

# Mauritius & Madagascar:

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## "DISCOVERY OF A NEW WORLD"

APR - OCT (5\*)

SINGLE

FROM USD **3088**  
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APR 01, 2019 - OCT 31, 2019

### DAY 1: MAURITIUS ARRIVAL(--/--/D)

Upon arrival at Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport in Mauritius, transfer to Outrigger Mauritius Resort from the airport. Dinner will be served at the resort.

### DAY 2: MAURITIUS SIGHTSEEING(B/L/D)

Have breakfast at the resort, after take the Contrastes & Nuances Tour. Make the most of your time with this sightseeing experience. The journey starts with the visit to Curepipe, 2<sup>nd</sup> largest city of the island and also known as "La Ville Lumiere" since it was the first town in the island to run on electricity. Climb to the upper plateau for a stunning panoramic view of the island from the top of **TROU AUX CERFS**, a dormant volcano. As you drive southwards to Chamarel for a visit and lunch stop at a rum distillery, you will enjoy the breathtaking landscape adorning the sacred lake of **GRAND BASSIN** and the **BLACK RIVER GORGES NATIONAL PARK**. In the afternoon, you will discover the natural treasures of Chamarel, including the unusual geological phenomenon of the **SEVEN-COLORED EARTH** and a spectacular waterfall. Have dinner and overnight at the hotel.

### DAY 3: MAURITIUS - MADAGASCAR ARRIVAL(B/L/--)

After breakfast, check out and proceed to **KREOLA'S PUNCH TOUR**, and discover the highlights of the capital city of Port Louis. Bursting with life, the city blends the island's past and present. It is also a rainbow of cultures, religions and traditions reflected in the island lifestyle. End the tour at the **CAUDAN WATERFRONT COMPLEX**. The Caudan's craft market, spread across two levels, is the perfect place for a quick shopping for hand-made souvenirs. Lunch will be served at a local restaurant. Then, transfer to the airport for flight your flight to Antananarivo, Madagascar. Upon arrival at Antananarivo, meet the guide and transfer to the hotel. Dinner will be on your own arrangement. Transfer back to the hotel.

### DAY 4: MADAGASCAR SIGHTSEEING(B/--/D)

Enjoy breakfast and drive to Andasibe (145km) with visit on the way to **MT. PEYRIERAS** insect and reptile farm in Marozevo. Andasibe is situated on National Road 2, at around 3 hours from the capital city, Antananarivo towards the Eastern Coast of the island. On your way there, a visit to the private reserve of Peyrieras will give you a foretaste of its generous nature since chameleons, geckos, frogs, butterflies, crocodiles, bats, lemurs, and other exotic species cohabit with one another harmoniously. Have dinner and overnight at the hotel.

### DAY 5: MADAGASCAR SIGHTSEEING(B/--/D)

After breakfast, visit **ANDASIBE NATIONAL PARK**, it is a protected rainforest area in eastern Madagascar. The park includes the Analamazaotra Reserve, home to the large indri lemur, which is known for its distinctively loud song. The park's rich biodiversity includes native species like the big Parson's chameleon, plus rare orchids and ferns. After, visit **VAKONA PRIVATE RESERVE**. This leads you around a lake where 40 crocodiles live freely. You will meet Kovu and Nala, two fossa (*endemic carnivores of Madagascar, predators of Lemurs*), admire parrots, ostriches and aquatic birds, shiver at the sight of boas, and scratch the neck of tortoises. Situated in the middle of the primary forest, the reserve sometimes has the privilege of being frequented by groups of wild lemurs, flown over by parrots, and visited by a variety of birds that nest here. Enjoy dinner and overnight at the lodge.

### DAY 6: MADAGASCAR - ROVA AMBOHIMANGA(B/--/D)

After breakfast, check out and drive back to Antananarivo. Visit the King and Queen's former place in Ambohimanga. The **ROVA OF AMBOHIMANGA** was the place of the Great King 'Andrianampoinimerina' (*The Lord in the Heart of Imerina*) who managed to unite the people of the twelve sacred hills of Merina. It is a place that used to be sacred and it has kept, until now, its fortifications, its history on the origins of the royal family of Merina as well as its mysteries. It is situated around one hour drive from Antananarivo. The Rova Ambohimanga Tour will disclose the rural facet of the capital city to you through the rice fields, the active holiday resorts, the valleys and the mountains which one can climb to reach the door of the palace. Have dinner and overnight at the hotel.

### DAY 7: MADAGASCAR DEPARTURE(B/--/--)

After breakfast, check out. Enjoy a morning city sightseeing tour and visit a handcraft market. Transfer to the airport for your flight back to Manila.

### TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Curepipe, Trou aux Cerfs, Grand Bassin and the Black River Gorges National Park, Chamarel, Kreola's Punch Tour, Caudan Waterfront Complex, Mt. Peyrieras, Andasibe National Park, Vakona Private Reserve, The Rova of Ambohimanga

### ACCOMMODATION

- OUTRIGGER MARITIUS BEACH RESORT (5\*) or similar class
- LE LOUVRE HOTEL (4\*) or similar class

### INCLUSIONS

- Roundtrip International airfare via SQ/MK
- 2 nights hotel accommodation in Mauritius
- 4 nights hotel accommodation in Madagascar
- Meals indicated in the itinerary (6B/2L/5D)
- Transfer, tours and admission fees indicated in the itinerary
- English-Speaking Tour guide
- Free Travel Insurance (60 years old & below, except infant)

### EXCLUSIONS

- USD 190 – Airline taxes (subject to change)
- PHP1620 – Philippine travel tax
- Tipping for driver and guide
- USD 35 – Madagascar Visa fee, Upon arrival (subject to change)
- Beverages/Liquid refreshment during meals
- Others not mentioned in the inclusions
- \*\*Above rate is based on per person\*\*

### VISA REQUIREMENTS

- Original passport (6 months valid prior to departure date)
- Copy of the bio-date page of the passport
- Two (2) passport size photographs (white background)
- A fully completed Application for Visa Form (DHA84) - MUST BE A4, BACK TO BACK (downloadable form visit [www.southafricamanila.com](http://www.southafricamanila.com))
- Flight Itinerary/Airline Booking Proof of accommodation (hotel booking/Address of SA contact)
- Proof of sufficient funds e.g. bank statement or certificate (original/certified copy) with latest 3 months bank statement
- NSO Original Birth Certificate
- NSO Marriage Certificate
- Guarantee letter from the Travel agency listing of the passenger's name & certifying that the said passengers availed package tour & will be back in Manila after the tour.
- Cover Letter
- Authorization letter

### FLIGHT DETAILS

- 1 SQ 915 MNL SIN 0735 1120
- 2 MK 647 SIN MRU 1535 1845
- 3 MK 286 MRU TNR 2025 2120
- 4 MK 289 TNR MRU 1700 1945
- 5 MK 646 MRU SIN 2040 0750+1
- 6 SQ 912 SIN MNL 1215 1555

### BOOKING CONDITIONS

- Minimum of 2 full paying adults must travel together
- Rate is subject to change and subject to availability
- Itinerary is subject to change due to local conditions
- Rate is valid for Philippine Passport Holder only
- Surcharge may apply for foreign passport holders
- Full cancellation charge shall be applied for any cancellation made after booking finalization
- Standard check-in time 1400H / Standard check-out time 1100H (please change the time depending on the destination standard policy for check-in and check-out)
- Passport must be at least 6 months valid beyond intended stay
- Passenger must check the validity of his/her own travel documents.
- Passenger shall be held responsible for any charges/damages caused by invalid/expired travel document.
- Our company reserved all rights for any changes without prior notice
- \*\*CHD NO BED rate, applicable for 6 years old and below only (if applicable)
- \*\*TRIPLE, DOUBLE and NON-SMOKING room is subject for availability (if applicable)
- \*\*Service of a Driver Guide is limited to pick up and drop off only. Please make sure to arrive on time at the meeting place. (if applicable – depend on destination)

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