

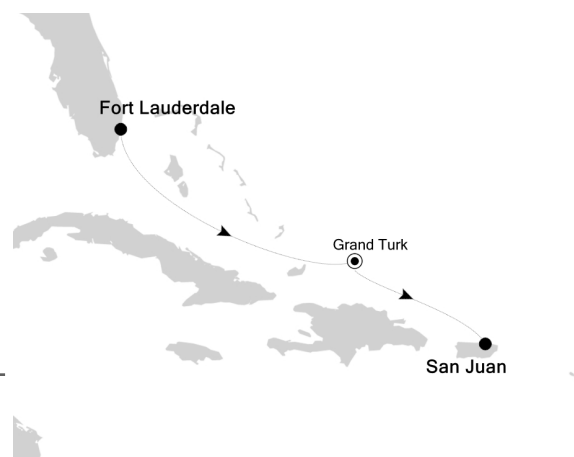


# Tour Programme

Silver Spirit 5832A / 4 Days

November-28-2018 / December-02-2018

Fort Lauderdale, USA / San Juan, Puerto Rico



Date		Arrive	Depart
<b>28</b>	Fort Lauderdale, USA		6:00 PM
<b>29</b>	Day at sea		
<b>30</b>	Grand Turk, Turks and Caicos Islands	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
<b>1</b>	San Juan, Puerto Rico	6:00 PM	
<b>2</b>	San Juan, Puerto Rico		4:00 PM

# General Information

## ORGANISED SHORE EXCURSIONS

Booking Direct with Silversea gives you peace of mind. Our local tour operators are fully insured and have been comprehensively vetted. In the unlikely event of issues with a Silversea tour, we assume responsibility and the ship will wait for our delayed shore excursion. These are important factors when comparing value. Looking for a special program with your travelling companions? In a nod to our Italian heritage, let us reserve for you our Silver Shore "Privato" service - a private vehicle with driver and/or guide. Create your own itinerary or leave it to us. This service is available in most ports which you can reserve on MySilversea ([my.silversea.com](http://my.silversea.com)) or at the Shore Concierge desk onboard for a truly tailor-made arrangement. Please bear in mind as we traverse many far reaching destinations, the local infrastructure varies and is beyond our control. Road conditions and vehicles available locally may not be up to standards we are accustomed to. Guides and drivers may speak with a heavy accent at times depending on the port of call. Be assured however that at Silversea, we contract only the best tours and best operators available at each destination. Please Note: Silversea reserves the right to make any changes or modify a tour in case of unforeseen circumstances and/or to ensure the safety and comfort of our guests.

## BOOKING & CANCELLATION DEADLINES

Shore excursions must be purchased on or before the booking deadline for each port of call. Tours are available on a first-come, first-served basis; some tours are very popular with guests often ending up being wait-listed: in order to avoid disappointment, it is therefore suggested to book in advance via [my.silversea.com](http://my.silversea.com) from 120 - 7 days prior to sailing. Last-minute requests to participate on excursions are subject to space availability, which in some cases may not be determined until departure time pier-side. Please note that certain shore excursions may have different reservation deadlines and may incur cancellation fees if cancelled after the deadline. Unless otherwise indicated in the tour description for a particular shore excursion a 100% cancellation fee will be charged for shore excursions cancelled within 48 hours of the scheduled start time. If changes or cancellations are required once onboard, tickets must be returned to the Shore Concierge desk within the cancellation deadline period.

## ONLINE ADVANCE RESERVATION OF SHORE EXCURSIONS

For those of you that are not aware, at Silversea you can pre-reserve your excursions at leisure prior to your journey on the internet, log on to MySilversea ([my.silversea.com](http://my.silversea.com)) up to 7 days prior to your sailing date. If you have pre-reserved your excursions on line, your tickets will be delivered to your suite upon embarkation and all charges will be billed to your shipboard account.

## ON BOARD RESERVATIONS

Once on board, you may also reserve and purchase your shore excursions. You will find a consolidated tour booking form in your suite and at the Shore Concierge desk. Select the tours in which you wish to participate, then leave the completed and signed form at the Shore Concierge desk prior to the booking deadline indicated. Tour tickets will be delivered to your suite and your selected excursions charged to your shipboard account. Overland and exclusive excursions must be pre-paid by credit card through your reservation agents. If still available they may also be purchased on board. Shore excursions require a minimum number of participants in order to operate as described. If this minimum number is not met, Silversea reserves the right to offer the programme at a different rate or to cancel the specific departure.

## SHORE EXCURSION PRICING

Prices are generally quoted per person, per tour, with the exception of Silver Shore Privato or group-designated excursions. Prices are subject to change without notice. Please visit MySilversea ([my.silversea.com](http://my.silversea.com)) for the most up-to-date information. Discounts for children under 12 years of age are available on some, but not all tours. Prices for children, if available, will be adjusted onboard. Please meet with the Shore Concierge team prior to your excursion to discuss the availability of children's pricing.

## ON-TIME TOUR DEPARTURES

As a courtesy to fellow guests, tour departures generally will not be announced unless there is an unforeseen change. Departure times from the ship are published in the ships daily newspaper, the Silversea Chronicle. Guests are kindly requested to proceed ashore at least ten minutes prior to the tour departure time. The Shore Concierge team will be pier-side to direct you to the appropriate transportation. When the ship is at anchor, guests must allow additional time to tender ashore.

Silversea Cruises reserves the right to adjust itineraries and tour departures as local conditions dictate. Please note that pier departure times are also listed in MySilversea ([my.silversea.com](http://my.silversea.com))

## TOUR SUITABILITY

At Silversea we offer a broad range of activities for our guests of all physical capabilities. Some excursions are decidedly only for the physically fit and active guest. Each excursion offered is clearly identified with an activity level to assist you. For your safety and enjoyment and that of your fellow guests, please be certain you're selecting excursions that meet your physical capability. We therefore encourage guests to review the tour description carefully including the PLEASE NOTE section which includes useful information and attend the port talks onboard. If you still have any questions or concerns regarding this, please contact Shore Concierge ([shoreconcierge@silversea.com](mailto:shoreconcierge@silversea.com)) prior to your cruise or visit the Shore Concierge desk for more detailed information once onboard.

## ON LAND SILVER SHORE CONCIERGE SERVICES

Let Silversea Cruises customise a special event or excursion exclusively for you. Expert Shore Excursion professionals are available to assist with knowledgeable suggestions, personalised planning and coordination of all private, independent touring including area highlights, flightseeing, water sports and more. To take advantage of this service, requests should be submitted no later than 30 days prior to sailing and guests must have a deposited or fully paid cruise booking. Strict cancellation policies apply to your confirmed, exclusive programme. When calling or emailing, please have your booking number available. There is a service fee of \$100 per port to secure your arrangements, however this fee will be applied to your confirmed programme in that port. Call +1.800.968.9518 or e-mail: [shoreconcierge@silversea.com](mailto:shoreconcierge@silversea.com) The Shore Concierge may be contacted by phone, to arrange tailor-made tours, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (East Coast time U.S.) You may leave a detailed message when calling outside of these hours. You may also e-mail your request for your personalised programme.

#### **ONBOARD SHORE CONCIERGE TEAM**

Whether you wish to participate in an organised shore excursion or bespoke tailor-made tour, Silversea's experienced Shore Concierge team are happy to assist you in ensuring your shore-side experiences are nothing less than a memory that lasts forever.

The Shore Concierge team is available onboard on sea days from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Office opening hours in port may vary whilst staff is shore-side assisting you on tour. Please refer to the Silversea Chronicle for daily office opening hours.

When contemplating a tailor-made program onboard, please contact the Shore Concierge team as early as possible at the beginning of your cruise, as time may be a factor in reaching local contacts. Please be aware that once arrangements have been confirmed, 100% cancellation fee will be applied. Unfortunately, we are unable to change or cancel airline tickets, car rental, hotel or any other reservations you made previously with your travel agent or on your own. In many ports of call there may be a local hospitality representative on board to provide additional information, for two hours after the ship's arrival. In some ports, local information may be found in the tourist information centre ashore.

#### **PORT TALKS**

Throughout your cruise we'll be offering Port & Shore Excursion information given by our Shore Concierge Manager and Destination Consultant prior to arrival in each port of call. Our aim is to give you a travel experience that goes beyond the ordinary and many of your questions about our ports of call will be answered in these briefings, giving you more time to enjoy and immerse yourself in each port. The information is presented in the theater or is pre-recorded and played on your in-suite entertainment system.

#### **SILVERSEA SHUTTLE SERVICE**

Complimentary transportation may be provided by Silversea when the local town is beyond a reasonable walking distance from the port. This service may not be possible in ports where a strong taxi union exists, preventing Silversea from providing a complimentary shuttle. The availability and schedule for this service will be announced onboard and listed in the Silversea Chronicle. We are not able to advise this in advance. Operationally, intervals between shuttle bus departures could be affected by local traffic. Silversea is not liable for any unforeseen delays. There will be a break in service for driver meal times. Shuttle service is offered during the day only. The shuttle service is designed to augment local transportation; guests requiring more flexibility may prefer not to wait for a shuttle and secure a taxi at their own expense.

#### **CHILDREN ON TOUR**

To ensure the safety of our younger guests, participation by children in certain shore excursions may be restricted. To ensure the safety of our younger guests, children up to the age of 8 years old are only permitted to participate in suitable Silver Shore Excursions and the shuttle service, if the vehicles are equipped with the correct safety harness and seating equipment, to accommodate a child. Such harnesses' and secure seating cannot be guaranteed. Alternately guests may use their own approved safety seat, booster seat or harness as long as they are compatible with the local touring vehicle and can properly secure the young guest. Silversea reserves the right to refuse children under the age of 8 years old on any tour on the basis of safety.

#### **GRATUITIES**

Gratuities for local guides and drivers are not included in the excursion price. It is customary to tip tour guides and drivers. Such gratuities if extended, should be done so on a voluntary, individual basis.

#### **MOBILE TELEPHONES**

As a courtesy to fellow guests, kindly refrain from using mobile telephones while on tour so as not to interfere with the guide's explanation. Most tours make frequent stops, allowing time for guests to use their mobile telephones. We appreciate your understanding in this matter.

#### **SMOKING**

For reasons of safety and comfort, smoking is not permitted on any tour vehicles used by Silversea. Your understanding in this matter is appreciated.

#### **VIDEO/PHOTOGRAPHY CHARGES**

At some museums, sites and monuments, photography and/or the use of video cameras may not be allowed or may incur a charge. These charges are not included in the tour price and are at guests' own expense.

#### **SHOPPING STOPS**

While our organised excursions are not generally geared to the serious shopper, some tours allow for short shopping stops as indicated in the tour description. In the interest of all tour participants, guests should adhere to the allotted time and return to the tour vehicle promptly as advised by the tour guide or ship's escort. Please Note: The selection of shops is generally left to the discretion of the tour operator. Silversea does require that establishments be reputable, of general interest to our guests and offer quality goods. However, all purchases are the responsibility of the individual.

### ADDITIONAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

Silversea Cruises Ltd. and its associated or affiliated companies act solely as agents for airlines, motorcoach companies, railroads and other service providers. The provisions in the cruise ticket contract govern Silversea Cruises Ltd.'s responsibility to guests and Silversea Cruises Ltd. shall not be liable in any manner, for any reason, with respect to other services provided. Silversea Cruises Ltd. cannot be held responsible for conditions prevalent ashore at ports of call. Some of these conditions might preclude individuals with disabilities from safe or practical participation in organised shore excursions. Silversea Cruises Ltd. cannot accept responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delay in rail, plane, vessel or other services, sickness, weather, strikes, war, quarantine or other causes. These tour descriptions are a general overview of the programme and are subject to change. Our local operator reserves the right to substitute other sites if local situations, including holidays, closures, weather, delays, congestion, etc. require. Silversea Cruises Ltd. reserves the right to adjust shore excursion pricing.

### INSURANCE

The extent of insurance coverage in foreign countries varies widely and depends on their laws and customs. It is suggested that guests consider short-term health and accident policies from their own insurance company prior to leaving home. Silversea Cruises, Ltd. cannot assume liability for baggage or other personal effects lost or damaged while those items are in the custody of an airline, hotel or other service provider. Baggage is always 'at owner's expense' at all times.

## Activity Level and Icon Definition



#### Minimal Activity

Excursions are easily paced without the need for excessive walking or physical activities. Being able to board motor coaches and negotiate steps can be encountered.



#### Moderate Activity

Full participation may include a limited number of steps, uneven surfaces and/or periods of standing.



#### Extensive Activity

Full participation requires being in good physical condition and may involve inclines, steps, uneven surfaces and/or extended periods of standing.



#### Adventure Tour – Physically fit

Active excursions are recommended only for those guests in good physical health, with considerable amounts of physical activity.



#### Wheelchair and disabled-friendly tours

Guests in a standard wheelchair must be accompanied by their own helper and be able to board a motor coach, van or boat. Once on tour you will be unattended. We kindly ask you to inform the Shore Concierge staff promptly at embarkation when using a wheelchair. For guests with serious mobility issues please contact the Shore Concierge staff promptly so they can help make arrangements. In certain ports wheelchair accessible vehicles are available at an extra charge and advanced reservation.



#### Evening Excursion

The excursion is taking place in the evening.



#### Meal Included

A meal is included in the excursion.



#### New Excursion

This shore excursion is brand new to Silversea.



#### Privato

Silversea Privato excursions include private use of a local driver and car. Please see the Shore Concierge for more information and reservation.



#### Limited Space Available

Please be aware that there is only limited space available on this tour. Places are delivered on a first come first served basis.



#### Promo

The shore excursion is offered on a complimentary basis as part of a free shore excursion promotion (the "Promotion"). Please check your booking terms and condition or up to 7 days MySilversea to determine whether your booking qualifies for the Promotion. If your booking does not qualify for the Promotion there will be a cost associated with this shore excursion.

November 30 2018, Friday

# Grand Turk - Turks and Caicos Islands

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## GTK-A / HORSEBACK RIDE & SWIM

DIFFICULTY




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 Price:\$99; Duration:2.00 hrs
 

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This unforgettable excursion allows you to explore Grand Turk's natural beauty on horseback - both on land and in the water.

Depart the pier for the scenic twenty-minute bus ride along the coast and across to the other side of the island. The trip bypasses Governor's Beach, the local airport and one of Grand Turk's natural salinas which recently re-opened to show visitors how salt is obtained in its natural form. Drive past Cockburn Town, the administrative and political capital of the Turks & Caicos Islands before reaching the Grand Turk Indigenous Horse Shelter where your tour on horseback begins.

Once mounted on your horse, proceed with a leisurely walk along the beach whilst enjoying views of the ocean. The guides unsaddle your mounts and prepare them for the swim. Remounting your horse with a halter, enter into the water. Following this great experience, get back to the base and prepare for the transfer back to the ship.

**Please note: Bring sun block, aqua shoes, towel, swim wear, comfortable clothing and camera. Tour is suitable for guests who are physically fit. Pregnant women cannot participate to this excursion. A signed disclaimer is required to participate in this tour. Maximum weight for participants is 220 pounds (100 kilograms) and the minimum age is 6 years. Participants under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.**

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## GTK-C / COAST TO COAST – GRAND TURK SAFARI

DIFFICULTY




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 Price:\$59; Duration:2.00 hrs
 

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Travel by open island style, off-road vehicle while being taken on an adventure that covers Grand Turk from North to South and East to West.

At the pier, board your open-air island style vehicle and your journey of Grand Turk begins. Explore the southern off roads and old Salinas. From here, head along the west coast and historic Duke Street and Front Street famous for the old Bermudian-style architecture, historic churches and old cannons.

Your guide will point out the famous 7,000 foot drop-off creating the Grand Turk 'Wall' which is famous to divers from all over the world. Next, head north to 'Little Bluff' and 'North Creek' for a leisurely stroll along the beach and through the mangroves, which are an important part of Grand Turk's ecosystem.

Another stop on the northern end of Grand Turk is the historic light house. Be sure to bring your camera, the elevated views from the lighthouse ground of the Atlantic are spectacular. Continue your adventure along the east coast for more dramatic views of the coastline and picture perfect views of Gibbs Cay. The final leg of the adventure takes you right through the centre of Grand Turk and the town Salinas, which are a rich part of Grand Turk's history from the Salt trading years.

On your return south to the ship you have the opportunity to view the Friendship Capsule, a replica of the original space capsule carrying astronaut Lieutenant Colonel John Glenn that splashed down off the coast of Grand Turk in 1962.

**Please note: This tour involves minimal walking and is suitable for guests with limited mobility; however it is not wheelchair accessible. There are a few stairs to negotiate to enter the covered area of the vehicle. Guests should dress in seasonal clothing and wear flat, walking shoes and sun protection.**

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## GTK-E / GIBBS CAY BEACH & STINGRAY ENCOUNTER

DIFFICULTY




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 Price:\$69; Duration:2.00 hrs
 

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Join us for a fun and unique island experience on our 'Swim with the Stingrays and Gibbs Cay beach tour.'

Your adventure begins at the cruise terminal where you are greeted by your friendly crew as you board the boat that will take you to your destination, a pristine, uninhabited island - Gibbs Cay.

Upon arrival your crew will provide you with snorkel equipment as well as a safety briefing and instructions. If you wish, feel free to explore the coral reef about 50 yards from the beach and get up close and personal with a myriad of colourful fish. Your friendly and knowledgeable crew will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

During your time in Gibbs Cay, your crew will demonstrate the art of cleaning a conch. Conch is a local tradition and delicacy of all the local restaurants. Explore pretty Gibbs Cay or even go in search of the elusive Osprey or swim from the beach with the Stingrays. Watch as one-by-one these graceful creatures approach the small bay. Your crew will assist you in handling these beautiful sea animals.

After swimming with the stingrays, you may choose to relax with a complimentary beverage on the white sand. Re-board your boat for the relaxing return to the town dock.

**Please note:** Guests are requested to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, sun protection, comfortable footwear you do not mind getting wet and bring a towel from the ship. Participants must be at least five years of age; those under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Guests must be agile enough to climb a 4 step ladder into and out of the boat. A waiver must be signed to participate in this activity; guests must be in good physical condition and able to swim.

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**GTK-F / ISLAND SNORKEL AND UNDERWATER SCOOTER**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$89; Duration:2.50 hrs

Explore the turquoise blue waters of the Caribbean Sea during this exhilarating snorkelling and underwater scooter excursion.

**Reef System, Snorkelling, Fish and Coral**

Depart the pier for the short transfer to the Cruise Centre. Here, embark your boat and ride along the picturesque south end of Grand Turk, then proceed to one of the best reef systems Grand Turk has to offer. Upon arrival, begin your guided snorkelling session in approximately 4 feet-15 feet (about 1.2 metres-4.5 metres) of water. Along the way, see a myriad of colourful fish and intricate coral. Afterward, re-board your boat for a breath-taking ride to the white sands of an idyllic private island.

**Private Island, Underwater Scooter, Conch Cleaning**

Upon arrival at the private island, you are introduced to your powerful underwater scooter. Glide through the turquoise waters and back channels, and experience an explosion of colours and marine life. Next, your crew dives for live conch and demonstrates the art of cleaning this local delicacy whilst you sink your toes into the warm, silky sands of the private island. Following your visit, embark your boat for the leisurely ride back to the Cruise Centre, and relax with refreshments and the rhythms of Caribbean music en route. Upon arrival at the Cruise Centre, disembark your boat and commence the short transfer back to the pier.

**Please note:** This tour involves a moderate amount of walking, at times over uneven surfaces, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and embark/disembark the boat and boat ladder. Guests must be in good physical condition, and know how to swim, snorkel and wade ashore for wet landings at the island. This tour is not suitable for guests prone to seasickness, guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with boat shoes, and bring sun protection and a towel from the ship. Guests must be at least ten years old to participate on this tour. Guests must weigh less than 250 pounds to participate on this tour. Guests must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages. Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions.

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**GTK-G / TWO TANKS SCUBA DIVING**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$149; Duration:4.00 hrs



Marvel at the amazing turquoise waters and pristine coral reefs of Grand Turk during this two-tank, half-day scuba diving excursion.

Depart the pier for the short drive to the dive shop. After receiving your equipment and safety briefing, embark a dive boat for the ride to a pristine coral reef. Grand Turk is home to the third-largest barrier reef, and some of the world's best diving. Upon arrival at your first dive site, enter the water for your first guided diving session, a 40-minute dive at approximately 70 feet (about 21.3 metres). Get up-close-and-personal with fascinating marine life and a myriad of colourful fish as you explore the reef, teeming with healthy varieties of coral and sponges.

Next, re-board the boat for a relaxing cruise to the second dive site. Upon arrival, re-enter the water for your second guided diving session, a 45-minute drive at approximately 65 feet (about 19.8 metres). Explore this extraordinary reef system, home to turtles, stingrays, grouper, snapper, trumpet fish, colourful sponges, and soft coral. At the conclusion of your second diving session, return to the dive shop. After disembarking the dive boat, some free time is made available to browse the dive shop. At the conclusion of your visit, re-board your coach and commence the short drive back to the pier.

**Please note:** This tour involves an extensive amount of activity, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and embark/disembark the boat. This tour is recommended for guests in good physical condition, and is not suitable for pregnant guests, guest with neck and/or back problems, guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with beach shoes, and bring sun protection and a towel from the ship. Current dive certification, a signed PADI waiver and medical questionnaire is required to participate on this tour. Diving equipment is provided on this tour. The dive sites may vary. Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

**GTK-K / SEGWAY GRAND TURK**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$79; Duration:2.00 hrs



Get off the beaten path to see the sites of Grand Turk on the most unique type of personal transportation today - a Segway. Take a short ride from the cruise center to the starting point at the beginning of beautiful historic Grand Turk. Here you'll meet your guide and will be given instructions on how to control your personal Segway. You'll be surprised how quickly you get the hang of it and how fun it is to ride. Once you have mastered the Segway, set out to explore and experience historic Grand Turk.

On your tour, see picturesque Duke and Front Streets, famous for the old Bermudian-style architecture, historic churches, old cannons and buildings made from old ships. Because you are on the Segway, you have the opportunity to venture into some of the smaller middle roads where regular bus tours cannot go to get a sense of the heart and culture of people of Grand Turk.

For an added thrill, you have the opportunity to ride your Segway on the pristine white beaches of Grand Turk and stop to view the turquoise water. Throughout your tour, your guide will educate you with the rich history of the island on several stops during the tour including viewing the salt ponds and learning the history of the salt raking days.

On your return to the cruise centre you can view the Friendship Capsule, a replica of the original space capsule that splashed down off the coast of Grand Turk in 1962. This is truly a unique and fun way to experience Grand Turk.

**Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of activity and is suitable for guests with limited mobility as long as the participant has a good sense of balance. The minimum age to participate in this tour is 12. Guests who have been drinking alcohol prior to the tour will be denied participation. A signed waiver is required to participate in this programme. We suggest guests dress in comfortable seasonal clothing, wear sensible shoes and sun protection.**

**GTK-L / ISLAND EXPLORATION BY MINI E-HUMMER**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$149; Duration:2.00 hrs



Discover the idyllic island of Grand Turk in a fun-filled and eco-friendly new way during this panoramic sightseeing excursion via electric Hummer.

**Grand Turk and Former U.S. Air Force Base**

After receiving your safety and driving instructions, board your HXT Electric Hummer and depart the pier caravan-style for a scenic journey though the island of Grand Turk. Every hummer is equipped with Bluetooth technology, so you can learn about the history of the island and tales of the salt trade narrated by your tour guide. Your first stop is the former U.S. Air Force Base. Hear and see our Missile Tracking Station, and learn about the heavy U.S. influence on the island.

**West Coast, Colonial Buildings, Downtown Area and Old Jetty**

Next, re-board your Hummer and drive to the west coast. As you proceed along the coastline, take in breath-taking panoramic vistas of the magnificent old colonial buildings from the 1600s and 1800s, pristine turquoise water and powdery, white-sand beaches. Afterward, a stop is made downtown to browse a small local handicrafts market, purchase some local cuisine, see the old jetty and a 7,000-foot (about 2,133-metre) drop-off point in the middle of town.

**'Circle of Life', Sea Creatures, Salt Ponds and John Glenn Space Capsule**

Your tour continues with a drive to the North Creek, and a stop at the 'Circle of Life'. Here, see and touch unique sea creatures such as conch, urchins, star fishes, jelly fishes and sea cucumbers. In addition, learn about the wonders and mysteries of the Bermuda Triangle, view the Lighthouse in the distance and smell the fresh, crisp sea air. Following your visit, drive along the east coast to the salt ponds at Salt Cay Town. En route, learn about the island's salt trade and cultural history, and see birds, donkeys and free-roaming horses. Your last stop is at the John Glenn Space Capsule. During your visit, discover how this famous hero helped put this little pearl island on the map. At the conclusion of your visit, re-board your coach and commence the short drive back to the pier.

**Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of off-road driving and minimal amount of walking, at times over cobblestone surfaces, with eight steps to negotiate to get on/off the Hummer. This tour is not suitable for pregnant guests, guests with neck and/or back problems, guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear lightweight, comfortable clothing with flat, closed-toe walking shoes, and bring sun protection, a towel and bottled water from the ship. Guests must be at least seven years old to participate on this tour. Guests who wish to drive a Hummer must present a valid driver's license. Each hummer accommodates 2 guests and driving responsibilities can be shared. This tour is sold per person. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.**

**GTK-M / CATAMARAN SAILAWAY, BEACH & SNORKEL**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$79; Duration:3.00 hrs



Embrace the idyllic beauty of Grand Turk from above-and-below sea level during this picturesque, half-day beach and snorkelling excursion.

Grand Turk, Catamaran-Ride, Caribbean Sea

Embark your awaiting 78-foot (about 24-metre) catamaran at the pier, meet your friendly crew and begin your catamaran adventure. Set sail along the turquoise waters of the Caribbean Sea during the approximately 30-minute ride to the snorkelling location, the island's famous, approximately 7,000-foot-deep (about 2,133-metre-deep) sea wall. En route, take in breath-taking panoramic views of the coast and sea as the trade winds take you to your destination.

Sea Wall, Snorkelling, Coral, Tropical Fish, Marine Life, Private Beach, Swimming Sunbathing

Upon arrival at the sea wall, begin your guided, approximately 40-minute snorkelling session. Along the way, see a myriad of intricate coral, tropical fish and marine life. Following your snorkelling session, embark the catamaran and sail to a private beach located nearby. Upon arrival, anchor just offshore. Some free time is made available here to swim to the beach and relax on the sugary white sands, or simply enjoy the sun and seascapes on board the catamaran.

Return Sail, Refreshments, Caribbean Music

Following the swimming and snorkelling portion of the tour, relax with a refreshing rum punch or soft drink accompanied by rhythmic island tunes during the short ride back to the pier. Upon arrival, disembark the catamaran and commence the short walk back to the ship.

**Please note: This tour involves a minimal amount of walking, with five steps to negotiate to embark/disembark the boat and manoeuvre in/out of the boat. This tour is recommended for guests that are in good physical condition, and can swim in water too deep too stand. This tour is not suitable for pregnant guests, guest with neck and/or back problems, guests with heart and/or respiratory conditions, guests prone to motion sickness, guests with limited mobility, guests who have had recent surgery and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with beach or water shoes, and bring sun protection and a towel from the ship. Guests must be at least 6 years old to participate on this tour. Snorkelling equipment is provided. There are no changing facilities on board the boat. Waterproof cameras are highly recommended. The weight of each guest may not exceed 250 pounds (about 113 kilograms) to participate on this tour. Guests must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages. Guests may not snorkel if they have consumed alcohol. Although frequently encountered on this type of tour, fish and marine life sightings are not guaranteed. A signed waiver is required to participate on this tour. Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions.**

**GTK-N / ISLAND VIBES AND PRISTINE BEACH**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$39; Duration:2.00 hrs



Explore the history, culture and environment that helped to shape Grand Turk during this scenic and informative, half-day sightseeing and beach excursion.

Grand Turk, U.S.A.F. Base, Governor's House, Space Capsule, Coverley's House, Cannons

Depart the pier for the short drive past the former U.S. Air Force Base and Missile Tracking Station. Afterward, the island comes to life as you pass by large, roaming donkeys and horses basking in the sun. Continue past the Governor's House for a closer look at the famous John Glenn Space Capsule, then journey west, past the majestic Courthouse and oldest church on the island. A stop is made at the 'haunted' Coverley's House. Hear haunting tales of this storied house, and beware of the one-armed ghost. Re-board your coach and drive past the cannons that stood guarding the island's rich history of colonization, pirateering and conquests. See pieces of the original Front Street, today situated in the middle of the ocean.

Eunice Lodge, Slave Home, Bermuda Triangle, Shipwreck, Lighthouse, Seabirds, Beachcombing

Next, pass by Eunice Lodge, the building where the Proclamation for Emancipation of Slavery was read, then the remnants of the home of the famous former slave Mary Prince; the first slave to be set free in the Caribbean. From here, proceed to the northernmost part of the island, home of the mysterious Bermuda Triangle. Upon arrival, view the famous shipwreck, nearly 200-year-old *Old Herald*. Hear about the haunting tales of the disappearing ships, and see the 21,000-foot (approximately 6,401-metre) drop-off point only footsteps away. Take pictures of the oldest lighthouse in the Caribbean, and discover the original location where John Glenn made his splashdown in 1962. Glimpse at birds standing in the wild as they dance to the songs of the wind, and collect shells as keepsakes during a stroll on the shores of the Bermuda Triangle.

Circle of Life, Marine Life-Viewing and Handling, Governor's Beach, Swimming, Caribbean Sea

A stop is made at the Circle of Life. During your interactive and engaging visit, you can view and touch exotic conch, urchins, sea, cucumbers, starfish, and jellyfish. Your final stop offers a wonderful opportunity to experience the true natural splendour of Grand Turk during about an hour of free time at Governor's Beach, the most popular beach on the island. Relax on a lounge chair, feel the white, powdery sand between your toes, and swim in the inviting, turquoise-blue waters of the Caribbean Sea; cold water and island spice cake is provided. At the conclusion of this fun-filled, family-friendly outing, return to the pier aboard one of the shuttles, which pick-up every 30 minutes.

**Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking for approximately 459 yards (about 420 metres), at times over uneven, cobblestone and sandy surfaces, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with flat, closed-toe walking shoes, and**



bring sun protection, a towel and US Dollars for purchases from the ship. Guests must be at least two years old to participate on this tour. Guests must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages. A signed waiver is required to participate on this tour. Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

## December 01 2018, Saturday

# San Juan - Puerto Rico

### SJU-O / SAN JUAN CULINARY WALKING TOUR

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$149; Duration:3.25 hrs



Explore the vibrant history, flavours, and culture of Puerto Rico on-foot during this scenic and fun-filled, half-day culinary excursion in Old San Juan.

#### San Juan, Old San Juan, Culinary Walking Tour

Depart the pier for a culinary walking tour along the historic, cobblestone streets of Old San Juan. During your leisurely, guided stroll, explore your surrounds through the eyes of a local, and learn about and indulge your senses with the culture, gastronomy, history and architecture of Puerto Rico.

#### Visits to Local Food Venues, Tastings of Puerto Rican Specialities

Five stops are made along the way for tastings at a variety of independently-owned and operated businesses. Each venue visited showcases its most delicious dishes, many of which are off the menu, and prepares them by utilising mainly fresh, locally-grown fruit, meat, fish, and other ingredients. Sample up to nine different Puerto Rican specialities, including the best artisanal coffee in town, mofongo, roasted pork, rice and beans, stuffed avocados, empanadas, quesito, and other traditional, freshly-baked treats. Refreshing beverages and desserts include mojitos, pina coladas, ice pops and more.

#### Notable Old San Juan Landmarks

In addition to tastings of local specialities, see the second-oldest Cathedral in the Americas, oldest Governour's Mansion in the Western Hemisphere, Plaza de Armas, City Hall, La Rogativa, Capilla del Cristo, Cuartel de Ballajá, Paseo de la Princesa, and other notable landmarks. At the conclusion of your culinary walking tour, commence the short walk back to the pier with the best advice on what to eat, see or skip during your next visit to San Juan.

**Please note:** This tour involves an extensive amount of walking for approximately one mile (about 1.6 kilometres), at times over uneven and cobblestone surfaces and inclines, with a few steps to negotiate to access certain venues. This tour is not suitable for guests with food allergies, guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing with flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Guests must be at least three years old to participate on this tour; infants are welcome and free-of-charge, but do not participate in the tastings. Guests must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages. A signed waiver is required to participate on this tour. Space on this tour is extremely limited; we suggest you book well in advance to avoid disappointment.

### SJU-P / EVENING AT THE MARRIOTT HOTEL

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$179; Duration:4.00 hrs



Indulge your senses with a night of salsa, merengue and live music in San Juan during an unforgettable, evening excursion to the Coral Lounge at the San Juan Marriott.

#### San Juan, Condado, San Juan Marriott, Coral Lounge

Depart the pier for the short drive to the exclusive Condado area of San Juan, renowned for its restaurants, shops and beach, and a visit to the San Juan Marriott. Upon arrival, you are escorted to the Red Coral Lounge, where reserved seating has been arranged for Silversea guests. The Coral Lounge at the San Juan Marriott is where the locals go for dancing and live music until the wee hours of the morning.

#### Drinks, Hors d'oeuvres, Live Musical Entertainment, Dancing

Live entertainment featuring Salsa, Merengue, Bohemia (typical Puerto Rican romantic songs of yesteryear) and Top 40 bands will have you on your feet and/or moving to the beat in no time. Enjoy a mojito, house wine or beer with passed hors d'oeuvres, and dance the night away. You can also watch skilled local dancers show off their moves, and perhaps learn a few new moves of your own.

#### Cigars, Handicrafts, Ceramics, Leather Goods, Jewellery, Shopping, Casino

Local artisans, such as cigar-rollers and other arts and handicrafts workers, have their wares on display for purchase. Browse for cigars, local arts-and-crafts, ceramics, leather goods, jewellery, and more. If you are feeling lucky, the San Juan Marriott features a dazzling casino in which to try your luck. At the conclusion of your visit, re-board your coach and commence the short drive back to the pier.

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Please note: This tour involves a minimal amount of walking, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and at the venue; elevators are available. This tour is suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Smart-casual clothing with flat, closed-toe walking shoes appropriate for a lobby bar in the evening is recommended; no shorts or t-shirts permitted for men. Guests must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages. Additional food, beverage, cigar and souvenir purchases, as well as casino gambling, are at the expense of each guest.

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**SJU-Q / NIGHTTIME KAYAKING**

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$179; Duration: 5.25 hrs



Experience the magical waters of the fascinating, bioluminescent Laguna Grande at sunset during this unforgettable, half-day kayaking excursion.

**San Juan, Las Croabas Village, Kayaking Preparations**

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximately 1.5-hour drive to the small fishing village of Las Croabas. Upon arrival and following a brief comfort stop, fill out your waiver and put on your insect repellent. Afterward, receive your safety and kayaking instructions, along with all of the essentials, including two-seat kayaks, paddles with leashes, lifejackets, safety lights, backrests, insect repellent, and two interpretive tour guides.

**Kayaking Journey, Fisherman's Cove, Las Cabezas de San Juan Reserves, Mangroves**

Your guided, approximately 1.75-hour kayaking journey begins with a ride across a small fisherman's cove to the entrance of Las Cabezas de San Juan Reserve. This reserve is the only place on the island of Puerto Rico where you can enjoy and learn about the combination of seven ecosystems interacting together in the same location. Here, enter a mystical channel leading to a peaceful place where the mangroves create natural tunnels, and the sights and sounds of wildlife surround them.

**Mangrove Channel, Laguna Grande, Rainforest and Fajardo Lighthouse Views, Glowing Waters**

Paddle along the edge of the mangrove forest channel en route to a breakpoint, and a stop at Laguna Grande. One of only three bioluminescent bodies of water in Puerto Rico and its only bioluminescent lagoon, Laguna Grande also offers splendid views of the rainforest and Fajardo Lighthouse. Here, learn about the diverse mangrove and bird species, iguanas and marine life that inhabit this natural reserve. In addition, see the sparkling swirls of water created by the paddles' flow through the water, and touch the waters glowing with dinoflagellate, the organism responsible for the bioluminescence. At the conclusion of your visit, paddle back to the starting point and return your equipment. Following refreshments and snacks, re-board your coach and commence the approximately 45-minute drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of easy paddling for approximately 1.5 hours and a moderate amount of walking for approximately 200 yards (about 183 metres), at times over uneven, natural and sandy surfaces, and in knee-deep water at the shoreline, standing for the approximately 40-minute orientation, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and embark/disembark the kayak, and four steps at the venue. This tour is recommended for guests who in good physical condition, know how to swim and can get in/out of a kayak without assistance. This tour is not suitable for pregnant guests, guests with back and/or neck problems, guests with heart and/or respiratory problems, guests prone to seasickness, guests with limited mobility, and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with flat, non-slip boat shoes, sandals or flip-flops they won't mind getting wet, and bring sun protection, insect repellent, and a towel from the ship. Guests must be at least six years old to participate on this tour; minors under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. This kayaking tour operates in two-seat kayaks. Guests weighing more than 240 pounds (about 109 kilograms) cannot participate on this tour. Guests taller than 6-foot, two-inches (about 1.9 metres) in height cannot participate on this tour. The maximum weight per two-seat kayak is 475 pounds (about 227 pounds) per couple. Although frequently encountered on this type of tour, wildlife and marine life sightings are not guaranteed. Two-seat kayaks, paddles with leashes, lifejackets, safety lights, backrests, and two interpretive tour guides are provided. A signed waiver is required to participate on this tour. As a natural element the bioluminescence, visibility may fluctuate due to ocean currents, amounts of rain, moon phases, and weather-related conditions, in which cases this tour may offered as a Night-Kayaking Eco-Adventure focused on the ecology and not the bioluminescence. Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

December 02 2018, Sunday

## San Juan - Puerto Rico

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**SJU-B / CUEVA VENTANA**

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$129; Duration: 4.50 hrs



Explore the karst region and subterranean cave systems of Puerto Rico during this scenic, half-day sightseeing excursion to Cueva Ventana.

**San Juan, Karst Region, Arecibo, Rock Formations, Nature Walk**


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Depart the pier for the scenic, approximately 75-minute drive to Puerto Rico's karst region, which features subterranean cave systems created by water, and Cueva Ventana, a natural cave in Arecibo. Located at the northwest side of the island, Cueva Ventana is accessible via a guided, uphill nature walk surrounded by native flora.

**Cave Walk, Rock Formations, Trails, Native Flora and Fauna**

Upon arrival, meet your guide, receive your helmet and commence your guided exploration of the area. During a guided walking tour through one of the caves, see fascinating rock formations and learn about the wildlife, including birds, bats, lizards, spiders, and snakes, found in this area. A large opening at one end of the cave allows light to filter through part of the cave, creating beautiful photo opportunities. Leaving the first cave, continue along the trails whilst learning about the plants and trees native to this region en route to the next cave system, the entrance of Cueva Ventana.

**Cueva Ventana Walk, Taino Wall Art, Arecibo Valley, Local Eatery and Specialities**

Upon arrival, climb down a rather steep set of natural steps in order to access this fascinating hidden world. Your guide gives you a flashlight to light your path through the dimly-lit caverns and covers various points of interest along the way, including the Taino art on the walls, uneven floor, reason for its pattern, and face in the rock formations at the top of the cave. Your trail leads you to the highlight of the tour, a breath-taking window overlooking the Arecibo Valley. Following your visit to this fascinating underworld, proceed for refreshments and authentic Puerto Rican specialities at a local roadside eatery. At the conclusion of your visit, re-board your coach and commence the approximately 55-minute drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of walking for approximately 1.5 miles (about 2.4 kilometres), at times over uneven, slippery, and natural surfaces and inclines, with a few steps to negotiate to embark/disembark the coach, and several sets of steps and stairs at Cueva Ventana. This tour is recommended for guests who are in good physical condition. This tour is not suitable for pregnant guests, guests with neck and/or back problems, guests with heart and/or respiratory conditions, guests prone claustrophobia, guests with limited mobility, and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear lightweight, comfortable clothing with flat, closed-toe walking shoes, and bring sun protection, insect repellent, and a sweater or light jacket from the ship; flip-flops are not permitted. Guests must be at least six years old to participate on this tour. Guests must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages. Safety helmets and flashlights are provided. A signed waiver is required to participate on this tour. Although frequently encountered on this type of tour, animal sightings are not guaranteed. Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

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**SJU-D / MOFONGO & MOJITO**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$159; Duration:4.00 hrs



Take a journey into history, enjoy Old San Juan and have the opportunity to assemble your own Puerto Rican Lunch on this half-day tour. Begin your tour from the ship with a walking tour of Old San Juan with a focus on the architecture, history and legends of this Spanish colonial city that is more than 500 years-old.

As you are walking and building up an appetite, the last stop of the tour will take you to a local restaurant for lunch. Upon arrival, you are greeted by the Chef who will welcome you with a fresh Mojito followed by a tasty appetizer. Then the chef will provide you with the necessary ingredients and instructions to mix and shape your own Mofongo lunch.

Discover the magic of 'cocina criolla,' the main culinary style of Puerto Rico, by learning how to create a local favourite: Mofongo. It is a delightful mash of fried green plantains and chicken broth into which chicken is added. Each participant will learn about and have a hand in the final steps of the preparation of this local Puerto Rican dish. After helping preparing your meal, join your fellow guests at the table to enjoy your lunch. This is the perfect ending to your historical and cultural experience in Old San Juan.

Following your lunch, make the stroll back to the pier and your awaiting ship.

Please note: This tour involved extensive walking over cobble-stones and uneven surfaces along with some inclines. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or for those who utilise a wheelchair. We suggest guests wear lightweight comfortable clothing, flat walking shoes and sun protection. Your menu consists of one Mojito cocktail, an appetizer, house salad, plantain Mofongo filled with chicken, one soft drink, a delicious dessert and coffee. Guests under 21 years will not be able to sample the Mojito. One Mojito is included in the price, additional beverages may be purchased on site.

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**SJU-E / OLD SAN JUAN WALKING TOUR**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$39; Duration:3.00 hrs

Explore the highlights along cobblestone streets and gain a fascinating guided look at the history of Old San Juan during this walking tour of the old city.

**Fort San Cristobal**

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Upon disembarkation, meet your experienced guide who will lead you through the historical Old City including a visit to Fort San Cristobal, a fortification that successfully defended the old city from attack by the British and Dutch in centuries gone by.

Next, walk into the City through one of the side streets and commence on a stroll through history. Getting just off the beaten track offers some fascinating finds that eludes most visitors that never leave the main streets.

#### Plaza San Jose

Walk uphill through the cobblestone streets until you reach the Plaza San Jose, with its statue of Juan Ponce de Leon that was made from melted down British cannons. The next stop, the Quincentennial Plaza, is a celebration of the discovery of Puerto Rico.

#### Casa Blanca

Continue to Casa Blanca, the first fortification ever built in old San Juan and the Ponce de Leon family home. Here you explore the almost Romanesque gardens and fountains.

#### La Plazoleta de la Rogativa

Exit the gardens of Casa Blanca through a partially hidden access to Calle Sol. After making the tight descending turn downwards, you suddenly find yourself in the most beautiful section of the entire old city - the Plaza of the Procession. Dominating this little park area is a statue commemorating the miraculous saving of the old city from sacking by the British in the 16th century.

This vantage point offers views of the Governor's Mansion, the El Cañuelo fortress across the port entrance and the Bacardi distillery. A short walk down hill through San Juan Gate takes you to the water's edge. As you return through the San Juan gate continue to San Juan Cathedral, retracing the steps of the original conquistadores. Your guide will walk you to the corner of Cristo & Fortaleza Streets; at this point you decide if you wish to have the guide escort you back to the ship or if you wish to stay to explore the many boutiques and shops that line the cobblestone streets of the old city and return to the ship at your leisure.

**Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of walking, lasting approximately 3 hours, over uneven surfaces and steep inclines and is thus recommended for guests in good physical condition. It is not suitable for guests with heart or respiratory conditions, leg, knee, neck, back problems, or limited mobility, or those who utilise a wheelchair. The order of sites visited may vary. If Casa Blanca is closed, a visit to Cuartel Ballaja, the last building the Spanish built in the Americas and now a cultural museum, will be substituted. It is recommended that guests bring bottled water from the ship for this tour.**

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### SJU-H / BACARDI MIXOLOGY SEMINAR

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$139; Duration: 3.50 hrs



Spend the day discovering and tasting one of San Juan's most famous products- Bacardi Rum.

Your tour begins with a transfer to the south side of San Juan Harbor, where you will enter the beautifully manicured grounds of the Bacardi Rum Distillery, the world's largest distiller of natural spirits. Upon arrival, you will be escorted to your classroom for a private Rum Mixology Seminar led by your Bacardi Brand Specialist, a Master in Rum. For the next 45 minutes to an hour, the conference speaker will lead your group in the preparation and understanding how each of the signature cocktails is created - typically Bacardi Cuba Libre, Bacardi Mojito and a Bacardi Flavors Drink are presented and prepared, though this is subject to change. Each participant will be standing and acting as bartender and at the end will receive a Bacardi University Rum Mixology Certificate.

Following the seminar, you will continue to the interior patio of the Bacardi Visitor's Center. After passing through a large room containing a fountain and three large prints with historical representations, you will enter the theater and view a short film covering the Bacardi Family history as well as that of the Bacardi Corporation. You will then enter a replica of an old distillery that houses an excellent display; here your guide will provide commentary and answer questions. And you will have the opportunity to smell that final product; you will enjoy the aroma of the different type of rums that are bottled at Bacardi.

Your tour will continue to the Bacardi cocktail lounge, which resembles a 1920's bar in Cuba (the era of the prohibition). A bartender will explain and show you how to prepare the first three cocktails ever made with Bacardi: "Cuba Libre", "Daiquiri" and "Mojito Cubano", and you'll learn what inspired Bacardi in the preparation of these three cocktails as well as how they got their names.

As you exit, you will board an open-air tram who will take you to the open-air pavilion, where you will be treated to complimentary rum drinks. Adjacent to the pavilion is the Casa Bacardi gift shop where one can purchase Bacardi Rum as well as many other Bacardi products.

**Please note: This tour involves a minimal amount of activity, and is suitable for those with limited mobility and those who utilise a wheelchair. This tour is not suitable for anyone under the age of 18. Guests may be required to show identification. Please be aware that the Bacardi Distillery is under construction and some of the visitation areas mentioned above after the seminar may be modified, unavailable or substituted for new galleries without notification.**

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**SJU-L / ACCESSIBLE OLD TOWN SAN JUAN**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$149; Duration:3.00 hrs



This accessible San Juan shore excursion is a wonderful way to experience authentic Puerto Rican history, culture and landmarks. Explore the spectacular San Cristobal Fort, enjoy a panoramic driving tour of several historic Puerto Rican landmarks and explore the lower part of Old Town San Juan, Paseo de la Princesa.

Start your day by meeting your guide and accessible van at the San Juan cruise dock. From here, you will head out on a short drive to the first stop of your day, the historic Fort San Cristobal. Escorted by your tour guide, you will learn about Puerto Rico's battles with the Spanish, English, Dutch and Americans, and the majestic military fortifications of the 16<sup>th</sup> through 20<sup>th</sup> centuries. Although the fort has steep ramps and stairs, your tour route here will follow step-free routes. The theatre and exhibition area are fully accessible and an elevator will take you to the main level of the actual fort.

After some time of exploration here, you will be picked up by your driver and accessible van and head out on a panoramic driving tour, experiencing some of the best historic landmarks of the city. From the comfort of your accessible van you will see the breathtaking El Capitolio, the famous Casa Olimpica and other popular highlights.

The final part of the day will be spent exploring the lower parts of Old Town San Juan with a leisurely stroll down Paseo De La Princesa. This beautiful boulevard is peppered with market stands and beautiful water views. Enjoy a fresh squeezed lemonade, admire the old fort walls and learn about the many statues and small exhibits along the boulevard.

**Please Note:** This tour is designed to be accessible for all guests. It is suitable for guests on a wheelchair who can transfer to a seat. Full time wheelchair users, are kindly requested to contact [shoreconciierge@silversea.com](mailto:shoreconciierge@silversea.com) in order to provide further details and determine if the tour is suitable for them. The tour route avoids steps and stairs. Accessible bathrooms with wide doors for wheelchairs are present along the tour route. An accessible vehicle with a wheelchair lift or ramp will be used for transportation. Guides are not allowed to push wheelchairs. The number of accessible vehicles is extremely limited and guests are encouraged to make their accessible shore excursion reservations in advance. A minimum participation of 6 guests is required to operate the excursion at the advertised rate.

**SJU-M / COASTAL KAYAKING & SNORKEL**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$149; Duration:5.00 hrs

**San Juan, Las Cabezas de San Juan Nature Reserve, Coastal Kayaking, El Yunque Rainforest**

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximately 60-75-minute drive to the kayak-landing area of the Las Cabezas de San Juan Nature Reserve. Upon arrival, receive your safety and kayaking instructions and equipment, then gear up and begin your guided, approximately 1.5-hour journey aboard a two-seat kayak. As you paddle along the coastline of the Las Cabezas de San Juan Nature Reserve, take in spectacular views of El Yunque, the U.S. Caribbean National Rainforest.

**Snorkelling, Coral Reefs, Tropical Fish, Beach Stop, Swimming, Trail Walk, Beachcombing**

Along the way, a stop is made to snorkel among coral reefs, schools of tropical fish and marine life with your eco-guide. Following your snorkelling experience, some free time is made available at a lovely beach. Relax and enjoy sunbathing, swimming, a short interpretive trail walk, and/or beachcombing. Fruit, snacks and refreshments are provided. At the conclusion of your visit, re-board your coach and commence the scenic, approximately 60-75-minute drive back to the pier.

**Please note:** This tour involves an extensive amount of easy paddling for approximately 1.5 hours and a moderate amount of walking for approximately 200 yards (about 183 metres), at times over gravel and sandy surfaces, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and embark/disembark the kayak. This tour is recommended for guests who in good physical condition, know how to swim and can get in/out of a kayak without assistance. This tour is not suitable for pregnant guests, guests with back and/or neck problems, guests with heart and/or respiratory problems, guests prone to seasickness, guests with limited mobility, and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with flat, non-slip boat shoes, sandals or flip-flops they won't mind getting wet, and bring sun protection and a towel from the ship. Guests must be at least six years old to participate on this tour. This kayaking tour operates in two-seat kayaks. The maximum weight per two-seat kayak is 500 pounds (about 227 pounds) per couple. Although frequently encountered on this type of tour, wildlife and marine life sightings are not guaranteed. Two-seat kayaks, paddles, life vests, mask, and a snorkel are provided. A signed waiver is required to participate on this tour. Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions. If visibility is poor due to weather, guests receive additional time at the beach to enjoy swimming, walking the trails, beachcombing and relaxing.

**SJU-N / SELF-DRIVE MINI BOAT ADVENTURE**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$399; Duration:6.00 hrs



Experience the pristine tropical and undersea beauty off the coast of Puerto Rico during this scenic and exhilarating, full-day snorkelling excursion via Zodiac-boat.

**San Juan, Puerto Chico Marina, Zodiac-Boat Adventure, Las Cabezas de San Juan Nature Reserve**

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Depart the pier for the scenic, approximately one-hour drive to the Puerto Chico Marina. Upon arrival, receive your safety and boating instructions. Afterward, embark and captain your own, 13-foot (about four-metre) Zodiac boat whilst following your guide on a sun-drenched, panoramic journey to nearby cays and reefs for snorkelling, swimming and beach fun. Each boat holds a maximum of four guests. Snacks and non-alcoholic refreshments are included, and placed in a cooler on your boat. Your journey begins with a brisk, approximately 30-minute ride to the north-northeast along the bluffs of the Las Cabezas de San Juan Nature Reserve.

#### El Yunque Rainforest, Mountains, Icacos Cay, Snorkelling

Your first destination is the uninhabited Icacos Cay. En route, take in spectacular views of the mountains of the El Yunque Rainforest, mangrove-lined coast and Fajardo's 130-year-old Spanish lighthouse. Upon arrival at Icacos Cay, one of a string of cays forming the Cordillera Cays Nature Reserve, receive your snorkelling gear and practise free-diving techniques, then don your snorkel, mask and fins for an unforgettable, approximately one-hour guided snorkelling experience. Whilst snorkelling in approximately 20 feet (about six metres) of water, discover spectacular coral reef formations, swim among schools of colourful tropical fish and learn about the local marine life.

#### Palominos Island, White-Sand Beaches, Snorkelling, Coral Reef, Tropical Fish, Marine Life

After embarking your boat for a refreshment and snack, your route continues along the island chain to the jaw-dropping 'Isla de Palominos'. As seen in the movie, *Pirates of the Caribbean 4*, this small island surrounded by a coral reef features incredible turquoise waters, pristine, white-sand beaches, and a lovely view back to the mainland. During your visit to Palominos Island, explore the beach with your guides, who interpret the natural history of the reserve and explain the surrounding scenery, then guide you through another amazing snorkelling session. Alternatively, you may simply choose to relax on the beach and take a refreshing swim in the inviting waters of the Caribbean Sea.

#### Return Boat-Ride, Pier Transfer

At the conclusion of your visit, embark your boat for the approximately one-hour ride back to the marina. Upon arrival at the marina, disembark your boat, re-board your coach and commence the approximately one-hour drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of activity and a moderate amount of walking for approximately 328 yards (about 300 metres), at times over uneven, natural and sandy surfaces, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach, embark/disembark the boat and manoeuvre in/out of the boat. Walking on the beach is at the discretion of each guest. This tour is recommended for guests who are in good physical condition, and can swim in water too deep too stand. This tour is not suitable for pregnant guests, guest with neck and/or back problems, guests with heart and/or respiratory conditions, guests prone to seasickness, guests with limited mobility, and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up and a long-sleeved shirt with beach, water or boat shoes they won't mind getting wet, and bring sun protection, a towel and waterproof camera (with a leash, so it won't get lost) from the ship. Guests must be at least six years old to participate on this tour. There are no changing facilities on board the Zodiac. Waterproof cameras are highly recommended. Each Zodiac-boat seats up to four guests, the tour is priced per two guests; each additional guest (up to 4 in total per boat) is subject to an additional fee of 169 US\$ per person. Kindly advise the Shore Concierge Desk on the number of guests in your zodiac. Guests weighing more than 300 pounds (about 136 kilograms) cannot participate on this tour. The maximum weight limit per-boat is 700 pounds (about 317.5 kilograms). Masks, snorkels, fins and safety vests are provided; the safety vest must be worn at all times whilst riding the Zodiac-boats. Guests may not ride the Zodiac-boats or snorkel if they have consumed alcohol. A signed waiver is required to participate on this tour. Although frequently encountered on this type of tour, fish and marine life sightings are not guaranteed. The tour sequence may vary. The snorkelling sites visited are selected at the discretion of the guides, based upon prevailing weather conditions. Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

### SJU-O / SAN JUAN CULINARY WALKING TOUR

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$149; Duration: 3.25 hrs



Explore the vibrant history, flavours, and culture of Puerto Rico on-foot during this scenic and fun-filled, half-day culinary excursion in Old San Juan.

#### San Juan, Old San Juan, Culinary Walking Tour

Depart the pier for a culinary walking tour along the historic, cobblestone streets of Old San Juan. During your leisurely, guided stroll, explore your surroundings through the eyes of a local, and learn about and indulge your senses with the culture, gastronomy, history and architecture of Puerto Rico.

#### Visits to Local Food Venues, Tastings of Puerto Rican Specialities

Five stops are made along the way for tastings at a variety of independently-owned and operated businesses. Each venue visited showcases its most delicious dishes, many of which are off the menu, and prepares them by utilising mainly fresh, locally-grown fruit, meat, fish, and other ingredients. Sample up to nine different Puerto Rican specialities, including the best artisanal coffee in town, mofongo, roasted pork, rice and beans, stuffed avocados, empanadas, quesito, and other traditional, freshly-baked treats. Refreshing beverages and desserts include mojitos, pina coladas, ice pops and more.

#### Notable Old San Juan Landmarks

In addition to tastings of local specialities, see the second-oldest Cathedral in the Americas, oldest Governour's Mansion in the Western Hemisphere, Plaza de Armas, City Hall, La Rogativa, Capilla del Cristo, Cuartél de Ballajá, Paseo de la Princesa, and other notable landmarks. At

the conclusion of your culinary walking tour, commence the short walk back to the pier with the best advice on what to eat, see or skip during your next visit to San Juan.

Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of walking for approximately one mile (about 1.6 kilometres), at times over uneven and cobblestone surfaces and inclines, with a few steps to negotiate to access certain venues. This tour is not suitable for guests with food allergies, guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing with flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Guests must be at least three years old to participate on this tour; infants are welcome and free-of-charge, but do not participate in the tastings. Guests must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages. A signed waiver is required to participate on this tour. Space on this tour is extremely limited; we suggest you book well in advance to avoid disappointment.

## Silver Shore "Privato"

Explore the surrounding at your leisure during your private tour. Customize your own itinerary or choose to see and overview of the area's highlights. Please note: This tour is non-refundable if cancelled within 48 hours prior to arrival in the port. Actual vehicle type varies depending on availability. Guide is English-speaking. The price, exclusive of meals, entrance fees and gratuities, is per vehicle. Therefore, when making your reservation, please indicate the number of vehicles, not the number of guests. Only one person in the party needs to reserve this program. Please see the Shore Concierge Office on board the ship to arrange your individual itinerary

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SJU-X / SILVER SHORE PRIVATO - PRIVATE VAN WITH DRIVER/GUIDE - HALF DAY

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$649 ; Duration:4.00 hrs ; Capacity:9

