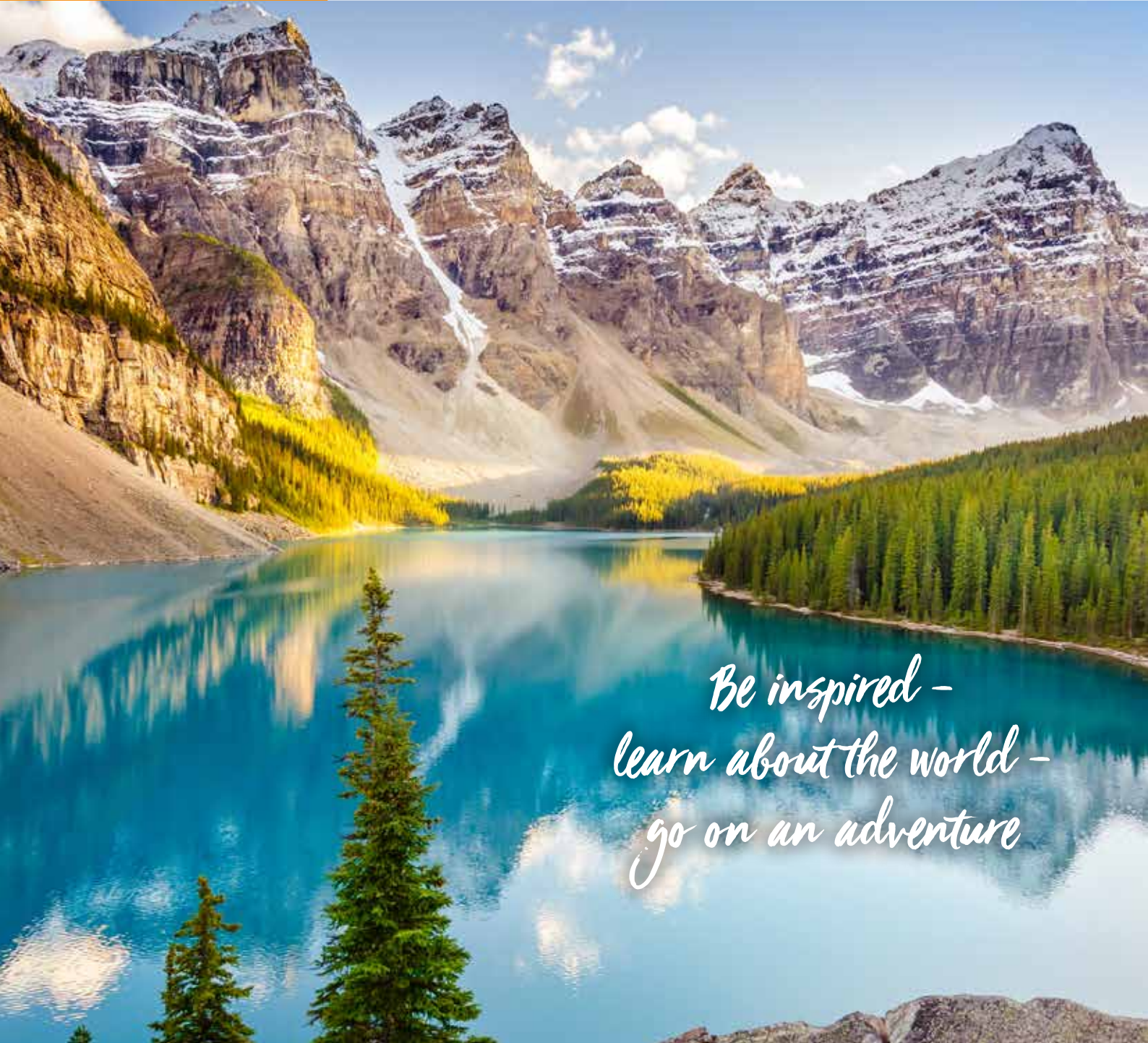




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Welcome to the latest edition of our travel magazine. We love hearing the amazing travel stories from our clients when they have returned from a new adventure. This year we have had clients head off on safari in Africa, experiencing the majestic views and wildlife in Canada, river cruising in Europe, exploring in South America and visiting both the Arctic and Antarctica – they've been everywhere! Here's an update on what our Peregrine Travel Centre SA team have been up to along the way...

Cathy chaperoned a wildlife tour to Madagascar in October, in search of lemurs, birdlife, whale sharks and turtles. The group certainly wasn't disappointed seeing a variety of lemurs and experiencing swimming with whale sharks and green sea turtles. "This extremely poor country nestled off the coast of Africa was a wonderful adventure with terrific people and amazing and varied landscapes."

Cathy and some of the participants on this tour extended their trip to the Seychelles, on a small ship adventure cruise. "If you are after relaxed, idyllic, crystal clear turquoise water and wonderful wildlife encounters, then the cruise around this archipelago would be perfect"

In November Cathy ventured north to Finland for the start of the Christmas season. "This trip was quite different in that it was sponsored by the Helsinki Tourist board, so everything was about showcasing Helsinki; food, activities, beer and coffee. Because of the time of the year the Finnish sauna was a welcome inclusion."

Cathy's final trip for the year was much closer to home – Port Lincoln and overcoming a long-standing fear. Her full story is on our website.

Bronny lead a group walking in Iceland last year. This year she has escorted a group to Scandinavia to chase the Northern Lights, travelled to Botswana researching bush camps in the Okavango Delta and Khwai and Moremi Game Reserves and in May she lead an enjoyable food and wine focused group in Spain & Portugal. Later this year she will be taking a group through Northern India and Rajasthan and in April of 2018 taking a walking group along the Portuguese Camino.

In the last half of 2016 Monica was off exploring the historical cities of Poland along with the beauty and charm of the Balkans

and Croatia. Not long after returning from this adventure she was off to South America to delve into the history, food and culture of Peru. A highlight was the incomparable Machu Picchu. In the not too distant future Monica will be packing her walking shoes and will be heading off to Spain, where she will be tackling the Spanish Camino, and at Christmas she will be exploring South Africa from Capetown to Kruger along the Garden Route.

Louise spent time in Zimbabwe in October last year, volunteering at a wildlife conservation program. The program focuses on endangered black rhinos, game park management and community education, and Louise will be returning again this October. She will also be visiting the jewel of Zambia's National Parks on a South Luangwa Walking Safari - in the hopes of seeing the most famous resident the leopard and the magnificent bird life.

In December 2017 Sherrie travelled with Intrepid Travel to Iceland hoping to catch a glimpse of the Northern Lights.... unfortunately, Mother Nature had other ideas on that front, but "I still loved this beautiful Nordic wonderland, and it is a good excuse to go back again!"

We welcomed a new Marketing Coordinator to our team in January this year. Adriana joins the team with a diverse background in marketing roles and an immense passion for all things travel. She has travelled through various destinations in Europe, the US and the South Pacific and is looking forward to embarking on her first Geckos Adventure tour early in 2018.

We hope this magazine inspires you with some of the wonderful types of travel and destinations on offer around the world! 2018 brochures and early bird sales are on their way so please contact us if you would like to be one of the first to receive new information on specific tours and destinations and let us help you plan your amazing 2018 travel adventures. Don't forget we can help you with anything from organised tours, cruises, expeditions and rail right through to independent itineraries and more!

The team at Peregrine Travel Centre



Discover Scotland In Depth



Scotland is a destination that for many evokes images of windswept moors, rugged castles braving the elements, bagpipes echoing through the valleys or perhaps fireside whisky tastings... and it can be all of these and a whole lot more! Take a moment to look at a map of Scotland and one of the first things you notice is that Scotland is a land of islands, lochs and waterways. The history and nature of Scotland today has been shaped by a long maritime tradition.

The ultimate way to discover Scotland is from the water - traverse the waters as the monks, vikings and kings of old knew this land. Wild Earth Travel has designed a unique itinerary showcasing the very best that Scotland has to offer over the course of 14 days exploring by land and sea. We start in the bustling streets of Glasgow, an integral part of modern Scotland's intriguing story before heading northward to Loch Lommond and through the hills to Oban where our ship the Serenissima awaits. From here the Serenissima will be our base for the next 11 days sailing through the Inner and Outer Hebrides, Orkney and Shetland Islands.

During our time in the Inner Hebrides we visit the lush green shores of Gigha, taste whisky at its source on Islay, walk the hallowed halls of historic Iona where so many of Scotland's Kings lie, and zodiac into the famed Fingal's Cave at Staffa. Continuing northwards we will spend a morning hiking the remote shores of the Isle of Skye at the beautiful Lock Courisk then search for wildlife on the nature reserve of Rum. Next we sail to the Outer Hebrides, more isolated, less visited but with a dramatic coastline and welcoming locals. Rich in birdlife there are excellent opportunities to spot puffins, guillemots and seals in the surrounding waters. Beyond the Hebrides lies the ocean and St Kilda. We head ashore for the day to explore this island, mythical for its isolated location, abundant birdlife and the hardy inhabitants that used to call the island home.

Stornoway on Harris is one of the larger towns that we visit, famed for its Harris tweed, standing stones and black houses. A morning away from town around the island allows us to experience all that the island offers before we sail north to Kirkwall and the Orkney Islands. Here marvel at the Ring of Brodgar, ancient St Magnus Cathedral and the archaeological village of Skara Brae before taking the opportunity to wander the streets and alleyways of Kirkwall at your leisure. The Shetland Islands represent Scotland's most northerly outpost, with a history and culture all of their own. We spend our time here exploring Lerwick, visiting Jarlshof



with its layers of history and walk the ancient stone steps in the mysterious Mousa Broch. A final zodiac landing brings us ashore to the puffin mecca of Fair Isle, sit a while and the puffins will be right around you, or take the opportunity to visit the islanders to learn more about their knitting.

The voyage concludes in Aberdeen but our exploration continues overland through Aberdeenshire to St Andrew's University and onwards to Edinburgh where there is a farewell dinner to enjoy.

This voyage has been especially timed to coincide with the height of the northern summer, when the weather is at its most settled, the wildlife at its peak and the days at their longest. Your Expedition Leader for this voyage will be Aaron Russ from Wild Earth Travel, one of the most experienced and well regarded leaders in the business and a regular visitor to the Scottish Islands as its one of his favourite destinations. On Wild Earth's last Scottish Isles voyage the weather was warm to balmy, the seas were calm (the only white caps seen were on the last day of the voyage) and our guests returned home with a sun tan. So, join us to discover Scotland in Depth!

Peregrine Travel Centre SA has limited cabins on hold for this departure. Speak to your consultant – you don't want to miss the boat.



Cathy spent some time with the locals in Madagascar



The beautiful Barcelona, Bronny loved the view from Park Guell



A highlight for Monica was the breathtaking Machu Picchu



Six Unique Peregrine Experiences



PEREGRINE
SPIRIT OF ADVENTURE

Perhaps it's been a while since you've had an adventure – there's been kids to raise, or careers to focus on. Maybe you haven't done any travel since your 20s! While you might have changed since those backpacker days, it's never too late to get back out there.

Peregrine Adventures has been leading premium small group journeys around the world for almost 40 years. This year, they've created a new range of Limited Edition trips, specially designed for people looking to combine their interests with their love of travel. Led by expert local guides, staying in quality accommodation and with only one or two departures on each trip, these are truly special adventures. From history and archaeology to literature and wildlife, from the jungles of Uganda to the pyramids of Egypt, these Limited Edition journeys have been crafted just for you.

SEE HOW MODERN INCAS CELEBRATE THEIR HERITAGE AT INTI RAYMI FESTIVAL

Peru is in the midst of a cultural revival. Over the last century the country's proud inhabitants have broken free of the shackles imposed by the Spanish conquest to embrace their ancestral Quechua language and customs, including the Inti Raymi – one of the most important festivals in the Inca calendar. The last Inti Raymi carried out during the Inca Empire was in 1535, after which the Catholic priests banned it; in 1944, a historical, theatrical reconstruction was created and has been celebrated ever since.

Full of colour, movement and spectacle, the unique event offers a rare glimpse into ancient Inca life. After observing the



winter solstice at iconic Machu Picchu, travellers on this special Peruvian adventure will be immersed in the festival celebrations – witnessing the opening ceremony at the Qorikancha Temple in Cuzco, observing tribal dances in the Plaza de Armas, and travelling out to Sacsayhuaman for the main event, where there will be a mock sacrifice and offering to the sun.

TRAVEL THROUGH JANE AUSTEN'S ENGLAND

If there's ever a chance to live out your Mr Darcy/Elizabeth Bennett fantasies, this is it. Perfect for literature and history buffs (or anyone after something a tad different), this journey takes in destinations across Southern England significant to Jane Austen's life during the Regency Period – cities that inspired her work, the village of Chawton, where she once lived, and film locations where adaptations of her novels have been shot. The highlight for many will be a regency dance class with an expert in historical dance, as well as a talk about regency fashion with a period costume expert. While the tour is led by a Peregrine leader, you will be joined at various stages by local expert guides, some of whom are members of the Jane Austen Society.

EXPLORE THE SILK ROAD ON AN IMMERSIVE JOURNEY THROUGH NORTHERN CHINA

Uncover the treasures of the famous Silk Route and witness the great clash of cultures on these ancient crossroads. This special itinerary not only takes in the markets, museums, monuments, and Buddhist and Islamic sites that make this region so magical – it delves deep into the heart of the Silk Road, venturing where few other trips do. You'll head into the Taklamakan Desert – China's 'Death Valley' – and the high Pamir mountains, break bread with Uyghur, Tajik and Kyrgyz folk in their homes, and marvel at ancient ruins in remote desert locations on an incredible journey through the past and present of northern China.

DISCOVER THE HISTORY AND MYTHOLOGY OF ANCIENT EGYPT

If you've ever had a fascination in the ancient gods, goddesses and tombs of Egypt, this in-depth, off-the-beaten-track trip is for you. Beginning and ending in energetic Cairo, stop by the tombs of nobles in Aswan and Luxor; mingle with friendly Nubian locals, visit the rock temples of Abu Simbel and see the final resting place of Osiris – God of the Underworld – at the Abydos Temple. From the famous pyramids of Giza to the less-known Red and Bent Pyramids in Dashur, through the Old Kingdom capital of Memphis and along the winding Nile, your local guide Ahmed (a knowledgeable Egyptologist and history buff himself), will take you on a journey through Egypt's incredible past, landscapes and mythology.

GET CLOSE TO THE RARE MOUNTAIN GORILLAS OF UGANDA

Crouching in primeval forest as a rare mountain gorilla plays with her babies close by, is an experience few humans ever get to have, and for good reason. There are only about 700 of the species left in the world, and half of them can be found in Uganda's Bwindi Impenetrable Forest.

Led by a local guide, join a small group of eight travellers on this special expedition into the untouched Ugandan wilderness. Spend two full days trekking in the park to see the gorillas, eat dinner with a local ranger to learn about their special relationship with the animals, and meet with a representative of Gorilla Doctors to gain insight into the organisation's important conservation work. This international team of veterinarians are the only group providing these critically endangered creatures with direct, hands-on care in the wild. If you're after a truly wild and unforgettable adventure, this is it.

REMEMBER THE FALLEN AT HELLFIRE PASS ON ANZAC DAY

Step back through history on a special journey along the Thai-Burma Railway, which coincides with Anzac Day. Pay tribute to the fallen during a dawn ceremony at Hellfire Pass itself, and witness a sound and light show at historic Weary Dunlop Park which tells the story of the construction of the Death Railway and Hellfire Pass during WWII. Visit historic cemeteries, be moved by the thousands of names inscribed into local memorials, and ride along a section of the track past the River Kwai. While you'll learn about the horrors POWs and slave labourers suffered during the railway's construction, you'll also hear tales of courage, survival and humanity.

But it's not all about the war; this adventure also takes in beautiful lakes, waterfalls and some of Myanmar's most important temples. The group will be in Yangon for the New Year celebration of Thingyan (or Water Festival), too, so prepare to get wet!



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Geckos Adventures Festival Fever

Geckos Adventures has introduced a new range of trips to some of the world's least-known festivals to meet a growing demand from 18 - 29 year olds searching for authentic local experiences in off-the-beaten track places.

The new range includes a mix of food, music, and cultural festivals that will mean Geckos travellers could find themselves dancing in the streets at Morocco's colourful Gnaoua Festival, getting elbow-deep in pickled cabbage at South Korea's Kimchi Festival or doing the conga at Santiago de Cuba's annual Carnival.

The new one-off Geckos Festivals trips include:

SOUTH KOREA KIMCHI FESTIVAL

Watch your Korean food dream come to life at the Seoul Kimchi Making Festival. The three-day festival, held in Gwanghwamun Square, is a celebration of gimjang, the process of preparing and storing the cabbage-y dish before winter kicks in. The festival sees over 4,000 people working together to make nearly fifty tonnes of fresh kimchi. Outside Seoul, you'll try bibimbap in Jeonju, sample street food in Busan and explore the tombs, temples and palace ruins of historic Gyeongju.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA CARNIVAL

This 12-day trip to Cuba sees Santiago de Cuba celebrate Carnival in style. Honouring its Afro-Cuban roots, the city comes alive with music, soul and rhythm. Try your hand at salsa, take part in the city's conga parade and enjoy the electric atmosphere as the celebrations fill the city.

Away from the festival, you'll explore the streets of Havana, learn about Che Guevara in Santa Clara and recover on the beaches and cobblestone streets of Trinidad.

DAY OF THE DEAD FESTIVAL IN OAXACA, MEXICO

See a different side of Mexico's Day of the Dead Festival, when locals celebrate the lives of the dearly departed. While the festival is celebrated all over Mexico, Oaxaca is known for its particularly



ornate celebrations. Buy colourful costumes and embrace the local festivities with street parties, face painting and cemetery visits.

Move on to marvel at the pastel-coloured architecture in San Cristobal del las Casas and learn about the Tzotzil and Tzeltal tribal groups who reside in the nearby villages before ending your journey in Playa del Carmen. Whether it's swimming among the sea turtles or unwinding on the white sandy beaches, to this city ensures the trip ends in style.

HALLOWEEN IN SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS

Celebrate ghostly ghouls, visit the home of the headless horseman and march through the streets of Manhattan by experiencing the madness and mayhem of Halloween in America. Embrace the frights and spookiness of the country by exploring the cities of Boston, Newport and New York whilst honouring the birthplace of Halloween on this 7-day trip. You'll visit Salem to hear about the historic witch trials, join a lantern-led ghost tour through Newport's eerie lanes, wander the Pumpkin Promenade of Sleepy Hollow and join the celebrations in the annual Village Halloween Parade in the Big Apple.

Ready for a fun filled festival experience? Speak to one of the Peregrine Travel Centre SA consultants to find out more.

Travel - some of us dream about it, some have had a taste and want more and others just can't stop!

The world is full of amazing cities, landscapes, people and creatures all waiting to be discovered.

At Peregrine Travel Centre SA we've been fortunate to experience almost every corner of this amazing world. We want to use this knowledge to help people plan a trip they will never forget, visit a destination they thought only possible in their wildest dreams and make some amazing memories that will stay with them forever - we want them to experience Our Unforgettable World!

So we've created a travel portal, a way for us to share our tips, advice and stories with those less travelled.

We want to share Our Unforgettable World to inspire a new generation of travellers...and hopefully they'll love travel, and all it brings to their life, as much as we do!

If you have kids, grandkids or friends who may be interested or if you are a lover of all things travel and would like to continue to learn more...you can subscribe to the Our Unforgettable World newsletter or like us on Facebook to keep in touch.

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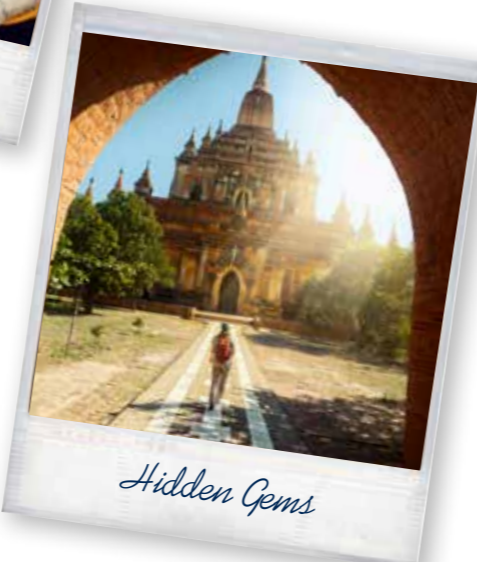
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Wildlife is a reason in itself for travel, and witnessing first hand some of the most remarkable wildlife on the planet is something that not only gives you a deeper understanding of the world, but a connection to it. Whether you're looking to photograph spirit bears in Canada or go on safari in Africa, discover the amazing diversity of our wildlife tours, crafted with a sustainable approach, all over the world.

HERE'S OUR TOP 5 UNIQUE WILDLIFE JOURNEYS AROUND THE WORLD:

BELUGAS IN THE ARCTIC

Beluga whales are majestic, sociable creatures that patrol Arctic and sub-Arctic waters. Hop aboard a zodiac or large passenger boat to watch these intelligent and curious creatures. If you're more adventurous, venture out on (or in) the water – kayaking or snorkelling with these friendly sea mammals is an unforgettable experience.

TIGERS IN INDIA

Visit central India's famous National Parks and search for tigers on an amazing wildlife safari through forests and grasslands. Kanha National Park is one of India's largest National Parks, is prime tiger country and also home to herds of animals. Bandhavgarh is a world-renowned tiger reserve and one of India's most beautiful national parks.



BUFFALO IN THE USA

Custer State Park in South Dakota, USA is full of lush forests, serene meadows and majestic mountains. This 71,000-acre state park is also home to one of the world's largest publicly-owned bison herds, nearly 1,300 strong. Each fall, the ground rumbles and the dust flies as cowboys, cowgirls and park crews saddle up to bring in the thundering herd.



TOUCAN IN COSTA RICA

Costa Rica is known for its colourful bird, the toucan. Famous for being one of the best wildlife-watching destinations on the globe, bird watching in Costa Rica is an extraordinary experience. With less than 0.03% of the planet's surface, nearly 900 bird species fill Costa Rica's skies.

SPIRIT BEARS IN CANADA

The Pacific Coast of British Columbia in Canada is home to the world's only white coloured black bears. Nestled in a remote archipelago of small islands, protected from the wild Pacific, in the heart of the Great Bear Rainforest is Klemtu, B.C; offering unparalleled access to some of the best spirit bear viewing in the region.

Want to embark on a wildlife journey like no other? Speak to the team at Peregrine Travel Centre SA about these great range of tours.



Icebreaker and Deal Maker

It's the trip of a lifetime, on most traveller's bucket list. There are a whole list of reasons why you should make visiting the majestic seventh continent a reality! Unique wildlife, exceptional views, breathtaking glaciers and experiences you had never thought possible – we sat down with one of Australia's leading Antarctica experts to get the scoop on what makes Antarctica so amazing.

David McGonigal is one of Australia's leading travel writers and travel photographers. His books and articles have appeared worldwide and his photographs have been exhibited on several continents. Widely regarded as an expert on the polar regions – he has been to Antarctica every year for the past 22 years. David has published three of the best-selling polar books, including his most popular publication 'Antarctica: The Complete Story' which he co-wrote with Dr Lynn Woodworth.

David is currently an expedition leader aboard One Ocean Expeditions and takes travellers to visit, learn and experience Antarctica every year on their cruises.

Here's what David has to say about travel to the bottom of the world...

1. When was your first trip to Antarctica?

It was in 1995 when I was fortunate enough to visit the Ross Sea on the Kapitan Khlebnikov, a full-strength icebreaker. I fell in love with the place and just keep coming back.

2. What inspired you about the destination to want to become an Expedition Leader?

At first, I just wanted to get back to Antarctica in any capacity. So I've lectured in history, photography, ice, geography and politics while driving Zodiacs on most excursions. I became an Expedition Leader because I wanted to be able to shape the whole experience – on an average voyage you have a million dollars worth of dreams to fulfil.

3. When is the best time to visit Antarctica?

Summer – unless you want to bring a torch. The earliest you can be there is October and the latest is March. It depends what you want. Early season is pristine with lots of snow and ice, mid season is when the penguin chicks are around and the end of the season is a whale bonanza.

4. What sort of wildlife can people expect to see in Antarctica?

While there are a lot of animals there are not a lot of different species. Of course there are the penguins and you'd hope to see Adelies, Gentoos and Chinstraps – maybe Macaronis, too. Seals are Crabeaters, Weddell and the ever-curious Leopard Seals. Whale species are mainly Humpbacks (the most interactive with our boats), Orcas and Minkes. Of course, there's also the Drake Passage between South America and the Antarctic Peninsula – there you may have large whales like Seis, Fins and even the rare Blue Whale as well as many Albatross. Of course, if you include South Georgia you'll have a whole bonanza of wildlife.

5. Tell us about one of your favourite wildlife experiences while in Antarctica?

By the end of January the Humpbacks are well fed and curious. Having a 30-tonne Humpback lunge out of the water close enough to touch is pretty special. But so is holding eye contact with an alpha male Orca.

6. For those people concerned about experiencing the infamous Drake Passage – any words of assurance?

In total, I've spent over a year of my life just crossing the Drake. I estimate 15 per cent of the time it's smooth and 15 per cent of the time it delivers big seas. The rest of the time it's a bit lumpy so it's a chance to catch up on sleep. Very few people who are sea sick on the way down are sick on the way back too, because they have their sea legs.



7. Describe a typical day on board an expedition cruise in Antarctica?

Wake at 7am, breakfast at 7.30am and into Zodiacs at 9am either to cruise around icebergs or land at a penguin colony – or both. Back for lunch while the ship moves then back in the boats from around 2.30pm to 6pm, returning for happy hour and dinner. Often spending some time on deck in the evening watching the sun over the ice, mountains and glaciers while observing penguins and whales in the water. Bed around 11pm with the alarm set for 7am.

8. What's something people may not necessarily expect to see in Antarctica?

Just about everyone comes to Antarctica to see the animals but they keep coming back for the ice. The shapes and colours of icebergs unfolds like a surreal sculpture gallery.

9. What is something travellers should definitely do while in Antarctica?

Some want to swim, others want to camp and a few are down to kayak through the ice. I'd simply suggest that you don't miss any excursion – you're only there for a few days and each excursion is likely to present some amazing highlights.

10. What's your tip for anyone going on this trip of a lifetime?

Allow the extra time and cost and take the South Georgia itinerary, South Georgia is every staff member's favourite. There's incredible wildlife, amazing scenery and all the Shackleton history. As I've written, 'it's where God takes his holidays'.

11. Can you share with us a special memory from one of your trips?

This past February we found some fast ice – where a bay was still frozen from winter – and I asked the captain if he could "parallel park" alongside it so we could step directly onto the ice from the gangway. While everyone went for a walk to explore an iceberg stuck in the fast ice (with a Weddell seal in attendance) the hotel staff set up a bar on the ice. While we were all lazing around in the sun having a drink a group of curious Adelie penguins arrived and walked amongst us.

Antarctica Expedition Cruises

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Our Top 5

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 - Christmas in Antarctica – 10 nights
- Antarctic Peninsula Adventure – 10 Nights
 - Epic Antarctica – 21 Nights
- Antarctica Off The Beaten Track – 12 nights

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Exodus are the pioneers of unique cycling, walking and trekking holidays to a wide variety of destinations. Exodus carefully planned itineraries are designed to fully immerse you in the destination you visit. Exodus tours are smaller groups, which ensure minimal impact on the communities they visit and provide for a more intimate experience, catering also to solo travellers who enjoy travelling with like-minded people.

THE WORLD, IN STRIDE

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Exodus offers over 150 of the world's greatest hiking itineraries and we've pioneered exciting new trekking routes as well as fine-tuned classic pilgrimages, walks and treks to keep up with the times. Seamlessly paired with rich cultural encounters, UNESCO sites and mouth-watering cuisine.

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For over 43 years, Exodus has had a team of cycling connoisseurs dedicated to creating worry-free adventures so you can just sit back and enjoy your ride. They are passionate about seeing the world by bike, but understand people need different things



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Speak to a Peregrine Travel Centre consultant about these unique Exodus adventures.

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Top 5 Experiences in South and Central America:

1. Stay inside Iguazu Falls National Park at the stunning Belmond Hotel Das Cataratas, enjoying unrivalled access and views over the falls just outside the hotel door.
2. Travel by Vistadome train through the magical Sacred Valley to Machu Picchu, the legendary Lost City of the Incas.
3. Take a jeep ride through the heart of the cloud forest in Colombia's Cocora Valley.
4. Watch the sun rise over the Mayan temples of Tikal, hidden deep amongst Guatemala's lush rainforest.
5. Cruise across the highest freshwater lake in the world and visit the fascinating floating Uros Islands, made entirely out of reeds from Lake Titicaca.

Contact your Peregrine Travel Consultant to find out more about Bunnik Tour's amazing range of tours through South and Central America and the world.





Family Fun with Intrepid



Your sense of adventure doesn't disappear just because you have kids, so why should your family holidays be limited to the usual suspects?

We've developed a better style of family travel, one that favours real life experiences over the virtual ones. Start with kid-friendly hotels (swimming pool included), and then sprinkle in a tuk-tuk ride through the streets of Bangkok, a football match with Maasai tribesmen or sailing down the Nile in an Egyptian felucca. Who needs a ball pit and a buffet when you've got the whole world to play in?

WHY DO AN INTREPID FAMILY TOUR?

Just for families: The clue's in the title. These trips are for families only (including any aunts, uncles or cousins who'd like to come along, of course). As long as you're travelling with a child under the age of 18, you're a family in our eyes. Plus, unlike the other guys, children 14 and under on Intrepid trips qualify for child rates, which means 10% off the price of their trip.

Travel with other families: Travelling the Intrepid way is a bit like travelling with a group of friends. Made up of 2-3 like-minded families, the kids tend to hit it off on these trips straight away, allowing you to enjoy some well-earned R&R. We often find the whole family ends up making friendships with people from all over the world, staying in touch long after the adventure ends.

Single parents: Being a single parent is challenging enough. Add in the difficulties of organising an international trip and the task becomes downright scary. But not with Intrepid. Not only have we taken care of all the logistics (accommodation, transport, tickets, activities), but your kids will have a ready-made pack of fellow explorers on standby, leaving you with more time to actually enjoy your holiday.

Small group sizes: Intrepid's family group sizes are small enough to avoid the crowds and reach some out-of-the-way places, but big enough for a good social mix. Our average group size of 10 allows us to hop aboard local boats, buses or trains, eat at friendly, family-run restaurants and kick back in traditional accommodation and homestays.

Action packed: We know the biggest challenge on a family trip is keeping the kids entertained. So we've planned in advance. Nearly all of our hotels feature pools, and each day has a great mix of action-packed adventure and flexible free time. Your local leader can also suggest activities based on your kid's hobbies or school curriculum.

TOP PICKS FOR FAMILY HOLIDAYS

Vietnam Family Holiday

Meet Vietnam's welcoming people and explore its natural and cultural treasures. With great food, lush scenery and lots of warm, friendly locals, the whole family will fall in love with Vietnam. Sail beautiful Halong Bay. Delight at water puppets in Hanoi. Learn about rich emperors in Hue. Get a new outfit tailor-made in Hoi An. Maybe even take a dip in the Vietnam East Sea. With so much to share and do together, you'll experience the culture, flavours, and highlights of a Vietnamese adventure your family will always remember.

Borneo Family Adventure

Explore the highlights of Borneo on an Intrepid Family Adventure tour. Travel to Borneo on a Family Adventure tour through the highlights of this incredible region. Embark on a magical journey to explore the natural wonders of tropical Sabah. Learn how orphaned orangutans are rehabilitated back into the wild, swim among colourful fish and spot wildlife in Borneo's steamy jungles. Along the way, make friends with local villagers, try delicious cuisine and enjoy plenty of time to kick back and relax. Round up the family and jump on-board this excellent adventure into the heart of Borneo.

Northern India Family Holiday Tour India and visit Agra's opulent Taj Mahal

Take the whole family on an unforgettable adventure to charismatic India, a place full of colourful characters, scrumptious cuisine and remarkable landscapes. Get the most out of this sensational subcontinent by tasting sizzling curries in Delhi, strolling through the 'Pink City' of Jaipur and heading deep into Ranthambhore National Park to follow the tracks of the elusive Bengal tiger. Of course, no visit to India is complete without gazing upon the Taj Mahal, an epic monument to love and one of the finest examples of Islamic architecture in the world. With plenty of cultural highlights for the adults and exciting activities for the kids, this trip is bound to excite, enchant and inspire memories to last a lifetime.

Egypt Family Holiday

Tour a land of Feluccas and Pharaohs and witness Egypt's most iconic sites. Uncover the ancient mysteries and modern marvels of Egypt and see why this classic destination inspires millions of travellers each year. With an action-packed itinerary that is purpose built for families, this authentic Egypt experience blends all the must-see highlights with plenty of adventurous, off the beaten-track activities. So whether you're cruising the Nile in a Felucca, sitting down to dinner with a Nubian family or hopping on a camel, this relaxing, exciting and always enlightening family tour of Egypt is sure to fill the photo album and keep you reminiscing around the dinner table for years to come.

Thailand Family Holiday

Discover the incredible sights of city and rural Thailand. Want a family getaway that's a little different? The combination of culture, friendly people, exciting activities, yummy food and stunning scenery make Thailand an ideal family destination. Visit the legendary Bridge on the River Kwai near Kanchanaburi, explore ancient ruins at Ayuthaya, shop in colourful markets in Bangkok and visit an Elephant Nature Park in Chiang Mai. Introduce the kids to a new world and have a great holiday at the same time on this fun-filled Thailand family adventure.

WHERE ELSE CAN YOU TAKE A FAMILY ADVENTURE?

Intrepid family tours operate in all corners of the globe, whether you are looking for a safari in Africa, an active trip to Peru, a cultural feast in Asia or a relaxing sailing trip in Europe there is an adventure to suit all kinds of families and their idea of a great holiday.

Speak to one of the Peregrine Travel Centre consultants about these fun family holiday options.



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