

# HIPPO GOLF TOUR TO SOUTH AFRICA



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# YOUR PACKAGE

#### FLIGHTS (including airport taxes)

Overnight flights from Ireland to Cape Town, South Africa

Flight from Cape Town to Nelspruit airport

Flight from Nelspruit airport to Durban airport

Flight from Durban airport to Ireland

#### **ACCOMMODATION - (4 star standard)**

5 nights Cape Town Hotel, The Cullinan

4 nights Protea Kruger Gate Hotel (Or similar)

5 nights Garden Court Hotel, Durban Umhlanga (Or similar)

#### **TRANSPORT**

52-seater Luxury coach for all transfers to and from airports, hotels, lodges, golf courses, and excursions. Coach driver accommodation and meals included

#### **TOUR MANAGER**

Fee, accommodation, meals and excursions included

#### **EXCURSIONS**

CAPE TOWN

Visit to the Winelands Wine Tram (Franschhoek)

KRUGER PARK (2 days conservation fees included)

1 x Full day game drive

1 x Night game drive

GOLF

1x round of Golf at Paarl Golf Course (Paarl)

1x round of Golf at Arabella Golf Course -(Hermanus)

1x round of Golf at Skukuka Golf Course (Kruger National Park)

1x round of Golf at Royal Durban Country Club Golf Course (Durban)

1x round of Golf at Umhlali Golf Course (Ballito)

1x round of Golf at Prince's Grant Golf Course (Stanger)

#### ${\sf MEALS}$

Breakfasts daily at accommodation

1 x Dinner at Gold Restaurant in Cape Town

1 Lunch on Wine farm in Franschhoek

#### KILLESTER GIFT

Killester-Branded Golf Shirt and Golf Cap

#### **GROUP INSURANCE**

### €4495 per person sharing €1500 - single supplement

TOURING MEMBERS: 30 MEMBERS

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

Visit Table Mountain (Optional - own account)

Visit Robben Island (Optional - own account)

Visit to Zulu Land (Optional - own account)















# YOUR PROGRAM

#### Day 1 - Overnight flight (Friday 12 September)

Flight from Ireland to South Africa

#### Day 2 - Cape Town (Saturday 13 September)

Morning arrival at Cape Town airport Transfer to Cape Town hotel and check in for 5 nights Afternoon at leisure

#### Day 3 - Cape Town (Sunday 14 September)

Morning Table mountain & Robben Island visit (Optional)

Table Mountain is the most renowned historical sightseeing landmark in all of South Africa. It is likewise the most photographed attraction in Cape Town for it's famous flat-top and has seen millions of visitors

Table Mountain since 1994 has become the world's icon of South African pride and democracy for locals and travellers.

Robben Island has been used as a prison and a place where people were isolated, banished and exiled to for nearly 400 years. It was also used as a post office, a grazing ground, a mental hospital and an outpost. Learn about the Island's role as a former prison, and hear stories about Nelson Mandela and how he spent 18 years of his 27year sentence there.

Afternoon at leisure at the V&A Waterfront

#### Day 4 - Cape Town (Monday 15 September)

#### Morning Golf at Paarl Golf Course

Paarl Golf Club is rich in history and counts as one of the oldest golf clubs in South Africa. Royal Cape Golf Club is the oldest club in South Africa established in 1886. An interesting fact is that golf only started in the United States of America a year later in 1887! Paarl Golf Club was established in 1908 and started off with a nine-hole "links" type of course next to the Berg River in the "middle" of the current town known as Sanddrift. This design was done by the well-known golf architect Bob Grimsdell. The course became too small for the demand and was eventually shifted to Suider-Paarl (the current location) in 1955 where an 18-hole course was constructed again along the banks of the Berg River.

https://www.boschenmeerestate.co.za/

#### Day 5 - Cape Town (Tuesday 16 September)

#### Morning Golf at Arabella Golf Course

Surrounded by the magnificent Kogelberg mountain range and Bot River Lagoon, and edged by wild fynbos, the picturesque Arabella Country Estate is the ideal place to pursue a passion for golf and enjoy an idyllic golf holiday. The fabled 18-hole, Par 72 Championship course has consistently been ranked in the top 10 courses in South Africa. The 8th hole has been described as one of the most beautiful par 5's in South Africa and the 18th hole was rated one of the finest finishing holes in the country.

https://arabellacountryestate.co.za

Afternoon at leisure

#### Day 6 - Cape Town (Wednesday 17 September)

Full Day Franschhoek Wine Tram

The Franschhoek Wine Tram hop-on hop-off tour is one of the best ways to discover the true essence of the Franschhoek Valley. Passengers aboard the hop-on hop-off tour will experience a unique and leisurely way to see the Franschhoek Valley as they journey through rolling vineyards in a double-decker tram and open-air trambus stopping in at some of South Africa's oldest and most distinguished wine estates. A combination of tram and tram-bus transports passengers around a loop of stops allowing them to hop-off at each stop and experience the activities on offer, be it wine tasting, a cellar tour, lunch or simply a stroll through the vineyards and when they are ready, hop-on to continue the tour.

#### Day 7 - Cape Town - Kruger National Park (Thursday 18 Sept)

Morning transfer to Cape Town airport and flight to Nelspruit airport Transfer to Protea Kruger Gate Hotel and check in for 4 nights Afternoon at leisure

## Day 8 - Kruger National Park(Friday 19 September)

**Full-Day Game Drive** 















#### Day 9 - Kruger National Park (Saturday 20 September)

Morning: Golf at Skukuza Golf Club

Skukuza Golf Club is a magnificent 9-hole (18-tee) course situated in the world-renowned Kruger National Park on the outskirts of Skukuza rest camp. The rich wildlife sanctuary surrounding the golf course is home to the Big Five, a huge variety of birds and countless animals, which all conspire to provide their visitors with a harmonious close-to-nature golfing experience. Their course is a Par 72, and is 5950m (6450 yards) for men and 5059m (5480 yards) for women. Since the course is not fenced-in, uninvited spectators are a common sight, hippo, impala, warthog and baboons to mention but a few. The course offers the pleasure of challenge and adventure.

https://skukuza-golf.co.za/

Afternoon at leisure

#### Day 10 - Kruger National Park (Sunday 21 September)

Afternoon at leisure **Night Game Drive** 

## Day 11 - Kruger National Park - Durban (Monday 22 September)

Morning transfer to Nelspruit airport and flight to Durban Transfer to Durban hotel and check in for 5 nights Afternoon at leisure

#### Day 12 - Durban (Tuesday 23 September)

Morning Golf at Royal Durban Country Club Golf Course

Distinctively situated within the Greyville horse racing track, home of Africa's premier horse race, the Hollywood Bets Durban July. Royal Durban Golf Club has hosted some renowned golfing tournaments in its 130 year history including The SA Open, The Players Championship, The SA Amateur Championships and The Nelson Mandela Trophy. Come and enjoy a round of golf in this unique setting and experience our world renowned hospitality.

https://royaldurban.co.za/

Afternoon at leisure

#### Day 13 - Durban (Wednesday 24 September)

Morning visit to Zulu Land (Optional)

Lying beneath the baking heat of a subtropical sun, Zululand is how many regard KwaZulu Natal in their minds eye - peaceful, green hills, waving grasslands, abundant forests, unhurried lifestyle, and a soil imbued with the strength of the Zulu nation who fought for this land. It is thus an area rich in symbolism and tradition, and the age-old Zulu culture remains today, as visitors are invited into the heart of Zulu villages like Shakaland and Dumazulu where one can visit a sangoma, watch a rural wedding ceremony and experience Zulu hospitality. Learn also about life in King Dingane's capital uMgungundlovu.

Afternoon at leisure

#### Day 14 - Durban (Thursday 25 September)

Morning Golf at Prince's Grant Golf Course

Indulge in the ultimate golfing retreat at Prince's Grant, nestled on the captivating Sugar Coast of KwaZulu-Natal. This prestigious golf estate offers an unrivaled experience for golf enthusiasts of all levels. With lush fairways, undulating greens, and breath-taking coastal vistas, every swing is a moment to savor. Whether you're a seasoned player or just starting your golfing journey, our course promises an unforgettable experience that combines impeccable service, pristine natural beauty, and a passion for the game.

https://www.princesgrant.co.za/

Afternoon at leisure















#### Day 15 - Durban (Friday 26 September)

Morning Golf at Umhali Country Club

Umhali Golf Club, located on the scenic Dolphin Coast of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa, offers a unique golfing experience blending natural beauty with a challenging layout. The club, now officially known as Umhlali Country Club, is renowned for its warm hospitality, well-maintained facilities, and family-friendly atmosphere. https://umhlaliclub.co.za/

#### Day 16 - Overnight flight (Saturday 27 September)

Transfer to Durban airport for overnight flight to Ireland

#### Day 17 - Ireland (Sunday 28 September)

Morning arrival in Ireland