



GO OFF THE **BEATEN PATH**

Choose from a variety of exhilarating excursions in Antigua and embark upon the adventure of a lifetime!

OUR AWARDS







MILD'R TO WILD'R ADVENTURE TOUR METERS







Whether it's a laid-back, relaxing "mild" journey you seek, a "wild" adventure to thrill your spirit, or a "warm" experience in between, Island Routes has the perfect tour for everyone! Join us as we take you off the resort and into the heart of Antigua, where no matter which adventure you choose, you'll feel the vibe of our island and create memories that will last a lifetime!



Make sure to check with the Island Routes Tour Desk to find out what items you will need













SUNGLASSES







WEST COAST



St. John's

A historic town first colonized in 1632, this is Antigua and Barbuda's bustling cosmopolitan capital, shopping mecca and rum producer.

EAST COAST



VC BIRD International Airport

SANDALS

GRANDE ANTIGUA RESORT & SPA Long Bay

Full of local flavor and near attractions like the Old Sugar Factory and Devil's Bridge, this white-sand beach is the perfect spot for snorkeling, sun worshipping and sightseeing.

SOUTH COAST



Shirley Heights

Festivals, rich history & stunning sunsets sum up this vibrant and beautiful fort that is at the center of island activity and local legends.

NELSON'S Dockyard

NORTH SOUND

> HALF MOON BAY



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ANTIGUA

Explore the majestic wonders of an island with 365 pristine beaches—one for every day of the year. An island located in the exotic West Indies meaning "ancient" in Spanish, Antigua is rich in history and natural beauty. Home to a restored British Colonial naval base, "Nelson's Dockyard," named after Lord Admiral Nelson, and host to annual world-class sailing regattas, this renowned island has been attracting sailors for centuries. It's a destination worth exploring! From resort pick-up to drop-off, you'll experience the best of Antigua with Island Routes. We offer a variety of professional guided excursions, the most impressive sights, the highest safety standards, and endless fun.



XTREME CIRCUMNAVIGATION

If you're looking for a thrilling adventure, a high-speed race around the island is the answer. Hang on tight as you pass Antigua's beach-dotted coastline, weaving through the secluded cays to see some iconic sights. More than a ride, you'll get the chance to dive right in, swim with stingrays and snorkel along the Pillars of Hercules, natural magnificent volcanic boulders.



DEEP SEA SPORT FISHING

Get ready for an incredible offshore experience. Our skilled captain will lead you to the best spots teeming with marlin, sailfish and tuna, just to name a few. With the help of our expert crew and top-of-line equipment, everyone from fishing fanatics to amateur anglers will find this adventure to be the perfect catch.

We cannot guarantee that fish will be caught. Private charters available.

Fish remains the property of the captain.



360° OF ANTIGUA

You haven't seen Antigua until you've seen it from the sea. Climb aboard a power catamaran and set off along the beautiful coastline, admiring the vibrant rolling hills and secluded offshore islands. Pass spectacular sites like Devil's Bridge, a naturally occurring rock arch and the majestic Bird Island. Then it's time to relax on the uninhabited Green Island, followed by a delicious lunch back onboard.



REEF RIDER SNORKELLING TOUR

Captain your own two-seater motorboat and snorkel along Cades Reef! Your adventure begins with an air-conditioned ride through the countryside to Jolly Harbor. Upon arrival, you'll get a brief safety lesson. Then hop on your motorboat and follow your guide cruising to one of the island's best snorkeling spots teeming with marine life; you're welcome to snorkel, swim or relax on the boat. Finally, we'll head back to Jolly Harbor, passing pristine beaches and spectacular sights.

The tour is sold for two guests per motorboat; guests wishing to ride alone will have to purchase two seats. You must be 18 years of age to drive the boats.



LAND & SEA ADVENTURE

Experience the majestic allure of Antigua from every angle. Explore the island on a 4x4 safari along the south coast, pass historical sites, take in the beauty of the lush countryside and enjoy one of the island's 365 pristine beaches. Then it's smooth sailing aboard our catamaran, where you can admire panoramic views of the stunning bay and snorkel amongst vibrant reefs.



SAIL & SNORKEL

Experience Antigua's aquamarine waters from above and below the surface on the ultimate snorkeling adventure. Cruise along the beach-dotted coast to the popular Cades Reef, a vibrant two-mile long habitat that's home to a variety of sea life and coral. After working up an appetite, head back onboard for a delicious Caribbean lunch.



LEARN TO SAIL

Climb aboard a 40-foot keelboat and learn the thrill of sailing! Cruise the azure waters of Dickenson Bay, the Caribbean capital of sailing, guided by our expert crew. Enjoy the ocean breezes as you take the helm, hoist and trim the sails, learn tacking and jibing and work the winches. Then anchor the yacht and celebrate your accomplishment with rum punch. Whether a novice, budding sailor or expert, our professional crew is dedicated to creating a safe and unforgettable adventure at sea.



NICOLE'S TABLE

Nicole's Caribbean cooking classes are designed so you can learn about local food and flavors in the comfort of a lovely home overlooking the Caribbean Sea. Whether you want to cook or just observe and eat, this small class is casual and fun. You'll enjoy a full menu with local recipes, Nicole's Old Fashioned Rum Punch, soft beverages and the food you prepare and cook. This is your chance to learn the secret behind delicious Caribbean cuisine, so you can share with friends back home!



SHIRLEY'S HEIGHTS SUNSET PARTY SHUTTLE

There's only one place to be in Antigua when the sun starts to set, and that's Shirley Heights! It's the best spot on the island to experience a picture perfect sunset. When the sun finally goes down, the night welcomes one of the Caribbean's liveliest parties with steel drum bands, dancing and plenty of great company.



ISLAND SAFARI & STINGRAY CITY

Get ready for a wild ride on this thrilling 4x4 adventure. Explore Antigua's beauty off-the-beaten path, travel along dirt roads, through quaint fishing villages and historic rural estates. Then, enjoy a boat ride to the site of the main attraction, Stingray City, to play, feed and swim with the friendly Southern Stingrays in their natural habitat.



SANDALS EXCLUSIVE ULTIMATE LOBSTER CRUISE

Experience the ultimate catamaran cruise as you sail and dine along Antigua's stunning coastline. Pass white sand beaches, pristine cays and exotic marine life as you head to Bird Island. Enjoy a world of adventure where you can take a guided snorkeling tour of the reefs, a hiking adventure of the island or simply soak up the sun. Once you've worked up an appetite, you'll enjoy a feast back onboard complete with sparkling wine, grilled lobster and the cool rhythms of the Caribbean.

Please note Lobster is only available in season. If unavailable, an alternative will be provided.



OFF-ROAD ATV ADVENTURE

Brace yourself for an all-terrain adventure. Hop aboard an ATV and race along the south coast, passing old cane roads and rural farming estates to the historic Monks Hill, which overlooks a scenic harbor. This rugged route takes you along Antigua's dirt tracks and animal trails. So be prepared to get dirty!

Please note that a valid drivers license is required.



ISLAND SAFARI ECO KAYAK TOUR

This island adventure is all about the beauty of Antigua. Race through the blossoming countryside on a 4x4 safari to the water's edge, where you'll jump in a kayak and navigate the mangroves to North Sound. Explore its crystal clear waters and vibrant reefs and snorkel among tropical marine life. Then it's a short climb to the top of Bird Island for stunning panoramas of the Atlantic Ocean and the Caribbean Sea.



RAINFOREST CANOPY ADVENTURE

Soar through the rainforest suspended high above the treetops for the rush of a lifetime on 12 adrenaline pumping ziplines. If you're up for an extra challenge, take on the nine-element rope course.



ISLAND 4X4 SAFARI

Beyond beauty, Antigua is rich in history and culture. Take a seat aboard our allterrain 4x4 and ride along the countryside's dirt roads. Your guide will fill you in on fascinating facts and tales as you explore the island's most renowned sites, like Betty's Hope sugar plantation where you'll enjoy an authentic Caribbean picnic. Then, end your journey with a relaxing swim in the magnificent azure ocean.



THIRTEEN ZIPS

Enjoy breathtaking ziplines high above the Fig Tree Drive rainforest. Suspended high up in the trees are 13 ziplines, creating Antigua's award-winning zipline course. With an adrenaline pumping mixture of ziplines, short trails and suspension bridges, your day will definitely end on a high note!



HALF MOON 4X4 NATURE SAFARI

Journey to the most stunning spots on the island as you ride through the thriving tropical rainforest to historic sites and harbors aboard an all-terrain 4x4. A stop at the Donkey Sanctuary will allow you to get up close with these seldom understood creatures. You can even adopt a donkey! As the tour continues, witness the pristine beauty of Willoughby Bay, featuring vibrant coral reefs and the allure of Half Moon Bay where you'll enjoy a refreshing swim. You're sure to capture amazing photo ops!



CANOPY AND KAYAK COMBO

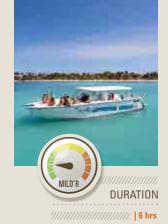
Adventure is calling! Soar through blossoming canopies as you rush through the sky on nine exhilarating ziplines. Kayak through the mangroves at North Sound Marine Park. Snorkel in the crystal clear water surrounding Great Bird Island, followed by a hike to the top for breathtaking views.



FLAVORS OF ANTIGUA RUM TOUR

Get an authentic taste of the island! Journey to a Caribbean rum shack located on Sir Vivian Richards Street in St John's, the birthplace of the famous Antiguan cricketer by the same name. Once there, you will discover the history behind Caribbean rums and enjoy a tasting opportunity with three special Antiguan varieties, along with a pairing of delicious Caribbean specialties made from fresh local ingredients.

Guests must be 18 years of age or older to participate in this tour.



ADVENTURE ECO TOUR

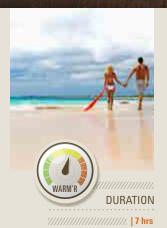
Set sail for a true off-the-beaten-path adventure to the unspoiled North Sound area that's dotted with small, pristine cays. From coral reefs and mangrove nurseries to the famous Hell's Gate, you'll have plenty of fun exploring, swimming and snorkeling at some of the island's best, secluded spots.



FRIDAY ONLY

LOVER'S ROCK SUNSET CRUISE

There's nothing more romantic than a Caribbean sunset. Cruise along Antigua's stunning coast and bask in the breathtaking panoramic views. As the sky comes to life with every shade of orange, red and pink, you'll sip refreshing cocktails, dance to island beats and simply fall in love with the moment.



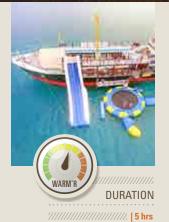
ESCAPE TO BARBUDA

With the incredible island of Barbuda just miles away, you'd be crazy not to hop aboard our power catamaran in search of the famous pink-sand beaches. Take some time to bask in the crystal-clear waters before being whisked away through the mangroves to see one of the world's largest Frigate bird colonies. Make the most of your Antigua getaway and explore the wonders of two island destinations.



HORSEBACK RIDING

Saddle up and explore Antigua as you ride on a gentle steed! Immerse yourself in the rich history and culture of the island, trotting along gorgeous landscapes and white sands while your guide narrates the journey. Travel to the historic Fort James featuring 18th Century cannons and fabulous views of St. John's Harbor. Then cool off in the refreshing Caribbean Sea, riding the waves on horseback. Our well-trained horses and attentive guides will ensure your comfort and safety to create an unforgettable experience.



D-BOAT WATER AMUSEMENT CENTER

It's a fun day at sea aboard a 140 ft. oil tanker turned party boat! Named Antigua's #1 daytime experience, the D-Boat Water Amusement Center is permanently moored off the Coast of Maiden Island, offering endless fun for all ages. The D-Boat has it all! Snorkeling adventures, a tanning lounge, all-inclusive food and drinks, a waterpark with an ocean slide, Tarzan swings, trampoline and diving platform, beach access, and historical tours.



READING ROAD TRIP

Give back during your vacation by participating in a Reading Road Trip, a unique opportunity created by the Sandals Foundation to engage with Caribbean children and enhance their lives as part of our 'Community Routes' Program. This memorable experience is about more than just reading a story...it's an enlightening opportunity that pairs you with a small group of children, ages 3-10 years old, at their local school. Guests are encouraged to donate a new or gently used book to the school's library.



MONTSERRAT VOLCANO HIGHLIGHTS

Fly via helicopter over the crystal-clear waters of the Caribbean to the explosive isle of Montserrat. Get a look at the Soufriere Hills Volcano, rising 3,000 feet above sea level as it erupts plumes of ash, smoke, steam and lava. Then, soar over the abandoned 'Exclusion Zone' and witness the dramatic destruction left behind by this powerful volcano that has been active since 1995.



BEST OF ANTIGUA SIGHTSEEING TOUR

Discover the beautiful island of Antigua on this all-encompassing excursion. From some of its 365 beaches (one for each day of the year), to National Parks, small fishing villages and culturally historic landmarks, you'll get to know this exotic island inside and out. Plus, when you stop at Shirley Heights, a world-famous viewing spot, we'll make sure you have the best seats in the house!



HISTORIC FORT & BEACH SEGWAY TOUR

On this modern day historical excursion, you'll step aboard your personal Segway and travel back in time to 1706, just before the French invasion. Make your way along the infamous trail to Fort James and get ready to conquer one of the Caribbean's most impressive British forts. Then it's time to celebrate your victory on the beautiful whitesand beach.



ANTIGUA ALL-ISLAND HELICOPTER TOUR

The sky's the limit as you fly high above the island for rare vistas of Antigua's gorgeous harbors, white-sand beaches and vibrant reefs. Watch as your pilot skims the crystal-clear waters, offering you fantastic up-close views of Shirley Heights, Nelson's Dockyard, Devil's Bridge and the pristine North Sound islands.



ANTIGUA SHOPPING HIGHLIGHT

If you love shopping, this tour is an absolute must! Peruse duty-free shops, local craft markets and high-end retailers in search of the ultimate island treasure. Whether it's a gift for a friend or a beautiful keepsake to remember your travels, you'll find the best Antigua has to offer on this tropical shopping spree.

Remember to take a picture ID and your flight information for duty-free purchases.





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