



Hello everyone!

The Silver Giltedge Travel Club is growing! We now have 57 registered members. Should you wish to join the club, please contact Jenny on 0824962872 and she will sign you up.

Linda Donato will be presenting Viking River Cruises at each Evergreen village during November. Please join us for what will be an interesting presentation.

Dates for the presentations are as follows:

07 November	NOORDHOEK	Time 14h30	RSVP by 31 October to Reception
12 November	MUIZENBERG	Time 11h00	RSVP by 05 November to Reception
14 November	DIEP RIVER	Time 11h00	RSVP by 07 November to Reception
21 November	BERGVLIET	Time 11H00	RSVP by 14 November to Reception

CRUISE OPTIONS



Amadeus River Cruises offer golf cruises on some of their itineraries in Europe. When travelling as a couple, one person may partake in the Golf Package and the other the excursions offered on the same cruise. **Avalon River Cruises** are offering great deals for 2020 on certain cruises.

EUROSTAR

There is only one train running directly from **London to Paris**: the **Eurostar** high-speed train. On average the journey takes two hours 28 minutes. Eurostar is an international high-speed railway service connecting London with Amsterdam, Avignon, Bourg-Saint-Maurice, Disneyland Paris, Lille, Fréthun, Lyon, Marseille, Paris, and Rotterdam.

Trains to Belgium, terminate at Midi/Zuid station in Brussels.

Eurorail Passes: These passes are designed in such a way that you can visit just one country, several countries or adjoining countries on one pass in Europe. There are passes offering consecutive day travel, certain amount of days within a month, these also varying prices depending on the number of days chosen within a certain time period. This type of pass is designed so that one can travel between cities stopping along the way.

Note: There are discounts for senior citizens available!

PACKAGE HOLIDAYS IN EUROPE

Insight Vacations

Insight Vacations is a five-star product offering Europe, Great Britain, Russia and Morocco. Insight Vacations will show you a range of fascinating and unique experiences, connecting you with local people to really bring the destinations to life. They offer authentic dining experiences in local restaurants and although they use 40-seater coaches with extra leg room and an average group is usually 33 passengers.

Insight Vacations offer a selection of escorted journeys featuring the **Chelsea Flower Show** departing May 2020. The Chelsea Flower Show is held by the Royal Horticultural Society in the grounds of the Royal Hospital Chelsea, in London. The show runs for five days in May and has been held every year since 1912. It is the most famous flower and landscape gardens show in the United Kingdom, and perhaps the world.

The Chelsea Flower Tours are extremely popular and tend to sell out very quickly, should you be interested, please do not hesitate to make a reservation.

Trafalgar Tours

Trafalgar Tours is a 4-star product offering Great Britain, Europe, Morocco, Egypt, Jordan and Israel. You can now SAVE 10% on certain Britain and Europe packages by booking and paying, in full before 18 December 2019. This discount includes the new destinations of Armenia, Georgia and Montenegro.

As a leader in Travel since 1947, you are guaranteed to uncover the real soul of the places you go without having to worry about a thing. No matter which trip you chose, you can be assured of a carefully handcrafted itinerary packed with unique highlights.

You will see iconic features and connect with locals who will share their cultures and tell their tales.

Please Note: Both Insight Vacations and Trafalgar Tours offer discounts for single travelers on certain tours and certain dates.

Trafalgar Cost Saving Tours are for the budget conscious traveler offering three- and four-star accommodation. With all the essentials covered and planning done for you, you have the ultimate flexibility to tailor make your holiday.

Should you be interested in taking a tour and would like further information please contact Cheryl on <u>cheryl@suregiltedge.co.za</u>. She will then refer you to one of our professional and experienced consultants.

2020 IS THE YEAR FOR OBERAMMERGAU



Since 1634, the tiny picturesque Bavarian Village of Oberammergau has performed the Passion Play every ten years. The deeply moving chronicle depicts the Passion of Christ at the time of the crucifixion. The cast comprises of local villagers exclusively and equals any professional production in both sheer spectacle and emotion, attracting visitors from around the world. An experience that will exceed every expectation!

Packages are available through **Trafalgar Tours**.

AQUILA GAME RESERVE FROM CAPE TOWN

Aquila Private Game Reserve, offering big 5 safaris two hours from Cape Town, makes it easy for you even if you have time constraints. They offer half day, full day and overnight safari package options.

GILTEDGE offer special negotiated rates:

Day Tour - Cost R2,210 per person, includes return transfer.

Self-Drive - Cost R1,300 per person arrive before 11h45.

0900: Depart Cape Town to Aquila – scheduled transfers do pick-ups from the Alphen Hotel in Constantia where parking is available for the day. 11h45: Welcome drink served on arrival 12h15: Buffet lunch 13h30: Game drive, afterwards relax at the pool or get a spa treatment (optional extra) 16h00: Depart from Aquila and return to Cape Town.

Overnight Stay - Cost R3 370.00 per person includes return transfer.

Includes – Transfer to and from Aquila, welcome drink, lunch, late afternoon game drive, dinner, early morning game drive, breakfast, check out is at 10h00.

Self-Drive - Cost R1 990.00 per person

VICTORIA FALLS SPECIAL FROM JOHANNESBURG, DURBAN AND CAPE TOWN

3-star Elephant Hills Resort in Victoria Falls Zimbabwe 3-night package (Valid until 31 December 2019)

INCLUDES

Return flights from Johannesburg to Livingstone including taxes Return airport to hotel transfer Three Nights' accommodation at 3* Elephant Hills Resort Breakfast daily

COST

Departing - Johannesburg from R8 725 per person sharing Departing - Cape Town from R10 722.00 per person sharing Departing – Durban from R10 759.00 per person sharing

DO YOU KNOW ST HELENA?



Airlink connects you to St Helena Island with direct return flights from Johannesburg? Festive Season flights are now also available from Cape Town. Airlink introduces Festive Season flights from Cape Town to St Helena Island return, on Tuesdays, for the following period. 3 December 2019 – 25 February 2020 (excluding 24 and 31 December 2019).

St Helena Island is known for the abundance of life and beauty on this remote South Atlantic Ocean island. It is loved for the opportunities to swim with its whale sharks, explore historic wrecks and walk its rolling hills. Appreciate the unique flora and fauna and immerse yourself in its heritage and history, where the final chapter of Napoleon's life played out. This island is 47 square miles of sub-tropical paradise and is one of the most extraordinary places in the world. There is plenty of accommodation available, mainly bed and breakfast establishments.

EMIRATES



Don't forget our special offer of up to 40% discounts on Emirates flights!

CONTACT US FOR QUERIES & BOOKINGS

If you are interested in any of the tours or holiday packages, please contact Cheryl Ellis for more details.

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