

Verre Ooste Bootvaart-toer

Taipei, Filippyne, Maleisië, Brunei, Viëtnam & Singapore

25 Januarie – 9 Februarie 2025

Kom saam vir 'n **Verre Ooste Fees** op die **NORWEGIAN SKY!** Ons besoek ses fassinerende lande met ons sestien-dae toer. 'n Voordeel van ons toer is dat dit wat die weer aanbetrif, die beste tyd van die jaar is om Asië te besoek, aangesien die humiditeit oor die algemeen dan die laagste is. Die spesiale groepstarief beloop **R53 990** per persoon.

Reisplan

Saterdag, 25 Januarie KAAPSTAD / JOHANNESBURG →

Die groot dag breek uiteindelik aan! Ons vlug vertrek vroegmiddag na die Verre Ooste. Oornag aanboord na aandete. Ons land op 26 Januarie in die hoofstad van Taiwan, **Taipei**. Die stad het bykans drie miljoen inwoners.

Sondag tot Maandag, 26-27 Januarie TAIPEI

- Busvervoer vanaf die lughawe na die Taipei-hotel en vanaf die hotel na die Keelung-hawe, wat ongeveer 25 km noordoos van Taipei-stad geleë is.
- Een nag verblyf in 'n sentraalgeleë hotel, met ontbyt ingesluit.
- 'n Halfdag stadstoer na die hoogtepunte van hierdie interessante Oosterse stad.



Maandag, 27 Januarie tot Saterdag, 8 Februarie DERTIEN DAE BOOTVAART OP DIE NORWEGIAN SKY

- Alle maaltye en vermaak, asook hawe-belastings is ingesluit.
- As bonus ontvang elke kajuit 'n spesiale Internet-pakket, asook \$50-afslagbewyse vir land-ekskursies.
- Opsionele land-ekskursies is beskikbaar en ons sal bystand verleen om dit so billik as moontlik te doen.

Die gesaghebbende **Cruiseline** skryf as volg oor die **NORWEGIAN SKY** (wat in 2022 nuut opgeknap is):

Despite being one of the smallest vessels in the fleet, *Norwegian Sky* offers the cruise line's signature amenities, from the full-service Mandara Spa and Salon to its sports courts and Splash Academy children's program. The ship boasts two golf driving nets, eight bars and lounges, and five outdoor hot tubs. And for those who love to be entertained, *Sky* offers several high-energy shows, such as *Rock You Tonight*, the ship's tribute to rock icons, and *Showdown*, a mock talent competition à la American Idol where the audience picks the winner. Revitalized from bow to stern in 2022 through the multimillion-dollar Norwegian Edge program, *Norwegian Sky* came away from dry dock with several new venues, including a Starbucks-licensed shop, the Pinnacle Lounge and the vibrant Bliss Ultra Lounge. With updated recreation areas and common spaces, a renovated pool deck, and more seating in the ship's lounges, *Sky* promises an improved passenger experience overall.

The **Norwegian Sky** operates **Freestyle Cruising**. The most obvious difference between Freestyle and traditional cruising, is that the **Norwegian Sky** has a wide selection of different restaurants available for meals on a flexible basis to suit guests, rather than the rigid two sitting system. Guests can plan their evening around what they want to do, rather than around fixed meal times.

Die **reisplan** is as volg:

- **Maandag:** Vertrek om **20:00** vanaf die hawestad **Keelung**.
Ons bus sal ons reeds om 15:00 by die **NORWEGIAN VIVA** besorg, sodat daar kans is vir 'n eerste heerlike buffete aanboord!

➤ **Dinsdag:** Besoek **Kaoshiung, Taiwan** van 10:00 tot 17:00.

"Colonization by the Dutch in the 17th century has left an ample architectural legacy, as did Taiwan's rule by Japan from 1895-1945. Grab a coffee at the former British Consulate, a landmark overlooking the bay. Art lovers can enjoy the outdoors and contemporary sculptures at the Kaohsiung Museum of Fine Arts' Sculpture Park, and for a spiritual experience, a visit to the Fo Guang Shan Buddha Memorial Centre, with the world's largest sitting Buddha, is highly recommended."

► 18:00: 'n Gesamentlike aandete is vir ons groep bespreek in die Palace Restaurant.



Kaoshiung, Taiwan



Cabugao-eiland, naby die Salomague-hawe

➤ **Woensdag:** Besoek **Salomague, Filippyne** van 10:00 tot 18:00.

"Just a short ride away from both the beautiful beach town of Cabugao and the must-see architecture of Vigan City, this port has something for everyone. If you can't get enough of the ocean, spend a relaxing day in a cove on a white sand beach. If you're looking to explore the history and culture of the Philippines, Vigan has multiple UNESCO World Heritage Sites to explore. Stroll through streets of well-preserved Spanish Colonial buildings and see where the Spanish-style architecture fused with Asian-style architecture. As you take all that in, get a taste of what they're cooking at one of many food carts throughout the city."



Vigan City, an UNESCO World Heritage Site



Manila se Katedraal

➤ **Donderdag:** Besoek **Manila, Filippyne** van 09:45 tot 19:30.

"Home to 12 million, the capital of the Philippines is a dynamic city with a rich colonial history dating to 1565, when the Spanish arrived. Dive into the most popular attractions, including the elegant Malacanang Palace, the National Museum of the Philippines and Rizal Park. The poignant, 150-acre American Cemetery and Memorial holds U.S. and Allied servicemen who made the ultimate sacrifice during World War II. The historic walled city core, Intramuros, is well worth exploring.."

➤ **Vrydag:** Besoek **Boracay, Filippyne** van 09:00 tot 18:30.

"A destination so popular, the government had to start limiting the number of people that can visit each year, Boracay is a favourite for a reason. The White Beach is this small island's most famous feature, with sand so pale it almost looks like sugar. The water is usually clear, warm and inviting-perfect for a swim. Up away from the shore, you can find restaurants that'll satisfy any craving and not-to-be-missed night life. After relaxing on the beach, take a stroll through open air markets or hike through the island's greenery."



Die idiliese Boracay



Die ondergrondse rivier in Puerto Princesa

➤ **Saterdag:** Besoek **Puerto Princesa, Filippyne** van 08:30 tot 16:00.

"Puerto Princesa is full of history, nature, good food, and relaxing beaches. For the history buffs, there are several World War II era historical sites and museums to wander through. If you're feeling adventurous, check out the Subterranean River-a UNESCO World Heritage Site-or learn about the wildlife a little closer to port. You can also learn about the city's dedication to environmental conservation. A budding restaurant and nightlife scene make spending the day in town a delight."

► 18:00: 'n Gesamentlike aandete is vir ons groep bespreek in die Crossings Restaurant.

➤ **Sondag:** Besoek **Kota Kinabalu, Maleisië** van 10:00 tot 20:00.

"Kota Kinabalu, colloquially referred to as KK, is the state capital of Sabah, Malaysia. It is also the capital of the Kota Kinabalu District as well as the West Coast Division of Sabah. The city is located on the northwest coast of Borneo facing the South China Sea. The Tunku Abdul Rahman National Park lies to its west and Mount Kinabalu, which gave the city its name, is located to its east.

This bustling, ethnically diverse city offers sightseers a diversity of culture and eras. A gold-domed mosque, unique high-rise architecture and the Heritage Village all combine to paint a picture of the city's past. Venture into the interior to astonishing Kinabalu Park, where exotic plants and rare orchids flourish. Spend time on the glorious beaches and enjoy the local fresh fish."



Kota Kinabalu in Maleisië se Sabah-provinsie



Muara, Brunei Darussalam

➤ **Maandag:** Besoek **Muara, Brunei Darussalam** van 07:00 tot 17:00.

"Brunei, formally Brunei Darussalam, is a country in Southeast Asia, situated on the northern coast of the island of Borneo. Apart from its coastline on the South China Sea, it is completely surrounded by the Malaysian state of Sarawak, with its territory bifurcated by the Sarawak district of Limbang. Brunei is the only sovereign state entirely on Borneo; the remainder of the island is divided between Malaysia and Indonesia. As of 2020 the country had a population of 460,345, of whom approximately 100,000 resided in the capital and largest city Bandar Seri Begawan. The government of Brunei is an absolute monarchy ruled by the Sultan of Brunei.

A drive through the city or a boat ride on its canals will let you capture the spirit of Muara. Ornate mosques glitter in the sun with their golden domes and minarets. Visit the Brunei Museum, a repository of Malay culture and Islamic art, or take a water taxi over to Kampong Ayer, "the Water Village." Experience a trip back in time with a visit inland to a Dayak village. Back in Muara, look for silver jewellery, brass and bronze items, intricately made heirloom sarongs and antiques."

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- **Dinsdag: Seedag**
Vandag vaar ons in 'n noordwestelike rigting oor die Suid-China See na Viëtnam. Daar is tyd om alles te geniet wat op die Norwegian Sky aangebied word.
► 18:00: 'n Gesamentlike ete is vir ons groep bespreek in die Palace Restaurant.
- **Woensdag: Besoek Nha Trang, Viëtnam van 07:00 tot 16:00**
"Situated on a picturesque bay, Nha Trang is known for its sandy beaches and one of the longest cable cars in the world. At two miles long, the cable car to Hon Tre Island offers an amazing, mobile view over the bay. If history calls you, a visit to the Po Nagar Cham Towers dating to 781 is in order. Also compelling is the Long Son Pagoda, with its intricate architecture, mosaics and garden. Linger on the grounds, then climb 150 stone steps to the 70-foot-tall White Buddha at the top and enjoy a panoramic view of Nha Trang."



Nha Trang in Viëtnam



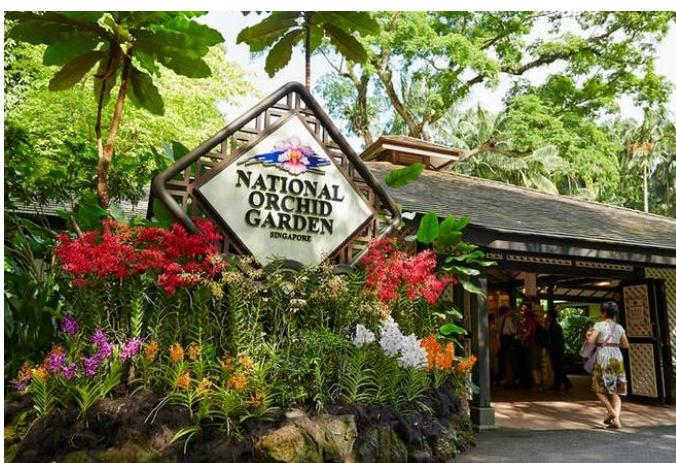
Ons toerlede geniet altyd die Mekong Delta!

- **Donderdag: Besoek Phu My (Ho Chi Minh City), Viëtnam van 07:30 tot 19:00**
"Discover the rich heritage of Saigon and the Mekong Delta. You won't forget a ride on a cycle rickshaw, known locally as xích lô ("sick-low"). Sit back as your driver whisks you past pagodas, colonial architecture and vibrant markets. A nice contrast to the city is the lush countryside of rice paddies and tiny villages along the Mekong. The freshness of the food is highlighted by the phenomenal fusion of local cuisine, a unique blend of Asian spices and French cooking styles."
- **Vrydag: Seedag**
Vandag vaar ons in 'n suidwestelike rigting na Singapore. En daar is nog tyd om alles te geniet wat op die Norwegian Sky aangebied word!
► 18:00: 'n Gesamentlike afsluitings-aandete is vir ons groep bespreek in die Crossings Restaurant.

Saterdag, 8 Februarie SINGAPORE →

Ons arriveer reeds vroelegoggend om **07:00** in Singapore. Na 'n laaste ontbyt aanboord moet ons die **NORWEGIAN SKY** groet! Op pad met ons bus na die Changi-lughawe (herhaaldelik aangewys as die beste lughawe in die wêreld), besoek ons 'n paar van die stad se hoogtepunte, onder andere die Botaniese Tuin met sy Nasionale Orgidieë Park en die moderne Garden by the Bay.

Laatmiddag arriveer ons by die lughawe vir ons terugvlug na Suid-Afrika. Aandete word op die vlug bedien.



Met ons stadstoer besoek ons twee van die grootste hoogtepunte van Singapore: die **Nasjonale Orgidieë Park** en die moderne **Garden by the Bay**.



Sondag, 9 Februarie → JOHANNESBURG / KAAPSTAD

Na 'n vroeë ontbyt en 'n wonderlike **Verre Ooste Bootvaart** vanaf Taipei tot Singapore, land ons in Johannesburg en Kaapstad.

INGESLUIT BY DIE TOERKOSTE:

- ✓ Internasionale vlugte in die ekonomiese klas tussen Johannesburg & Taipei en Singapore & Johannesburg. Daar is 'n addisionele koste van R1 550 vir die retoervlug vanaf en na Kaapstad.
- ✓ Lughawebelastings en brandstofheffings vir al die vlugte.
- ✓ 'n Dertien-dae bootvaart vanaf Taipei na Singapore met die **Norwegian Sky**. Akkomodasie in "inside staterooms" met alle maaltye, vermaak en hawe-belastings ingesluit.
- ✓ Elke kajuit ontvang 'n spesiale Internet-pakket, asook \$50-afslagbewyse vir land-ekskursies.
- ✓ Verblyf vir een nag in 'n sentraalgeleë hotel in Taipei, met ontbyt ingesluit.
- ✓ Besigtigingstoer van Taipei, asook vervoer tussen die lughawe/hotel/hawe.
- ✓ Besigtigingstoer van Singapore.
- ✓ Busvervoer na die Internasionale Lughawe in Singapore.
- ✓ Bystand om die land-ekskursies tydens die bootvaart so billik as moontlik te doen.
- ✓ Die dienste van 'n ervare toerleier deurentyd.

LET ASSEBLIEF OP DIE VOLGENDE:

- Die toerkoste van **R53 990** is gebaseer op lugreisgelde en landreëlingskostes in Desember 2023 en is onderhewig aan wisselkoers-veranderings. Dit is gebaseer op 'n wisselkoers van \$1 = R18,50.
- Die bybetaling vir diegene wat 'n enkelkamer/kajuit verlang is op aanvraag beskikbaar.
- Die bybetaling vir 'n opgradering na 'n venster-kajuit beloop R6 780 per persoon en vir 'n balkon-kajuit R24 890 per persoon vir die dertien-dae bootvaart.
- Visums word nie benodig vir die Filippyne, Maleisië en Singapore nie. Aanlyn-visums word wel benodig vir Taiwan, Brunei en Viëtnam teen geringe kostes. Ons sal help met almal se visum-aansoeke en die nodige dokumente verskaf.
- Begroot tussen **R4 000** en **R6 000** vir opsionele land-ekskursies (afhangende van hoeveel jy wil spandeer), wat ons so billik as moontlik sal probeer doen.
- Verpligte diensfooie van ongeveer **R3 550** vir die bootvaart is nie ingesluit by die toerkoste nie.
- Groeps-reisversekering van **TIC Europ Assistance** is beskikbaar vir alle toerlede onder die ouderdom van 76 jaar teen **R480** vir die 16 dae (vir diegene bo 75 jaar is daar 'n bybetaling).
- Ten minste 26 passasiers moet deurgaans saamreis.
- 'n Deposito van **R7 500** moet met bespreking vereffen word om 'n plek op die toer te verseker.
- Die balans van die reisgeld moet **voor 19 Oktober 2024** vereffen word.
- Kredietkaart-betalings word ongelukkig nie aanvaar nie.

HOE OM TE BESPREEK:

Voltooi so gou as moontlik die besprekingsvorm en vrywaringsvorm en e-pos dit aan info@vandyktours.co.za.

Deposito's moet inbetaal word op (of oorgeplaas word na) die volgende rekening by

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Rekeninghouer: Van Dyk Travel

Tipe rekening: Lopende/Besigheids

Verwysing: VERRE OOSTE/ en u van

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NEW! The Most Extensive Ship Refurbishment of 2022

We've made extensive enhancements to provide you with an all-new, elevated experience on the **NORWEGIAN SKY**, refurbished from bow to stern in 2022. From fully renovated staterooms to new dining options, bars and lounges, there is plenty to rediscover. When the sun goes down, head up to the top of the ship to the all-new Pinnacle Lounge & Sushi Bar for fresh sushi rolls, signature cocktails and gorgeous sunset views. Swing by the new, high-energy Bliss Ultra Lounge to show off your dance moves. Craving a Venti with an extra shot and double whip to keep you going all day? Well, now we have a full-service Starbucks® on board! So, come join the celebration and get to know the all-new **NORWEGIAN SKY**!