeniqua Tjoe-Choo steam train.

Dinner tonight is on The Feather Bed paddle Cruise Boat. This is without a doubt an experience not to be missed. This is the only paddle-driven vessel in South Africa and is a unique dining venue in Knysna.

Accommodation: Graywood hotel

Meals included: 1 breakfast, 1 dinner



Day 9 / Knysna Golf Day (Simola Course)

After breakfast today you will be going to play a game of golf at the Simola Golf Course. Keeping your head down at Simola can be a challenge; simply because the views around the course are awe-inspiring, and with this, it is clear to see why Simola takes its place as one of South Africa's premier golfing destinations. It's also the first Jack Nicklaus Signature course on the Garden Route, reflecting the maestro's philosophy of attuning the layout and design to the natural lie of the land.

The course offers challenging and rewarding golf amidst spectacular scenery. Set below the high ridges, it's free from the wind that so often plagues coastal courses. Fairways flow with the natural undulating contours of the terrain and the unusual configuration of five par 5's and five par 3's adds a new dimension to the game. It's par for the course that every hole boasts exceptional views; either out across the Knysna Lagoon all the way to the Heads or over the picturesque Knysna River as it twists and turns through the valley below.

Accommodation: Graywood hotel

Meals included: 1 breakfast

Day 10 / Knysna Golf Day

Enjoy breakfast and then head out towards the Knysna Golf Club for another round of golf. Knysna Golf Club was founded in 1909 and only moved to its present location in 1953. It started as a 9-hole course and was made an 18-hole course in 1960. The course originally had bayview greens and very few bunkers until, in 1994, an extensive upgrade program was launched and 19 new Crenshaw bent grass greens were built.

The Knysna golf course is an enjoyable and gentle stroll through tree-lined fairways and you will not experience the fatigue you might on the more testing courses in the region. The surrounding hills and mountains provide scenic backdrops and there is a great variety of trees, flowers and bird-life to watch out for. The newly rebuilt clubhouse has a pleasant halfway house with a welcoming bar and deck of substantial proportions. The atmosphere is friendly and relaxing, so enjoy!
The rest of your day is at leisure.
Accommodation: Graywood hotel
Meals included: 1 breakfast,



Day 11 / Knysna to Cape Town

After breakfast we check out and head to Cape Town. Hotel Graeme is ideally situated in Green Point, only a five minute walk from the Victoria & Alfred Waterfront, Cape Town's central business district and a short drive from Clifton and Camps Bay beaches.
Accommodation: Hotel Graeme
Meals included: 1 breakfast

Days 12 / Cape Point & Peninsular Tour

After breakfast, you will depart on a Cape Point & Peninsula Tour. Your day will include a visit to Hout Bay, crossing over Chapman's Peak Drive (subject to it being open), passing by the charming seaside resorts along the False Bay Coast, exploring antiques, arts and crafts in Kalk Bay. We will visit Simon's Town, home of the South African Navy, cobbled stone roads and quaint cottages, shops and pubs all adding to its charm. We will also be stopping at Boulders Beach to view the penguins and enjoying the splendor of the Good Hope Nature Reserve and the view from the top of Cape Point.

Lunch to be enjoyed at Two Oceans Restaurant situated at Cape Point. Enjoy excellent food while taking in the spectacular vistas across the bay. You will visit Kirstenbosch Botanical Garden en-route back to your hotel.

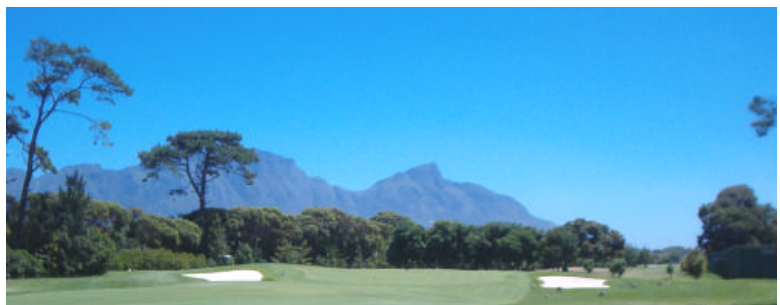
Accommodation: Hotel Graeme
Meals included: 1 breakfast, 1 lunch



Day 13 / Cape Town golf day

Enjoy breakfast and therefore drive through to The Royal Cape Golf club where you will be playing 18 holes of Golf. With lovely views of Table Mountain from most holes this championship course offers a beautiful setting that will make your visit here truly memorable. Royal Cape Golf Club is a true championship course having hosted the South African Open no less than ten times and the SA Amateur Championships eight times. The most recent SA Open held here was in 1996 and was won by Ernie Els.

After your game of golf you will go to the Constantia winelands for lunch at Simons Restaurant at Groot Constantia and a few wine tastings. Groot Constantia is the benchmark by which the Cape is measured in terms of its history, architecture, collection, estate wines, food quality, hospitality, physical appearance, conduct and service excellence. Nestled in the breathtaking Constantia Valley on South Africa's oldest wine farm "Groot Constantia",



you will find Simon's restaurant.

The setting is tranquil and picturesque. The restaurant is beautifully appointed, with the perfect balance of indoor and outdoor dining options. The contemporary decor blends harmoniously with the surrounds and allows for a relaxing and yet cosmopolitan dining experience.

The rest of the day is at leisure

Accommodation: Hotel Graeme

Meals included: 1 breakfast, 1 lunch

Day 14 / Cape Town

After breakfast today you have the day at leisure. Please see the list of things to do in and around Cape Town. Please take advantage of the beautiful beaches within minutes of your hotel like Clifton, Camps Bay, Llandudno or even Drive to Hout bay.

- Visit Hermanus
- Durbanville Wine Route and soft game experience.
- West Coast trip to Langebaan for an adventure boat ride on Bugaloo followed by lunch at the Strandloper Beach Restaurant.
- Visit Robben Island where Nelson Mandela was kept a prisoner for 27 years.
- Sundowner cruise departing from the V&A Waterfront.
- Adventure activities such as a helicopter flip, abseiling, tandem skydiving, kite surfing, hands-on sailing experience sailing a private working yacht, etc.
- Walk to Freedom city walking tour including a visit to a local township, District Six and the Cape Malay area
- Arts & Crafts and antique route including a pangolin night tour of the Gold of Africa Museum
- Shark Cage diving in Gansbaai
- Two Oceans Aquarium
- Greenmarket Square

Accommodation: Hotel Graeme

Meals included: 1 breakfast

Day 15 / Cape Town

Today your tour comes to an end. Our local operator will arrive at your hotel to transfer you to Cape Town Airport for your onward flight. Additional nights accommodation can be booked if you would like to extend your time in Cape Town.

Meals included: 1 breakfast

About Peregrine

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Trip grade

Cultural adventure

With focus on local cultures and historic sites, these trips have the perfect mix of discovery, exploration, comfort and relaxation. Some trips may include a little walking or a night or two 'roughing' it. Check the itinerary for details.

Wildlife & wilderness

With a particular emphasis on wildlife and the environment, these adventures visit some of the world's greatest game reserves and wildlife regions.

Included

- 2 x Morning Game Drive in the Kruger National Park
- Panoramic Route Tour
- Monkeyland & Birds of Eden Entrance Fees
- Dinner on board the Knysna Paddle Steamer
- Table Mountain Cable Car return Tickets
- Full Day Cape Point & Peninsula Tour
- Entrance fees to The Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, Boulders, and Kirstenbosch
- Lunch at Two Oceans Restaurant
- 2 wine tasting at The Constantia valley Wine Estates

- Lunch at Simons Restaurant
- Transport in a luxury coach throughout tour with an English speaking Driver
- Local Peregrine Guide
- Green Fees at The Lost City Golf Course (18 holes)
- Green Fees at The White River Golf Club (18 holes)
- Green Fees at The Humewood Golf Course (18 holes)
- Green Fees at Simola Golf Course (18 holes)
- Green Fees at Knysna Golf Club (18 holes)
- Green Fees at The Royal Cape Golf Course (18 holes)

Accommodation: 14 nights comfortable hotel, 5 nights local guesthouse, 5 nights private lodge

Meals: 14 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 1 dinner

Transport: private vehicle

Not included

- International flights
- Airport departure taxes
- Visas
- Meals unless specified in the itinerary
- Insurance
- Laundry
- Any optional tours or activities during free time
- Tips and items of a personal nature.
- Domestic flight: Johannesburg to Port Elizabeth. Not included in tour cost but will be booked and invoiced by Peregrine Adventures and will be a separate cost

Golf club hire: If you are not bringing your own clubs you can hire clubs at the courses along the way.

Total cost for all courses is: ZAR 1360.00 and must be paid direct to each course.

Caddy Fess: Caddy's are available at most courses. These are to be booked and paid locally.

- White River Golf course– caddy's available at R 97.00
- Humewood Golf Course –caddy's available at R 144.00
- Simola Golf Course – do not have caddy's but golf carts are available at R88.00
- Knysna Golf Course - caddy's available at R 110.00
- Royal Cape Golf Course – caddy's available at R165.00

Additional accommodation

Extend your holiday by booking some pre or post tour accommodation - ask Peregrine or your travel agent.

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Passport

Well before travelling, please ensure that you have a current passport, with an accurate photo, that is valid for at least six months after your scheduled return home. Also check that your airline tickets are in exactly the same name as your passport. Some countries may require that you have a return air ticket, or have sufficient funds to purchase such a ticket.

Insurance

On all our holidays you must have comprehensive travel insurance that covers you for medical costs associated with hospitalisation, emergency travel and repatriation back to your home country. Please take your insurance policy with you when you travel. Peregrine is able to recommend a policy for you. You may take other cover, of course, but we

require you to be adequately insured before we can allow you to participate in our programmes. Your Peregrine leader will need to see and record your policy details at the pre-tour briefing, so please bring a copy along to the meeting. If you arrive without travel insurance your Tour Leader will require you to purchase a policy before you continue your journey with us.

If you are covered by a policy arranged through your credit card company you will be asked to provide evidence of this cover, as well as a 24-hour emergency contact number. Many credit card companies do not provide an insurance policy number. In this instance, the tour leader will need to record your credit card number, as this is required to activate any request for emergency assistance. You should also bring along the travel insurance information booklet provided by your credit card company. It is your responsibility to ensure that you meet the requirements set out by your credit card company in order to be effectively covered and that the cover offered is of a suitable standard.

Visas

Australians, Americans, Canadians, British and New Zealanders do not currently require a visa for South Africa. Upon arrival you will be given a free three-month multi-entry visa stamp. For all other nationalities please reconfirm your visa requirements with your travel agent. Please note that you require six blank pages and your passport needs to have a minimum of six months validity to enter South Africa. Also note that to enter South Africa you may be required to show proof of onward travel plans and a valid yellow fever certificate (especially if entering or re-entering from East African countries).

Australians, Americans, Canadians, British and New Zealanders do not currently require a visa for Swaziland. You will need to carry your passport with you for use when entering and exiting the independent Kingdom of Swaziland.

It is your responsibility to ensure you have all required visas for your trip. Rules and regulations governing the issuance of visas are constantly changing, and vary for different nationalities and you should check visa requirements with your travel agent or relevant consular authority well before travel.

Vaccinations

Please consult your doctor or nearest vaccination centre to see if any of the listed vaccinations are required: This list is by no means complete and only your doctor or vaccination centre can provide you with the latest up-to-date information:

Polio

An outbreak of polio has been identified in Namibia recently. The Namibian Ministry of Health has issued a request that all persons travelling to Namibia have an immunisation before they travel. The Namibian authorities have the situation under control, there have already been National Immunisation campaigns in Namibia and it is expected that Namibia will be able to once again declare itself polio free in the foreseeable future. There are no compulsory immunisations for anyone wishing to enter Namibia and this request from the Namibian Ministry of Health is purely a precautionary measure. Please contact your Travel Vaccination Medical Centre for further information.

Typhoid

Tetanus

Smallpox

Gamma Globulin or Havrix (against Hepatitis A)

Hepatitis B

Yellow Fever

Certain countries such as Tanzania and Kenya are considered Yellow Fever zones and you may be required to show evidence of your yellow fever vaccination when travelling to your onward destination (particularly if returning to your home country within 6 days of leaving an infected area). In addition to this, as of 21 January, 2008, you will be required to show your yellow fever vaccination certificate at all entry and exit points in Tanzania. South Africa and Zimbabwe require a valid Yellow Fever Vaccination Certificate to be presented for all passengers over one year of age, who arrive from an infected yellow fever area/country. Please check with your relevant government health authority as to your home country's requirements. Yellow Fever vaccinations need to be recorded by your doctor in your "International Certificate of Vaccinations" booklet. The World Health Organization (WHO) provides a list of yellow fever countries.

Malaria

Malaria is prevalent in many tropical areas of Africa. Please advise your doctor which regions you will be visiting and discuss the necessary medication with them. All anti-malarial tablets are taken for a period before possible exposure and continued for a period after such exposure ceases, and should be taken carefully according to instructions. It is possible that the people in your group may be taking different anti-malarial tablets. Be aware that some anti-malarial medication may increase skin sensitivity to sunlight, and take extra care to ensure good use of sunscreens. A good insect repellent is advisable if visiting these regions, preferably one containing a high percentage of DEET.

Meningitis

An outbreak of meningitis has been identified in Mali recently. Vaccination should be considered for travellers to Mali.

The risk may be subject to outbreaks only as noted below. Vaccination is particularly important for those backpacking off the beaten path or in situations where crowded conditions exist. The importance of vaccination increases with length of stay. Please contact your Travel Vaccination Medical Centre for further information.

About this information

It is important that you should read these notes in conjunction with the detailed trip specific **Pre Departure Information**. This information is supplied to you at the time of booking and contains extensive information about subjects such as climate, clothing and gear, medical and visa matters, currencies, and other information about the countries visited.

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