# **WORLDWIDE** CARAVAN & MOTORHOME HOLIDAYS





Worldwide Caravan and Motorhome Holidays from Alan Rogers Travel, part of the Caravan and Motorhome Club UK







# ESCAPE. EXPLORE. DISCOVER.

It's time to take to the road once more and escape the ordinary.

Let us take you on your next big adventure to some of the most exciting destinations in the world and take you beyond the well-trodden path on a journey through the unexpected.

Whether you're dreaming of exploring snow-capped peaks and expansive lakes, spectacular national parks and iconic cities, a motorhome holiday offers you the freedom and independence to travel at your own pace.

Holidays are traditionally a great time to try something new, but experience has shown that some of the best things in life often involve the unexpected. We know that your trip is sure to be full of simple and spontaneous magical moments that will create treasured lifelong memories as you discover hidden gems, breathtaking scenery and immerse yourself into exciting new cultures.

And as your 'hotel' will be on the journey with you, you can simply relax and unpack just the once, leaving you plenty of time to explore as you travel.

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## OUR STORY Valan

Worldwide Caravan and Motorhome Holidays is part of The Alan Rogers Travel Group. Established over 50 years ago, Alan Rogers initially published guidebooks of campsites throughout Britain, Ireland and Europe. Since then, the business has grown to include caravan and motorhome holidays across the world and is now a wholly owned subsidiary of The Caravan and Motorhome Club in the United Kingdom.

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Founded in 1907 as the Caravan Club and now known as the Caravan and Motorhome Club, we're Europe's largest touring community, helping caravanners and motorhomers access over 3,000 stunning locations throughout the UK and Europe.



We've spent over 115 years enjoying the great outdoors and can offer advice and inspiration to enable people to book their perfect touring holiday. With a Royal Patronage that has spanned over eight decades, you can rest easy knowing that when you book with us, you are dealing with a financially sound, secure and trusted organisation with a proud heritage.

## PEACE OF MIND

Worldwide Caravan & Motorhome Holidays is a member of CATO, the Council of Australian Tour Operators. Member travel companies are specialists in the destinations and style of travel they offer and follow a strict Code of Conduct & Ethics that ensures integrity and delivery of high-quality global experiences.



## **BOOK WITH CONFIDENCE**

We will provide a full refund or amendment of your package holiday if, at any stage prior to your travel date, international borders unexpectedly close or the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade's Smartraveller website issues a Level 4-Do Not Travel directive to your chosen destination.

We do recommend that you protect your travel plans against any other unforeseen events that may impact your ability to travel by purchasing a comprehensive travel insurance policy.

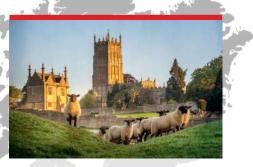




### **CANADA** P34

Brimming with spectacular natural beauty, Canada's provinces boast unique attractions that include majestic mountains, verdant forests, vast wilderness, beautiful lakes, and incredible wildlife.





## UK & IRELAND P10

Explore all corners of Britain and the Emerald Isle, nations rich in history, grand traditions and dotted with chocolate-box villages with spectacular and dramatic scenery in-between.



### USA P44

The USA is a country full of spectacular vistas. From the Grand Canyon and Yellowstone National Parks to the beaches and bays of California, you'll enjoy touring this diverse and expansive country.



### **SOUTHERN AFRICA P54**

Become a true adventurer and discover the captivating wildlife that inhabits the safari plains and national parks of the Rainbow Nation.

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Let us take you on an adventure to some of the most exciting destinations in the world. We will help you venture beyond the well-trodden path to discover lesser-known places, dazzling scenery and unfamiliar cultures to create memories that will last a lifetime. Whether you're dreaming of snow-capped peaks, expansive lakes, sun-kissed beaches, incredible wildlife or spectacular untouched habitats, our range of holiday destinations are guaranteed to inspire.



### EUROPE P22

A European holiday promises such a wide variety of experiences. Enjoy magnificent scenery, distinct cultures with a diverse heritage, fabulous cuisine and historic places of interest.



### AUSTRALIA P72

Filled with rich and rare treasures, including worldfamous Uluru and the pristine Great Barrier Reef, Australia is one of the most beautiful and welcoming countries on Earth.



### NEW ZEALAND P62

New Zealand is a breathtakingly beautiful place with spectacular fiords, towering mountains and untouched wilderness. Its majestic scenery is both captivating and awe-inspiring.



# CREATE YOUR Perfect Holiday

If you've ever dreamt of trying something a little different, then you'll discover a whole new holiday experience when you travel with Worldwide Caravan and Motorhome Holidays. Join us on one of our small group escorted motorhome tours or for a more individual approach, let us tailor-make your own journey of a lifetime.

## **ESCORTED TOURS**

Our locally escorted motorhome tours are all about showing you the world with freedom. They are perfect for those on their first overseas motorhome holiday and for those that enjoy the company of travelling and sharing experiences with other like-minded travellers from all over the world.

Groups sizes generally range from 10 to 15 vehicles depending on the destination and tour, and everything is taken care of for you, including motorhome hire, campsite and hotel reservations, transfers, together with meals, sightseeing excursions and entrance fees.

During the day, you will be free to travel as you please as there is no travelling in convoy. You'll have complete freedom to roam and uncover new places at your own pace.

Our knowledgeable and friendly tour hosts will be on hand throughout your trip to offer you advice on everything from local customs and laws to recommending and booking any optional excursions you may like to take.

Whether you're travelling as a couple, a single traveller or a party of three or four, you're sure to enjoy the social side of touring and make lifelong friends along the way.

### INDEPENDENT & TAILORMADE Holidays

If you prefer not to travel as a group or be tied to a set itinerary, our team of specialists can offer you the perfect solution. Simply tell us when and where you want to go, for how long, the size of motorhome you wish to travel in and we will create a personalized itinerary and quote for you, taking in the sights and places you would like to visit , including recommended campsites which can be prebooked.

If you're looking for inspiration or are in the early stages of planning a holiday, we have included a number of suggested itineraries in this brochure and offer many more online. You can choose to travel on these tried and tested packages, or we can build a bespoke, tailormade journey, whether it is to include iconic must-see sights or going off the beaten track to discover little-known gems.

## **TOUR ADD-ONS & EXTENSIONS**

If you're joining an escorted tour or have booked a independent holiday with us, why not enhance your experience with some extra days at the beginning or end of your trip. Whether it's an extra day or two to relax after a long flight, more time to explore your final destination or extend your stay to visit somewhere else after your tour, let us know, and we can organise it for you.

We can also book rail journeys and cruises to help make your holiday extra special.

## **OUR TEAM OF EXPERTS**

We're sure you will have a lot of questions about your next big motorhome adventure. Wherever your next journey is taking you, you will be wanting to talk to specialists with extensive knowledge who can offer advice, recommendations and guide you from start to finish. Our team of passionate and enthusiastic experts will assist you in finding the right option just for you so that you can rest easy knowing your dream holiday is in the safest of hands.

# **UK & IRELAND**

Discover a nation steeped in rich history and grand traditions. Be inspired by the outstanding natural beauty of the English countryside, the remote highlands and rugged coastlines of Scotland, and the magnificent mountains and rolling hills of Wales.

Combine this with picturesque harbour villages, historic castles and a friendly welcome for which the Irish are renowned, and an adventure unlike any other awaits you.

### **DRIVING TIPS**

In Britain and Ireland, you will be driving on the left-hand side of the road. Where possible, avoid driving in cities and take advantage of the many 'Park & Ride' options situated on the city outskirts. Away from the main motorways and dual carriageways, British and Irish roads can be narrow, but you will find that on rural roads, locals are usually very courteous. In the United Kingdom, speed limits are shown in miles per hour, whilst in the Republic of Ireland, they are signposted in kilometres.

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# 38 DAY ESCORTED TOUR **BEST OF BRITAIN**

From John O Groats to Lands' End, an epic journey through Scotland and England awaits you. Dramatic landscapes, wild coastlines, iconic castles, spectacular national parks, places of historical interest and picture-postcard villages combined with experiences to delight even the most seasoned traveller on this trip of a lifetime.

#### DAYS 1-2 EDINBURGH

On arrival, transfer to your city hotel and join your fellow travellers and local hosts for a welcome dinner before having the next day free to explore this beautiful and cultured city.

#### DAYS 3-4 INVERNESS & LOCH NESS

Collect your motorhome and travel north into the heart of the Scottish Highlands to arrive at Inverness. Enjoy a cruise on Loch Ness with an included visit to the 1000-year old ruins of Urquhart Castle.

#### **DAYS 5-6 DUNNET HEAD**

Visit the great houses of Dunrobin Castle and the Castle of Mey as you travel through the village of John O'Groats to Dunnet Head. You have the option of taking a ferry trip to the nearby Orkney Islands with their unique historical sites, including Skara Brae Neolithic Village and the Ring of Brodgar stone circle.

#### DAYS 7-8 DURNESS & KINLOCHEWE

The tiny village of Durness is situated in the northwest highlands of Scotland, one of the most sparsely populated wilderness areas in Western Europe. After your overnight stay beside the beach, we continue on to the pretty village of Kinlochewe, close to the head of Loch Maree.

#### DAYS 9-10 MORVICH

We suggest a side trip to visit the Isle of Skye, home to some of Scotland's most iconic landscapes. Be sure to explore Eilean Donan Castle as you drive on to Morvich. This 13th-century castle is one of the most recognised in Scotland.

#### DAYS 11-12 GLEN NEVIS

On to Fort William and Glen Nevis. The surrounding area offers a fantastic range of outdoor activities and sightseeing opportunities. The path to the mighty Ben Nevis is just a short walk away. Travel aboard 'The Jacobite Steam Train,' regarded as one of the world's great railway journeys.

#### DAYS 13-14 LOCH LOMOND

This mesmerising loch lies in the heart of the Trossachs National Park and is surrounded by charming villages and lush, rolling countryside. It offers some wonderful land and water-based activities.

#### DAYS 15-17 THE LAKE DISTRICT

It's over the border into England today to the Lake District National Park. one of England's most beautiful areas. Enjoy a three-night stay at our campsite on the shores of Derwentwater, with stunning views overlooking the lake.

#### DAYS 18-19 YORK

Head east to the Pennines and travel across the Yorkshire Dales. If time permits, stop at Bolton Abbey and view the ruins of this 12th century Augustinian monastery. Enjoy a guided walking tour of the historic walled city of York that dates back to the time of the Vikings.

#### DAYS 20-21 THE PEAK DISTRICT

The high hills of the Peak District are home to numerous attractions. En route to the spa town of Buxton, be sure to stop at the beautiful village of Castleton. During your stay, a visit to Bakewell is highly recommended, as is nearby Chatsworth House, one of the largest and most elegant stately homes anywhere in the world.

#### DAYS 22-24 COTSWOLDS

Explore the pretty medieval market town of Stratford-upon-Avon today. From here, a leisurely drive brings you into the Cotswolds, home to beautiful honeycoloured stone villages. During your stay, enjoy a full-day excursion to Blenheim Palace and the university city of Oxford.

#### DAYS 25-26 BATH

It is a short journey to the historic city of Bath, but there are many great places to stop and visit along the way. Enjoy a free day to explore this World Heritage site famed for its splendid Roman Spa and outstanding Georgian architecture.

#### DAYS 27-30 CORNWALL

Travel through the 'West Country' to the Celtic county of Cornwall. During your stay, you will enjoy a guided day tour to some of Cornwall's key locations, including Tintagel Castle, the picturesque fishing village of Port Isaac, perhaps better known as Port Wenn in the popular television series 'Doc Martin', and Padstow, the home of celebrity chef Rick Stein.

#### DAYS 31-32 JURASSIC COAST

Skirt the famed Tamar Valley and Dartmoor National Park as you make your way into the East Devon Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Your next stop is Dorset's Jurassic Coast, a World Heritage Site famed for its many fossils and picturesque geographic features.

#### **DAYS 33-34 WINCHESTER**

Visit Stonehenge and take in the unforgettable atmosphere of Europe's best known prehistoric monument, which dates back 5,000 or more years. Our journey continues east to one of England's finest historical cities, Winchester.

#### DAYS 35-37 LONDON

Return your motorhome today and transfer to your hotel in Kensington. You'll have time to explore the city at your own pace and also enjoy a full-day guided excursion to see Hampton Court Palace and the historic market town of Windsor. Relive and share your stories of a wonderful tour at your farewell dinner.

#### **DAY 38 HEADING HOME**

Sadly, your adventure ends today, and it's time to say goodbye to your newfound friends.



Explore the historic city of Edinburgh Drive Scotland's famed North Coast 500 Visit key heritage sites throughout Scotland & England Enjoy the national parks of The Lake and Peak Districts Wander around the idyllic villages of The Cotswolds Stay in the ancient Roman city of Bath Fall in love with the Celtic county of Cornwall Discover Dorset's Jurassic Coast Stonehenge and the city of Winchester Guided tours of York, Oxford, Cornwall and London

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Edinburgh with breakfasts included Three nights hotel accommodation in London with breakfasts included Locally guided by experienced Tour Hosts Welcome and farewell Dinners 33 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (£250 excess applies), Wi-Fi & Sat Nav 32 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Loch Ness Cruise & Urquhart Castle Jacobite Steam Railway (Harry Potter train) Entry to Castle of Mey, Dunrobin Castle, Blenheim Palace & the ancient Roman Spa in historic Bath Day tours of York, Oxford and Cornwall Visit to Stonehenge World Heritage Stone Circle Excursion to Hampton Court Palace and Windsor Castle

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# 43 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY THE CELTIC NORTH

With a strong focus on the Celtic cultures of Scotland, Ireland, and Wales, this grand motorhome adventure will immerse you in these wonderful nations' rich heritage and traditions. This epic journey has it all; spectacular coastlines, centuries-old castles, expansive areas of wilderness, stunning scenery, historical sites, charming villages and welcoming locals.

#### DAYS 1-2 EDINBURGH

On arrival in Edinburgh, transfer to your city hotel. Enjoy a full day at leisure to explore this beautiful and cultured city.

#### **DAYS 3-4 ABERDEEN**

Collect your motorhome and travel via Perth and Dundee, making your way to the pretty harbour town of Stonehaven, located just south of Aberdeen.

#### DAYS 5-6 INVERNESS & LOCH NESS

You have the choice of travelling the coastal route to Inverness or the highlands route, which will take you inland through the Cairngorms National Park. Enjoy a cruise on Loch Ness with a visit to the 1000-year old ruins of Urquhart Castle.

#### **DAYS 7-9 BRORA, DUNNET HEAD**

Stop at Dunrobin Castle en route to the historic coastal village of Brora. The next day, travel north through the village of John O'Groats to the Castle of Mey and Dunnet Head. From here, you have the option of taking a ferry trip to the nearby Orkney Islands with their unique historical sites.

#### DAYS 10-11 DURNESS & KINLOCHEWE

The tiny village of Durness is situated in the northwest highlands of Scotland. After an overnight stay beside the beach, continue your journey to the pretty village of Kinlochewe, close to the head of one of Scotland's most scenic lochs, Loch Maree.

#### DAYS 12-13 SKYE, MORVICH

We suggest a side trip to the Isle of Skye, home to some of Scotland's most iconic landscapes. Be sure to explore Eilean Donan Castle as you drive on to Morvich. This 13th-century castle is one of the most recognised in Scotland.

#### DAYS 14-15 FORT WILLIAM

On to Fort William and Glen Nevis. The surrounding area offers a fantastic range of outdoor activities and sightseeing opportunities. The path to the mighty Ben Nevis is just a short walk away. Ride 'The Jacobite Steam Train', regarded as one of the world's great railway journeys.

#### DAYS 16-17 LOCH LOMOND

Be sure to stop at the iconic Inveraray Castle on the shores of Loch Fyne. Loch Lomond lies at the heart of The Trossachs National Park and offers some truly remarkable land and water based activities.

#### DAYS 18-19 CO. ANTRIM VIA AYRSHIRE

Drive the coastal route to the popular seaside resort of Ayr before staying overnight at nearby Maybole. The next day, travel to Cairnryan to board your ferry for the crossing to the port of Belfast. On arrival, continue north to the tiny village of Bushmills, the closest town to the world-famous Giants Causeway.

#### DAYS 20-22 BELFAST, CO. WICKLOW

Return to the rejuvenated city of Belfast and enjoy discovering its many attractions. Then cross the border into the Republic of Ireland and make your way to Wicklow for a two-night stay. Enjoy a free day to explore the local surroundings.

#### DAYS 23-24 KILKENNY, TIPPERARY

Stop at the medieval town of Kilkenny, built on both banks of the River Nore. On to the 19th century market town of Tipperary, nestled in the superb and scenic surroundings of the Golden Vale.

#### DAYS 25-27 KILLARNEY, CO. KERRY

A visit to Blarney Castle is included this morning as you travel on to Killarney, your stay for the next three nights. There are numerous activities to enjoy, including a drive or tour along the Wild Atlantic Way around the Iveragh Peninsula, better known as the Ring of Kerry.

#### DAYS 28-29 CLIFFS OF MOHER

Stop at the 15th century Bunratty Castle, the most complete and authentic castle in Ireland. You will marvel at the natural beauty of the Cliffs of Moher. This area has inspired artists, musicians and poets for generations.

#### DAYS 30-31 DUBLIN

Head east over The Burren heathland as you make your way to Dublin - the nation's super-cool capital that's twice been named Europe's friendliest city. There is so much to see and do in this fine city; two nights might not be enough!

#### DAYS 32-33 SNOWDONIA NATIONAL PARK

Board your early morning ferry for the crossing from Dublin to Holyhead in North Wales. Continue your journey on to the lovely, small village of Betws-y-Coed. This magical setting has a distinctly alpine feel and is often referred to as the gateway to the Snowdonia National Park. Enjoy a free day to explore all that Snowdonia has to offer.

#### DAYS 34-35 CHESTER

Be sure to stop at Llangollen, a small town steeped in myth and legend, as you make your way to Chester. It boasts one of the most complete wall systems in England and embodies the "typical English town".

#### DAYS 36-37 THE PEAK DISTRICT

The high hills of the Peak District are home to numerous attractions. Enjoy a stay in the spa town of Buxton. During your stay, a visit to the town of Bakewell is highly recommended, as is nearby Chatsworth House, one of the largest and most elegant stately homes anywhere in the world.

#### DAYS 38-39 CASTLETON, YORK

Stop at the beautiful village of Castleton, situated at the head of the Hope Valley. On to the walled city of York, steeped in history, having been founded by the Romans way back in 71AD. Enjoy a day at leisure to enjoy all that this great city offers.

#### DAYS 40-42 THE LAKE DISTRICT

Head west to the Pennines and across the Yorkshire Dales. If time permits, visit Bolton Abbey, where you can view the ruins of this 12th century Augustinian monastery. The Lake District is one of England's most beautiful areas. Your campsite is situated in Keswick on the shores of Derwentwater.

#### **DAY 43 EDINBURGH**

Sadly, your Celtic adventure ends today when you return to Edinburgh and return your motorhome. A transfer to the airport or railway station for your onward journey is included.



Enjoy the very best of the four home nations Drive Scotland's famous North Coast 500 Visit majestic castles, grand fortresses and royal palaces The Great Houses and Distilleries of Scotland Experience Ireland's Wild Atlantic Way Fabulous tour routes including the Giant's Causeway, the Ring of Kerry and the Cliffs of Moher Enjoy a Guinness in a traditional Irish pub Spectacular National Parks including the Cairngorms, Trossachs, Snowdonia, The Peak and Lake Districts The pretty Welsh village of Betws-y-Coed The ancient, walled city of York

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Edinburgh with breakfasts included 41 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (nil excess), Wi-fi & Sat Nav 40 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Hop-On, Hop-Off bus tours of Edinburgh & Dublin Ferry Crossings between Scotland and Ireland and Ireland and Wales Loch Ness Cruise & Urquhart Castle Jacobite Steam Railway (Harry Potter train) Entry to Gardens and Castle of Mey Entry to Blarney and Bunratty Castles

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# 18 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY HIGHLIGHTS OF SCOTLAND

Scotland has so many treasures crammed into this compact nation, from wild coastlines to iconic castles, historic battlefields to immense wilderness areas, spectacular wildlife, and stunning scenery. Rich in history, culture and ancient architecture, you'll be made welcome by the hospitable and down to earth locals as you travel around this dramatic and surprising country.

#### DAYS 1-2 DISCOVER EDINBURGH

On arrival in Edinburgh, you will be met by our representative and transferred to your downtown city hotel. Enjoy a full day at leisure to explore this beautiful and cultured city.

#### DAYS 3-4 PERTH & ABERDEENSHIRE

Collect your motorhome this morning and make your way to the "Fair City" of Perth, located on the banks of the River Tay. This gorgeous city was once the capital of Scotland and a picturesque playground for kings and queens. It boasts elegant Georgian townhouses, cobbled streets and medieval spires, together with an array of outstanding monuments, art galleries and museums that you can explore. On to Dundee, Scotland's sunniest city with historic ships, museums, theatres and art centres. From here, it's a relatively short drive to the pretty harbour town of Stonehaven, located just south of Aberdeen and your stay for the next two nights.

#### DAYS 5-6 INVERNESS & LOCH NESS

There are two ways to travel to Inverness. The first is the longer coastal route, where you will experience plenty of charming little villages, distilleries and even some dolphin spotting. The alternative highlands route will take you inland and through the Cairngorms National Park into Speyside. Your campsite for the next two nights is the historic site of Culloden Moor near Inverness. Enjoy a morning cruise on Loch Ness with an included visit to the 1000-year-old ruins of Urquhart Castle. Be sure to keep an eye open for sightings of "Nessie", the loch's famous monster.

#### DAY 7 DUNROBIN CASTLE, BRORA

This morning's first stop is Dunrobin Castle and Gardens, the most northerly of Scotland's great houses. Enjoy a self-guided tour of the castle, which resembles a French chateau with its towering conical spires and boasts 189 rooms. You can also enjoy falconry displays, museums, and a walk through the formal gardens. From here, it's a short drive to the historic coastal village of Brora.

#### **DAYS 8-9 DUNNETT HEAD**

Travel north through the village of John o'Groats to the Castle of Mey, enjoy a tour of the castle, and wander around its Walled Gardens. Your stay at Dunnet Head offers majestic views over the Pentland Firth and is the most northerly point of both Scotland and the island of Great Britain. There is the option of taking a ferry trip to the nearby Orkney Islands with their unique historic sites, including Skara Brae Neolithic Village and the Ring of Brodgar stone circle.

#### DAYS 10-11 DURNESS, KINLOCHEWE

The tiny village of Durness is situated in the northwest highlands of Scotland in one of the most sparsely populated wilderness areas in Western Europe. The rugged terrain is one of mighty mountains, russet heathland and turquoise sea lochs. After your overnight stay beside the beach, continue your journey on to the small but pretty village of Kinlochewe, close to the head of Loch Maree, a solid contender for the title of Scotland's most scenic loch.

#### DAYS 12-13 SKYE, MORVICH

We suggest a visit to the Isle of Skye this morning. It is the largest of the Inner Hebrides and is home to some of Scotland's most iconic landscapes. Portree, its largest town, overlooks a sheltered bay decorated by a picturesque string of brightly coloured houses. Be sure to explore Eilean Donan Castle as you drive on to Morvich. This 13th century castle is one of the most recognised in Scotland and features in numerous movies and television shows.

#### DAYS 14-15 GLEN NEVIS

This morning, it's an easy drive to Fort William and Glen Nevis, your next destination. The surrounding area offers a fantastic range of outdoor activities and sightseeing opportunities. There are many walks and cycle tracks at your doorstep, with the path up to the mighty Ben Nevis just a short walk away, and there are many historical sites for you to explore. Ride "The Jacobite Steam Train" from nearby Fort William to Mallaig, described as one of the world's great railway journeys.

#### DAYS 16-17 THE TROSSACHS

Be sure to stop at the iconic Inveraray Castle on the shores of Loch Fyne today, which recently featured as "Duneagle Castle" in the hit TV series "Downtown Abbey". Take time to wander through the castle and formal gardens. Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park is surrounded by charming villages and rolling countryside. Glasgow is less than an hour away, easily accessible by bus or train.

#### DAY 18 EDINBURGH, HEAD HOME

Return your motorhome to the Edinburgh depot and transfer to the airport or railway station for your onward journey. If time permits, perhaps enjoy another night or two to explore this magical and charismatic city that offers the visitor so much.



Explore Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland Drive the famed North Coast 500 Discover world-famous Loch Ness Scotland's famous distilleries and historic battlegrounds Key heritage sites including the Castles of Mey & Dunrobin Optional excursion to the Orkney Islands Visit the Isle of Skye & see Eilan Doonan Castle Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park Hike around Ben Nevis, the highest mountain in Britain

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Edinburgh with breakfasts included 16 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (nil excess), Wi-Fi & Sat Nav Camping table and chairs Additional drivers at no extra charge 15 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Loch Ness Cruise & Urquhart Castle Jacobite Steam Railway (Harry Potter train) Entry to Castle of Mey and Dunrobin Castle

#### EXCLUSIONS

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# 27 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY CREAN OF CORNWALL & DEVON

You can't help but fall in love with the Celtic county of Cornwall and the beautiful county of Devon. These popular regions are situated at the western extremity of England and are home to rugged coastlines, breathtaking scenery, historic fishing and rural villages, medieval myths and legends, fantastic cuisine and welcoming, friendly locals.

#### **DAYS 1-3 ARRIVE LONDON**

On arrival in London, you will be met by our representative and transferred to your Kensington hotel for a three-night stay. You'll have time to explore and enjoy the city at your own pace with an included ticket for the London Hop On-Hop off sightseeing bus tour.

#### DAYS 4-5 BATH

After breakfast, transfer to the depot to collect your motorhome. From here, it's a short drive to the historic city of Bath. There are many great places to stop and visit along the way, including the charming Lacock Abbey and Village, England's most filmed village, having appeared in Downton Abbey, Pride & Prejudice and Harry Potter. Enjoy a free day to explore this UNESCO site famed for its splendid Roman Spa and amazing Georgian architecture. Entry into the city's ancient Roman Baths is included.

#### DAYS 6-7 WEST COUNTRY, ILFRACOMBE

Continue your journey through the West Country, travelling to the quaint, historic centre of Frome. Nearby is Longleat House in Warminster, widely regarded as one of the best examples of Elizabethan architecture in the country. Drive on to Minehead, a bustling seaside town on the edge of Exmoor National Park and visit the picturesque village of Allerford with its historic Pack Horse Bridge. Travel through the towns of Porlock and Lynton as you make your way to the pretty harbour town and the seaside resort of Ilfracombe.

#### DAYS 8-10 CLOVELLY, NORTH CORNWALL

We recommend stopping at the picturesque and ancient fishing village of Clovelly. Set into a steep hillside, its cobbled, traffic-free high street winds its way down the hill through traditional 16th century whitewashed cottages to the harbour. Later, continue on to Tintagel for a three-night stay. Over the next two days, be sure to visit the nearby picturesque fishing village of Port Isaac, the filming location of the popular TV series 'Doc Martin' A short distance from here is the village of Rock, where you can travel by ferry across the Camel River to Padstow.

#### DAYS 11-14 LAND'S END, ST IVES

Our suggested route takes you to Watergate Bay, a spectacular two-mile surfing beach located close to the town of Newquay. A few miles south of Newquay is the popular seaside resort town of Perranporth, with its golden sands washed by the Atlantic Ocean. Your campsite for the next four nights is Trevedra Farm, located near Penzance, with dramatic sea views overlooking Land's End and the Isles of Scilly. Local buses offer the opportunity to see some lovely local villages, and we suggest exploring the nearby towns of St Ives, Porthcurno, Mousehole, Marazion (St Michaels Mount) & Porthleven.

#### DAYS 15-18 TRURO, ROSELAND Peninsula

As you make your way to the Roseland Peninsula, be sure to stop in Truro, the UK's southernmost city. Truro's heritage as a market town dates back over 800 years. From here, it is a short drive to Merrose Farm campsite near the pretty village of St Mawes. Enjoy three full days to explore the local surroundings. Visit nearby coastal towns and travel by ferry from St Mawes across the River Fal to Falmouth. Take time to enjoy the many fabulous beaches and scenic coastal walks in the area. Other attractions include Pencarrow House, The Lost Gardens of Heligan and the world-famous Eden Project, a dramatic global garden housed in tropical biomes.

#### DAYS 19-20 THE ENGLISH RIVIERA

The English Riviera is a 22-mile stretch of outstanding South Devon coastline consisting of seaside resorts, rocky coves, and picturesque villages and is known for its warm weather. The Torbay area has a rich maritime and cultural heritage. You'll find plenty of award-winning restaurants across the region. For the next two nights, you will be staying close to Dartmouth, an enchanting town situated on the River Dart, boasting charming historic streets and surrounded by beautiful Devon countryside.

#### DAYS 21-23 DORSET'S JURASSIC Coast, Swanage

The next region you will visit is Dorset's Jurassic Coast, famed for its many fossils and picturesque geographic features. Enjoy an overnight stay near Lyme Regis and explore the local surroundings. The nearby coastal town of West Bay is renowned for its striking sandstone sea cliffs, a pretty fishing harbour and two great beaches. It was the location for the hit TV series 'Broadchurch' Enjoy two nights near the coastal town of Swanage on the Isle of Purbeck. It is situated just a short walk away from the magnificent Swanage Railway, where you have the opportunity to ride on heritage steam and diesel trains to the town centre and the attractive Corfe Castle village. Your campsite is an ideal base to enjoy coastal walks to the sandy beaches of Swanage and Studland Bay.

#### DAYS 24-25 STONEHENGE, WINCHESTER

If time permits, you may wish to travel across Salisbury Plain to visit Stonehenge. Take in the unforgettable atmosphere of Europe's best known prehistoric monument, which dates back 5,000 or more years. Your next stay is in one of England's finest historical cities, Winchester. This unspoilt cathedral city sits on the edge of the rolling South Downs National Park and was once England's ancient capital and former seat of King Alfred the Great.

#### DAYS 26-27 HEADING HOME

Return your motorhome today and transfer from the depot to your airport hotel. Time to relax and unwind before joining your flight to your onward destination the next day.



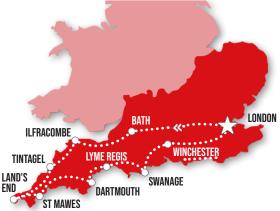
Explore the great City of London Visit the ancient Roman city of Bath Stunning rural and coastal towns of Dorset and Devon Lovely Devonshire villages of Ilfracombe & Clovelly Experience a traditional Devonshire Cream Tea Picturesque and historic fishing villages of Cornwall The legendary Tintagel Castle World-famous Eden Project Visit Pencarrow House & The Lost Gardens of Heligan City of Truro and the Roseland Peninsula Enjoy the English Riviera Discover Dorset's Jurassic Coast South Downs and Exmoor National Parks Stay in Swanage on the Isle of Purbeck The historic Cathedral city of Winchester

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

Hotel transfer on arrival All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Three nights hotel accommodation in Kensington with breakfasts included One night airport hotel accommodation with breakfasts included 23 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (nil excess), Wi-fi & Sat Nav 22 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Hop-On, Hop-Off bus tours of London Entry to the Roman Baths in historic Bath

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# **CAMPSITES & MOTORHOMES**

When you book your motorhome holiday with us, you automatically receive access to The Caravan and Motorhome Club's extensive network of campsites throughout the UK & Ireland. The Club was founded in 1907 and has over 115 years of experience helping people to explore the great outdoors.

#### **CARAVAN AND MOTORHOME CLUB SITES**

The Club owns and manages over 200 campsites throughout the UK, located in some of the most desirable and sought-after locations. You can be assured of quality facilities, experienced and friendly on-site managers, and COVID-secure protocols with the "Good To Go" certification.

#### **CERTIFIED LOCATIONS**

In addition to their own sites, the Club has over 2,200 small 5-pitch sites known as Certified Locations for the exclusive use of its members. These privately owned, hidden gems are often farms, country estates, pubs or vacant land offering picturesque solitude away from the crowds and are the closest thing you will find to 'free' camping.

#### **INDEPENDENT SITES**

The UK has a full range of campsite options available to you. Our parent company, Alan Rogers UK, provide access to over 8,000 independent campsites across the UK and Europe, giving us plenty of options to offer you. Speak to our team for more details.

#### **FREE CAMPING**

Free Camping (or Wild Camping) is discouraged and is illegal throughout England and Wales unless you receive the landowner's permission. Wild camping is possible in Scotland however, but is subject to a number of restrictions, please ask us for more information.



We carefully select our motorhome rental partners to ensure that vehicle safety, maintenance and quality is of the highest standard. We work with many companies, allowing us to provide you with a wide range of vehicle types in terms of both price and size.

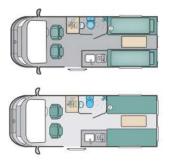
Depots are located throughout Britain and Ireland, with the larger companies offering hires from London, Bristol, Manchester, Edinburgh, Belfast and Dublin. In addition to booking your campsites for you, we can also book ferry services between Scotland, Ireland, Wales and England.



**SWIFT SELECT 122** 



SWIFT ESCAPE 612



NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT





NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

The Escape 612 is a great choice for couples looking for a smaller, 2-berth vehicle as it measures just under 6m in length. The entry door is located towards the rear of the motorhome, and it boasts a spacious front lounge, complimented by a rear kitchen and washroom.

The 2-berth Select 122 campervan is the most similar to driving a car. The more compact shape makes it a great fit if you're planning on tackling winding country lanes or are used to driving a smaller vehicle at home. At just 6m in length, it features a wellequipped kitchen and washroom.



SWIFT EDGE 464



SWIFT ESCAPE 694





#### NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT





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The 4-berth Edge 464 is the perfect size for a small family or couple. It features a comfortable fixed double bed to the rear with a large adjacent washroom. The lounge can convert into a second double bed at night.

The centrepiece for the very popular 5-berth Escape 694 is the fixed island bed at the rear offering comfort and convenience. There is also a drop-down double bed over the spacious lounge area if needed. A great choice for families or couples looking for that extra bit of living space.

# EUROPE

A journey through Central Europe and Scandinavia provides a wide variety of experiences that will live long in your memory. Iconic European cities, medieval castles, historical monuments, a never-ending kaleidoscope of changing, dramatic landscapes and captivating cultural experiences await you on your European adventure. From the idyllic beauty of Lake Como to the romance of Paris, the sheer magnificence of Dubrovnik, to the bijou city of Seville, let us help you plan your dream holiday.

### **DRIVING TIPS**

Vehicles drive on the right-hand side of the road in Europe. Regulations, driving customs, and road signs can confuse first-time visitors, so we recommend familiarising yourself with the local road rules before you leave home. An International Driving Permit (IDP) is required for driving in many parts of Europe. It is not a substitute for your driver's license, which should be carried with you at all times. You may encounter several toll roads, bridges and tunnels during your travels, particularly in France and Italy.

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# 36 DAY ESCORTED TOUR WONDERS OF FRANCE

Travel through beautiful, undulating countryside past pretty, medieval villages and stop at enchanting chateaux and historical places of interest. Discover vine-clad hillsides and spectacular national parks, sample home-grown delicacies and crisp iconic wines and journey back in time as you visit some of the infamous battlefields of World War One and Two. All this and so much more awaits you.

#### **DAY 1 ARRIVE LONDON**

On arrival in London, transfer to your hotel. Join your fellow travellers and hosts for a welcome dinner in the evening.

#### DAY 2 CALAIS, EPERLECQUES

Transfer to the depot this morning to collect your motorhome. Then travel to Folkestone to board the Eurotunnel shuttle to Calais. The journey under the English Channel only takes 35 minutes. We make the short drive to Eperlecques for our first night in France.

#### DAYS 3-4 ARRAS, EPERNAY

Today, our first stop is the Wellington Tunnels in Arras, a WWI site with significant ties to the New Zealand Army. Led by the New Zealand Tunnelling Company, this underground city hid supplies and housed up to 20,000 soldiers. On to the charming town of Epernay in the Champagne region. Visit the famous House of Mercier, where you'll tour some of the 18km network of underground cellars.

#### DAYS 5-6 TROYES, LAC D'ORIENT

Heading south, stop at the medieval old town of Troyes and wander around its narrow, cobblestone streets. From here, it is a short drive to Lac d'Orient, our stay for the next two nights.

#### DAYS 7-8 BEAUNE, GIGNY-SUR-SAONE

Recommended stops today include the city of Dijon and the walled town of Beaune, at the centre of the Burgundy region. Enjoy dinner in the 16th century Chateau de l'Eperviere at your campsite. Explore the many vineyards in the area or visit the local caves.

#### DAYS 9-11 LAC D'ANNECY, Chamonix-mont blanc

Lake Annecy is nestled in the heart of the French Alps. During our stay, we visit L'Edelweiss Restaurant for lunch. You'll also enjoy a day trip to Chamonix-Mont Blanc, a resort area near the junction of France, Italy and Switzerland.

#### DAY 12 ROUTE NAPOLEON, SISTERON

At Grenoble, we join the famous Route Napoleon. Retrace his footsteps on this scenic road trip as you travel to Sisteron on the banks of the Durance River.

#### DAYS 13-14 GORGES DE L'ARDECHE

Our journey continues to the steep and spectacular limestone Gorges de l'Ardeche. Enjoy a day at leisure to discover this beautiful area. We recommend visiting the historic village of Vogue, rated as one of the most beautiful in France.

#### DAY 15 GORGES DU TARN, MILLAU

The Tarn River has carved out a deep canyon creating the spectacular Gorges du Tarn. Many castles have been built along the Gorges, most dating back to the Middle Ages. The famous town of Millau is home to the Millau Viaduct, the world's tallest bridge.

#### DAYS 16-17 SAINT-CIRQ-LAPOPIE

Make your way to the award-winning town of Saint-Cirq-Lapopie. This perfectly preserved medieval village stands high above the Lot Valley and is best discovered on foot at a leisurely pace.

#### DAYS 18-20 SARLAT & ROCAMADOUR

Sarlat dates back to the medieval and renaissance periods and is one of France's most renowned and visited villages. From here, enjoy a day trip to the famous sacred village of Rocamadour, clinging precariously to the steep cliffs above the River Alzou and visit one of Europe's largest chasms, the caves of Gouffre du Padriac.

#### DAYS 21-22 LIMOGES & Oradour-sur-glane

The porcelain industry in Limoges is now regarded as the best in the world. The nearby village of Oradour-sur-Glane has often been referred to as one of the most powerful WWII sites in France, having been the location of one of the worst Nazi atrocities on French soil. The abandoned village sits stuck in time, left exactly as it was on that dark day.

#### DAYS 23-24 THE LOIRE VALLEY

Drive north through the historic town of Tours to Blois, situated on the banks of the Loire River. Enjoy a locally guided day trip into the Loire Valley with a visit to Chateau de Chambord, the largest, grandest and most visited chateau in the region.

#### DAYS 25-26 LE MANS, Mont Saint Michel

The famous city of Le Mans is an ancient town with Roman walls and a beautiful cathedral. The small city of Laval, on the banks of the River Mayenne, is also worth a stop before reaching the magical island of Mont Saint Michel.

#### DAYS 27-28 NORMANDY Landing Beaches

Drive north to the charming medieval town of Bayeux, home to the famous 11th century Bayeux tapestry. Be sure to visit the numerous memorial sites and museums as you explore the windswept shorelines of the D-Day Landing Beaches of Utah, Omaha, Gold, Juno and Sword.

#### DAY 29 HONFLEUR, ROUEN

Stop at Honfleur for lunch; it's old port, the subject of numerous paintings by Monet, Boudin & Courbet. On to Rouen, situated on the River Seine, with its history closely tied to the young French heroine, Joan of Arc.

#### DAYS 30-32 VERSAILLES, PARIS

The town of Versailles is full of fascinating museums to visit and parks and gardens to relax in. There is also plenty of markets to stroll around. Enjoy a tour of the stunning Palace of Versailles, the extravagant creation of Louis XIV and on your free day, explore the magnificent city of Paris with all that it has to offer.

#### DAYS 33-34 AMIENS, VILLERS-BRETONNEUX

The city of Amiens lies in the Somme valley. Located close by is the village of Villers-Bretonneux, site of the Australian National Memorial, which hosts an ANZAC dawn service every year.

#### DAY 35 CALAIS, LONDON

Board the ferry for your crossing from Calais to Dover, then return your motorhome before transferring to your London Heathrow hotel for a farewell dinner.

#### DAY 36 HEADING HOME

Sadly, it's time to bid farewell to newfound friends before making your way to the airport for your onward journey.



WWI Wellington Tunnels Wine regions of Champagne, Burgundy and the Loire Alpine resort of Chamonix-Mont-Blanc Drive the iconic Route Napoleon Villages of the Dordogne region Preserved ruins of Oradour-sur-Glane Mont-Saint-Michel Historic D-Day Landing beaches Palace of Versailles and city of Paris National War Memorial at Villers-Bretonneux

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

Transfers to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation at London Heathrow with breakfasts included Locally guided by experienced Tour Hosts Welcome and Farewell Dinners plus specialty meals 34 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (£250 excess applies), Euro Fee, Wi-FI & Sat Nav 33 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Travel between England & France by Eurotunnel & Ferry Tour of the Wellington Tunnels Tour the underground cellars of a Champagne House Ride the famous Aiguille du Midi cable car at Chamonix Day trips to Chamonix, Roccamadour & The Loire Valley Explore the caves of Le Gouffre de Padriac by boat Entry to Palace of Versaille

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance

Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# **A TASTE OF FRANCE**

Marvel at the opulence of France's many chateaux, stroll along the cobblestoned streets of pretty medieval villages and visit the D-Day landing beaches at Normandy. Discover the great vineyards and champagne houses of the Loire, Burgundy and Champagne regions and enjoy the superb local cuisine as you relax beside lakes, mountains and historic harbours.

#### **DAYS 1-3 ARRIVE PARIS**

On arrival, you will be met by our representative and transferred to your hotel. Enjoy two full days to explore this magnificent city. Perhaps visit the Louvre Museum and Eiffel Tower, stroll around the bohemian district of Montmartre and explore the Sacre-Coeur Basilica or glide along the River Seine on a boat trip. View the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysees and the Place de la Concorde and enjoy dining in one of the many fine restaurants and bistros hidden in the side streets. Marvel at the opulence and splendour of Versailles on an included tour.

#### DAYS 4-5 EPERNAY & The champagne region

Transfer to the depot this morning to collect your motorhome, then travel east to the charming town of Epernay in the heart of the Champagne region. Enjoy a day of leisure to explore the local sights and grand champagne houses, or make a quick trip to nearby Reims.

#### DAYS 6-7 TROYES, LAC D'ORIENT

Be sure to stop at the medieval old town of Troyes and wander its narrow, cobblestone streets lined with colourful, half-timbered houses that date back to the 16th century.

#### DAYS 8-9 DIJON, BEAUNE

Dijon is the capital city of the Burgundy region and is architecturally rich with building styles ranging from Gothic to Art Deco. Perhaps best known for its mustard, it is reputed to be one of France's greatest gourmet cities; hence this is a great place to stop and enjoy lunch! Your stay is near the walled town of Beaune, at the centre of the Burgundy winemaking region.

#### DAYS 10-12 TOURNUS, ANNECY

An early start this morning to make the most of your day. A short drive to the town of Tournus, where you can browse the many arts and crafts shops in the squares that surround its Romanesque abbey. Then to Annecy, a quaint, medieval village nestled in the heart of the French Alps. It is known as the 'Venice of the Alps, with its canals lined with magnificent medieval buildings, floral balconies and bridges.

#### DAYS 13-14 LE PUY-EN-VELAY

Travel through the Massif des Bauges to stop at the historic alpine city of Chambéry, couched in the Leysse Valley. Your next stay in the town of Le Puy-en-Velay is the starting point for the medieval pilgrimage trail to Santiago de Compostella. Le Puy boasts some remarkable historical monuments. The old city is a delightful maze of small streets flanked by tall, pastel-coloured houses.

#### DAYS 15-19 SARLAT & ROCAMADOUR

Sarlat is one of the most famous towns in the Dordogne and one of France's most renowned and visited. It is a beautiful, well-restored village dating back to medieval and renaissance times. It is highly recommended to visit its Saturday markets, where you can sample everything from truffles and foie gras to local cheeses and spicy saucisson. Close by is the sacred village of Rocamadour, which clings precariously to the steep cliffs above the River Also. You can also visit one of Europe's largest chasms, the caves of Gouffre du Padriac, and enjoy a boat ride on an underground river over 100m below the surface.

#### DAYS 20-22 ORADOUR-SUR-GLANE, The Loire

Make your way to Oradour-sur-Glane, the site of one of the worst civilian massacres by the Nazis during WWII. The village has been left exactly as it was on that dark day and is now a museum and memorial. From here, drive north to Blois, with its skyline dominated by its cathedral and famous chateau. We suggest visiting the grand Château de Chambord and the many other chateaux and world-famous vineyards on your free days.

#### DAYS 23-24 BAYEUX & D-DAY BEACHES OF NORMANDY

Your journey continues to the charming, centuries-old town of Bayeux, home to the famous 11th century Bayeux tapestry. The town is the gateway to the D-Day Landing Beaches of Utah, Omaha, Gold, Juno and Sword. Be sure to visit the numerous memorial sites and museums as you explore the windswept shorelines of the Normandy Beaches.

#### DAYS 25-26 HONFLEUR, AMIENS

Start today with a visit to Beuvron-en-Auge, a picture-postcard archetypal Norman village rated as one of the prettiest in France. From here, it's a short drive to Honfleur. Its old port is the subject of numerous paintings by Monet, Boudin & Courbet. With over 1,000 years of history, you'll discover colourful half-timbered houses along with art galleries and restaurants on the quays - an excellent place for lunch! On to the city of Amiens, which lies in the Somme valley. Located nearby is the village of Villers-Bretonneux, a place of historical significance for Australian diggers and home to the Australian National Memorial, which hosts an ANZAC dawn service every year. Further north is Arras, the home of the Wellington Tunnels, a site immersed in memory and emotion with significant ties to the New Zealand Army.

#### DAY 27 RETURN TO PARIS

Leaving Amiens, you return to Paris, return your motorhome, and then transfer from the depot to your Paris airport hotel.

#### DAY 28 HEADING HOME

Sadly, your journey ends today and you will be transferred to the airport to connect with your onward flight.

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The romance and sophistication of Paris Day tour to the opulent Palace of Versailles Wine regions of Champagne, Burgundy and the Loire Annecy, the Venice of the Alps Le Puy-en-Velay, starting point for Santiago de Compostela Pilgrimage Trail The stunning villages of the Dordogne The preserved ruins of Oradour-sur-Glane Visit magnificent chateaux in the Loire Normandy beaches of the D-Day Landings The pretty port of Honfleur National War Memorial at Villers-Bretonneux

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Three nights hotel accommodation in Paris with breakfasts included One night hotel accommodation at Paris CDG airport with breakfast included 24 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (excess applies), roadside assistance, outdoor camping table and chairs 23 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Full day excursion to the fabulous Palace of Versailles

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# 26 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY BELLA ITALIA

Discover the essence of Italy on this tailormade holiday that captures the beauty of the Italian lakes and the breath-taking cities of Verona, Venice and Rome. Visit San Marino and explore the region of Tuscany, including the magnificent cities of Florence and Siena. Your journey ends with the opportunity to enjoy the spectacular scenery of the Cinque Terre National Park.

#### **DAY 1 ARRIVE MILAN**

Transfer to the motorhome depot on arrival in Milan to collect your vehicle. This afternoon, enjoy a short drive to Lake Garda, the largest lake in Italy, which offers both relaxation and numerous activities, including walks and cycling routes to explore the many Roman ruins, medieval castles, caves and stunning waterfalls in the area. Your campsite for the next five nights is located near the village of Moniga. It is an excellent base to explore the pretty towns dotted around the lake.

#### DAYS 2-5 VERONA & ISOLA DEL GARDA

A boat trip to the largest island on the lake, Isola del Garda, is recommended, taking in the beautiful gardens and stunning architecture of the Venetian neo-Gothic style. You may also like to visit the magnificent city of Verona, teeming with Roman history and architecture, or follow the troubled tale of Romeo and Juliet as you meander through majestic alleyways and bustling piazzas. Gaze at the legendary Arena di Verona, one of the best-preserved amphitheatres in Italy, which is still used for open-air opera concerts today.

#### DAYS 6-10 PADUA, VENICE

Venice is only a stone's throw away, but we suggest you enjoy a stop in Padua en route. This Italian city is older than Rome, and, despite its location off the beaten track, it features twice on UNESCO's World Heritage Site list. It not only has a wealthy historical and artistic heritage but is home to fabulous cafés, patisseries and gelaterias. Enjoy a five-night stay near the unique city of Venice, with your campsite providing a great base to explore the city and its surrounding islands. Venice is small and compact, perfect for exploring by foot. Be sure to visit the vast St Mark's square, wonder at the beautiful Doges' Palace (Palazzo Ducale) and marvel at the grand Basilica di San Marco with its impressive Campanile bell tower. Ride a gondola, Vaporetto or ferry up and down the Grand Canal and take a selfie on the Ponte di Rialto, Venice's most famous bridge. Another must is a day trip to the nearby lagoon islands of Murano, Burano and Torcello, known for their brightly coloured houses, picturesque scenery and handicrafts.

#### DAY 11-14 SAN MARINO & MONDAINO

If you appreciate architecture and love good Italian food, you might like to stop at the small city of Bologna, the gastronomic capital of Italy. Then continue south to the landlocked republic of San Marino, one of the world's smallest countries. Situated on a picturesque hillside, your campsite for the next four nights offers spectacular views over the Adriatic Sea. Enjoy time to explore the medieval town of San Marino with its narrow cobbled streets. Admire the impressive Basilica di San Marino and its prominent towers, and ride the cable car to enjoy spectacular views of the Coast. You may also like to enjoy a local excursion to the medieval town of Mondaino to visit the ancient Mill of Porta di Sotto where the famous 'Formaggio di Fossa' or 'pit cheese' is made.

#### DAYS 15-18 ROME

We suggest visiting Perugia, a picturesque Umbrian city, on your travels today. It is celebrated for its magnificent old town, gothic main square and rich local delicacies. If time permits, you might also like to stop at the charming city of Terni, known for its historic architecture, beautiful buildings and surrounding national parks and areas of natural beauty. Arrive at the capital city of Rome and relax in the Italian sunshine. Your campsite for the next four nights is within easy reach of the city. 'The Eternal City' boasts worldfamous sites such as the Colosseum, the Roman Forum and Vatican City. Take in these magnificent structures as well as the Pantheon and the Piazza Venezia.

#### DAYS 19-24 TUSCANY & FLORENCE

Journey into the heart of Tuscany today. Located between Siena and Florence in the Chianti hills, with beautiful views over the Arno Valley, your campsite is ideal for exploring the region. The city of Florence is easily accessible by train. Wonder at the magnificent sites of the Duomo and the Ponte Vecchio bridge and enjoy a delicious lunch at the opulent Palazzo Borghese. There are trips available to the nearby majestic city of Siena and Greve, situated in the heart of the Chianti Classico region. You may even wish to enjoy one of the Tuscan cooking courses or Italian language lessons available at the campsite during your stay.

#### **DAY 25 CINQUE TERRE NATIONAL PARK**

A visit to the much-loved Tuscany city of Lucca is a must. Known for its wellpreserved walls encircling its historic city centre, if you're longing to visit a picture-perfect Italian town, this is it. Later, continue north to the Cinque Terre National Park, characterised by steep hillsides and ancient stone terracing. This unique coastline with cliffside villages perched above crystal clear water is well known for its walking trails. You may wish to extend your stay to explore more of this stunning area at your leisure.

#### DAY 26 RETURN TO MILAN

Sadly, it's the end of your Italian holiday and time to return to Milan and drop off your motorhome. As one of Italy's most fashionable cities, Milan is an excellent place for some last-minute shopping. Should you wish to extend your stay here, simply ask us for options available.



Lake Garda, the largest in Italy The cities of Venice, Verona, Rome and Florence Marvel at the Roman sites in Verona Take a ferry and explore the lagoon islands of Burano, Murano and Torcello Wander around St Marks Square, the Doges Palace and the grand Basilica di San Marco Visit San Marino, one of the world's smallest countries The world-famous sites of Rome including the Colosseum, Pantheon, Trevi Fountain, Spanish Steps and much more Florence with its grand Duomo and famous Uffizi Gallery Stroll through the idyllic Tuscan town of Lucca Enjoy delicious local food and Chianti wine Spectacular Cinque Terre National Park Free time for you to explore at your leisure

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

Arrival and departure transfers between airport and motorhome depot 26 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (excess applies), roadside assistance, GPS, camping table and chairs 25 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Road tolls (if any) Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



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# 23 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY EXPLORE CROATIA & SLOVENIA

Experience the beauty and history of Slovenia and Croatia, two stunning and relatively undiscovered destinations. Steeped in history and boasting some of the finest Roman ruins in Europe, Croatia offers a charming mix of traditional coastal towns, medieval villages and clusters of tiny islands. Combine this with the breathtaking alpine scenery of Slovenia, and a fantastic holiday awaits you.

#### **DAYS 1-2 ARRIVE ZAGREB**

Zagreb is the capital of Croatia and is one of the oldest cities in Central Europe. We'll transfer you to your centrally located downtown hotel for a two-night stay on arrival. With a choice of over almost 100 museums, theatres, galleries, and art collections, make sure you take the opportunity to soak up the incredible history of this charming city. Sample traditional cuisine in the renowned restaurants of the old town or enjoy a coffee amongst classic facades and the stunning Neo-Gothic architecture.

#### DAYS 3-5 LAKE BLED

Collect your motorhome this morning, then travel across the border into Slovenia to the magical alpine resort of Lake Bled, an emerald lake surrounded by mountains. Located on the edge of the Triglav National Park, it has all the ingredients for the perfect getaway; a castle perched high on a hillside, a pretty little island to visit, hiking and cycle trails, and secluded swimming pools. Take a walk around the lake or enjoy a horse-drawn carriage ride. Take the well-worn path to Bled Castle, perched on a prominent rocky outcrop offering spectacular views over the lake and surrounding area, for something a little more challenging. There are plenty of activities to enjoy in this region.

#### DAYS 6-7 PIVKA JAMA, POSTOJAMA Cave & Predjama Castle

Less than an hour's drive from Lake Bed is Ljubljana, the modern capital of Slovenia. It is well worth a visit in order to immerse yourself in Renaissance, Baroque, and Art Nouveau architecture; take a stroll along the river or head up to Ljubljana Castle, which has been standing on a hill for over 900 years. Stretching from the Alps to the Adriatic coast is the picturesque Karst region, with pretty olive groves and thousands of spectacular underground caves. The world-famous Postojna and Skocjan caves are well worth a visit. Guided tours by special cave trains take you through extensive rock formations underground.

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#### DAYS 8-11 ISTRIA PENINSULA

Cross the border back into Croatia today and head to the heart-shaped peninsula of Istria in the north. The picturesque town of Rovinj is full of charming, colourful streets and glorious sunsets. You'll feel like you are in Italy with its historical links to the Venetian empire. Your campsite for the next four nights is located just south of Poreč. Several exciting excursions are available from here, including fishing, picnic boat excursions, and day trips to Venice and Brijuni National Park.

#### DAYS 12-15 KORNATI NATIONAL PARK

Travel inland to Rijeka, then head south along the Adriatic coast to Šibenik, gateway to the Kornati Islands. Your campsite for the next four nights is located directly on the beach. It is the ideal location to explore the surrounding area. We recommend you visit the old town of Trogir, a World Heritage site set within medieval walls on a tiny island linked by a bridge to the mainland. Another highlight is a trip to the Krka National Park. Often regarded as one of the most beautiful regions of Croatia, the Krka River meanders through a deep canyon forming beautiful waterfalls which can be enjoyed from boardwalks accessed by boats that leave from Skradin

#### DAYS 16-18 DUBROVNIK

The historic old walled city of Dubrovnik overlooks the Adriatic Sea. Often referred to as the 'Pearl of the Adriatic,' entire streets and buildings have been perfectly planned to preserve its 7th century atmosphere. Once a powerful trading port during medieval times, Dubrovnik is steeped in stunning architecture and is home to spectacular churches, monasteries, museums, and fountains. Located on the quiet green peninsula of Babin Kuk, your campsite is only a 10-minute ride from the historic centre of town and is close to the beach.

#### DAYS 19-20 SPLIT

The largest city on the Adriatic coast, Split is home to the impressive Diocletian's Palace (another UNESCO World Heritage site) and is often regarded as one of the most beautiful cities in the Mediterranean, where stunning Roman architecture sits amongst the white walls of the city. The islands of Brac, Hvar, Vis and Korcula, renowned for their lively fishing villages and pristine beaches, are easily accessible by ferry. Your campsite is located at the convergence of the Adriatic and the Cetina River, with a superb rocky backdrop and views of the island of Brac. The picturesque town of Omis is only 800m from the campsite, offering bars, restaurants and shopping.

#### DAYS 21-22 PLITVICE NATIONAL PARK

A haven for outdoor enthusiasts, Plitvice Lakes National Park is an area of exceptional natural beauty, known for its 16 terraced lakes interconnected with a series of waterfalls that extend into a limestone canyon. It is set in a deep woodland populated by deer, bears, wolves, boars and rear bird species. Enjoy a free day exploring the park at your leisure.

#### **DAY 23 ZAGREB**

Time to farewell Croatia today as you head back to Zagreb to return your motorhome and transfer to the airport for your onward journey.



Vibrant cities of Zagreb and Ljubljana Historical old town in the city of Zagreb The stunning scenery of Lake Bled Triglav National Park Postojama Caves & Predjama Castle Istria Peninsula & Kornati National Park Visit Rovinj, Pula and the Roman amphitheatre Spectacular waterfalls of Plitvice Lakes and Krka National Parks Historic walled city of Dubrovnik UNESCO World Heritage sites of Split & Trogir Sample the amazing variety of traditional cuisine

Free time to explore and discover at your leisure

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Zagreb with breakfast included

21 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (excess applies), roadside assistance, GPS, camping table and chairs.

20 nights in pre-booked campsites with electricity included

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# CAMPSITES & Motorhomes

With thousands of campsites throughout Europe, planning your itinerary can be a little daunting. We have set out some options for you below but feel free to ask our specialists for assistance. Pre-booking is recommended in some regions, especially if you're travelling during the northern hemisphere summer.

#### **CARAVAN AND MOTORHOME CLUB APPROVED SITES**

The Club works with over 300 of the best sites across Europe. These sites have been hand-picked, inspected and approved by our contracting team so we have 100% confidence in recommending them to you. They range from smaller, family-owned campsites to larger resortstyle complexes with a wide range of facilities.

#### **COMMERCIAL CAMPSITES**

Europe has a wide range of campsites to choose from and our parent company, Alan Rogers UK, provide access to over 8,000 independent campsites across the UK & Europe, giving us plenty of options to offer you. Speak to our team for more details.

#### **FREE CAMPING**

Whilst Free Camping (or Wild Camping) is discouraged and is illegal in some countries, a great low-cost alternative is Aires. Most Aires should be considered more of a convenient stop rather than a holiday park as they are mostly public parking areas or privately-owned land with no amenities where you can stay overnight for free or a small charge.

#### FERRY AND EUROTUNNEL SERVICES

If you're looking to start and finish your holiday in the UK, our connections with all major ferry operators and Eurotunnel ensure you'll be offered best deals and widest range of options. With sailings to France, Spain, the Netherlands and Belgium, we can get you a head start to your touring holiday. It does pay to book early though as low fares can be snapped up quickly.



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The cultural and natural diversity of Europe makes it the perfect road trip destination, with the region well set up for touring by motorhome. Travelling between countries is easy; the most difficult decision you will have is deciding what route to take!

We work with several motorhome operators throughout Europe, so the choice of vehicles on offer is expansive, with depots located in dozens of countries and cities. We are happy to recommend and discuss your options with you to ensure you hire the right vehicle to suit your travel requirements.



**COMPACT PLUS** 



FAMILY STANDARD



NIGHT & DAY LAYOUT

This compact and practical, semiintegrated 2-berth motorhome measures 6.6m in length. It offers a comfortable lounging area, a choice of bed configurations, bicycle rack, an awning to enjoy the great outdoors and is perfect for an easy getaway.

Available in double or twin configuration.



NIGHT & DAY LAYOUT

At just over 7.3m long, this modern and stylish 4-berth motorhome is great for a couple seeking plenty of space, yet it can comfortably sleep up to four people. A great choice if you want to stretch out and enjoy each other's company but not live in each other's pockets.

Available in double or twin configuration.



**COMFORT LUXURY** 



NIGHT & DAY LAYOUT

This fully-intergrated motorhome is ideal for long distance journeys and can sleep up to for people. For those wanting the ultimate luxury of space, this is the motorhome for you.

Available in double or twin configuration.



PREMIUM PLUS





NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

This Dethleffs 8.6m motorhome sleeps six people and is indeed a premium vehicle. However, as it is over the 3500kg permissible weight limit, drivers must have an appropriate driving license.

Please note that vehicle specifications are subject to change and may vary dependent on country or city of hire. Images and floorplans are intended as a guide only and we cannot guarantee exact layouts. McRent vehicles cannot be requested by make or model, only by vehicle type.

# CANADA

For a trip of a lifetime, look no further than a holiday in Canada. Brimming with spectacular natural beauty, you will enjoy sophisticated, cosmopolitan cities and soaring mountains surrounded by majestic forests, lakes and waterfalls. Canada offers a world of wonder for nature lovers. Explore the vast wilderness of the Yukon, marvel at the Great Lakes and the splendour of the Canadian Rockies, listen to the thunder of Horseshoe Falls and discover the Athabasca Glacier.

### **DRIVING TIPS**

Vehicles drive on the right-hand side of the road in Canada. Most Canadian roads are generally well developed, and the lack of traffic makes driving very enjoyable. As the world's second-largest country, driving distances can be large, so be sure to plan your trip with this in mind. Within Canada, laws, signage and provincial rules vary across the country. Road signs and speed limits are all posted in km/h.

THE CANDIAN ROCKIES GREAT PARKS & LAKES OF Western Canada The Maritimes - Canada's Hidden gem

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# 24 DAY ESCORTED TOUR THE CANADIAN ROCKIES

The Rocky Mountains are home to ice-capped peaks and vast glaciers in Alberta and British Columbia. Keep your eyes peeled for the indigenous wildlife, including bears, wolves, moose and coyotes. You will experience pristine blue lakes, alpine meadows, and the beautiful resorts of Banff, Jasper and Whistler. Your experience tour guides will ensure you experience the best of the region and return home with lifelong memories.

#### DAYS 1-2 CALGARY

Calgary has a rich western heritage as Canada's 'Cowtown' We recommend taking in the views from the Calgary Tower Observation Deck or stepping back in time at the Heritage Park Historical Village.

#### **DAYS 3-5 BANFF**

On day three, you'll pick up your RV and begin your journey with the drive to Banff. Located in the heart of the Rocky Mountains, you'll be able to explore Banff and its surroundings at your leisure. You'll have plenty of time to see the sights, including Lake Minnewanka, the Vermilion Lakes and Johnston Canyon. Sulphur Mountain is worth a visit, and here you can dip in the hot pools or take the gondola to the top of the mountain.

#### **DAYS 6-7 JASPER**

The Icefields Parkway is often considered the world's most spectacular road. Running 230km from Lake Louise to Jasper, it features the best of Rocky Mountain scenery, with cascading rivers, high mountain passes, alpine glaciers, snowy peaks and crystal clear turquoise lakes. Along the way keep an eye out for black bears, deer and coyotes. Stop whenever you can and drink in the views – highlights include the Crowfoot Glacier, Peyto Lake and Lake Louise. Jasper National Park is jaw droppingly wild and beautiful.

#### **DAYS 8-9 WELLS GRAY NATIONAL PARK**

The Yellowhead Highway leads you through Mount Robson Provincial Park, home of the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies. Continue through the high jagged peaks and glaciers of the Cariboo Mountains to Clearwater, then on to Wells Gray Provincial Park. Immerse vourself in the natural surroundings. The wildlife found here is exceptional and includes grizzlies, moose, caribou, wolves and cougars. Don't miss Dawson and Spahats Falls and especially Helmcken Falls, which plunges 140 metres down into a mistfilled abyss which, in winter, freezes into a pinnacle of ice.

#### DAYS 10-11 SUN PEAKS

Continue south along Highway 5 today following the North Thompson River. Sun Peaks is Canada's second largest ski area and during the summer its lifts transport you up to spectacular views and stunning hiking and biking trails. In addition there are golf courses, spas and riding stables to keep you busy.

#### DAYS 12 CACHE CREEK

The craggy peaks give way to desertlike terrain as you approach Kamloops, once a stopping point for fur traders and frontiersmen. On to Cache Creek, also built on the fur trade and gold digging. Some say the town took its name when travellers hid their gold 'cache' along the riverbanks, others say it was merely a storage facility for furs and supplies. The Historic Hat Creek Ranch is a popular visit, allowing an insight into life during the Gold Rush days.

#### DAYS 13-14 WHISTLER

Drive up through the stunning Coastal Mountains heading to Whistler today. Be sure to pause for sensational views, none more so than at Duffey and Joffre Lakes. Whistler is known for world class skiing, but summer is a great time to visit this gorgeous town amid its mountainous alpine surroundings. Take the Peak 2 Peak Gondola for a bird's eye view of the amazing mountain scenery with magnificent hiking and biking trails laced across the slopes.

#### DAYS 15-16 VANCOUVER

A day for unforgettable, spectacular views along Highway 99 to Vancouver. The scenic Sea to Sky Highway runs along the shores of the Pacific Ocean and there are plenty of sights along the way. Aside from the Sea to Sky Gondola at Squamish, a cable car which takes you 7.5 km up for 360° views, there are beautiful waterfalls, hiking trails, craft breweries and amazing seascapes. The Capilano Suspension Bridge and Grouse Mountain, both just outside Vancouver, are amazing. Take a full day to get to know Vancouver, taking in Chinatown, Gastown and Granville Island Public Market. Perhaps hire bikes and cycle around Stanley Park.

#### DAYS 17-18 OKANAGAN VALLEY

Cruise along the Crowsnest Pass (Highway 3) today all the way east to the British Columbia-Alberta border in the Rockies. Stop and stroll among the hills and valleys of beautiful Manning Park with its crashing rivers and serene meadows. Visit Oliver, the wine capital of Canada, to take a winery tour. Discover the best of Canadian wines and, of course, enjoy a tasting or pick up a sample of two.

#### DAYS 19-20 REVELSTOKE

Head north along the shores of the picturesque Okanagan Lake where you can enjoy the scenic views of the Okanagan Valley. Stop in Kelowna and explore the attractive centre beside the lake, before proceeding to Vernon and stepping back in time at the Historic O'Keefe Ranch. Visit the Revelstoke Dam, paddle a canoe on the lake or simply cruise along the Meadows in the Sky Parkway up to the summit of Mount Revelstoke for unforgettable views.

#### DAYS 21-22 RADIUM HOT SPRINGS

Passing through the sublime Mount Revelstoke National Park, you'll continue along the Trans-Canada Highway that skirts around towering mountains and glaciers to Glacier National Park. Radium Hot Springs offers soothing thermal spring water, naturally heated underground to 44 degrees Celsius.

#### **DAY 23 KANANASKIS**

Passing through Kootenay National Park you'll come across many easy hiking trails, viewpoints, hot springs and handy picnic areas. You'll also cross the Continental Divide. Kananaskis is comprised of over ten provincial parks and wildlife reserves and is a wildlife haven for bear, moose, elk, mountain goats and sheep. From here you'll descend from the Rockies and re-enter the Great Plains.

#### DAY 24 CALGARY

It's time to return your RV at the depot and transfer on the shuttle back to Calgary airport for your onward journey.



Discover the rich western heritage of Calgary Resort town of Banff and Lake Minnewanka Soak in the hot pools of Sulphur Mountain The Icefields Parkway, the world's most spectacular road Stunning Lake Louise Jasper National Park and Maligne Lake The waterfalls of Wells Gray Provincial Park Cache Creek – an original 'fur town' The Sea-to-Sky Highway to Vancouver Whistler with its Peak 2 Peak Gondola The Okanagan Valley, famous for its wines Radium Hot Springs and the Glacier National Park UNESCO-listed Canadian Rocky Mountain Parks

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to & from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Calgary with breakfasts included 22 days Fraserway C-Small RV hire including unlimited

kms, Collision Damage Waiver (excess applies), Preparation Fee, linen and bedding, camping chairs, table 21 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Locally guided by experienced Canadian guides Welcome Dinner BBQ Dinner National Park Fees

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# 27 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY GREAT PARKS & LAKES OF WESTERN CANADA

Carefully created to showcase the spectacular national parks and lakes of the Canadian Rockies, this magnificent journey will take you through towering mountain passes, glaciers and forests. Relax in gentle, lush valleys festooned with vineyards and hot springs and experience the sheer majesty of Glacier, Banff and Jasper National Parks.

#### **DAYS 1-3 ARRIVE VANCOUVER**

Vancouver is a cosmopolitan delight, a gateway to the stunning snow-capped mountains and a city full of interest. Take to the friendly streets on foot or catch a hop-on/hop-off bus, maybe stopping off at Canada Place, Jack Pool Plaza and Stanley Park where you can hire bikes and pedal through the temperate rainforest and the adjoining 8 km seawall.

#### **DAYS 4-5 VICTORIA**

Collect your motorhome and catch the ferry heading across the Strait of Georgia to Vancouver Island. On the island perhaps stop at Butchart Gardens where you can admire the beautiful flowers and gardens. Take the time to wander around Victoria's inner harbour with the surrounding Parliament Buildings and the Empress Hotel.

#### DAY 6 NANAIMO

Cruising along Malahat Drive you'll enjoy the mesmerizing views out over the Pacific. Coombs is a popular option, famous for its country market known locally as 'the Goats on the Roof' for the goats which graze on its grassy roof.

#### **DAYS 7-8 UCLUELET**

Weave through the timeless Douglas fir trees of the stately Cathedral Grove or stroll along the beach to see the ancient stone carvings in the rock face - the petroglyphs are up to 3,000 years old. There's plenty to do from the small village of Ukee. Wildlife abounds and you can go whale watching or bear watching, fishing, surfing, hiking, biking, ocean kayaking or zip lining. Nearby in Tofino you can explore the Pacific Rim and Long Beach.

#### **DAY 9 PARKSVILLE**

Heading north up Highway 19A to Parksville, you'll be able to take it easy on the lovely sandy beaches, notably the wondrous shoreline and picture postcard views at Qualicum Beach.

#### DAYS 10-11 WHISTLER

Return to the mainland by ferry and cruise along the sensational Sea-to-Sky Highway of the Pacific Coast as you make your way to Whistler. Summer is a great time to visit this gorgeous town amid its mountainous alpine surroundings. Take the Peak 2 Peak Gondola for a bird's eye view of the amazing mountain scenery.

#### DAY 12 LILLOOET

Follow the sensational Duffey Lake Road through the beautiful Coast Mountains, with its combination of volcanic and nonvolcanic peaks as you make your way to Lillooet for an overnight stop.

#### DAYS 13-14 WELLS GRAY NATIONAL PARK

Today you'll get a real feel for British Columbia's historic gold rush, following stretches of the original Cariboo Wagon Road that was trodden by thousands of pioneers in the 1860s. From there you'll continue through the high jagged peaks and glaciers of the Cariboo Mountains to Clearwater and on to Wells Gray Provincial Park. Immerse yourself in natural surroundings, with pounding waterfalls, guided walks, hiking trails and kayaking.

#### DAYS 15-16 JASPER

Stop off at the amazing Rearguard Falls before carrying on through Mount Robson Provincial Park, home of the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies. Jasper National Park is jaw-droppingly wild and beautiful, it is immense in every sense, with unique wildlife, vast icefields and desolate expanses. Cruise along Maligne Lake, admire the alpine meadows and Mount Edith Cavell glacier, a carpet of colourful wildflowers in spring.

#### DAYS 17-18 BANFF

The Icefields Parkway is often considered the world's most spectacular road. Linking Jasper to Lake Louise, it features the best of Rocky Mountain scenery, with cascading rivers, high mountain passes, alpine glaciers and crystal clear turquoise lakes. In Banff we recommend visiting Lake Minnewanka, the Vermillion Lakes, Bow Falls, Johnston Canyon and Sulphur Mountain, plus enjoy a dip in the hot pools.

#### DAY 19 REVELSTOKE

Cruise along the deep canyons of Kicking Horse Pass and head into Yoho National Park where you'll want to see Wapta Falls and Emerald Lake. Pick up the Trans-Canada Highway and drive through dizzying snow-capped mountains and glaciers en route to Glacier National Park where the surrounding scenery is sensational.

#### DAYS 20-21 OKANAGAN VALLEY

Driving south beside stunning lakes and through rolling hills you'll reach the picturesque Okanagan Valley, where a milder climate ensures a reputation for fine wines and numerous fruit orchards. Over 60 wineries can be found in the valley, many offering a chance to enjoy a tour and a tasting.

#### DAYS 22-23 MANNING PROVINCAL PARK

Follow the majestic Crowsnest Highway westwards, with the mountains towering above you on either side. The Cascade Mountains of Manning Provincial Park are home to a range of wildlife including black bear, coyote, marmot, beaver, chipmunks and deer, not to mention more than 190 species of birds.

#### DAYS 24-25 HARRISON HOT SPRINGS

Make sure you visit the Bridal Veil Falls Provincial Park where the 60 metre falls cascade down a smooth rock face, creating a watery veil. At Harrison Hot Springs you'll find plenty to do. The lake is fringed with delightful beaches, you can take a boat out or trek into the surrounding mountains. And, of course, you can soak away any aches and pains in the mineral rich hot springs.

#### **DAYS 26-27 VANCOUVER**

Say goodbye to the epic natural wilderness of Canada's interior. You will have a last chance to see the sights of Vancouver. On day 27 hand back your motorhome at the depot and transfer to the airport. The end of a truly memorable journey.



Explore the cosmopolitan city of Vancouver Vancouver Island and the Butchart Gardens Ucluelet for whale watching and bear viewing Drive the sensational 'Sea-to-Sky' Highway The outdoor paradise that is Whistler Wells Gray Provincial Park Lake Louise and the scenic Icefields Parkway Spectacular alpine resorts of Jasper and Banff Walk on the ice of the Athabasca Glacier Okanagan Valley and its wineries Take the Crowsnest Highway to Manning Provisional Park Relax at Harrison Hot Springs View the amazing Capilano Suspension Bridge

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to & from the motorhome depot Three nights hotel accommodation in Vancouver with breakfasts included

24 days Fraserway C-Medium RV hire including unlimited kms, Collision Damage Waiver (excess applies), Preparation Fee, linen and bedding, camping chairs, table 23 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites All ferry crossings

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## 22 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY THE MARITIMES -CANADA'S HIDDEN GEM

Experience some of the most dramatic coastal scenery in the world as you journey through the Maritime provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. Explore craggy inlets, idyllic harbours and white sand beaches while enjoying some of the finest lobster & seafood around. Step back in time in this pioneer country while immersing yourself in this pristine environment.

#### **DAYS 1-2 ARRIVE HALIFAX**

Halifax is tiny compared to Vancouver and Toronto but has plenty of charm with its heritage buildings, attractive parks and the distinctive hilltop citadel, a star-shaped fort that was completed in the 1950s.

#### DAY 3 PEGGY'S COVE

Collect your motorhome and take the Lighthouse Route along to Peggy's Cove on St Margaret's Bay where the jaunty white-with-a-red-cap lighthouse stands resolute on a granite cliff.

#### **DAYS 4-5 LUNENBURG**

Today is a day for cruising along the scenic Lighthouse Route passing sandy beaches and gazing out to beautiful bays sprinkled with picturesque islands. The craggy coastline shelters little fishing villages like Mahone Bay with its jaunty Victorian buildings. The Nova Scotia fishing port of Lunenburg is a must-see stop off point on the South Shore.

#### **DAY 6-7 GRANVILLE FERRY**

Cross the LaHave River heading toward Kejimkujik National Park, a vast area of pristine wilderness in the heart of Nova Scotia, with lush forests, island dotted lakes and meandering rivers.

#### DAY 8 GRAND PRÉ

Travel up to Hall's Harbour on the Bay of Fundy, a picturesque natural harbour with one of the world's highest tides. It's also an amazing place to enjoy the seaside atmosphere of a lobster fishing port and, yes, to tuck into amazing lobster. The Grand Pré National Historic Site is a UNESCO World Heritage site, celebrated as a centre where you can learn about the Acadian people.

#### DAY 9 FIVE ISLANDS

Drive around the Minas Basin on the Bay of Fundy to Five Island Provincial Park. With 300ft high cliffs rising majestically from the rocky shores, and some of the world's highest tides, a dramatic backdrop is assured for your stay here.

#### DAYS 10-11 FUNDY NATIONAL PARK

Head along the gorgeous beaches and lighthouse of Parrsboro and on to Joggins Fossil Cliffs, another UNESCO World Heritage Site, where the cliffs preserve some of the world's most important fossils. Fundy National Park offers hiking trails to suit all abilities, with some following the shoreline and others threading through the ancient forests or to stunning, secluded waterfalls.

#### DAYS 12-13 PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Start today with a visit to Hopewell Rocks, a great place to explore during low tide. Then cross Confederation Bridge to Canada's smallest and least populated province, Prince Edward Island. Charlotteville is the picturesque provincial capital, with an attractive blend of leafy streets, colourful houses and bustling boardwalks.

#### DAY 14 PICTOU

Take the morning at your leisure and explore Prince Edward Island before catching the ferry to Pictou, Nova Scotia in the afternoon. There you can stroll along the historic waterfront, admire the original Scottish architecture, the wild beaches, excellent trails, browse the museums and be tempted by the seafood restaurants.

#### DAY 15 CHÉTICAMP

Follow the Ceilidh Trail, a scenic trail which snakes along the west coast of Cape Breton Island providing stunning views across the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The trail ends in Margaree Harbour where it meets the Cabot Trail, an epic road that loops and dives around the north of Cape Breton.

#### DAYS 16-17 INGONISH

This is a 115km stretch of the wild Cabot Trail, climbing through the stunning Cape Breton Highlands National Park from where you are rewarded with sensational mountain views and ocean vistas. Expect cliff-hugging roads, rolling hills and pretty villages along this route. Ingonish is a good place to stop, with seafood highly recommended and a whale watching cruise a popular activity.

#### DAY 18 BADDECK

It's a good day to enjoy the local wildlife in its spectacular natural habitat. Take a ferry trip to Bird Islands where you can see puffins and various sea birds, as well as seals and bald eagles.

#### DAY 19 LOUISBOURG

Louisbourg is a remote spot out on the coast. The main draw here, apart from the sheer unspoilt scenery, is the Fortress of Louisbourg, a National Historic Site. This living museum is the largest historical reconstruction in North America of a 1700s French garrison town.

#### **DAY 20 SHERBROOKE**

Head along the south shore of Bras d'Or Lake, pausing to visit St. Peter's Canal Historic Site. Here you can discover how the canal has linked the Atlantic Ocean and the Bras d'Or Lake for over 140 years. This region of Nova Scotia is wonderfully untamed, a nature lover's paradise with miles of hiking trails and lots of wildlife.

#### **DAY 21 DARTMOUTH**

The shoreline is distinctive for the wildness of its coastline, with working fishing ports and endless ribbons of spotless beach stretching to the horizon. Perhaps relax with an al fresco picnic at Marie Joseph Provincial Park or unwind with a stroll along the 3 mile white sand beach of Martinique Beach Provincial Park.

#### **DAY 22 DEPART HALIFAX**

Time to drop off your motorhome at the depot and take the shuttle to Halifax airport for your onward journey.



Explore the charming and historic city of Halifax Peggy's Cove and its famous lighthouse Enjoy hiking in the Fundy National Park Canada's smallest province, Prince Edward Island Follow the scenic Ceilidh Trail The wild Cabot Trail Cape Breton Highlands National Park Fortress of Louisbourg, a National Historic site Bras d'Or Lake UNESCO World Heritage Sites of Joggins Fossil Cliffs, Grand-Pré and Old Town Lunenburg

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to & from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Halifax with breakfasts included

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## CAMPSITES & MOTORHOMES

There are a huge number of campgrounds located throughout Canada. Most of the state-owned camping grounds are generously proportioned, and the sites are well spread out. Another option is private camping grounds which are usually more luxurious. If you are travelling during peak periods, we recommend you pre-book at least your first few nights stay in advance, and if you're a little unsure about backing your RV into place, we suggest booking a 'Pull-Thru RV Site', which will allow you to drive in one way and pull out the other when you leave.

#### PARKS CANADA

Parks Canada offers different types of campgrounds offering various levels of amenities and service. Staying inside the National Parks means the park is on your doorstep, allowing you to spend more of your time enjoying everything the parks have to offer.

#### **CANADA CAMPING**

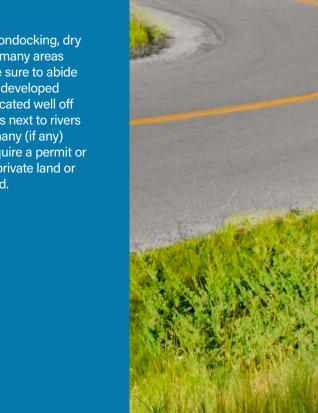
From lakeside resorts to wilderness and family campgrounds, the Canadian Camping and RV Council can help you find a campground by province, specific amenities and much more!

#### **FREE CAMPING**

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Free camping in Canada is known as boondocking, dry camping or wild camping and is legal in many areas of Canada but prohibited in others, so be sure to abide by all the local laws. These are largely undeveloped areas of Crown land that are generally located well off the main roads, often down bumpy tracks next to rivers and lakes and don't tend to come with many (if any) facilities. Non-Canadian citizens may require a permit or pay a small fee to freecamp. Staying on private land or overnighting in rest stops is not permitted.

♀ AUTUMN HIGHWAY, JASPER



Canada is the second-largest country in the world and is a popular destination for self-drive motorhome holidays. Depots are located in numerous cities across Canada.

There are many motorhome brands offering a huge choice of vehicles and sizes. Below is just a small sample of the many types of Campervans and RVs available. We are happy to discuss your options to ensure you hire the right vehicle to suit your needs and budget.



FRASERWAY TRUCK CAMPER



**FRASERWAY C-SMALL** 



NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT





NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

The Truck Camper is the perfect choice for the couple with a desire for outdoor adventure and indoor luxury. This fuel efficient, diesel 4x4 measures approx. 7.3m in length and comes with solar panel, awning, and slide-out.

This is a small motorhome perfect for couples but can sleep three people. At just over 6m in length and 2.3m width, and with an automatic gearbox, cruise control and air-conditioning, you'll enjoy a most comfortable experience.



**FRASERWAY C-MEDIUM** 





NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

At 7.2m long and 2.5m wide, this modern and stylish motorhome is great for a couple seeking plenty of space, yet it can comfortably sleep up to five people. It boasts a reversing camera, solar panels, air-conditioning and awning.

FRASERWAY C-EXTRA LARGE





NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

This is the perfect large family unit and can sleep up to 6 people. With an overall length of 9.1m, this RV has all the conveniences you'll need for your get-away including an awning and a slide-out that extends to create even more space. Fraserway also offer the fully integrated A-Class motorhome for those seeking the ultimate in luxury and space.

# USA

From towering Redwoods, breathtaking canyons, iconic routes and dazzling cities, few places can deliver the variety and excitement that a US road trip does. The USA is a tourer's dream destination, made even more enjoyable by the warm American hospitality you'll be greeted with along the way. With National Parks to die for, blissful beaches to unwind on and thrilling cities to excite the senses, nowhere else offers you quite the same sublime and ridiculous mix of experiences.

### **DRIVING TIPS**

America has an excellent highway system making it easy to drive vast distances from state to state. You'll drive on the right-hand side of the road in the USA, and speed limits and distances are shown in miles, not kilometres. Wide-open roads will comfortably carry you to some of the most extraordinary great outdoors you can imagine, but with different laws in different states, you should always be aware of signs and other posted regulations.

### CALIFORNIA CALLING Colours of New England Best of Alaska

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# 24 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY CALIFORNIA CALLING

Experience the highlights of California and the great natural spectacles of Sequoia, Kings Canyon and Yosemite National Parks. Explore Hollywood & the beaches of LA, travel through Nevada adding a touch of sparkle in Las Vegas and visit the cosmopolitan city of San Francisco before driving the Pacific Coast Highway, one of the world's greatest driving routes.

#### **DAYS 1-3 ARRIVE LOS ANGELES**

You will be met on arrival at the airport and transferred to your city hotel for a three-night stay. LA has so much to offer from the Santa Monica Pier at the very end of Route 66 to Venice Beach, perfect for a bike ride. Take an open top bus tour, stopping at the Hollywood Walk of Fame, the Chinese Theatre and Rodeo Drive or head out to Disneyland and Universal Studios.

#### **DAYS 4-5 JOSHUA TREE NATIONAL PARK**

Transfer to the motorhome depot this morning for a full handover of your vehicle. Having collected your RV, travel east to Joshua Tree, stopping for a break at exotic Palm Springs in the Sonoran Desert. Joshua Tree National Park is famed for its signature trees and unique geological wonders that rise from the desert floor. The skies are vast, the scenery is epic, the sunsets incredible (especially from Keys View), so follow one of the many trails and enjoy a taste of unspoilt natural wilderness.

#### DAYS 6-7 KINGMAN

Heading east you'll pass Vidal Junction where you can branch off and visit Lake Havasu City to see the original London Bridge, famously bought in 1968 and relocated here, stone by stone. Kingman is a key port of call on the iconic Route 66. The town is stuffed with vintage Americana and great diners while the Route 66 Museum brings it all to life.

#### **DAYS 8-9 LAS VEGAS**

Enjoy two nights of colourful, over-thetop, fabulous experiences in Vegas. See a spectacular show, try your luck in a casino, or simply stroll down the 'Strip' and take it all in. At night, soak up the eye-popping exuberance of this unique city with all its glittering lights and eniov the famous fountain show at the Bellagio Hotel. Vegas also offers a great opportunity to treat yourself to a once in a lifetime helicopter trip to experience the majesty of the mighty Grand Canyon. There are numerous flightseeing options available including excursions to view the more remote North Rim, Grand Canyon Village and the deepest and widest parts of the South Rim. An exhilarating helicopter tour is the perfect addition to any Vegas getaway!

#### DAYS 10-11 CALICO

Skirt along the northern edge of the starkly atmospheric Mojave National Preserve, home to rugged canyons, sweeping sand dunes and expanses of wildflowers. This is a wild place of natural beauty, vastly different from the city life in Vegas. Calico is a former mining town that today is a ghost town, full of memories of glory days, complete with original buildings slowly weathering away, as well as modern structures that tell the story of this evocative place.

#### DAYS 12-13 SEQUOIA NATIONAL PARK

Music fans will enjoy a stop at Bakersfield to learn how the 'Bakersfield sound' was born in the 1950s – a genre of country music influenced by early rock and roll with electric instruments and pronounced backbeat. Sequoia National Park lies in the Sierra Nevada Mountains and is named after its towering trees, some of them among the oldest and most immense living organisms on the planet. The General Sherman Tree is 84 metres tall (almost Big Ben's height) and well over 2,500 years old.

#### DAYS 14-15 YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK

Fresno in California's San Joaquin Valley is home to the Shinzen Japanese Gardens and is a base for visiting Yosemite National Park, one of North America's greatest natural monuments. The park features magnificent waterfalls, deep valleys, serene meadows, giant sequoias and glacial peaks. Highlights include Yosemite Falls (North America's tallest), the more accessible Bridalveil Falls, El Capitan, Half Dome, Wawona Tunnel View (made famous by the iconic Ansel Adams photograph). All utterly breath-taking.

#### DAYS 16-18 SAN FRANCISCO

With three nights here, there's plenty to see in this cosmopolitan, friendly bay city. Alcatraz is a fascinating must-see, as is Golden Gate Park with its fabulous museums. Fisherman's Wharf, Union Square and Chinatown are all places you'll enjoy. Why not hire a bike and cycle across the Golden Gate Bridge to visit picturesque Sausalito before hopping on the ferry back to the sensational San Francisco waterfront.

#### DAYS 19-20 MOSS LANDING

Leave San Francisco and follow the coast south on the legendary Pacific Coast Highway. Pause at Santa Cruz, stroll along its famous wharf and along Pacific Avenue, lined with vintage clothing boutiques, enticing cafés and galleries. Moss Landing is one of California's most important wetland reserves, a sanctuary for countless species. Take a nature cruise or perhaps a kayak and spot sea otters, seals and sea lions.

#### DAYS 21-22 MORRO BAY

Follow the Pacific Highway around sensational Monterey Bay, explore historic Monterey with its world famous aquarium and John Steinbeck connections, as well as chic Carmel with its coffee shops and gorgeous beach. Venture along 17 Mile Drive for spectacular seascapes before heading out on to California Highway 1, surely one of the world's most exhilarating drives. Cross the iconic Bixby Bridge and cruise through Big Sur where the mountains plunge down into the Pacific surf. Morro Bay is a coastal city with a distinctive landmark in the form of the huge Morro Rock that overlooks lagoons, cheerful sailing boats and wonderful beaches.

#### DAYS 23-24 LOS ANGELES

Santa Barbara is delightful stop on the way to LA with excellent beaches, elegant wineries and the Santa Barbara Mission dating from 1786. There is an eclectic array of restaurants and a stroll along Stearns Wharf, looking back at the red tile roofs of this charming city with its Spanish heritage, is a must. Take a last chance to savour the California sun before handing back the keys of the RV on day 24 and transferring to the airport for your onward journey and the end of a truly memorable trip.



Explore Los Angeles, the 'City of Angels' Tour Hollywood and wander around Rodeo Drive Joshua Tree National Park Kingman and the Route 66 Museum Las Vegas, the 'Entertainment Capital of the World' Visit Calico Ghost Town The towering trees of Sequoia National Park UNESCO World Heritage site of Yosemite National Park Enjoy the sights of San Francisco Drive the famed Pacific Coast Highway Monterey Bay and the famous 17 Mile Drive

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Three nights 4-star hotel accommodation in Los Angeles 21 days Cruise America Compact RV hire including: Unlimited kms, Statutory Liability Cover, Supplemental Liability Insurance, VIP Coverage (\$1,500 deductible per incident), Personal and Vehicle Provisions kits 20 nights pre-booked, powered Campgrounds Personalised road book with travel tips, local information and day-to-day driving itinerary

#### EXCLUSIONS

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature e.g. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



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# 25 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY COLOURS OF NEW ENGLAND

New England showcases the most beautiful assets each season has offer. Located in the north-east of the United States , New England combines the states of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island. September & October is the most popular time to visit to appreciate the vibrant autumn foliage set against the brilliant blue ocean.

#### **DAYS 1-3 ARRIVE NEW YORK**

Located in one of the largest natural harbours in the world, New York is truly the city that never sleeps. On arrival you will be met and transferred to your centrally located hotel where you will spend the next three nights. New York is bursting with places to visit and things to do, from museums to monuments and everything in between. Why not catch a show on Broadway or head up the Empire State building for stunning views across the city.

#### **DAYS 4-5 PRESTON**

Pick up your motorhome from the depot and drive along the Long Island Sound before heading northeast towards your first stop in the area of Preston. You might want to visit the Barnum Museum in Bridgeport where the flamboyant circus man was once Mayor.

#### **DAYS 6-7 SANDWICH**

Todays journey you will take you down the scenic eastern shore to Mystic Seaport. This once great whaling port and shipyard for fast clippers has a splendid outdoor museum with many old ships and examples of New England life two hundred years ago. No trip to the area would be complete without a visit to Newport, Rhode Island to see the massive summer mansions of the Vanderbilts and where the setting was for F. Scott Fitzgerald's and Robert Redford's The Great Gatsby.

#### DAYS 8-9 PLYMOUTH

Make sure you allow time to visit Hyannis, the Kennedy family's hometown before continuing north towards Plymouth where the Mayflower landed with the Pilgrims in 1620, perhaps visit Plymouth Rock where it is said that the Pilgrims first set foot in America. You may also wish to make a stop at the Plimoth Plantation, a recreation of a Pilgrim's village from 1627 and learn about their way of life.

#### DAYS 10-11 SALISBURY BEACH

Continue north bypassing the city of Boston and onward to Lexington where there were the first skirmishes that started the Revolutionary War. North Salem in New Hampshire is also worth a stop as it is home to America's 4,000 year old Stonehenge. Salem is also on most people's wish lists and it's here that you can learn about the history of the infamous witchcraft trials in 1692.

#### DAYS 12-13 BAR HARBOUR

Make your way along the coastline of Maine as you head to your next destination. Bar Harbour is located on Mt Desert Island which is surrounded by the cliffs and seascapes of the Acadia National Park. The state of Maine is best known for its dramatic and scenic coastline so make sure you allow plenty of time for exploring.

#### DAYS 14-15 MOUNT BLUE STATE PARK

Head inland to Maine's capital of Bangor and then continue your drive through the state's picturesque interior to the Mount Blue State Park, which is home to moose, red squirrels and the more elusive black bear and coyote. Places you might like to visit include the picturesque Webb Beach and nearby Center Hill.

#### DAYS 16-18 BETHLEHEM

Continue your journey into New Hampshire and the White Mountain National Forest where the mountains get higher and where Mount Washington, at 6,288 feet, dominates the skyline. A visit to the summit of Mount Washington on the 1869 coal-fired cog railway is highly recommended. The mountains and forest offer wonderful scenery with clear mountain lakes and walking and hiking trails for you to enjoy.

#### DAYS 19-20 GIFFORD WOODS

Today you will leave New Hampshire and cross into Vermont and as you head to the year round resort surrounding Killington Peak. You could make a stop in Hanover to visit the world famous Dartmouth College, one of the nine colonial colleges chartered before the American Revolution.

#### DAYS 21-22 ARLINGTON

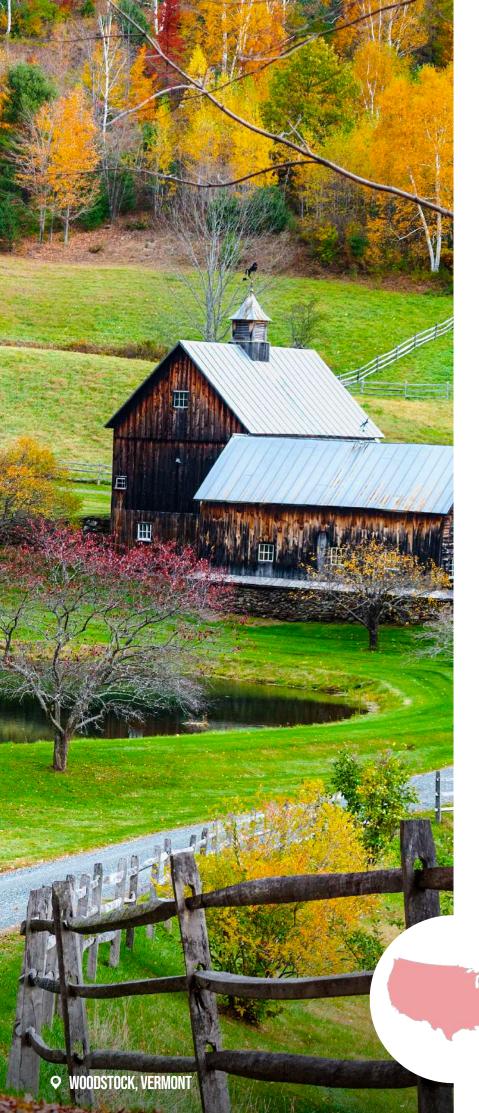
You could argue that Norman Rockwell captured the golden age of Americana more memorably than anyone else and it was in his home in Arlington where he created many of the covers for the Saturday Evening Post in the 1940's and 1950's. You can see his paintings at the Norman Rockwell Exhibition which is close by.

#### DAYS 23-24 LAZY RIVER

Today's journey takes you back into New York State as you head south following the Hudson River eventually bringing you out at Hyde Park, the birthplace and home of Franklin D Roosevelt and where both he and wife Eleanor are buried.

#### DAY 25 DEPART NEW YORK

This morning make the short journey back to Newark to return your RV before transferring to the airport for your onward journey. Or perhaps extend your stay with a few more nights in New York City to fully explore and enjoy everything it has to offer.



The famous sights of the Big Apple, New York City Immerse in America's maritime history at Mystic Seaport Visit the Kennedy's Family Home of Hyannis Explore Plymouth, 'America's Hometown' where the Mayflower Landed

Discover Salem, famous for its Witchcraft Trials Mount Blue State Park

Marvel at the splendour of White Mountain National Park The pretty town of Arlington, home of Norman Rockwell Hyde Park, the Birthplace of Franklin D Roosevelt

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Three nights 4-star hotel accommodation in New York with breakfasts included

21 days Cruise America Compact RV hire including: Unlimited kms, Statutory Liability Coverage, Supplemental Liability Insurance, VIP Coverage (\$1,500 deductible per incident), Personal and Vehicle Provisions kits

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Campsites, which must be paid for locally Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature e.g. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# 16 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY THE BEST OF ALASKA

Immerse yourself in exceptional scenery on this independent motorhome tour of Alaska, America's least explored state. Escape to the wild as you embark on an unforgettable adventure exploring expanses of remote, untouched wilderness and enjoy fantastic opportunities for wildlife viewing. Visit Denali National Park, home to the highest peak in North America, and take in the incredible mountain vistas.

#### **DAYS 1-2 ARRIVE ANCHORAGE**

On arrival you will be met and transferred to your centrally located hotel where you will spend the next two nights. Anchorage is the largest city in Alaska and as well as being the gateway to the surrounding wilderness is also the states cultural centre, with attractions including the Native Heritage Centre, art galleries and music. Explore the city at your leisure and enjoy the sea views on one side and the mountains rising up on the other.

#### DAYS 3-4 PALMER

Pick up your motorhome and head northeast on the Glenn Highway through the townships of Eagle River and Chugiak towards Palmer. As you head through the Eklutna Flats you will be able to see the towering vistas of the Chugach and Talkeetna Mountains and catch a glimpse of Pioneer Peak in the distance. If you would like closer view of Knick Glacier, then you could take an airboat tour which operates about 20 miles from Palmer.

#### **DAYS 5-6 DENALI NATIONAL PARK**

Today you'll drive through the Matanuska-Susitna Valley and Denali National Park. Denali is six million acres of wilderness, bisected by one ribbon of road and as you travel along it, you may catch a glimpse of some incredible wildlife as you pass through lush forests framed by alpine tundra and snowy mountain peaks. It is also home to North America's tallest peak, Mount McKinley/ Denali at 20,320ft (6,914m).

#### **DAYS 7-8 FAIRBANKS**

Continue your journey along the Parks Highway with its incredible forest and mountain landscapes to Fairbanks. Drive through the communities of Healy, Nenana and by the community of Ester, an old gold mining camp. Once in Fairbanks we recommend a wildlife tour where you may see bears, caribou, moose, wolves and a variety of birds.

#### DAYS 9-10 PAXSON, GLENNALLEN

As you leave Fairbanks you may want to make a stop at the North Pole, the home of North America's Santa Claus, before following the Richardson Highway to Delta Junction. From here continue your journey south towards Paxson and Glennallen, where you can enjoy a range of outdoor activities from world-class salmon fishing in the Copper River to hiking, rafting and even flightseeing.

#### DAYS 11-12 VALDEZ

Enjoy a spectacular drive on the Richardson Highway where part of the route runs parallels with the Trans-Alaska Pipeline and where if the weather permits, you can enjoy some incredible views of the Wrangell Mountains. Continue to Worthington Glacier, which can be seen from the road, but is well worth a stop. Then continue along the highway through Keystone Canyon with its waterfalls cascading down the slopes on either side of the road. Day 12 is free for you to explore Valdez, a must see on any Alaskan itinerary, with its numerous glaciers tumbling down from the towering Chugach mountains that rise straight up out of the sea.

#### DAYS 13-14 SEWARD

This morning board the Alaska Marine Highway Ferry to Whittier and travel across the beautiful Prince William Sound. The ferry affords stunning views of the sound and we recommend spending the crossing out on the deck, giving you the best chance of seeing the whales, seals and otters who frequent the sound. On arrival in Whittier continue via the Seward Highway with its scenic landscapes to Seward. Portage Glacier and the Begich, Boggs Visitor Centre are interesting stops with exhibits that let visitors walk through a simulated ice cave, view live ice worms or touch an iceberg. For those seeking a closer look at Portage Glacier, there are hour-long sightseeing boat cruises on Portage Lake, or you can hike a number of foot trails that take you near the frozen monument.

#### DAY 15 ANCHORAGE

Re-join the Seward Highway and head towards Anchorage but, before you do, make sure that you visit Kenai Fjords National Park. Over 30 glaciers flow from the icefield down into the fjords and your options to explore the park include hikes, kayaking and boat trips out in the fjord.

#### **DAY 16 DEPART ANCHORAGE**

This morning make the short journey back to the motorhome depot to return your motorhome before transferring to the airport for your onward journey.



Explore Anchorage, the largest city in Alaska Vistas of the Chugach and Talkeetna Mountains Denali National Park, home to North America's highest peak Fairbanks, for the Aurora Borealis and Midnight Sun Drive the spectacular and scenic Richardson Highway Ferry across Prince William Sound Soak up the scenic landscapes of Seward See amazing wildlife at Kenai Fjords National Park

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Anchorage with breakfasts included

13 days Cruise America Compact RV hire including: Unlimited kms, Statutory Liability Coverage, Supplemental Liability Insurance, VIP Coverage (\$1,500 deductible per incident), Personal and Vehicle Provisions kits

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## **CAMPSITES & MOTORHOMES**

There are thousands of campgrounds located throughout the United States. If you are travelling during peak periods, we recommend you pre-book at least your first few nights stay in advance. And if you're a little unsure about backing your RV into place, we suggest booking a 'Pull-Thru RV Site' which will allow you to drive in one way and pull out the other.

#### **NATIONAL PARK SERVICE**

America's 63 National Parks boast some of the finest campgrounds in the country and there are over 130 sites to choose from. From staying within walking distance of the rim of the Grand Canyon, to waking up alongside the famous sheer granite cliffs and waterfalls of Yosemite National Park, campsites in the National Parks enable you to enjoy the parks as nature intended

#### **STATE PARKS USA**

America's State Parks also have beautiful campgrounds, similar to those in National Parks. They are popular destinations for RV campers because most offer at least an electrical hook-up and many have full water, electric and dump facilities.

#### KOA

With more than 500 campgrounds throughout North America, KOA is the best-known RV park association. With sites in every state, you should have no trouble finding a convenient campground.

#### **FREE CAMPING**

Also known as boondocking or wild camping, there is no shortage of free camping spots in the US. You can usually camp for free with your RV on Bureau of Land Management lands, in national forests and on grasslands. Private land is definitely off-limits. There are a number of crowd-sourced websites offering information on boondocking but these may not always be up-to-date or 100% accurate.



There are millions of miles of wide, open roads just waiting to be explored in America and you can go anywhere, at any time and at your own pace in your motorhome. Depots are located in numerous cities throughout the USA.

There are many motorhome brands offering a huge variety of vehicles and sizes. Below is just a small sample of the many types of RV's available and we are happy to discuss your options with you to ensure that you hire the right vehicle for your needs.



**CLASS B 20-22'** 





**NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT** 

The Class B 20-22' is a sleek and compact campervan with everything you need to travel with ease and comfort. A popular choice with couples that is easy to drive and fuel efficient with fold down bed, shower and toilet.



**CLASS C 23-25'** 





NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

The compact C 23-25' is extremely manoeuvrable and sleeps up to four with a rear queen bed and an over the cab bed. Enjoy the outdoors as you sit under the retractable awning to relax and think about the next days activities!

The C 26-28' sleeps up to 6 with a rear queen bed, a dinette bed, and a sofa bed along with an over the cab bed for the kids. This RV has all the conveniences you'll need for your get-away and has a large storage bin

underneath.



CLASS C 26-28'

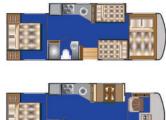




**NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT** 



**CLASS A 30-32'** 





The Class A motorhome is a luxurious 30-32' RV to make your holiday experience one you will never forget. It offers every convenience you can think of. And when you stop for the day, you can slide out the side of the RV and have even more room inside to enjoy the evening.

NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

# SOUTHERN AFRICA

Southern Africa is a place of wonder. It feels exclusive and fantastical all at once. Become a true adventurer and explore the safari plains, winding rivers, towering mountains and crystal-clear lagoons of the Rainbow Nation. Discover magical and mysterious landscapes filled with extraordinary wildlife, fertile floodplains and fascinating people with a rich cultural heritage. Enjoy world-class service and breathtaking moments as you step into the heart of nature.

### **DRIVING TIPS**

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South Africa's roads are generally well maintained, well signposted (in English) and pleasant to drive. Vehicles drive on the left as they do here in Australia & New Zealand, and speed limits and distances are indicated in kilometres. Other Southern African roads are more varied, especially in Namibia, where you will find more dusty and bumpy gravel tracks along with tarred roads. Be sure to take animal warning signs seriously as wildlife does wander onto the roadways and can cause significant problems.

### A TALE OF THREE COUNTRIES Roads of the rainbow nation

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# 31 DAY ESCORTED TOUR **A TALE OF THREE COUNTRIES**

Venture off the beaten track and experience the diverse wonders that Southern Africa has to offer. From the deserts and sand dunes of Namibia to the unique Okavango Delta, a river that never reaches the sea, plus the majestic sight and sounds of Victoria Falls, this corner of Africa will delight and enthral you.

#### DAYS 1-2 WINDHOEK

Welcome to Windhoek the capital of Namibia. You'll be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel for the next 2 nights. Enjoy a welcome dinner as you meet your guides and the rest of the group.

#### **DAYS 3-4 SOSSUSVLEI DUNES**

Head for the sand dunes of Sossusvlei today. Make a stop at the beautiful Spreetshoogte Mountain Pass and enjoy one of the most beautiful views in Namibia. The dunes around Sossusvlei are amongst the tallest in the world, reaching up to 400m tall, and are constantly changing and moving as they're sculpted and reshaped by the wind. In contrast is the landscape of Deadvlei, where dead trees have stood for centuries due to the dry climate.

#### DAYS 5-7 SWAKOPMUND & WALVIS BAY

We travel to the coast and the Atlantic Ocean as we head to Swakopmund today via the Namib-Naukluft National Park. Enjoy a boat cruise along the coast of Walvis Bay to look for seals and dolphins in the Atlantic Ocean.

#### DAYS 8-9 UIS & TWYFELFONTEIN

Departing Swakopmund we continue onto Uis, situated in the heart of the Damaraland region, in an unspoilt rural area of Namibia. The Brandberg area is a popular destination due to its unspoilt beauty and wildlife, which includes Desert Elephant, Mountain Zebra, Springbok and Kudu. We also recommend a visit to the UNESCO World Heritage Centre of Twyfelfontein, where you can view the ancient rock engravings left by ancient tribes.

#### DAYS 10-11 PALMWAG & DAMARALAND

Palmwag offers a number of optional excursions including Rhino tracking or an excursion to seek out the wildlife of Damaraland, where you may see desert elephants, black rhino, gemsbok (oryx), kudu, springbok and, if you're lucky, lion and cheetah.

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#### DAYS 12-14 ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK

Head northwards today as you and make your way to Etosha National Park, perhaps making a stop en route at an authentic Himba village. Etosha is unique in Africa, the park's main feature is a salt pan so large it can be seen from space, yet there is abundant wildlife that congregates around the waterholes, giving you almost guaranteed sightings. As the sun goes down, Etosha comes into its own due to the gently floodlit watering holes on the edges of the campsites that allow the animals to drink unhindered, whilst affording you with a spectacular view. During your stay you can enjoy an included guided morning and afternoon safari game drive in an open safari vehicle.

#### DAYS 15-16 OTAVI MOUNTAIN REGION

The towering Otavi Mountains are surrounded by the Northern Namibian towns of Otavi, Tsumeb, and Grootfontein where the landscape features golden maize plantations, spectacular dolomite mountains, and underground lakes.

#### **DAYS 17-19 CAPRIVI REGION**

The Caprivi Strip is a slender section of Namibia that stretches between Angola to the north and Botswana to the south, all the way to Zambia in the east. Mahango Game Park is small in size but is home to numerous animals with large herds of elephants and buffalos often observed here. The large floodplains, islands and wetland areas make the park a bird's paradise as well.

#### DAYS 20-21 LIVINGSTONE AND Victoria Falls

We cross the border into Botswana today, before parking the motorhomes in Kasane and being transferred to Livingstone, Zambia, the gateway to Victoria Falls. Enjoy two nights at the David Livingstone Safari Lodge, with time to visit the waterfall. You might like to take an optional Sunset Zambezi Cruise, a helicopter flight over the falls or simply be mesmerised by the 'smoke that thunders' as the waterfall is known locally.

#### DAYS 22-23 CHOBE NATIONAL PARK

Transfer back to Botswana, collect the motorhomes again and continue onto Chobe National Park, renowned for its large herds of buffalo and elephant. A game drive and a game cruise on the Chobe River are included, providing you with the perfect opportunity to see the animals.

#### DAYS 24-25 MAKGADIKGADI PAN

Makgadikgadi is the world's largest salt pan, formed on the bed of an ancient lake that began evaporating aeons ago, and offers a unique desert experience: in the dry season, this vast expanse of sun-baked salt glistens in the light and when the rains come, the pan is home to a cornucopia of flamingos and other waterbirds.

#### DAYS 26-27 OKAVANGO DELTA

Discover the Okavango Delta, a World Heritage Site and the largest inland delta in the world, created by the Okavango River spilling out over the dry sands of the Kalahari Desert. As the river spreads out it forms a waterlogged oasis featuring countless meandering waterways, crystal clear lagoons and reeded islands that are home to an abundance of wildlife. Enjoy game viewing, bird watching or taking an authentic guided Mokoro excursion through this wetland paradise in a traditional dugout cance.

#### DAY 28 GHANZI AND THE SAN BUSHMEN

Ghanzi is sometimes referred to as the 'Capital of the Kalahari'. The Ghanzi area has several lodges which focus on cultural tourism as well as wildlife viewing - here you can experience the fascinating world of the San Bushmen as they explain to you how they forage, hunt and find water in this harsh environment.

#### DAYS 29-31 GOBABIS & WINDHOEK

Travel back to Windhoek with an overnight stop at Zelda Guest Farm where you can enjoy the wildlife & walking trails or simply relax by the pool. Continue to Windhoek for your final night in your motorhome. The next morning return the motorhome and bid your local guides farewell.



The sand dunes of Sossuvlei Walvis Bay Seal and Dolphin Cruise Twyfelfontein, a World Heritage site The wildlife of Damaraland Guided game drives in Etosha National Park The Caprivi Strip Livingstone and Victoria Falls Game drive and game cruise in Chobe National Park The Makgadikgadi Pan and The Okavango Delta

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights accommodation at the 4-star Windhoek Country Club including breakfast One night accommodation at the Kalahari Arms Hotel including breakfast Two nights accommodation at the 4-star David Livingstone Safari Lodge & Spa including breakfast Locally guided by experienced South African Tour Hosts Welcome and farewell Dinners 29 days 4X4 Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (nil excess), linen & bedding 25 nights pre-booked, powered Motorhome sites Boat cruise from Walvis Bay

Morning and afternoon Game Drives in Etosha National Park Guided game drive and boat cruise in Chobe National Park

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature e.g. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# 36 DAY ESCORTED TOUR ROADS OF THE RAINBOW NATION

It's easy to see why South Africa is often regarded as the Rainbow Nation: the ethnic, linguistic and cultural diversity is extraordinary and the variety of its wildlife and terrain is another reason for its enduring appeal. Highlights include the Kruger National Park and the city of Cape Town along with world class wines, fascinating prehistoric sites and a stunning coastline.

#### **DAYS 1-2 JOHANNESBURG**

Arrival in Johannesburg and transfer to your hotel for two nights. Nelson Mandela Square is close by or ask us to arrange a tour, perhaps to Soweto township. Day 2 includes a motorhome familiarisation session, so you can hit the road with confidence the next day, before a group welcome dinner that evening.

#### **DAYS 3-4 SABIE**

Today's destination is Sabie, allowing you to enjoy the stunning Panorama Route, one of the country's most thrilling scenic drives. The craggy mountains provide amazing vistas over the African grasslands and the sublime Blyde River Canyon. Other must-sees include God's Window, The Three Rondavels, Bouke's Luck Potholes and the towns of Pilgrim's Rest and Graskop.

#### **DAYS 5-7 KRUGER NATIONAL PARK**

Spend three days in the park, immersing yourself in the natural environment and marvelling at the wildlife. With 768 animal species, there's no shortage of things to see. A full day guided safari is included, travelling in open vehicles with panoramic views of your surroundings.

#### DAYS 8-9 SWAZILAND

Next stop is Swaziland, officially known as the Kingdom of eSwatini. This small, landlocked nation has a unique, colourful culture and a long history as the last remaining monarchy in Africa. You'll pass the gorgeous Valley of Heaven where you can pause to buy handicrafts in Malkerns Valley and spot big game in the Hlane Royal National Park.

#### DAYS 10-12 HLUHLUWE

Head south towards the Bonamanzi Game Reserve, home to the Hluhluwe river, regarded as one of the best bird watching locations in Southern Africa. In some areas of the Reserve, you are able to self-drive, or you can join a guided game drive. To maximise your experience, your tour includes a two hour 'Hippo & Croc Cruise' on Lake St Lucia.

#### DAYS 13-15 KWAZULU-NATAL Battlefields

The next few days sees a change of theme as the tour enters Zulu battlefield country. Rorke's Drift is the most well known, portrayed in the film 'Zulu', while Isandlwana is poignant for the white cairns scattered across the battlefield, each marking a British soldier killed during the battle in 1879.

#### DAYS 16-18 DRAKENSBERG

Today you'll head inland to the Drakensberg mountains which separate the country of Lesotho, completely encircled by South Africa. Here you'll find stunning landscapes, prehistoric rock art, hiking trails, riding and fishing. Discover the area in your motorhome or take a guided excursion.

#### DAYS 19-20 WILD COAST

The Wild Coast runs for over 200km down an unspoilt, ruggedly beautiful, stretch of coast. This ribbon of shoreline is peppered with hidden coves, soaring cliffs, swimming holes and empty beaches, backed by the sweeping hills of the interior. It's a stunning and wild place, very special to those who cherish tranquillity and natural beauty. Venture into the hills to visit the traditional villages and take a walk along one of the coastal trails.

#### DAYS 21-23 MORGAN BAY

The journey continues along the Wild Coast to Morgan Bay. Explore forest trails with their exuberant flora and fauna, maybe hiring a bike, and get to know the colourful birdlife. Or take to a kayak on the peaceful waters of the lagoon, a lovely activity especially as the sun sets.

#### DAYS 24-25 ADDO ELEPHANT PARK

Addo Elephant National Park is South Africa's third largest national park. Home to the Big 5 you can also see zebra, spotted hyena, antelope and myriad species of birdlife. The wildlife is all around as you travel – a popular option is to take a guided game drive in open top safari trucks, then explore further in your own vehicle.

#### DAYS 26-28 THE GARDEN ROUTE

The renowned Garden Route is very special and Storms River is a great place from which to explore. Top of the list must be a visit to Nature's Valley or Plettenberg Bay, whilst Knysna, set beside a gorgeous lagoon, is also a great option. Savour the magnificent seascapes out over the Indian Ocean from a vantage point overlooking The Heads, the craggy headlands either side of the mouth of the lagoon. Included in your tour is the Featherbed Echo Experience which starts with a scenic cruise on the lagoon, followed by a guided walk through the Featherbed Nature Reserve and lunch in the shade of the milkwood trees beside the sea.

#### DAYS 29-30 OUDTSHOORN

Oudtshoorn is in the Klein Karoo area of the Western Cape. This is ostrich & wine country and there are ostrich farms all along the Route 62 wine route. The CP Nel Museum is a must for anyone wanting to learn more about the ostrich trade and its impact, while the 20 million year old Cango Caves are a real spectacle.

#### DAYS 31-33 MONTAGU

Travel along Route 62 towards Barrydale and Montagu where you can relax at the campsite, or get to know the local area. Try Avalon Springs, the Eseltjiesrus Donkey Sanctuary or just sample the local wine in one of the wineries.

#### DAYS 34-36 CAPE TOWN

The trip finale is Cape Town, a true world renowned city framed by the Atlantic and with Table Mountain as an instantly recognisable backdrop. Enjoy yourself exploring the city, the beaches of Camps Bay and the Kirstenbosch gardens. For many, a top priority is to head up to Table Mountain for epic views over Cape Town and beyond. Enjoy a farewell group dinner accompanied by traditional drumming, song and live entertainment, this is quite a climax to the trip!



Experience the beautiful Panorama Route Kruger National Park with an included guided game drive The tiny nation of Swaziland Hluhluwe Umfolozi National Park Hippo and Croc Cruise on Lake St Lucia KwaZulu-Natal and the Battlefields Addo Elephant Park with an included game drive The world-renowned Garden Route Visit the Winelands Explore Cape Town and Table Mountain Maloti-Drakensberg Park Barberton Makhonjwa Mountains

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot **Experienced South African Tour Hosts** Two nights accommodation at the 4-star Protea Hotel Balalaika in Sandton including breakfast Two nights accommodation at the 4-star Cape Town Hollow Boutique Hotel including breakfast Locally guided by experienced South African Tour Hosts Welcome and farewell dinners 32 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance (nil excess), linen and bedding and one way fee 31 nights prebooked, powered Campsites, Full day guided Kruger National Park game drive in open safari vehicles Hippo Croc Cruise (Bonamanzi Game Park) Half day guided game drive in an open safari vehicle at Addo Elephant National Park Featherbed Echo Experience in Knysna with buffet lunch

#### EXCLUSIONS

International and domestic airfares

Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature e.g. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# CAMPSITES & Motorhomes

The Southern Africa camping experience is a truly special one.

In addition to the many catered and self-catered places to stay in Southern Africa, there are hundreds of camping, campervan and motorhome sites that are in or near popular nature reserves, wildlife parks, tourist attractions and spectacular coastlines that stretch for thousands of kilometres.

There are basic campsites where visitors come to enjoy the serenity of the outdoors without the hustle and bustle of city life. Some of these have electricity and ablutions available while others are more rustic, little more than a clearing in the verdant vegetation.

Most campsites offer powered sites for campervans and motorhomes. The shared bathrooms and toilets are often basic but are usually well attended to. Easy access to shared kitchen and bathroom facilities is generally available and many sites will also offer a private barbeque facility where campfires are permitted. Some even offer a small, private kitchen wash-up facility.

Many campsites in Southern Africa form part of a hotel or lodge and campers may use the lodge facilities such as restaurants, swimming pools and laundry.

Some of the most popular camping destinations include the Kruger National Park and Garden Route in South Africa, Sossusvlei and Etosha National Park in Namibia, and the beautiful Chobe National Park in Botswana. Whatever your preference, Southern Africa has something for everyone.



Southern Africa is just waiting to be explored and the easiest way to discover its unique geography and diverse wildlife is through a motorhome holiday. On your travels, you're sure to encounter world-class cuisine and wine, sun-kissed beaches, stunning coastlines, and spectacular game reserves.

If you're looking for a self-drive safari adventure, we work with a number of motorhome operators to offer a range of vehicles with depots located in Johannesburg, Durban, Cape Town, Port Elizabeth, and Windhoek (Namibia), many located close to the airport. Let us help by discussing your options with you to ensure you hire the right vehicle to suit your travel requirements.



**DISCOVERER FUNX** 





NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

This off-road 4x4 motorhome is a favourite amongst those discoverers that enjoy bush-camping and getting to those less accessible and remote areas in style. This overland vehicle is best suited to nature lovers who enjoy game viewing in the comfort of a campervan.



**DISCOVERER 4** 





NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

At 6.7m long, this popular 4-berth motorhome is great for a couple seeking plenty of space, yet it can comfortably sleep up to four people. It is airconditioned throughout and features a bathroom with shower and toilet, a fully equipped kitchen with microwave and cooking hobs, and an 8-speed automatic gearbox.



**DISCOVERER 6** 

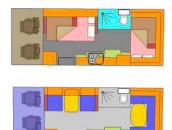


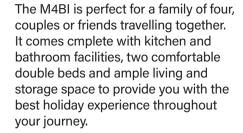


NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

This family-orientated Discoverer sleeps six persons and is a quality vehicle which will take you through the Rainbow nation in style. Powered by a 2.3L turbo diesel with an 8-speed automatic gearbox, it features three double beds, bathroom and fully equipped kitchen with all the essentials needed for a great adventure.

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NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

# **NEW ZEALAND**

New Zealand truly is a breathtakingly beautiful place, where spectacular fiords wait to be explored, and towering mountains cloak wide open spaces of untouched wilderness. It is a mystical place of rolling hills, boiling mud pools, ancient rainforests, picturesque lakes, myths and legends. Its majestic scenery is captivating and aweinspiring. Add to this the fascinating and rich Maori culture, and a holiday experience unlike any other awaits you.

### **DRIVING TIPS**

Wide, well maintained and easily navigated, the roads in New Zealand are generally excellent, making driving here a delight. You may encounter some single-lane bridges in more remote areas, but these are well signposted to indicate who has the right of way. Vehicles drive on the left-hand side of the road, and speed and distance are measured in kilometres. Travel time may take a little longer than expected due to winding roads, so it is recommended to occasionally pull over to allow vehicles behind to pass.

### KIWI ODYSSEY New Zealand Panorama Southern Sensations

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# 30 DAY ESCORTED TOUR **KIWI ODYSSEY**

This exciting tour around New Zealand has so many included activities, yet still allows for plenty of time for self-exploration. Marvel at the majesty of New Zealand's highest mountain, escape to the peace and tranquility of Doubtful Sound and listen to the songs of the Tui and Bellbird in the forests of the Abel Tasman National Park. There is so much waiting to be discovered!

#### **DAY 1 ARRIVE CHRISTCHURCH**

Kia Ora! On arrival you will be met by our representative & transferred to your centrally located hotel. Tonight, get to know your fellow travellers and tour hosts over welcome drinks and dinner.

#### DAYS 2-3 AKAROA, BANKS PENINSULA

Collect your motorhome this morning and drive to the magnificent harbour-side town of Akaroa on the Banks Peninsula. There is the opportunity to enjoy an optional nature cruise where you can view the rare Hector's Dolphin, fur seals, penguins & an array of sea birds, all while taking in the spectacular scenery.

#### DAY 4 LAKE TEKAPO, MOUNT COOK

Be sure to stop and view the Church of the Good Shepherd overlooking Lake Tekapo as you make your way to Mt Cook National Park, a World Heritage listed site covering over 70,000 hectares of breathtaking alpine scenery.

### DAYS 5-8 QUEENSTOWN & DOUBTFUL SOUND

There is time this morning to enjoy one of the many bush walks or visit the Sir Edmund Hillary Alpine Centre. Continue your journey to the stunning alpine village of Queenstown, widely regarded as New Zealand's premiere holiday destination. Your tour hosts will be happy to advise you on the many activities and excursions available. During your stay, we have arranged for an included day excursion to the magnificent fiord of Doubtful Sound.

#### DAYS 9-10 ARROWTOWN, WANAKA

First stop this morning is the historic gold mining village of Arrowtown. Then travel over the spectacular Crown Range to Wanaka, a picturesque lakeside resort with a breath-taking mountain backdrop.

#### DAY 11 HAAST, FOX GLACIER

View incredible scenery as you travel past the untouched native forests & pristine lakes of the Westland National Park & Haast Pass before arriving at Fox Glacier where there is the opportunity to experience an optional scenic flight over this remarkable region (subject to weather conditions).

#### DAY 12 HOKITIKA, PUNAKAIKI ROCKS

Drive along the rugged west coastline with its towering rainforests, rushing rivers and tranquil lakes. It is an area steeped in history dating back to the gold mining rush of the 1860's. Marvel at the bizarre limestone landscapes that are the Punakaiki Pancake Rocks and Blowholes.

#### DAYS 13-15 ABEL TASMAN National Park

Continue your journey to the golden, sandy beachside resort of Kaiteriteri. During our stay, you'll experience the stunning beauty of the Abel Tasman National Park on board your comfortable sailing catamaran as you immerse yourself in this coastal paradise.

#### DAY 16 NELSON, PICTON

Travel through the picturesque city of Nelson and the acclaimed Marlborough wine region enroute to the charming fishing village of Picton for our next overnight stay.

### DAYS 17-18 INTERISLANDER FERRY, WELLINGTON

This morning, board the Interislander Ferry and cruise through the spectacular Queen Charlotte Sound into Cook Strait. Experience stunning views of New Zealand's capital city as you arrive into Wellington Harbour. Enjoy a day at leisure to explore the local sights.

#### DAYS 19-20 GREYTOWN, NAPIER

Travel through the rural heartland of the Wairarapa region, stopping at historic Greytown. On to Napier, often regarded as the 'Tuscany of the South Pacific.' Enjoy a day at leisure to explore this world- famous Art Deco city or perhaps visit some of the regions leading vineyards on a locally guided wine tour.

#### DAYS 21-22 LAKE TAUPO, ROTORUA

At Lake Taupo, stop to view the Wairakei Geothermal project and the mighty Huka Falls before arriving into the geothermal city of Rotorua. A highlight of your stay is an exclusive cruise across Lake Rotoiti, exploring native bays and coves with the opportunity to bathe in the thermal waters of the Manupirua hot springs. You will also enjoy an evening of fun and culture as we experience a traditional Maori Hangi (feast) and cultural performance.

### DAYS 23-24 HOBBITON, COROMANDEL PENINSULA

This morning, we recommend stopping at Matamata to experience a guided tour of Hobbiton, the movie set used in the blockbusting 'Lord of the Rings' and 'Hobbit' films. From there, make your way to the Coromandel Peninsula, a beautiful, rugged area fringed with dozens of excellent beaches and a place where many kiwis choose to escape the hustle and hype of city life.

#### DAY 25 MATAKANA

Today we head north through Auckland to the charming, village of Matakana which offers stylish boutiques and galleries, artisanal food, and awardwinning wines.

#### DAYS 26-27 RUSSELL, BAY OF ISLANDS

Arrive at the historic seaside town of Russell, New Zealand's first settlement and enjoy a two-night stay nestled on the shores of this National Maritime Park. Enjoy an included scenic cruise to the Cape Brett Lighthouse and the famous 'Hole in the Rock'. There is plenty of free time to enjoy the local sights.

#### DAY 28 KAURI COAST

Travel west to the Waipoua Forest, home to the oldest remaining Kauri tree, Tane Mahuta, which is over 2,000 years old. Enjoy a guided walk amongst these ancient giants of the forest with a local Maori guide.

#### DAY 29 RETURN TO AUCKLAND

We travel to Auckland today and return our motorhomes. We stay overnight in a centrally located, downtown city hotel and enjoy a farewell dinner together to relive the fun times and shared experiences over the last four weeks.

#### DAY 30 HEADING HOME

Sadly, your holiday ends today after breakfast. It's time to say goodbye to your newfound friends before being transferred to Auckland airport for your onward journey.



Akaroa Harbour on the Banks Peninsula Aoraki, Mt Cook National Park Spectacular Southern Lakes region Majestic Queenstown, NZ's Adventure Capital Doubtful Sound and Fiordland National Park West Coast Glacier Region Abel Tasman National Park Wellington, the nation's capital Art Deco Napier and Geothermal Rotorua Hobbiton Movie set and Coromandel Peninsula Boutique wine village of Matakana Historic Bay of Islands and Waipoua Kauri Forest

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot One night hotel accommodation in Christchurch with breakfast included One night hotel accommodation in Auckland with breakfast included Locally guided by experienced Tour Hosts Welcome & farewell dinners 28 Days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, vehicle insurance & road diesel tax 27 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Doubtful Sound Wilderness Cruise including lunch Full day sailing in the Abel Tasman National Park Winery lunch in Queenstown Scenic InterIslander ferry crossing, Exclusive cruise on Lake Rotoiti with BBQ lunch Traditional Maori hangi & cultural performance Bay of Islands Hole in the Rock Cruise Guided walk through Waipoua Forest by local 'iwi'

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# 28 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY **NEW ZEALAND PANORAMA**

Experience the very best of New Zealand on this comprehensive and leisurely itinerary. With a minimum two-night stay at every stopover, you'll enjoy plenty of leisure time to immerse yourself into the kiwi lifestyle and culture. From the lush green farmlands and geothermal wonders of the north to the dramatic and spectacular scenery of the south, this holiday is sure to delight even the most discerning traveller.

#### **DAYS 1-2 ARRIVE AUCKLAND**

On arrival in Auckland, you will be transferred to your downtown city hotel. Enjoy a day at leisure to explore the 'City of Sails' Perhaps visit the trendy areas of Parnell or Ponsonby, take a ferry to Devonport or Waiheke Island, or simply enjoy a relaxing stroll along the seafronts of Mission Beach and St Heliers, stopping for a coffee in one of the many outdoor cafés along the way.

#### DAYS 3-4 HOBBITON, ROTORUA

Collect your motorhome this morning and travel south to Matamata, home to the famous Hobbiton Movie Set used in the 'Lord of the Rings' trilogy. Situated on private farmland, you'll be treated to a fun and interesting guided tour before continuing to the geothermal city of Rotorua. Free time to explore the wonders of this fascinating region before enjoying a traditional Maori Hangi (feast) and Cultural performance (included).

#### DAYS 5-6 LAKE TAUPO, NAPIER

Stop to view the mighty Huka Falls & Wairakei Geothermal project and then take time to wander around the popular lakeside resort of Taupo. Drive on to Napier, one of the world's finest Art Deco cities. Widely regarded as the 'Tuscany of the South Pacific,' this region boasts some of New Zealand's best and oldest wineries. Enjoy a free day to experience some of the many optional activities available or simply relax and enjoy your surroundings.

#### DAYS 7-8 WAIRARAPA, WELLINGTON

Travel through the rural heartland of the Wairarapa region en-route to Wellington. Named the 'coolest little capital in the world' by Lonely Planet, the city is nestled between a sparkling harbour and rolling green hills and is renowned for its arts, heritage, culture and native beauty. A visit to Te Papa National Museum is highly recommended as is a ride on the famous Cable Car up the hill to Kelburn for amazing views over the city.

#### DAYS 9-10 PICTON, Marlborough Sounds

This morning we cruise across Cook Strait by Interislander ferry to the picturesque fishing village of Picton. A free day to relax & marvel at the magic that is the Marlborough Sounds. Enjoy the wide range of water and naturebased experiences at your fingertips.

#### DAYS 11-12 BLENHEIM, KAIKOURA

Drive south to the small coastal town of Kaikoura, nestled on a narrow strip of land between the Pacific Ocean and the Kaikoura Mountains. Known for its whale-watching adventures and other marine encounters, it's also a great place for coastal walks and to tuck into a plate of crayfish.

#### DAYS 13-14 LAKE TEKAPO, MT COOK

Head across the Canterbury Plains and stop at beautiful Lake Tekapo to view the tiny, historic Church of the Good Shepherd. Then travel up the western side of Lake Pukaki to the Mt Cook National Park, a World Heritage listed site. The park covers over 70,000 hectares of breathtaking alpine scenery. On your free day, enjoy one of the many bush walks available, take an optional ski-plane flight or join a local guide to explore the melting ice-face of the Tasman Glacier by boat.

#### DAYS 15-16 OAMARU, DUNEDIN

Stop at the quaint coastal town of Oamaru, famous for its penguin colony and limestone architecture in the Victorian Precinct. On to Dunedin, the Edinburgh of the South, where you can visit Lanarch Castle, the Royal Albatross Colony, Olveston House, enjoy a nature cruise and much more.

#### DAYS 17-18 TE ANAU, FIORDLAND

Travel through Balclutha and Gore to Te Anau, the gateway to the Fiordland National Park. In the evening, cruise across the lake for a guided underground adventure in the Te Anau Glowworm Caves. From Te Anau you can explore the magnificent Milford Sound or the equally stunning, Doubtful Sound. As well as day trips, overnight cruises of both fiords are also available.

#### DAYS 19-21 QUEENSTOWN

A short drive brings you to the magnificent alpine resort of Queenstown, your base for the next three nights. Surrounded by majestic mountains and regarded as New Zealand's premier holiday destination, Queenstown boasts an incredible array of adventure and leisure activities in all forms, from extreme to relaxed exploration. Enjoy a thrilling jetboat ride, cruise Lake Wakatipu aboard the vintage steamship TSS Earnslaw, take a four-wheel drive tour to Skippers Canyon, visit boutique wineries. The choices are endless!

#### DAYS 22-23 ARROWTOWN, WANAKA

Set beneath the rugged Crown Range is the historic village of Arrowtown, a fascinating collection of mining cottages with an atmosphere straight out of last century. Continue on to the picturesque lakeside resort of Wanaka to relax and take in the spectacular mountain scenery.

#### DAYS 24-25 FOX & FRANZ JOSEF GLACIERS

Experience incredible scenery as you travel past the untouched native forests and pristine lakes of the World Heritage Westland National Park. On to Fox & Franz Josef Glaciers where this remarkable region is geared up for glacier hikes, helicopter flights and scenic walks. You can also relax in the hot springs of the Franz Josef Glacier Hot Pools.

#### DAYS 26-27 RETURN TO CHRISTCHURCH

Head north along the dramatic West Coast, steeped in history dating back to the gold rush era of the 1800's, before turning inland to travel to Christchurch. Return your motorhome and transfer to your city hotel for a two-night stay.

#### **DAY 28 HEADING HOME**

Your holiday ends today and you will be transferred to the airport for your onward flight.



Minimum 2-night stay at every stopover Auckland, the City of Sails Discover Rotorua's geothermal wonderland Art Deco Napier and Hawkes Bay vineyards Wellington, the coolest little capital in the world Spectacular Marlborough Sounds Kaikoura whale watching World Heritage listed, Aoraki, Mt Cook National Park Dunedin, Edinburgh of the South The stunning sounds of Milford & Doubtful Explore the Te Anau Glowworm Caves Queenstown, New Zealand's adventure capital Relax in the lakeside resort of Wanaka Twin Glaciers of Fox and Franz Josef

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Auckland with breakfasts included Two nights hotel accommodation in Christchurch with breakfasts included 24 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, Reduced Liability Insurance (nil excess), roadside assistance, GPS and Wi-Fi 23 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Hobbiton Movie Set Tour Traditional Maori Hangi (feast) and Cultural Evening Scenic Interislander ferry cruise to Picton Tour of Te Anau Glowworm Caves

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International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# 23 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY SOUTHERN SENSATIONS

The South Island is full of breathtaking scenery and is a haven for adventure and nature lovers as well as the more laid-back traveller. The beauty is, you can do as much or as little as you like on this extensive road trip that takes you off the beaten track to visit some destinations away from the usual tourist trail.

#### DAYS 1 ARRIVE CHRISTCHURCH

On arrival in the garden city of Christchurch, you will be met by our representative and transferred to your downtown city hotel.

#### DAYS 2-3 LAKE TEKAPO, MT COOK

After you've collected your motorhome, take to the road and drive across the fertile Canterbury Plains. Take a moment to pause at the shores of Lake Tekapo to wander through the tiny Church of the Good Shepherd. Continuing your journey, travel up the western side of Lake Pukaki to Aoraki, Mt Cook National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage site. On your free day, enjoy a bush trail, take to the skies on an optional ski-plane flight or join a boat tour to explore the melting ice-face of the Tasman Glacier.

#### DAYS 4-5 OAMARU, DUNEDIN

Stop at the historic coastal town of Oamaru, famous for its penguin colony and limestone architecture in the Victorian Precinct. Your next destination is Dunedin, often dubbed 'the Edinburgh of the South' Here you can visit Larnach Castle, the Royal Albatross Colony and Olveston House, along with many other great sightseeing activities.

#### **DAY 6 CATLIN COAST**

Travel to Balclutha, then leave the main highway to travel into the Catlins Forest Park, one of New Zealand's most beautiful and remote locations. Here, you'll find a world of native forests fringed by high cliffs, deserted sandy beaches, sparkling bays, cascading waterfalls, blowholes, caves and even a petrified forest.

#### **DAYS 7-8 INVERCARGILL**

A short drive brings you to Invercargill, one of the most southernmost cities in the world. It is fondly dubbed the 'City of Water and Light' because of its long summer daylight hours, frequent appearances of Aurora Australis (Southern Lights) and its location beside the Waihopa River. Close by is the port of Bluff, known for its magnificent oysters and is the gateway to Stewart Island.

#### DAYS 9-10 TE ANAU, FIORDLAND

Take the Southern Scenic Route to Te Anau, gateway to the Fiordland National Park. This evening, cruise across the lake for a guided underground tour of the Te Anau Glowworm Caves. By day, you can explore the awe-inspiring Milford and Doubtful Sounds or, for the ultimate experience, overnight cruises are also available.

#### DAYS 11-13 QUEENSTOWN

The magnificent alpine resort of Queenstown is regarded as New Zealand's premier holiday destination and offers a host of adventure and leisure-based activities to suit everyone. Experience the thrills of a jetboat ride in the Shotover Canyon, cruise Lake Wakatipu aboard the vintage steamship TSS Earnslaw, take a four-wheel drive tour to Skippers Canyon or sample some of New Zealand's finest wines at local boutique vineyards. There is so much to see and do!

#### DAYS 14-15 ARROWTOWN, WANAKA

Step back in time with a visit to Arrowtown today. Located beneath the rugged Crown Range, this charming and quirky gold rush village features a fascinating collection of mining cottages coupled with a centuries-old atmosphere. Once you've explored this picturesque settlement, continue to the lakeside resort of Wanaka to relax and take in the spectacular mountain scenery.

#### DAY 16 FOX & FRANZ JOSEF GLACIERS

You'll view incredible scenery as you travel past the native forests and pristine lakes of the Westland National Park before arriving at the twin glacier villages of Fox & Franz Josef. This remarkable region is ideal for scenic walks, glacier hikes and helicopter flights. In the evening, relax as you soak in the hot springs of the Franz Josef Glacier Hot Pools.

#### DAY 17 HOKITIKA, PUNAKAIKI ROCKS

With its towering rainforests, fastflowing rivers and tranquil lakes, the rugged west coast is an area of varied natural landscapes and rich in a history that dates back to the gold mining rush of the 1860's. At Punakaiki, marvel at the unique limestone formations that form the Pancake Rocks & Blowholes.

#### DAYS 18-19 ABEL TASMAN National Park

En route to the golden, beachside resort of Kaiteriteri, we journey through the dazzling Buller Gorge and Nelson Lakes region. During your stay, you'll experience the sensational beauty and serene beaches of the Abel Tasman National Park.

#### DAYS 20-21 BLENHEIM, KAIKOURA

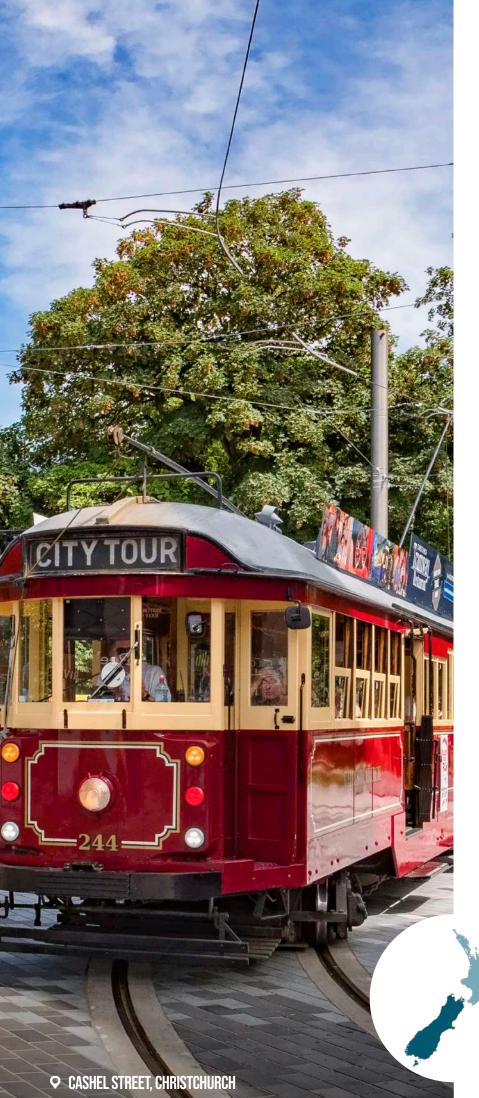
Drive through Nelson and the fishing village of Havelock on your way to Blenheim, situated in the heart of the Marlborough region, a well-known wine producing area. Why not stop at a local cellar door before travelling to the small coastal town of Kaikoura, situated on a narrow strip of land between the Pacific Ocean and the Kaikoura Mountains. We recommend joining a whale-watching adventure or one of the many other marine encounters before enjoying some of the local, fresh seafood especially the crayfish!

#### DAY 22 RETURN TO W

Return to Christchurch and return your motorhome late afternoon. We'll transfer you to your airport hotel, ready for your departure the next day.

#### **DAY 23 HEADING HOME**

Your holiday ends today and you will be transferred to the airport for your onward flight.



Stop at beautiful Lake Tekapo World Heritage listed, Aoraki, Mt Cook National Park Dunedin, Edinburgh of the South Explore the remote & untouched Catlins Coast Invercargill & Bluff, gateway to Stewart Island Discover Fiordland National Park Experience majestic Queenstown Twin Glaciers of Fox and Franz Josef Marvel at the Punakaiki Pancake Rocks & Blowhole Cruise the Abel Tasman National Park Kaikoura, world renowned for whale watching

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Christchurch with breakfasts included 21 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, Reduced Liability Insurance (nil excess), roadside assistance, GPS and Wi-Fi 20 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Tour of Te Anau Glowworm Caves Entry to Franz Josef Hot Pools Scenic sailing adventure in the Abel Tasman National Park

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

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## CAMPSITES & Motorhomes

There is a great selection of campsites throughout New Zealand to choose from. Travelling around Aotearoa is a dream, and you'll love waking up to some of New Zealand's most scenic landscapes each day. If you are travelling during peak periods, we recommend you pre-book at least your first few nights stay in advance.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION CAMPSITES

DOC campsites are often found in some of the best locations around the country ... in national parks, alongside Great Walks and in tranquil and secluded spots. The campsites are usually quite basic, offering 'back to nature' style accommodation and facilities and are very reasonably priced.

#### **HOLIDAY PARKS & CAMPGROUNDS**

There are several member organisations promoting holiday parks around New Zealand. Top 10 Holiday Parks have set the standard over the last 30 years so you can be assured of great value for money and beautiful clean facilities. Holiday Parks New Zealand and Family Parks also offer a great range of independently owned campsites in some of the most desirable areas of New Zealand.

#### **FREE CAMPING**

At its simplest, freedom camping is the ability to travel where you like, park up and sleep wherever you find a great view. It is your chance to holiday off the grid, but it does come with responsibility. Motorhomes must be certified self-contained, meaning that they are good for three days without needing external services like power, water, and toilet facilities. Be sure to take all rubbish with you and leave your site as you found it.

Elite options available on all motorhome models shown opposite guaranteeing your vehicle is under 12 months old.



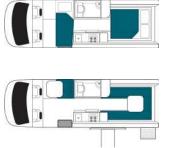
If you're looking for a Campervan or Motorhome adventure, you've come to the right place! With so much to see and do, there is arguably no better way to experience New Zealand. Travel at your own pace, stop off along the way and wake up to a new view every morning.

There are several motorhome brands offering a huge choice of vehicles and sizes, from premium to budget. We are happy to recommend and discuss your options with you to ensure you hire the right vehicle suited to your needs and budget.

Depots are located in Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch and Queenstown.



**2-BERTH ULTIMA PLUS** 



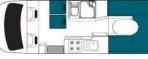
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The Ultima Plus is ideal for 2 adults and one child. This certified self-contained vehicle comes with toilet, shower and kitchen facilities and with plenty of space and automatic transmission, is perfect for an easy getaway.



**4-BERTH CASCADE** 



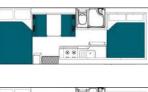


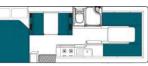
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The Cascade boasts an innovative bed design. Two comfortable double beds are both located at the rear of the vehicle with the rear lounge converting into the first double bed and the second lowering from the ceiling to accommodate another two persons.



**4-BERTH BEACH** 

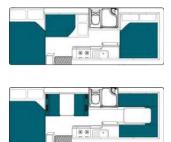




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At just over 7.2m long, this modern and stylish motorhome is great for a couple seeking plenty of space, yet it can comfortably sleep up to four people. A great choice if you want to stretch out and enjoy each other's company but not live in each other's pockets.

**6-BERTH RIVER** 



This is the perfect family unit that can sleep up to 6 people. With 3 double beds, a large fridge, spacious living area and an impressive outdoor awning, you and your family or friends are set for your next big adventure.

NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT

# AUSTRALIA

Australia really is an explorer's heaven. From lush rainforests, beach paradises and incredible gastronomy to quirky wildlife, staggering rock formations and some of the finest wine in the world, Australia offers so much to excite the senses. Get up close to Sydney's Opera House, bound over to Kangaroo Island, explore the incredible Great Ocean Road, snorkel the Great Barrier Reef, walk around world-famous Uluru and discover the Aboriginal culture.

### **DRIVING TIPS**

You'll soon appreciate the huge vastness of Australia as you experience travelling around by motorhome. This is a big country, and you will find rest areas located every 100kms or so on main highways so you can pull over for a break. Vehicles drive on the left-hand side of the road, and speed limits and distances are all posted in kilometres. Driving through remote areas can be slightly more challenging than the main roads, so be sure you have plenty of water and fuel on board.

### REEF, BEACH & MOUNTAINS Australia's Northern Territory

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# 30 DAY ESCORTED TOUR REEF, BEACH & MOUNTAINS

Experience the diversity of Australia on this fantastic journey from Cairns to Sydney. Explore the world's largest coral reef system, the Great Barrier Reef and discover some of Australia's best beaches. Be sure to look out for the amazing wildlife which includes whales, dingoes and koalas. Enjoy the spectacular beauty of the Blue Mountains with its tall forests, sandstone cliffs, canyons and waterfalls.

## DAYS 1-3 CAIRNS

You will be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel close to the Cairns Esplanade. Meet your fellow travellers at a Welcome Dinner and enjoy a full day excursion to Frankland Island, beginning with a cruise along the Mulgrave River before a short crossing to the islands. Join a guided snorkelling tour from the beach or board a semisubmersible or glass bottom boat to view an amazing variety of corals and marine life, or simply relax and enjoy the island.

#### **DAYS 4-5 MISSION BEACH**

Collect your motorhome and start your journey south, perhaps making a stop to visit the Babinda Boulders scattered along the Babinda Creek. Enjoy a swim at the nearby Josephine Falls or take a rainforest walk. Spread along a 14km stretch of palm-fringed coastline, Mission Beach has a laid-back vibe with a unique blend of vibrant art and cultural attractions.

## **DAYS 6-7 TOWNSVILLE**

Drive through the heart of Queensland's sugar cane industry, stopping in Ingham to view one of the largest sugar cane mills in Australia. The stunning green landscapes surrounding the town are a bird lovers paradise, where more than 245 species reside in the wetlands. Townsville is located in the dry tropics region of Queensland and is home to a sea turtle hospital and many other attractions.

## **DAYS 8-10 AIRLIE BEACH**

Airlie Beach is set on a striking peninsula that reaches out into the stunning blue Whitsunday waters. From here you can enjoy one of the many day trips out to the Whitsunday Islands, do the Whitsunday Great Walk from Brandy Creek to Airlie Beach, discover the stunning Whitehaven Beach or take a crocodile watching tour.

#### DAYS 11-12 ROCKHAMPTON

Rockhampton is the heart of the Fitzroy Basin, Australia's second largest river system bordered by the Berserker Ranges. Known as the Beef City, Rockhampton is a modern throwback to the heydays of Queensland's colonial past, offering all the cosmopolitan conveniences in a contemporary riverside setting.

## DAYS 13-14 HERVEY BAY

Visit Queensland's whale hot spot where humpback whales stop to breed and nurse their young. You can experience their playful antics on an optional whale watching tour. You'll also visit Fraser Island, the largest sand island in the world and the only place on earth where rainforests grow on sand dunes. Fraser Island is also home to the purest strain of dingoes which can often be seen scavenging around the rainwater lake.

#### DAYS 15-16 NOOSA, SUNSHINE COAST

It takes just over two hours to drive to the stylish town of Noosa, so perfect timing for lunch at one of the many restaurants on Hastings Street, or perhaps grab a takeaway and eat it with your toes in the sand! After lunch you might like to take a stroll along the coastal track to the village of Sunshine Beach or visit Halse Lodge, a heritage listed Queenslander house.

## DAYS 17-18 BYRON BAY

Cross over the border into New South Wales today as you journey south to Byron Bay, home to Australia's most easterly point and the iconic Cape Byron Lighthouse. The region is known for its spectacular beaches, unique shopping and dining experiences, world-class festivals and vibrant community spirit.

#### DAYS 19-20 COFFS HARBOUR

The city of Coffs Harbour is at the heart of the spectacular Coffs Coast and not only offers some stunning beaches but also a marine sanctuary and a great selection of bushwalking trails. However, it is probably best known for being home to the iconic 'Big Banana'.

## DAYS 21-22 PORT MACQUARIE

Port Macquarie is a vibrant coastal city, best known for its beaches, its wildlife and for its penal colony past. Take the coastal walk to the lighthouse for some stunning views across the water, as well as sightings of whales and dolphins. Don't miss a visit to the Billabong Zoo and view the koala breeding centre. If you want to learn more about these wonderful animals, visit the Port Macquarie Koala Hospital for a selfguided outdoor experience.

## DAYS 23-24 LAKE MACQUARIE

Lake Macquarie is home to the largest saltwater lake in the southern hemisphere and is more than twice the size of Sydney Harbour! It's a place where the simple things in life never went out of style, where the dress code reads 'barefoot' and the soundtrack is the gentle lapping of waves on the shore or the sizzle of a barbecue.

## DAYS 25-26 THE BLUE MOUNTAINS

The Blue Mountains are situated within a World Heritage area encompassing over 3,800 square miles of stunning natural beauty, including ancient rock formations, vast eucalyptus-clad canyons and mesmerising waterfalls thundering into valleys carpeted by rainforest. From your base at Katoomba Falls, you're within easy walking distance of the famous Three Sisters and Scenic World Skyway. After a long day exploring the natural wonders of the Blue Mountains, the cafes, restaurants and friendly pubs of Katoomba town centre are just a short walk away.

## DAYS 27-29 SYDNEY

Arrive in Sydney, the capital of New South Wales, and Australia's oldest and largest city. Enjoy three nights in your centrally located hotel and explore this beautiful harbour city. You may like to climb the Harbour Bridge, take a tour of the Sydney Opera House, or visit some of Australia's best surfing beaches such as worldfamous Bondi, Manly or Coogee. On the final night of your trip, enjoy a farewell Sunset Dinner Cruise around the harbour with your fellow travellers and tour hosts.

#### **DAY 30 HEADING HOME**

Sadly, your holidays ends today as you bid farewell to newfound friends. Transfer to the airport for your onward journey.



## HIGHLIGHTS

Cairns, the gateway to Tropical North Queensland The Great Barrier Reef Frankland Island Cruise Airlie Beach and the Whitsunday Islands See humpback whales in Hervey Bay Guided tour to Fraser Island Beachside towns of Noosa & Byron Bay Blue Mountains World Heritage site Metropolitan city of Sydney

# WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Three nights hotel accommodation in Cairns with breakfasts included Three nights hotel accommodation in Sydney with breakfasts included Locally guided by experienced Tour Hosts Welcome & farewell dinners 24 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, Liability Reduction Option (nil excess), additional drivers, GPS & Wifi 23 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Frankland Island Reef Tour Tour of Fraser Island Sydney Harbour Sunset Dinner Cruise

# **EXCLUSIONS**

International and domestic airfares Travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc Single traveller prices and extra person supplements available upon request



# 23 DAY INDEPENDENT HOLIDAY AUSTRALIA'S NORTHERN TERRITORY

Discover idyllic waterfalls, vast wetlands, pristine swimming spots, beautiful walking trails and the hidden natural wonders of Litchfield & Kakadu National Parks. Journey south to Australia's Red Centre, home to many sacred sites including Uluru (Ayers Rock) and keep a look out for local wildlife as you explore the great Australian Outback.

#### **DAYS 1-2 ARRIVE DARWIN**

On arrival in Darwin, a representative will meet you and transfer you to your centrally-located hotel for a two-night stay. Enjoy a free day to explore this relaxed, modern city.

#### DAYS 3-4 LITCHFIELD NATIONAL PARK

This morning, you will be transferred to the motorhome depot to collect your vehicle, then head east to Litchfield National Park. Spend time soaking up this beautiful wonder of the Top End, complete with picturesque walking tracks, idyllic waterfalls, scenic swimming spots and hidden natural gems including Wangi Falls and Florence Falls.

#### DAYS 5-6 JABIRU (Kakadu National Park)

Covering some 20,000 square kilometres, Kakadu is Australia's largest national park. Its vast wetlands and ancient escarpment are home to one of Australia's largest and most diverse bird populations and carry outstanding natural and cultural significance.

## DAY 7 COOINDA (Kakadu National Park)

Visit Nourlangie where you will find some of the world's oldest and most impressive rock art, as well as spectacular views of the Arnhem Land escarpment. Cruise alongside the Yellow Water Billabong surrounded by the spectacular landscape and witness the unique flora and fauna.

## **DAYS 8-9 KATHERINE GORGE**

Head south towards Katherine, making a stop at Edith Falls to enjoy a swim in the paperbark- and pandanus-fringed pool at the base of the falls (may be closed Nov-Apr). A Yellow Waters billabong cruise is included today where you can view crocodiles and a myriad of birdlife. Visit the Warradjan Aboriginal Culture Centre where the traditional Aboriginal landowners (Bininj) tell stories of their culture through displays and exhibitions. Whilst in Katherine, enjoy a traditional Nit Nit Dreaming cruise in Katherine Gorge and discover the cultural and historical significance of the area.

## DAYS 10-11 MATARANKA HOMESTEAD

Continue south to the Mataranka Homestead, situated between two rivers. Freshwater crocodiles can be seen basking on the banks of the Waterhouse River and the Little Roper river, abundant with Barramundi and other fish. Mataranka Homestead is home to Maddie and other orphan wallabies which have been hand raised at the homestead.

## DAY 12 DALY WATERS

This small outback town is famous for the Daly Waters pub which dates back to 1930. This historic watering hole has a turbulent history of shoot outs in the main street, murders, cattle stampeding through the town and drunken brawls. Today the only shoot out is at the bar during Happy Hour and the only brawling done is between the gangs of Happy Jacks (local birds). It's a pub now known for it wall of memorabilia, traditional Aussie cuisine and a range of refreshing beers.

# DAYS 13-14 TENNANT CREEK

Continue your journey along the Stuart Highway towards Tennant Creek and the Barkly Tablelands, known for its millionacre cattle stations, gold mining heritage, iconic rock formations and Aboriginal culture. Visit the Devils Marbles & meet local artists at the Aboriginal Art Galleries at Tennant Creek. Re-live Australia's last gold rush in the 1930s on an underground tour at the Battery Hill Mining Centre.

## DAYS 15-16 ALICE SPRINGS

Located on the frequently dry Todd River, the city of Alice Springs has retained its pioneering heritage and Outback friendliness. The town came into existence as a result of the building of the Overland Telegraph in 1871 and is today a major attraction for visitors.

## DAYS 17-18 KINGS CANYON

Kings Canyon is the deepest gorge in the Red Centre and is incredibly beautiful. Waterholes on the canyon floor never completely dry up and foster lush growth, which includes palms of ancient biological origin. A path to the rim of the gorge leads to the Lost City, where the rock has worn away to resemble ruins. High in the canyon and very difficult to reach is the Garden of Eden, an oasis of waterholes and plant life.

## DAYS 19-21 ULURU

The magnificent and iconic monolith of Uluru (formerly known as Ayers Rock) captured the imagination of the Australian Aboriginals centuries before European settlement. It is steeped in legend, mythology, and folklore and coupled with the mysterious rock formations at Kata Tjuta (the Olgas) close by, this is a truly unique experience. During your stay, you will enjoy a Sounds of Silence Dinner where you will enjoy champagne & canapés while the sun sets. Enjoy Northern Territory culinary delights such as barramundi, kangaroo, crocodile and bush salads before the lanterns are extinguished. The resident astronomer then takes you on a journey through the star-filled night sky.

## **DAY 22 RETURN TO ALICE SPRINGS**

Return to Alice Springs today and drop off your motorhome before being transferred to your centrally-located hotel.

## DAY 23 HEADING HOME

Check out of your hotel this morning and transfer to the airport for your onward journey.



# HIGHLIGHTS

Darwin, the Territory's capital city Explore beautiful Litchfield National Park Visit Australia's largest National Park, Kakadu Spectacular Katherine Gorge Enjoy a Yellow Water Cruise Nit Nit Dreaming Cruise See the perfectly balanced Devils Marbles Alice Springs and Kings Canyon Uluṟu-Kata Tjuṯa National Park (Ayers Rock) Aboriginal Rock Art and Culture Witness incredible wildlife and birdlife

# WHAT'S INCLUDED

All transfers including to and from the motorhome depot Two nights hotel accommodation in Darwin with breakfast included One night hotel accommodation in Alice Springs with breakfast included 20 days Motorhome hire including unlimited kms, Liability Reduction Insurance (nil excess), outdoor table and chairs, GPS & Wi-Fi 19 nights pre-booked, powered Campsites Sounds of Silence Dinner at Uluru Yellow Waters Cruise Katherine Gorge Cruise

# **EXCLUSIONS**

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International and domestic airfares Taxes and travel insurance Motorhome fuel, gas bottle refills and security deposit National Park fees Meals and sightseeing excursions (unless stated) Items of a personal nature eg. drinks, tips etc

Single traveller prices and extra person supplements



# **CAMPSITES & MOTORHOMES**

Australians love camping, so you'll have no trouble finding somewhere to stay, whether you're looking for serviced holiday parks close to major attractions or more simple campsites in national parks and other natural places. If you are travelling during peak periods, we recommend you pre-book at least your first few nights stay in advance.

# **AUSTRALIA'S NATIONAL PARKS**

Escape the crowds with a visit to lesser-known nature spots. Australia's National Parks are run by the states and are generally more basic and budget compared to traditional holiday parks. Fees will vary depending on location and facilities, but they are usually more remote and picturesque.

## **HOLIDAY PARKS & CAMPGROUNDS**

Australia is blessed with thousands of caravan parks, also known as holiday or tourist parks. We suggest staying at Big4 Holiday Parks, G'day Parks, Discovery and Top Parks which all offer powered sites in unique locations nationwide. And there are many more who offer a warm Aussie welcome in popular and sensational holiday destinations across the country.

## **FREE CAMPING**

Freedom camping is your chance to holiday off the grid, but it does come with responsibility. Free camping can be found throughout all states and territories in Australia, but each has different rules. There are tough penalties for those who break them so if you're unsure, contact the nearest visitor centre. Free camping can be enjoyed in national and state parks, but few have power or dump points. Be sure to take all rubbish with you and leave your site as you found it.

Elite options available on all Maui models shown opposite guaranteeing your vehicle is under 12 months old.



Australia is an amazing country to explore in a motorhome. You can start your Aussie getaway from any of the major cities and gateways, starting off in one state and ending in another if you wish.

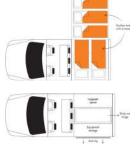
There are several motorhome brands offering a huge array of vehicles, from premium to budget and 4WD Safari Landcruisers to luxury Family motorhomes. We are happy to recommend and discuss your options with you to ensure you hire the right vehicle to suit your travel requirements.



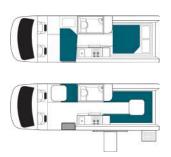
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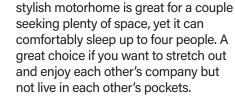


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**4-BERTH BEACH** 





At just over 7.2m long, this modern and

The Toyota Safari Landcruiser is built tough to tackle the rugged 4WD tracks on the way to those iconic Outback locations. To enjoy more space, we recommend taking this vehicle as a group of no more than 4. It's simple to set up, is completely sealed and comes with everything you need for the

The Ultima Plus is ideal for 2 adults and one child. This certified self-contained vehicle comes with toilet, shower and kitchen facilities and with plenty of space and automatic transmission, is

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**6-BERTH RIVER** 



**NIGHT/DAY LAYOUT** 



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# **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

Got a question? We've got you covered! Read our FAQs here, or for further help, visit our website or call our friendly team.

Find more at alanrogerstravel.co.nz/faqs Or call us (03) 3650 746

# When should I book?

The popularity of 'motorhoming' has never been so high. For tailor-made holidays, early booking is highly recommended to avoid disappointment. Many rental companies have adopted a dynamic pricing policy meaning prices rise as demand increases, so you should expect to get the best deals by booking well in advance. This also means you will have a greater choice of vehicles and be able to secure your preferred travel dates.

# When is the best time to travel?

The most popular time to travel is in the peak summer months of the destination you are travelling to. You will generally get cheaper rates if you travel outside of the high season. Roads are generally less crowded and the demand for campsites is less busy.

# What insurance do I need to take out?

In addition to your travel insurance, you will need to take out insurance to cover damage to the motorhome in the event of an accident. Standard vehicle insurance is usually included in the daily hire rate, but the excess payable is often substantial. Most companies offer different liability reduction options and we suggest you consider purchasing these to reduce your excess amount to the minimum.

# How long should I allow for my holiday?

Many people make the mistake of underestimating the distances involved in destinations such as USA, Canada, Europe and Australia. Similarly, road conditions in smaller nations like New Zealand and the UK can make for a slower travel time. If you have time constraints, you may be better focusing on certain states or regions and consider returning at another time to continue exploring those places you have yet to visit. Speak to one of our team members who can suggest tried and tested itineraries so that you get the most out of your holiday in the time you have available.

# Are one-way rentals available?

Yes one-way rentals are available and a number of the holidays featured in this brochure include them. They are often subject to a one-way rental fee as the motorhome hire company will need to return the vehicle to its original depot. Our knowledgeable team will be happy to provide details and discuss your options with you.

# I've never driven a motorhome before, is that a problem?

Certainly not! For many of our clients, this will be their first motorhome holiday. A full, one-to-one instruction will be provided at the collection of your vehicle, allowing you plenty of time to familiarise yourself with the controls and ask questions.

# Can I use my ordinary drivers' license?

It's possible for anyone aged over the age of 21 years to rent the vehicles offered in this brochure using an ordinary full Australian or New Zealand driving licence. This includes the larger American 'A' class RVs. An International Driving Permit (IDP) is a legal requirement for some parts of Europe and whilst not mandatory, we do advise carrying an IDP if travelling to America, Canada and South Africa.

# How old do I have to be to drive a motorhome?

The minimum age requirement in most countries is 21 years old. The upper age limit varies from country to country and is determined by the rental company. For example, in Europe and the UK, the upper age limit ranges from 76-80 years whilst there is no upper age limit in either New Zealand or Australia. Ask our team to confirm any age limits based on your travel destination.

# Do we have to travel in convoy on an escorted tour?

The answer is no in all destinations, except for the Tale of Three Countries tour in Southern Africa where 4x4 motorhomes are used. The roads on this tour can be challenging in certain areas (hence the need for a 4x4) and we have a back-up vehicle with a mechanic onboard that travels at the rear of the group to help you in the event of a puncture or mechanical breakdown. However, on non-travelling days where you are spending consecutive nights at the same campsite you will be free to explore as you please.

# Do I need to prebook campsites and ferries?

Prebooking campsites and ferries is definitely recommended in peak travel months. If you travel out of season, it is not always necessary to prebook these. If we are unable to make specific campsite bookings for you, we will supply you with information on where and how to book campsites.

# Is the motorhome fully equipped?

The majority of motorhomes come fully equipped with kitchen utensils, linen and bedding. Depending on the package you book, it may also come with Sat Nav or GPS and camping table and chairs.

# Is there room to store my luggage?

We recommend that you take soft bags and suitcases rather than rigid ones if possible. They are much easier to store in the motorhome as storage space can be limited although some vehicles do come with a large 'garage'. Some rental companies will allow you to leave luggage at their depot providing you are returning to the same location, whist others do offer a forwarding service (subject to charge).

# What happens if we breakdown?

Breakdown cover is included in all rentals and you will be provided with a 24/7 emergency telephone contact number that you should call. Depending on the nature of the problem, someone will be sent out to assist you or you may be asked to carry on to the next major town and arrange for the repairs to be done there.

# What is a security deposit?

Most companies will ask you to leave a security deposit against damage to the motorhome, often equal to the amount of the insurance excess. This is usually paid by credit card, with some companies processing the transaction which results in monies debited from your account and then refunded at the end of your hire. Others may simply take an imprint of your card. Your security deposit may also be used to pay any fess charged by the rental company for returning the vehicle in an unclean state or by failing to empty all the grey and black water tanks or cassettes.

# Do you work with all motorhome rental companies?

We have carefully selected our rental partners in all the countries we offer, to ensure that vehicle safety, maintenance and quality is of the highest standard. We can provide a wide range of vehicle types in terms of both price and size for each destination, but we also work with a number of other companies who are not featured in this brochure. Ask for details from one of our travel specialists.



# **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

The following Booking Terms & Conditions form the basis of your contract with Alan Rogers (Australia) Pty Ltd ("Alan Rogers Travel", "we", "our" 'us" and "Company") ABN: 87 639 697 322, trading as Alan Rogers Travel and Worldwide Caravan & Motorhome Holidays.

Please read them carefully as they set out your and our respective rights and obligations. By asking us to confirm your booking, you acknowledge that you have read, understood and agree to be bound by these Booking Conditions. We reserve the right to change these Booking Conditions at any time prior to you making a booking request.

References in these booking conditions to your 'holiday' are references to any tour, excursions, vehicle hire, short trips, accommodation and any services you have booked with Alan Rogers Travel.

#### Governing Law

These booking conditions are governed by the law in force in Queensland, Australia. Any claim or legal action against overseas suppliers is likely to be subject to the terms of your contract with them and may be governed by the laws of other countries.

#### Price Validity

Price validity Published prices are valid at the time of publication but are subject to change. The most up to date pricing is available on our website. They may be varied by advertising or special offers, or changed after the publication date for any reason, including without limitation, to cover changes in government taxes and charges, exchange rate variations, fuel surcharges, airline charges, a force majeure event or other material increases by suppliers. Prices may vary depending on seasonality and will be confirmed at time of booking. Once the deposit is paid, the price will be guaranteed.

Confirmation of Services Your acceptance of a quotation, or your booking request, does not guarantee actual availability of the requested flights, tours, rental vehicle, accommodation or any other services until you receive a confirmation invoice from Alan Rogers Travel. The services we provide to you are limited to (a) the arrangement and coordination of your travel arrangements; and (b) the delivery of travel arrangements which we directly control. This includes (often significant) work undertaken prior to travel to arrange and coordinate the delivery of your travel arrangements.

Please note that we may not hold any services for you until we receive payment of your deposit, meaning that services may become unavailable or prices may increase, in which case you will be responsible for paying the increased price, and we will not be responsible if services become unavailable.

Making a Booking All holidays are subject to availability at the time of booking. A booking is made with us when a) you tell us that you would like to accept our written or verbal quotation; b) you pay us the applicable deposit (if you are booking within 75 days of departure, full payment is due at the time of booking); and c) we issue you with a booking confirmation. It is at this point that a contract between us and you comes into without a booking booking confirmation. existence subject to these Booking Conditions.

Please check your confirmation invoice carefully as soon as you receive it and contact us immediately if any information appears to be incorrect or incomplete, as it may not be possible to make changes later. We regret we cannot accept any liability if we are not notified of any inaccuracies (for which we are responsible) in any document within ten days of our sending it out (five days for tickets). We will do our best to rectify any mistake notified to us outside these time limits, but you must meet any costs involved in doing our fur which to any accept on the programment to accept on the programment to accept on the programment to accept on the programment of the programment to accept on the programment of the program involved in doing so. If you wish to change or cancel any arrangements later, you may have to pay an amendment fee or cancellation charge.

If you place a booking on behalf of another party, you represent and warrant us that you are duly authorised to provide the agreement and consent of the other party to be bound by these Booking Conditions. You agree that you will be responsible for any loss or damage we incur if this is not the case.

Client Names - Exactly as per passport For security reasons, airlines and our overseas suppliers require names to be given exactly as stated in your passport. If you do not advise the correct information and we have to re-issue airline tickets or other documentation, then you will be responsible for any fees charged (such as airline cancellation charges or re-issue fees) in addition to our own reasonable administration fees.

#### Deposits & Final Payments

Deposits & Final Payments A deposit of \$1000 per person or 10% of the total booking value (whichever is the greater) is required at the time of booking. The deposit represents a fee payable to us for services associated with the processing and confirmation of your booking and any consultations on travel arrangements that we may provide to you. Because these services are provided as soon as we confirm your booking, the deposit is non-refundable other than where we cancel your travel arrangements for reasons other than Force Majeure (see below).

The final balance must be paid in full by the date(s) reflected on your invoice OR no later than 75 days The initial balance index be pain in this by the date(s) fence to obligation to remind value of the initial balance in the second prior to the travel commencement date. We are under no obligation to remind you of a payment becoming due. If we fail to receive a payment from you by the due date for payment in clear funds, then this will be deemed a cancellation by you (see below). Please note that some trips may require payment (including full payment) earlier or in additional instalments and this will be advised with the booking confirmation.

If you are booking within 75 days of travel date, full payment is due at the time of request. You acknowledge that we may not be able to confirm services, in which case we will provide you with a refund.

In addition to the above, any flights booked by Alan Rogers Travel on your behalf, may require immediate payment and this will be advised at the time of booking. Please note that many airfares are non-refundable once ticketed.

We reserve the right to return your deposit and decline to issue a confirmation at our absolute discretion. A binding contract will come into existence between you and us as soon as we have issued you with a booking confirmation that will confirm the details of your booking and will be sent to you.

Alan Rogers Travel reserves the right to cancel any ticket or booking or, refuse to honour any price or carry any passenger where any payment has not been received by Alan Rogers Travel within the specified time.

#### Amendments & Changes to your Booking

Amendments & Changes to your Booking If you wish to change any part of your booking arrangements after our confirmation invoice has been issued, you must inform us in writing as soon as possible. This should be done by the first named person on the booking. Whilst we will do our best to assist, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to meet your requested change. Where we can meet a request, all changes will be subject to payment of an administration fee of \$50 per person per change as well as any applicable rate changes or extra costs incurred, as well as any costs incurred by ourselves and any costs or charges incurred or imposed by any of our suppliers. You should be aware that these costs could increase the closer to the departure date that changes are made, and you should contact us as soon as possible. Where we are unable to assist you and you do not wish to proceed with the original booking, we will treat this as a cancellation by you and a cancellation fee may be payable. If you are prevented from travelling, it may be possible to transfer your booking to another suitable person provided that written notice is given. An administration fee will be charged, details available upon request. Note: Certain arrangements may not be amended after they have been confirmed and any alteration could incur a cancellation charge of up to 100% of that part of the arrangements eg. airfares

Cancellation Policy If you or any other members of your party decide to cancel your confirmed booking, you must notify us in writing. Your notice of cancellation will only take effect when it is received in writing by us at our offices and will be effective from the date on which we receive it. The cancellation charges applicable and shown below represent a percentage of the total holiday price:

- If cancelled prior to the final balance due date, a cancellation fee of the deposit paid applies plus any applicable non-refundable third-party supplier and airline charges (please be aware tha some airfares may be fully non-refundable)
- 45-74 days prior to travel date, a 50% cancellation fee applies plus any applicable non-refundable third-party supplier and airline charges (please be aware that some airfares may be fully non-refundable)
- Within 44 days of travel commencement or no show, a cancellation fee of 100% of the total booking value applies

You agree that the deductions and cancellation charges specified above are reasonable, represent a genuine pre-estimate of our loss and are required to protect our legitimate business interests. If the reason for your cancellation is covered under the terms of your insurance policy, you may be able to reclaim these charges.

For group departures, a transfer of a confirmed booking to an alternative departure date within the same season can be done subject to availability and without charge, up to 120 days prior to travel date. Within 120 days, such transfer is deemed to be a cancellation of the original booking and fees will apply a characteristic date. as shown above.

#### New or Changed Quarantine Requirements

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If you cancel travel arrangements in these circumstances, then we will refund payments made by you less: (a) unrecoverable third party costs and other expenses incurred by us in relation to your travel arrangements; (b) overhead charges incurred by us relative to the price of your travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relative to your travel arrangements until the time of cancellation and in connection with the processing of any refund.

Cancellation or Changes made by Us It is unlikely that we will have to make any changes to your travel arrangements, but as we plan tour arrangements many months in advance, occasionally we may have to make changes and we reserve the right to do so at any time. Most of these changes will be minor and we will advise you of them at the earliest possible date

Escorted motorhome tours are subject to minimum numbers travelling and if this minimum is not reached, we reserve the right to cancel the tour and will advise you no later than 120 days before the planned departure date. Should this happen, we will offer an alternative tour date or suggest a tailor-made motorhome holiday in lieu and you will be provided with a new booking confirmation invoice with a revised holiday cost. If this is not acceptable, you can cancel at no cost and you will be refunded your deposit. Alan Rogers Travel disclaims any liability to you for the costs of airfares, visas or any other expenses incurred by you as a result of postponement or cancellation of your escorted motorhome tour by us whether due to Force Majeure or otherwise.

You acknowledge that the itinerary modes of transport, accommodation and/or the trip's inclusions may need to change during your trip due to local circumstances beyond our reasonable control, including road conditions, poor weather, changes in transport schedules, and/or vehicle breakdowns. You agree that we have the right to pass on any costs we incur for alternative arrangements we put in place for your benefit in these circumstances.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, we will not be responsible for any omissions or modifications to the itinerary or the inclusions due to Force Majeure or other circumstances beyond or control happening after we have accepted your booking. This includes any loss of enjoyment or distress caused by omissions or modifications. If you are entitled to any compensation for any modifications or omissions, then you agree it will be reduced by the value of any alternative services we provide which you accept. We will not be responsible to you for any other expenses or loss you incur in connection with your booking resulting from any amendment or change to the itinerary or its inclusions.

#### Unused & Denied Services

Please note that no refund shall be made for any travel arrangements not utilised, whether by choice or because of late arrival or early departure. Any alteration to the holiday outside the planned itinerary, made by a traveller, shall be wholly at the expense of the traveller. Alan Rogers Travel does not authorise the employees of any overseas supplier or service provider to promise refunds or to make undertakings to clients on other matters on our behalf.

If you are not fully and validly vaccinated against Covid-19 in the destination(s) where services are to be provided, and particular suppliers refuse to provide you with travel arrangements, then you agree you will not be entitled to any refund for those arrangements. We will not be responsible to you for any loss or expenses you incur (including loss of enjoyment or the costs of alternative arrangements) if you are denied services in these circumstances.

#### **Cutting Your Holiday Short**

If you are forced to return home early, we cannot refund the cost of any services you have not used. If you are forced to return home early, we cannot refund the cost of any services you have not used. If you cut short your holiday and return home early in circumstances where you have no reasonable cause for complaint about the services provided, we will not offer you any refund for that part of your holiday not completed, or be liable for, any associated costs you may incur. Depending on the circumstances, your travel insurance may offer cover for curtailment and we suggest that any claim is made directly with them. made directly with them.

Passport, Visa and Immigration Requirements and Health Formalities It is your responsibility to check and fulfil the passport, visa, health and immigration requirements applicable to your holiday. We can only provide general information about this. You must check requirements for your own specific circumstances with the relevant Embassies and/or Consulates and your own doctor as applicable. Requirements do change and you must check the up-to-date information in good time before departure.

Most countries now require passports to be valid for at least 6 months after your return date. If your passport is in its final year, you should check with the Embassy of the country you are visiting.

We do not accept any responsibility if you cannot travel or incur any other loss because you have not complied with any passport, visa, immigration requirements or health formalities. Alan Rogers Travel is not responsible for delays or missed portions of the holiday resulting from incorrect travel documents or visas.

We strongly recommend that you familiarise yourself with the latest Government Consular advice and information before making a booking and before departure by calling or visiting websites of the Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade in Australia or the Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade in New Zealand

#### Travel Insurance

Adequate travel insurance is a condition of your contract with us. You must be satisfied that your insurance fully covers you and your party against all of your personal requirements, including the cost of cancellation by you, the cost of assistance (including repatriation) in the event of accident or illness, loss of baggage and money and other relevant expenses. If you fail to travel with adequate insurance cover, we will not be liable for any losses in respect of which insurance cover would otherwise have been available. It is the responsibility of the traveller to arrange their own insurance.

#### Special Requests

Special Requests Any special requests must be advised to us at the time of booking eg. dietary & meal requirements, room location, etc. You should then confirm your requests to us in writing. Whilst every effort will be made by us to try and arrange your reasonable special requests, we cannot guarantee that they will be fulfilled. The fact that a special request has been noted on your confirmation invoice or any other documentation or that it has been passed on to the supplier is not confirmation that the request will be met. Failure to meet any special request will not be a breach of contract on our part unless the request has been specifically confirmed. We do not accept bookings that are conditional upon any special request being met.

#### Errors & Omissions

We endeavour to ensure that all the information and prices both on our website and in our brochures are accurate; however, occasionally changes and errors occur and we reserve the right to correct prices and other details in such circumstances and will notify you as soon as possible. You must check the current price and all other details relating to the arrangements that you wish to book before your booking is confirmed.

#### Health & Fitness

It is your responsibility to ensure that you have a suitable level of health and fitness to undertake the trip of your choice.

If you suffer from a medical condition which may reasonably be expected to increase your risk of needing medical attention, or which may affect the normal conduct of the trip, then you must advise us at the time you make your booking request.

Alan Rogers Travel welcomes passengers with disabilities or special needs, and we will do our utmost to cater for any special requirements you may have. If you or any member of your party has any medical problem or disability which may affect your holiday, please provide us with full details before we confirm your booking so that we can try to advise you as to the suitability of your chosen arrangements.

We may request you to provide an assessment of your medical condition from a qualified medica We may request you to provide an assessment of your medical contribution normal qualities medical practitioner. If the assessment indicates that you will require special assistance from personnel which we cannot reasonably provide, then we may cancel your booking. Provided you notified us of your medical condition at the time you made your booking request, we will provide you with a full of refund of payments made. If you fail to notify us at that time or if you fail to provide a medical assessment within a reasonable time of our request, then this will be considered a cancellation by you.

We reserve the right to cancel your booking if any changed or non-disclosed medical conditions mean that you will require special assistance which we cannot reasonably provide.

We strongly suggest that your travel insurance policy includes comprehensive cancellation coverage.

#### **Refusal of Carriage**

We retain the right to remove customers from our escorted motorhome tours for reasons that impact on the enjoyment or safety of other tour members, such as, but not limited to, the physical, medical or mental inability of customers to undertake the arrangements of the tour, unsocial or unruly behaviour, or the carriage of prohibited substances and materials. You will not be entitled to any refund for unused services, and you will be responsible for any additional costs you incur.

#### Independent Services

We are not responsible for any additional activities or excursions which are not included in the booked itinerary or which we sell as agent for the principal operator. Any advice or recommendation made by a guide or local representative does not make us responsible.

Credit & Debit Card Surcharges If you pay Alan Rogers Travel by credit or debit card, surcharges will apply. In the case of credit cards, a surcharge of between 1% and 2% (depending on the card used), will be added to the tour price. In the case of debit cards, a charge of 0.5% will be added to the tour price.

#### Security Deposits

All motorhome rental companies require a minimum of one internationally recognised credit card for a security bond. Cash security deposits are possible in some instances but must be requested in advance.

Age Limits Generally, the minimum age for a hirer is 21 years but this can vary by motorhome rental company and country. Maximum age limits and/or young driver surcharges may apply. Please check with your consultant at the time of booking.

#### One Way Rentals

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#### Force Majeure

Except where otherwise expressly stated in these booking conditions we will not be liable or pay you compensation if our contractual obligations to you are affected by any event which we or the supplier(s) of the service(s) in question could not, even with all due care, foresee or avoid. These events can include, but are not limited to: war, threat of war, civil strife, industrial dispute, terrorist activity or the threat of such activity, the act of any government or other national or local authority including changes or amendments in regulations or access to services, sites or countries caused by declared epidemic or pandemic events; natural disasters including fire, earthquake, floods and adverse weather conditions; nuclear, chemical or biological disasters resulting in contamination or environmental pollution; and all similar events outside our or the supplier(s) concerned control.

If Alan Rogers Travel, in its reasonable opinion, considers that any Force Majeure event prevents it In Alan Rogers fravel, in its reasonable opinion, considers that any Force Majeure events it (whether directly or through its employees, contractors, subcontractors and agents) from lawfully or safely providing any products or services subject of the booking contract with you, Alan Rogers Travel may immediately by written notice: (a) cancel your travel arrangements (in whole or in part) thus terminating the booking contract with you (in whole or in part); and/or (b) reschedule your travel arrangements as reasonably practicable (in whole or in part)

If we cancel any of your travel arrangements, neither of us will have any claim for damages against the other for the cancelled arrangements. However, we will refund payments attributable to the cancelled travel arrangements less: (a) unrecoverable third party costs and other expenses incurred by us for the cancelled travel arrangements; (b) overhead charges incurred by us relative to the price of the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by usin relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by usin relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by usin relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by usin relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by usin relation to the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by usin relation to the cancelled trave travel arrangements until the time of cancellation and in connection with the processing of any refund.

#### **COVID-19 Important Information**

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You acknowledge that you are choosing to travel at a time when you may be exposed to COVID-19. It is your own responsibility to acquaint yourself with all relevant travel information including applicable health risks. You acknowledge that your decision to travel has been made based on your own consideration of this information and you acknowledge and agree that you are aware of, and assume responsibility for, the risks associated with travelling at this time.

We will have no liability for any refunds, compensation, expenses or losses of any kind incurred by you (including medical treatment if applicable) in the following circumstances:

a) If due to any illness, suspected illness or failure to satisfy any required tests or vaccination requirements or any other measures imposed by an airline, travel service provider or government body,

or refuse to submit to testing or assessment when requested to do so and as such, are denied entry to board the flight, entry to the destination, access to services or are otherwise unable to proceed with your holiday: or

b) If you, or any of your travelling companions, test positive for COVID-19 and are required to quarantine for a period of time, or are notified or otherwise become aware that you have, or suspect you may have, come into close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19

If any of the above should occur whilst you are travelling, please notify us without delay and we will provide such reasonable assistance as we can in the circumstances. However, we will not be arrangements or other associated costs incurred by you. You must ensure you have adequate travel insurance with specific COVID-19 coverage which covers these costs for you.

#### Vaccinations

Vaccinations We strongly encourage you to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 with a vaccine approved by the Therapeutic Goods Administration. This is so health risks for yourself and others you come into contact with, can be mitigated. Subject to the Illness or Vaccination Status Preventing Travel section above, if you choose to travel without being fully vaccinated, then you do so accepting the implicit risks to your health and you agree to provide us with waivers and releases as we may require. It is your responsibility to obtain vaccinations and preventative medicines as may be required for the duration of the trip. Any information provided by us is given in good faith.

#### Responsibility & Liability

Where a third party over whom we have no direct control (Independent Supplier) is the supplier of travel arrangements that form part of your holiday, you acknowledge that our obligations to you are limited to taking reasonable steps to select a reputable Independent Supplier and arranging for them to provide those travel arrangements to you. Independent Suppliers over whom we have no direct control include, but are not limited to, airlines, railway and cruise companies, hoteliers, independent transport companies (ie. vehicles not operated by us) and other operators.

Alan Rogers Travel is not responsible for the conduct of the independent service providers, their And hogers independent Stoff responsible for the Conduct on the independent Service products, their servants and agents, or for any ramifications of that conduct. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we will not be responsible to you for any loss, damage, personal injury or delay attributable to the actions or omissions of an Independent Supplier. Any claims you have in this regard must be made against the Independent Supplier. You acknowledge that the Independent Supplier's liability to you may be limited independent Supplier. You cachino the second seco by their own terms and conditions.

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You acknowledge that travel arrangements or services which comply with local laws and regulations will be deemed to have been properly performed, even if this would not be considered the case in Australia.

Australian Consumer Law and corresponding or equivalent legislation in other jurisdictions (including if you are a resident of New Zealand, any consumer law which is in effect in New Zealand and which applies to our contract with you) in certain circumstances imply mandatory conditions and warranties into consumer contracts ("Consumer Warranties"). These Booking Conditions do not exclude or limit the application of the Consumer Warranties. Other than the Consumer Warranties, Alan Rogers Travel disclaimed uncomptient. disclaims all warranties.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the maximum liability of Alan Rogers Travel to you under these Booking Conditions, in tort (including negligence) or at law is limited to arranging for the travel arrangements to be resupplied or payment of the cost of having the travel arrangements resupplied.

Data Protection & Privacy In order to process your booking, and to ensure that your travel arrangements run smoothly and In order to process your booking, and to ensure that your travel arrangements run smoothly and meet your requirements, we need to use the information you provide such as name, address, any special needs/ dietary requirements etc. We take full responsibility for ensuring that proper security measures are in place to protect your information. We must pass the information not to the relevant suppliers of your travel arrangements such as airlines, hotels, transport companies etc. The information may also be provided to security or credit checking companies, public authorities such as customs/immigration if required by them, or as required by law. We will also use the information for marketing purposes. Should you not wish to receive further information from us in the future, please advise our reservations staff at the time of booking. Our Privacy Policy also contains information about how you may seek access to, or correction of, the personal information held about you, and our com/en-au/about/data-protection or by request to us. By providing personal or sensitive information about how you may seek access to, or or privacy Policy is available here https://worldwide.alanrogers. com/en-au/about/data-protection or by request to us. By providing personal or sensitive information to us, you are agreeing to the terms of our Privacy Policy.

Photography & Image Release Whilst every effort has been made to provide accurate images of the vehicles, these are provided as a guide only and actual décor, layout and configuration cannot be guaranteed and may differ from that shown.

When on an escorted tour, we may take photographs or make recordings of you and your activities that identify you. We reserve the right to use any images and/or recordings for promotional and marketing purposes. You consent to this use and acknowledge you will not be entitled to any payment or other compensation. If you do not consent to the use of your image or likeness, please advise us as least 21 days prior to the commencement of your tour.

#### Complaints

Complaints We make every effort to ensure that your holiday arrangements run smoothly but if you do have a problem during your holiday, please inform the relevant supplier (eg. rental company, hotelier, etc) or our local representative immediately who will endeavour to put things right. If your complaint is not resolved locally, please contact us. If the problem cannot be resolved and you wish to complain further, you must send formal written notice of your complaint to us at our offices within 30 days of the end of your holiday, giving your booking reference and all other relevant information. Please keep your letter concise and to the point. This will assist us to quickly identify your concerns and speed up our response to you. Failure to follow the procedure set out in this clause may affect ours and the applicable supplier's ability to investigate your complaint and will affect your rights under this contract.

Please address your correspondence to: The Manager, Alan Rogers (Australia) Pty Ltd, PO Box 434, Helensvale QLD 4212, Australia.

#### General

The contract between Alan Rogers Australia (Pty) Ltd trading as Alan Rogers Travel & Worldwide Caravan and Motorhome Holidays and you, is governed by the laws of the State of Queensland. Any disputes shall be dealt with by a court with the appropriate jurisdiction in Queensland. If any provision of these Booking Conditions is found to be unenforceable, then to the extent possible it will be severed without affecting the remaining provisions. Any personal information you provide to us will be collected, stored, used, protected and shared in accordance with Australian Privacy Principles, and our Privacy Policy, which is published here https://worldwide.alanrogers.com/en-au/about/data-protection

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