

# Mozambique



## Inhaca Full Day Tour

Enjoy a full day excursion to the charming Inhaca Island, where the locals are welcoming and the beaches inviting.

### INCLUDES:

- One and a half hour boat trip to Inhaca Island
- Swimming and snorkelling at Portuguese Island
- Swimming at any of the beaches
- Lunch on Inhaca Island at a local, traditional restaurant
- Optional activities include guided snorkelling, and open Land Rover trips on the island. All available on request, at an additional cost.

R837 pp



## Maputo Night Safari

Join your Thompsons host and head out for an evening of great food and a good time, soaking up the evening's Latin-American/Salsa/ Cuban atmosphere of Maputo's night life.

### INCLUDES:

- Dinner at a typical Maputo Restaurant.
- Visit to popular and vibrant bars.
- Dancing in one of Maputo's trendiest nightclubs.
- A Thompsons guide will drive you around safely and ensure you have a good time!

R631 pp



## Macaneta Day Trip

Spend a relaxing day at Macaneta Beach, famous for its turquoise blue waters and white sands

### INCLUDES:

- Visit to Marracuene Village and cultural homestead.
- Boat transfer across the Incomati River.
- Spend the remainder of the morning at leisure at Macaneta Beach, with its beautiful extensive beach and relaxing environment.
- Lunch is served at Marracuene Lodge.
- Afternoon at leisure relaxing in the surrounds of Marracuene Lodge.

R837 pp



## Full Day at Nacole Gardens

Nacole is a private holding of 100 acres of indigenous trees and pristine bush in Pemba Bay that shelters numerous bird, small mammal and insect species. Streams running through the property attract terrapins and crabs, the bay-side white sand beach is screened by mangrove trees. Enjoy a walk in this garden and see spectacular baobabs, birdlife and mangroves with drinks at sunset on a secluded beach. If you would like to spend the full day there, pack a picnic, towels, costumes and sun block or take your own meat to braai on the BBQ. Drinks are available to buy there.

R208 pp

# Mombasa



## Mombasa City Tour

Visit the Akamba Handicraft Centre where you may buy souvenirs direct from the traditional Akamba wood carvers. After this you proceed to the huge and famous Tusks over Moi Avenue erected in 1952. The next stop is Fort Jesus to enjoy a short walk through the Old Town. This ancient and impressive maze of architectural wonder will bring you to the Old Dhow Harbour, which is still occasionally used by Dhows from Arabia and India. To end the tour you visit the Mombasa Market well known for its spices and bargains.

R242 pp



## Cultural Bush Tour (By Bike or 4x4)

Experience a half day tour to the coastal countryside that offers a different perspective to the Kenya's tribal heritage. The tour provides a glimpse into the traditions and cultures of the coastal people with a visit to a Giriama or Digo Village with our local guide. Continue to Kaloleni to visit the local market and thereafter drive to Kenya Marine land on the North coast, which offers an opportunity to observe numerous species of tropical marine life in giant aquariums. A snake park, situated nearby is also visited. Includes refreshments and snacks.

R630 pp



## Robinson Crusoe Sea Safari

Half Day tour that takes you back to nature and away from people. Join one of our speed boats for an exclusive Seafari to an untouched, unique and sacred area of Kenya's south coast. Cruise past the ancient and sacred rainforest of Kaya Kinondo (Swahili Kaya - sacred) towards Gazi bay and Chale Island. The shallow and clear waters of this area offer some excellent snorkelling and fun diving with an abundance of reef fish and if you are lucky, some friendly resident dolphins. Enjoy lunch of grilled fresh fish, chicken, fresh salads and fruit "Robinson Crusoe" style.

R713 pp



## Evening Tamarind Dhow

There is only one place in the whole world which can offer as a backdrop the glittering stars of the African skies above the twinkling lights of Mombasa's Old port - The Tamarind Dhow. The Dhow slips her moorings at 18h30 and the magic spell begins with a glass of a classic sundowner cocktail "dawa" and the strains of soft music from the resident band, the clients are assured a tasty feast and 4 hours of absolute pleasure.

R1 211 pp

# Seychelles



## Full Day Discovery Tour of Mahe Island

The tour begins at the colonial centre of "the world's smallest capital", Victoria. Next stop at the 'Codevar' building where local crafts, including the renowned Creole Gold are on display for sale. A stop at the historical Mission Lodge, en-route to the quaint hillside Creole restaurant for lunch. After lunch, the tour continues around the southern tip of the island to the restored colonial plantation of 'Jardin du Roi'. Tour the surrounding plantation of vegetables, exotic fruits, herbs and spices. Enjoy a stop at the Craft Village on the way back.

R808 pp



## Full Day La Digue Tour

The tour starts from your hotel, with a transfer La Digue island, followed by an ox-cart transfer to tour l'Union Estate copra sheds and the giant land tortoises. The tour of La Digue resumes by 'camion', an open-sided truck with canopy, stopping at Anse Source d'Argent, one of the most spectacular beaches in the world. A Creole lunch is arranged at a local restaurant at around 13h15, followed by a beach siesta before returning to Praslin island on the 16h30 schooner.

RI 145 pp



## Full Day Praslin & La Digue Tour

Visit the Vallee-de-Mai on Mahe Island, the only place on earth where the giant Coco-de-Mer nut grows in its natural state - a walk along the tended paths of this primeval forest, listening to the trill of the rare Black Parrot, giving credence to the legends of this World Heritage Site being the original Garden of Eden. The tour includes a visit to the famous Anse Lazio beach, before the 30-minute crossing to La Digue, during which one has a good chance to spot dolphins. La Digue island combines the comforts of the 21st century blending smoothly with the tranquility of yesteryear.

R2 116pp



## Full Day Sister & Coco Islands

A deserted island experience, Sister Island boasts one of the finest beaches in Seychelles and is un-inhabited. The reef on the western side is ideal for snorkelling, while the island's prolific coconut plantation lends itself well to exploration. A typical Creole barbeque is served on the beach. The tour's highlight is the afternoon's snorkelling off Coco Island. Coco island is a small granitic outcrop sporting a few palm trees. For the un-initiated, our crew is on hand with lightweight snorkelling vests to ensure that no-one misses this unique experience to view the underwater world.

RI 427 pp

# Zanzibar



## Stonetown Walking tour

The half day tour starts at the House of Wonder. Proceeding to the Sultan's Palace which now is a museum. The tour includes visits to Livingstone House and Market where local fruits and vegetables are sold. The Anglican Church built on the site of the old slave market, State House and a pass by the Zanzibar Museum. On our way, we pass the High Court of Zanzibar, Tipu House, the first British High Commission, Jamituri garden and end the tour at the old fort building.

R677 pp



## Spice Tour

A wonderful opportunity to see spices like cloves, cinnamon, black pepper, nutmeg, turmeric root, actually growing in the plantations, furthermore you will see plants like the Henna bush, Lipstick tree and Lemongrass. Finally you will visit the Kidichi Persian Baths that were built by the first Sultan of Zanzibar in 1850 and Maruhubi Palace Ruins built by the third Sultan of Zanzibar in 1880 built especially for housing 99 of his harem. Sensible shoes and hats are advisable.

R574 pp



## Kizimkazi Dolphins

Enjoy a boat trip to Kizimkazi where you can feed the dolphins in the more shallow waters around the reefs and see schools of bottlenose and humpbacked dolphins that are frequently seen from boats and beaches around the coasts. From the south-western village of Kizimkazi, sightseeing trips into the bay provide a wonderful opportunity to see and even to swim with these friendly creatures.

R964 pp



## Prison Island

Board a local dhow from Stonetown and head towards Prison Island, also known as Chumbe Island, famous for its excellent views of Stone Town and for its giant tortoises imported from Aldabra in the Seychelles in the late 19th century. They stand up to a rather staggeringly one metre high, could feasibly be hundreds of years old, and are frequently seen copulating. The beautiful beach is an ideal spot for sunbathing and the clear waters lend to excellent snorkelling. You can also ride the Tortoises!

R954 pp