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Welcome to our second newsletter!  
We've now **visited all the Evergreen Lifestyle Villages** and were warmly welcomed by **everyone**. Thank you to all who've attended our presentations and we look forward to meeting many new faces in the future!

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## EXCITING NEWS



### **Our Giltdge Silver Travel Club Cards are ready!**

The cards will be handed out to those who attend the following launch dates, followed by a presentation by MSC Cruises and tea. For those who have attended previous presentations and completed our survey forms, cards will be left with Bronwyn for distribution.

**12 August - Muizenberg at 14h00**

**13 August - Noordhoek/Lake Michelle at 14h00**

**15 August - Diep River at 14h00**

**16 August - Bergvliet at 10h30**

The Travel Card entitles you to the following benefits:

- Reduces fees of 50%, travel products negotiated specifically for Evergreen
- Quarterly presentations with travel-related suppliers
- VIP invite to client appreciation events
- Marketing of specific travel related industry specials
- A monthly newsletter

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## DAY TRIPS



### A train journey to Elgin Railway Market

On weekends, the Ceres Rail Company offers a day trip to the Elgin Railway Market. Departing at 08h00 from Cape Town, you will enjoy a 3-hour train journey to Elgin where you will leisurely spend 3.5 hours at the newly established Art Deco-inspired Elgin Railway Market. Enjoy live music, a selection of tantalizing food, beverage stalls and local wines. Depart from Elgin at 14:15 for a relaxing train journey back to Cape Town.

**Time:** 8h00 to 17h30

**Tickets:** R800.00 per adult, R550 per child, infants under 2 – FREE

**Date:** Saturdays every month; Saturday and Sundays in November & December

**Departure Point:** AHA Harbour Bridge Hotel & Suites, Foreshore, Cape Town

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## CAPE TOWN - HOGSBACK TOUR



### 9 Days Cape Town - Hogsback

While Hogsback is the main focus of the tour, you'll also explore other highlights of the Western and Eastern Cape. Spend time on the Garden Route in Plettenberg Bay before heading to historic Grahamstown. During the 3 nights at Hogsback itself, you'll visit private gardens, take walks in the woods, visit local artists and enjoy the spring flowers.

A 2-night stay in Graaff-Reinet allows time to explore the area including art galleries and the quirky Nieu-Bethesda with its famous 'Owl House'. You'll then return to Cape Town via Aberdeen, Willomere, Oudtshoorn and Montague.

Departure: 22 & 29 September, 6 October

Price: from R17 330 per person sharing, single R18 580

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## DURBAN TOUR



### Explore Clarens in 6 Days

This quaint town, situated in the Eastern Free State, is perfect for nature and art lovers. Visit galleries, markets and local shops and the town's breathtaking mountains: Mount Horeb, Rooiberge and Malutis. Day trips on this 6-day tour include the Golden Gate Highland National Park, Witsieshoek and Katse Dam in Lesotho (passport needed). The last evening is spent at a country inn along the Midland Meander route.

Departure: 15 September 2019 for 6 days

Price: R13 250.00 per person sharing, single R14 500

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## 3-DAY KRUGER TOUR



Spend 3 days in the Kruger at Protea Hotel Kruger Gate (or similar). This tour includes 2 breakfasts, 2 dinners, accommodation, open vehicle safaris, return road transfer from Johannesburg (unescorted) and sightseeing as specified.

**DAY 1: (Kruger)** – Upon collection from your Johannesburg hotel (driver only), you'll be transferred to Mpumalanga. Upon arrival at your hotel, you'll go on a game drive inside the Kruger. Return to the lodge for dinner.

**DAY 2: (Kruger)** – Start your day with an early morning game drive in the Kruger National Park in an open vehicle with pre-packed breakfast. Spot the Big Five, plains game and birdlife. Stop at a rest camp for lunch (own account). Spend afternoon game viewing. Dinner at lodge.

**DAY 3: (Kruger)** – Enjoy breakfast. Start your journey home to arrive in Johannesburg at approx 18h30.

**Approx. duration of transfer:** Johannesburg – Protea Hotel Kruger Gate is 7 hours with a short comfort stop en-route.

**Rates when joining and ending the tour at OR TAMBO:**

**Low season:** from R 10 950.00 per person, R 12 540.00 per single person (until 30.09.2019)

**High season:** from R 11 120.00 per person, R 12 715.00 per single person (until 31.12.2019)

**Rates when joining and ending the tour at NELSPRUIT AIRPORT:**

R 9 945.00 per person - R 11 535.00 per single person (valid until 30.09.2019)

R 10 115.00 per person - R 11 710.00 per single person (valid until 31.12.2019)

*There is a 4-day tour available.*

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## NAMIBIA TOUR

### 12-Day Northern Namibia: Skeleton Coast and Kaokoland

After a night in Swakopmund, you'll head up the Skeleton Coast where you'll stay at Terrace Bay after a visit to the Cape Cross seal colony. Kaokoland is an ideal base for expeditions into the Hoanib Valley where elephant, black rhino, oryx and lions roam. Then you're onto Opuwo where you'll meet the Himba tribe. We move further north to the Kunene River and Epupa Falls to visit the game-rich Etosha National Park. Then it's back to Windhoek for your flight.

**Departs:** Walvis Bay to Windhoek

**Duration:** 12 days, departing 27 September 2019 (flights not included in price)

**Price:** from R34 500.00 per person, single R38 000.00

*Please note that all prices are subject to change due to availability and the rate of exchange.*

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## SPECIAL: TRAFALGAR TOURS & VACATIONS



Trafalgar is offering 2020 tours at 2019 prices! Book a Trafalgar Tour before 01 September and secure your 2020 price at 2019 prices less a further 10% (subject to availability).

For example - **Best of Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg** - 10 Days from R35 900.00 per

person sharing (single supplement R13 500). Departures between 29 March and 19 April includes a visit to the magnificent Tulip Flower Show in Keukenhof. Deposit of R3000 per person and full payment is due before 18 Dec 2019.

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Please [contact me](#) to book or enquire about any of our travel deals. We are here to help!

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