



# MAGICAL HERMANUS

WHALE WATCHING  
& WINE



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## DETAILED ITINERARY

Collection is at 8:00, whereafter we make our way along the N2 freeway towards the beautiful town of Somerset West. Here we cross over the Hottentots Holland Mountain range via Sir Lowry's Pass, a scenic route that shows off the Somerset West Strand region as far away as Cape town on a clear day. We continue through the lush green countryside passing Elgin, renowned as the "Apple Kingdom" of South Africa and more recently its thriving wine estates. After a quick coffee stop at a popular farm stall we slowly descend to the coast. As we enter Hermanus we take a drive up along Rotary Drive to take a few snapshots of stunning Hermanus and Walker Bay below.

We then make our way to a neatly maintained cliff path for a casual stroll, very likely seeing the Southern Right Whales (July-Nov) that have migrated north to escape the icy winter. We casually explore this quaint little town before settling down for a light lunch by the water's edge. After lunch we take a drive by the local beaches, make our way through the Hemel en Aarde Vallei (Heaven and Earth Valley) to Bouchard Finlayson wine estate for a tasting OR make our way to Stony Point Reserve to see the super cute penguins. Finally, we head home along the scenic Clarence Drive, a stunning stretch of mountain pass with breathtaking views of the Azure ocean below, passing through Kogel Bay and Gordons Bay.



## BASIC ITINERARY

*8:00am Collection*

*Journey along N2 over Sir Lowry's Pass*

*Coffee stop at a farm stall*

*Photo opportunity at Rotary Drive*

*Stroll along water's edge to see whales (when in season)*

*Light lunch*

*Drive by local beaches*

*Wine tasting at Bouchard Finlayson OR visit Stony Point penguin colony*

*Slow scenic drive along Clarence Drive on our way home*

### WHAT'S INCLUDED

Professional tour guide with Advanced drivers certificate  
Bottled water  
Entrance to Whale museum  
Entrance to photographic museum  
Wine tasting at Bouchard and Finlayson

### WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED

Coffee at farmstall  
Lunch  
Entrance to Stony point (time permitting)

### TOUR DURATION

Approximately 9hours



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