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FALKLANDS, S GEORGIA & ANTARCTICA - USHUAIA TO USHUAIA

The sub-Antarctic Falkland Islands and South Georgia are home to some of the most unique and abundant wildlife on earth. With beaches covered in fur seals, elephant seals, and hundreds of thousands of penguins, it's one of the most jaw-dropping nature scenes you will ever experience. We'll also explore the fascinating history of the area, dating back to the grandiose times of the 'Heroic Age of Antarctic Exploration' of the late 1800s and early 1900s.



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Day 1: Arrive in & Explore Ushuaia

After a friendly welcome at the airport and a transfer to the luxurious Arakur Resort & Spa, take some time to unwind or explore the southernmost city in the world, Ushuaia.

Our evening briefing at the Arakur is your opportunity to ask questions and meet some of your fellow explorers.

Day 2: Embarkation

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Spend your morning relaxing at the hotel, visiting a museum, or exploring the shops in Ushuaia, before our mid-afternoon escort to the ship. Our Expedition Team and ship staff will welcome you on board and get you settled in, followed by a safety and orientation briefing and our Captain's welcome dinner. We're on our way to Antarctica!

Day 3: Southern Ocean

As we sail south, important briefings on environmental regulations and expedition safety are held, and you won't want to miss our scientific and environmental experts as they begin their deeply knowledgeable, and always entertaining talks about the wildlife, history, and geology of the areas we will soon be exploring.

Day 4: West Falklands

We'll be exploring some of the westernmost settled outposts in the Falklands, a remote South Atlantic archipelago renowned for its rugged terrain and cliff-lined coast. As we stretch our legs along the farmland and beaches, we'll have an opportunity to visit Albatross and penguin colonies. Look for Rockhopper, King and Magellanic penguin rookeries.

Day 5: Stanley, East Falkland

The archipelago's largest island, Stanley, is a lively hub of activity nestled in a sheltered harbor. Here, the Falklands Islands Museum has fascinating exhibits devoted to maritime exploration, natural history, and the 1982 Falklands War. We'll likely visit Gypsy Cove, part of Cape Pembroke peninsula, a National Nature Preserve. Magellanic penguins, also known as Jackass penguins for the braying sound they make, breed here, nesting in underground burrows. Other native bird species include Black-Crowned Night herons, Long-Tailed meadowlarks, Two-Banded plovers, and Upland and Kelp geese. Nearby Ordinance Point is the final resting place for several World War II guns.

Day 6-7: Southern Ocean

Things continue ramping up with plenty of birdlife sightings as we make our way east across the Antarctic Convergence and officially enter Antarctic waters. See if you can identify the world's largest bird, the Wandering albatross. From soaring giants like the Southern Giant petrel to the tiny Wilson's Storm petrel, a range of impressive bird species will be hitching a ride on the updrafts created by ocean swells and waves. And be on the lookout for whale blows and our very first iceberg sighting.

Day 8-11: South Georgia

South Georgia is often referred to as the 'Serengeti of the Southern Ocean' and it's easy to see why as you take in tens of millions (not a typo!) of breeding penguins, seals, and seabirds. Breathtaking mountain scenery, majestically sculpted icebergs, glaciers in every direction, and a rich historical tapestry are all here to complement the incredible array of wildlife on view as we travel down South Georgia's leeward coast. We'll also visit the historic Grytviken whaling station, featuring the tiny graveyard where the great Antarctic explorer Sir Ernest Shackleton is buried.

Day 12-13: Scotia Sea

Heading farther south, we'll continue our informative presentations and wildlife spotting as the icebergs become bigger and more plentiful.

Day 14-17: Antarctic Peninsula

Here we'll explore any number of picturesque bays and famed harbors, maneuvering through iceberg rich channels as we travel alongside an array of wildlife. There are opportunities to stop at several active scientific bases and historic landing sites as we take in the wide range of penguin species, seals, and whales along the rugged coastlines and in the sea.

Day 18-19: Drake Passage

We leave this magical place and make our way north, once again crossing the legendary Drake Passage. We have one last hurrah as we celebrate the conclusion of our expedition with a special slideshow and a final meal



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Day 20: Disembarkation

With huge smiles on weary, content faces, we disembark in the morning, letting you catch a flight to Buenos Aires or stay in Ushuaia for more sights and adventure.

Please Note:

Itineraries are subject to change.



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YOUR SHIP: MV DISCOVERER

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VESSEL TYPE:	Expedition Ship
LENGTH:	108 metres
PASSENGER CAPACITY:	140
BUILT/REFURBISHED:	1989 / 2023 / 2026

Discoverer is a boutique expedition ship purpose-built for exploring the polar regions, combining genuine expedition capability with a high level of comfort and personalised service. Carrying just 140 guests, the vessel offers an intimate atmosphere that allows for flexible shore landings, meaningful wildlife encounters, and access to remote destinations beyond the reach of larger ships. With an Ice Class 1A rating, expansive outdoor viewing areas, and a wrap-around deck designed for wildlife observation and photography, Discoverer is ideally equipped for immersive exploration in some of the world's most spectacular environments.

Recently refurbished, the ship features stylish outward-facing accommodation, many with private balconies or Juliet balconies, alongside inviting public spaces that create a relaxed boutique feel. Guests can unwind in the panoramic Observation Lounge, outdoor Jacuzzis, sauna, steam room, fitness centre, or wellness area after a day of adventure. Onboard amenities also include a lecture theatre, library, restaurant, bar, outdoor grill, and expedition facilities, while expert-led presentations, Zodiac excursions, and an experienced expedition team ensure every voyage is both enriching and unforgettable.



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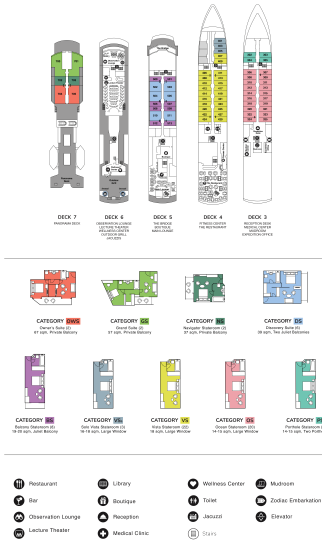
A wide banner image for Wild Earth Travel. The background is a photograph of a polar region with a large, white iceberg floating in clear blue water. Two black zodiac boats filled with people in winter gear are visible in the distance. The sky is a clear, bright blue. A dark blue banner is overlaid on the left side of the image, containing the company name and tagline in white text. At the bottom, a solid dark blue bar contains the website and email address in white text. A small orange triangle is visible in the bottom right corner.

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Balcony Stateroom

A modern hotel room with a large bed, a seating area with a chair and table, and a large window with a balcony view. The room features a dark wood headboard, a large window with a balcony view, and a seating area with a chair and table. The room is well-lit and has a clean, modern aesthetic.

A photograph of a hotel suite interior. It features a light-colored sofa, a matching armchair, a coffee table, and a large wooden desk. The room is decorated with a patterned rug, a lamp, and a framed picture on the wall. The text "Grand Suite" is overlaid in the bottom right corner.

Navigator Stateroom



Ocean Stateroom

A photograph of a well-furnished room, identified as the Owner's Suite. The room features a large wooden desk with a built-in shelving unit above it. A flat-screen television is mounted on the wall above the desk. A comfortable, light-colored armchair is positioned in the foreground. A small round table with a glass top holds a fruit basket and a water bottle. The room has a warm, wood-paneled aesthetic. The text "Owner's Suite" is overlaid in the bottom right corner.

Porthole Stateroom

Solo Vista Stateroom

Vista Stateroom



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PRICING

09-Jan-2027 to 28-Jan-2027

Porthole Stateroom	26895 USD pp
Ocean Stateroom	30895 USD pp
Vista Stateroom	31195 USD pp
Balcony Stateroom	33995 USD pp
Grand Suite	46395 USD pp
Solo Vista Stateroom	46395 USD pp
Owner's Suite	0 pp
Navigator Stateroom	0 pp
Discovery Suite	0 pp

Optional extras & upgrades

Sea Kayaking. From 250 USD

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