

2017-2018 Season Offerings

Fly in and Fly out Options

Sail Down to Antarctica / Fly Back, TRIP #1

21 days long. 12 full days in Antarctica. \$14,544 USD

Day 1:

Join our sailboat in Ushuaia, and sail the Beagle Channel heading for the Drake Passage.

Day 2 to 4:

We will sail across the Drake Passage, leaving the Cape Horn on our starboard side.

Day 5 to 17:

Explore Antarctica on an Expedition sailing yacht. each day will be different and can include zodiac tours, landings at penguin colonies, exploring historic scientific bases and whaling sites, kayaking. The flexibility allows you to take full advantage of whatever Antarctica gives to us – be it an incredible southern sunset or a breaching whale. We can stop and enjoy.

While South there will be an Active scientist onboard, so all guests are invited to participate in real Antarctic research. In the evenings the scientist will present on their research, as well as pressing current Antarctic issues. The scientist will be a part of the team and ready to answer questions at dinner, or on deck!



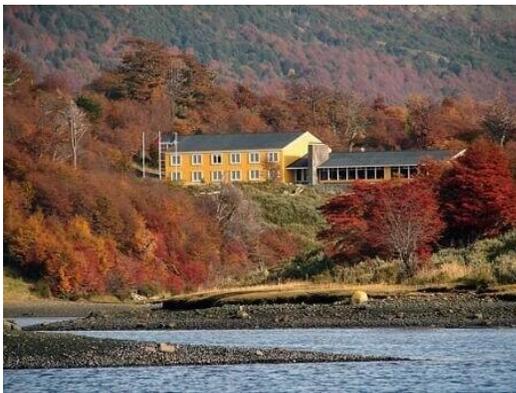
Day 18:

We sail to King George Island and board your flight to Punta Arenas. Look out your window and get a last glimpse at the white continent.

Luckily your adventure doesn't end yet! Spend an included night in Punta Arenas and explore this historic city known both as stopover for famous Antarctic Explorers and the home base of old sheep barons.



Day 19 & 20:



Fly to Puerto Williams, Chile, a small naval outpost that can truly claim the title of southern most town. Stay two nights at the Lakutaia Lodge. Explore famed Navarino island and learn about the flora, fauna,

and history of the native Yaghans. An excellent museum in town, as well as excellent half day and day hikes are easily accessed from the lodge.

Day 21:

Transfer to Ushuaia via boat and say goodbye to your fellow Antarctic Adventurers of the last two weeks and get ready to share your experiences and photos with friends and family back home.

What's included:

12 days of sailing expedition All Inclusive onboard the Expedition Yacht Ocean Tramp -including landings, zodiac cruises, hikes, kayaking, one night camping on shore, visit to Antarctic bases.

Accommodation is a bunk/bed in private double cabin with share bathroom. Duvets, towel, linen and pillows are provided. Limited storage space for personal clothe in the cabin.

All meals -while onboard: breakfast, tea and coffee mid-morning, lunch, tea and coffee midafternoon, happy hour, dinner. Wine or beers on dinners except if the boat is underway. While in the lodge/hotel: breakfast, lunch and dinner with drinks.

Antarctic boots while onboard the Yacht

Flight from King George Island, South Shetlands, to Punta Arenas, Chile.

1 night in Punta Arenas

Flight from Punta Arenas to Puerto Williams, including transfers.

2 nights all inclusive in Lakutaia Lodge.

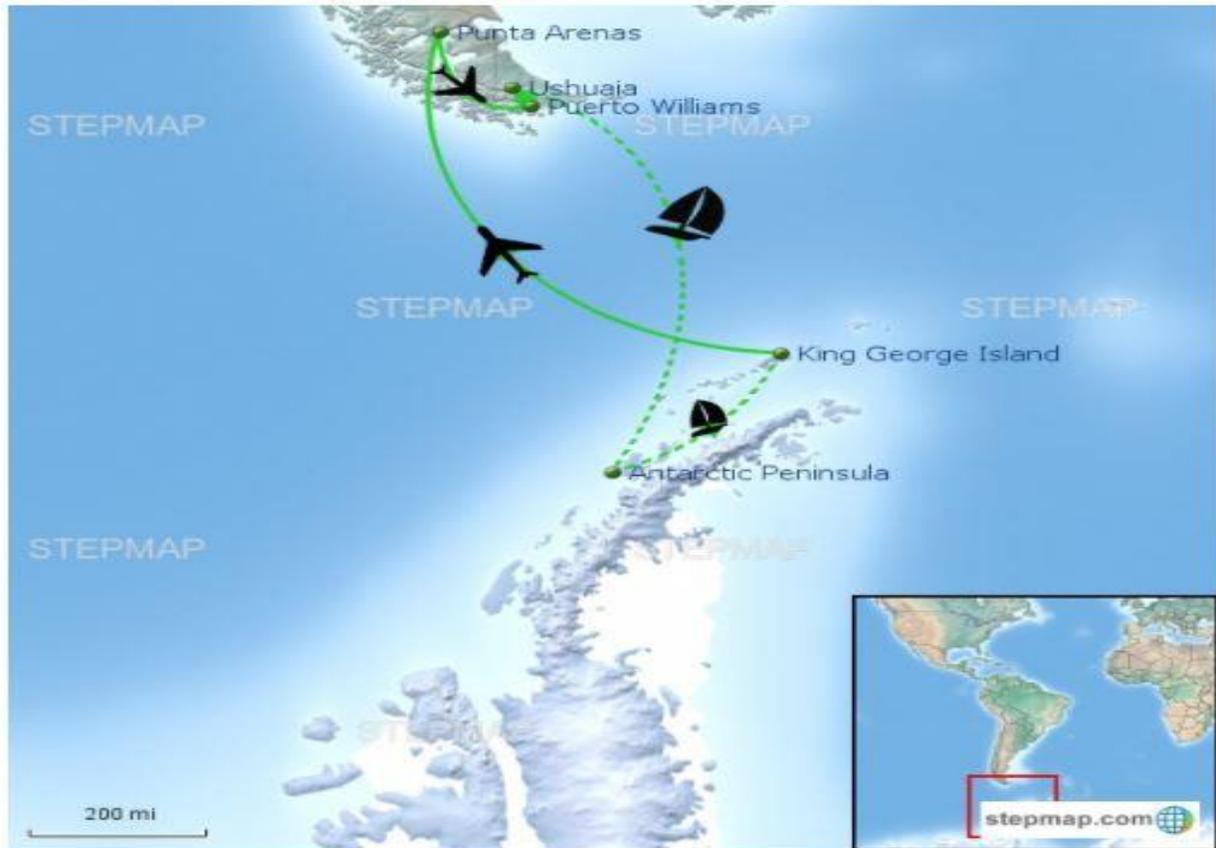
Transfer from Puerto Williams to Puerto Navarino and Ferry boat from Puerto Navarino to Ushuaia.

What's not included:

Required Antarctic Medical Evacuation Insurance

Personal gear/cloth minus boots

Anything not specifically mentioned on the "included" list.



Fly In & Out of Antarctica -TRIP # 2 & # 3

16 days long. \$14,544 USD

Day 1:

Meet our team at the Punta Arenas airport and fasten your seat belt, while enjoying crossing the Drake Passage in just a couple of hours, arriving at King George Island, on the Shetlands.

Offload your bags and meet the crew of the sailing Expedition Yacht Ocean Tramp.

Day 2 to 12:

Explore Antarctica on an Expedition sailing yacht. each day will be different and can include zodiac tours, landings at penguin colonies, exploring historic scientific bases and whaling sites, kayaking. The flexibility allows you to take full advantage of whatever Antarctica gives to us – be it an incredible southern sunset or a breaching whale. We can stop and enjoy.

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Day 13:

Return to King George Island and board your flight to Punta Arenas. Look out your window and get a last glimpse at the white continent.



Luckily your adventure doesn't end yet! Spend an included night in Punta Arenas and explore this historic city known both as stopover for famous Antarctic Explorers and the home base of old sheep barons.

Day 14 & 15:

Fly to Puerto Williams, Chile, a small naval outpost that can truly claim the title of southern most town. Stay two nights at the Lakutaia Lodge. Explore famed Navarion island and learn about the flora, fauna, and history of the native Yaghans. An excellent museum in

town, as well as excellent half day and day hikes are easily accessed from the lodge.

Day 16:

Fly back to Punta Arenas over the spectacular Darwin Range – have your cameras ready as you fly over glaciers plunging into the Beagle Channel! Return to Punta Arenas and say goodbye to your fellow Antarctic Adventurers of the last two weeks and get ready to share your experiences and photos with friends and family back home.

What's included:

Flights from/to Punta Arenas to King George Island, South Shetlands.

12 days of sailing expedition All Inclusive onboard the Expedition Yacht Ocean Tramp -including landings, zodiac cruises, hikes, kayaking, one night camping on shore, visit to Antarctic bases.

Flights to/from Punta Arenas to Puerto Williams, including transfers.

2 nights at Lakutaia Lodge in Puerto Williams.

1 night in Punta Arenas

Antarctic boots while onboard the Yacht.

What's not included:

Personal gear/cloth minus boots

Anything not specifically mentioned on the “included” list.



Fly Down to Antarctica & Sail back -TRIP # 4

21 days long. \$14,544 USD

Day 1:

Meet your travel companions at the commercial dock and board a private ferry boat to cross the Beagle Channel to Puerto Navarino, Chile. Transfer from Navarino Port to Puerto Williams, a small naval outpost that can truly claim the title of southern most town. Stay 2 night all inclusive in Lakutaia Lodge.

Day 2:

Explore famed Navarino island and learn about the flora, fauna, and history of the native Yaghans. An excellent museum in town, as well as excellent half day and day hikes are easily accessed from the lodge.



Day 3:

Fly to Punta Arenas and Spend a night exploring this historic city known both as stopover for famous Antarctic Explorers and the home base of old sheep barons.

Day 4:

Fly from Punta Arenas to King George Island, South Shetlands, where you will meet the Expedition Sailing Yacht Ocean Tramp.

Day 5 to 17:

Explore Antarctica on an Expedition sailing yacht. Each day will be different and can include zodiac tours, landings at penguin colonies, exploring historic scientific bases and whaling sites, kayaking. The flexibility allows you to take full advantage of whatever Antarctica gives to us – be it an incredible southern sunset or a breaching whale. We can stop and enjoy.



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current Antarctic issues. The scientist will be a part of the team and ready to answer questions at dinner, or on deck!

We also have a few days built in for weather for our southern Drake crossing

Day 18 to 21

Sail back crossing the Drake Passage, leaving Cape Horn on our port side as we approach the Beagle Channel and finally arriving to Ushuaia.



What's included:

Ferry boat from Ushuaia to Puerto Navarino -transfer to Puerto Williams/Lakutaia Lodge

2 nights all inclusive in Lakutaia Lodge

Flight from Puerto Williams to Punta Arenas, including transfers.

1 night in Punta Arenas

Flight from Punta Arenas to King George Island, South Shetlands

12 days of sailing expedition All Inclusive onboard the Expedition Yacht Ocean Tramp -including landings, zodiac cruises, hikes, kayaking, one night camping onshore, visit to Antarctic bases.

What's not included:

Required Antarctic Medical Evacuation Insurance

Personal gear/cloth minus boots

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TRIP DATES

TRIP 1 Dec 30, 2017 - Jan 19, 2018

30-Dec-17 Depart USH Sailing
4-Jan-18 ANTARCTICA
16-Jan-18 Fly out from KING GEORGE-Punta Arenas
16-Jan-18 overnight in PUNTA ARENAS
17-Jan-18 Fly PUNTA ARENAS-Puerto Williams
17-Jan-18 Overnight at Lakutaia Lodge, PW
18-Jan-18 Overnight at Lakutaia Lodge, PW
19-Jan-18 transfer from PW to USH

TRIP 2 Jan 16, 2018- Jan 31, 2018.

16-Jan-18 Fly PA-KING GEORGE
16-Jan-18 ANTARCTICA
28-Jan-18 Fly out from KGI-PA
28-Jan-18 overnight in PA
29-Jan-18 Fly PA-PW
29-Jan-18 Overnight at Lakutaia Lodge, PW
30-Jan-18 Overnight at Lakutaia Lodge, PW
31-Jan-18 Fly PW-PA

TRIP 3 Jan 28, 2018- Feb 12,2018

28-Jan-18 Fly PA-KGI
28-Feb-18 ANTARCTICA
9-Feb-18 Fly out from KGI-PA
9-Feb-18 overnight in PA
10-Feb-18 Fly PA-PW
10-Feb-18 Overnight at Lakutaia Lodge,
PW
11-Feb-18 Overnight at Lakutaia Lodge,
PW
12-Feb-18 Fly PW-PA

TRIP 4 Feb 06, 2018 - Feb 26, 2018.

6-Feb transfer from USH to PW
6-Feb Overnight at Lakutaia Lodge, PW
7-Feb Overnight at Lakutaia Lodge, PW
8-Feb Fly PW-PA
8-Feb overnight in PA
9-Feb Fly PA-KGI
9-Feb ANTARCTICA
21-Feb Depart Sailing from KGI to USH
26-Feb Arrive to USH





FAQs

I'M NOT A SAILOR – IS THAT OK?

YES! Please join us. Anyone with a sense of adventure and a desire to spend quality time in Antarctica will find our trips enjoyable. We teach you everything you need to know. Sailors and non-sailors alike both have incredible experiences.

I'M A PHOTOGRAPHER – IS THIS TRIP FOR ME?

This is a great trip for photographers, especially those looking to get the perfect shot. Our size offers us incredible flexibility. We can help you get some great shots and we can take advantage of the weather and the light!

HOW WILL I KNOW WHAT TO BRING?

Don't worry – we will send you a list of gear you will need. If you have winter clothes, most of it you will already have. A must have are some Arctic Muck boots – insulated rubber boots. They are amazing.

WHAT ARE THE CABINS LIKE?

Our cabins are some of the most comfortable available for sailboats. We have private double cabins, and even one with a private bathroom. Each cabin has a door that can be closed, they are fitted with warm and cozy duvets and storage space for your things. A luxury suite it is not, however each cabin gives you a place to call your own for the duration of the journey.

HOW WILL WE EXPLORE ANTARCTICA?

When we are in Antarctica Ocean Tramp will act like a base camp. Some days we will travel other days we will stay put. Once we are anchored we will launch the zodiac to explore. Sometimes we will cruise around the in the zodiac exploring the area, other times we will use the zodiac to bring us to shore. Sometime on shore we will be able to freely move around, explore and hike, other times we may be limited due to the wildlife and limiting our impact on them. We also bring kayaks and can use them to explore at eye level.

WHAT SORT OF FOOD DO WE EAT?

On-board you will eat hearty well-made delicious home cooked food. Lunch is often warm and hearty soups and stews, while dinners can be a variety of meals. Meals range from a Sunday roast to Saturday night Captain Pizza night, to goulash to Pad thai to butter chicken. So far everyone has left a bit heavier than when they arrived. We also always have snacks available during the day and water ready for coffee or tea. **If you do have any special snacks or teas that you can't live without, we recommend bringing some with you.**

WILL I GET SEASICK?

Everyone is a little different, but we highly recommend bringing some seasickness pills with you. We generally take them as a precautionary measure when crossing the Drake. Once in Antarctic things will be a calmer and most of our days will be anchored and exploring on shore. At the very least – you may have a good story to tell when you get home of your Drake Crossing.

IS IT DANGEROUS TO GO TO ANTARCTICA IN A YACHT?

Yachts in the Antarctic Peninsula have a very good track record. This is due to vessels taking a very high regard to safety. Safety is a core element of our business. Every decision we make is based on a risk analysis. Crossing the Drake could indeed be dangerous. Sailing in Antarctica could be dangerous. Then again crossing the street could also be dangerous – cars whiz by at 60 miles an hour. However just like you taking precautions when crossing the street, we take extreme cautions when sailing. We continuously watch the weather, we are a surveyed vessel, which means we MUST comply with all safety regulations. We have strict requirements for lifejacket use.

That being said, each person onboard must also use good judgement. If you follow what the Captain says you will be in good hands.

WHAT IS INCLUDED?

Once you are onboard everything is included – port fees, meals, wine with meals. We also provide your basic safety equipment including life jackets.

What is not included – flights to/from your home to Punta Arenas/Ushuaia, airport transfers, and REQUIRED evacuation insurance. Accommodation before and after the trip is not included.

DO I NEED TO FILL OUT A MEDICAL FORM?

Yes. The places we go are quite remote and while what we do is safe, it does require some physical activity. Once you sign up for a trip we will require you to give us a medical form that is signed by a doctor.

WILL WE HAVE INTERNET ONBOARD?

One of the wonderful aspects of this trip is it allows you to unplug and get away from emails, phone calls, etc. We do have a connection to the internet via our satellite phone. We use this for weather updates, email to update our position, emergencies, and facebook and blog updates. We encourage everyone to tell their friends and families to subscribe to our blog and like us on facebook. Then they can get updates

while you are here with us. Our guests and their families have appreciated these “news” updates in the past. They can also follow our track on a google map in our website, as we have a tracking system that plots our position every few hours.

IS ALCOHOL ALLOWED ONBOARD?

Alcohol consumption is at the discretion of the captain. If we are underway sailing then we do not drink, as it is not in the interest of safety for crew and guests. If we are comfortably in a cove for the night then indeed, we all enjoy a nice glass of Argentine wine with our meal.

Inebriation will not be tolerated onboard and the Captain has the right to cancel a trip should guests not adhere to this policy.



IAATO

Member

We are proud to be a member of IAATO – a community of Antarctic Tour Operators that works together to protect Antarctica and give the best possible experience to each and every visitor.

Leave No Trace

Partner

We are proud to be a partner with Leave No Trace and support the seven Leave No Trace Principles on our trips.

