



## **OVERVIEW**



Marvels of Oman | 6 Days, 5 Nights

FROM USD 726 per pax

## **ITINERARY SUMMARY**

DAY	Program  Marvels of Oman 01.10.19 - 30.09.20
day 1	Arrival, Transfer to hotel
day 2	1/2 Day Muscat City Tour
day 3	Qurayat - Bimah Sinkhole - Wadi Shab - SUR - Wahiba Desert
day 4	abreen - Bahla - Misfat - Jabal Shams
day 5	Nizwa (Cattle Market and Fort) - Birkat Al Mauz - Muscat
day 6	Departure transfer



## ARRIVAL TO MUSCAT

Arrive in Muscat, transfer to hotel

Citizens of 72 countries can now obtain un-sponsored tourist visa for (30 days or 10 days).

For other nationalities; our DMC would be pleased to prearrange a sponsored tourist visa for them upon request. Please contact your travel consultant for more details.

Please visit the following website for more details about Oman Visa: https://evisa.rop.gov.om

Our Airport representative will be holding a signage with the logo of our DMC and the name of the guest; to welcome the guest and escort them to their transfer.





## DAY 1 | ARRIVAL

- Arrival at Muscat International Airport
- Meet & greet
- Transfer to Muscat hotel
- Check-in, overnight at a hotel in Muscat







## MUSCAT CITY TOUR

The first stop on the Muscat City Tour is the Grand Mosque (specific dress code - long sleeves, long trousers / skirt, loose fit, head scarf for the ladies), the most beautiful architectural piece of work.

From the Mosque we proceed to visit the Natural Museum; some of the rare displays exhibited in this museum are traces of tree fossils found in Al Huquf dating back more than 260 million years, in addition to the remains of coral fossils dating back over 270 million years found in Wadi AsSahtan in Rustaq.

From here we shall proceed to see the Sultan's Palace surrounded by the 2 Forts of Mirani and Jalali built by the Portuguese in the 16th century during their rule of the coastal cities of Oman.

Then, at The Muttrah souk - a traditional Omani market, offers a wide range of goods, especially typical Omani souvenirs like Frankincense, the Omani Dagger or Khanjar and beautiful silver handicrafts and "Pashmina shawls".

## DAY 2 | MUSCAT CITY TOUR

- Pickup at 08:00 from your hotel in Muscat
- Grand Mosque Natural Museum Sultan's Palace– Corniche – Muttrah Souk
- Overnight at a hotel in Muscat



## **COASTAL DRIVE**

Oman never runs out of natural and cultural wonders that until your last day of exploration, your schedule will be brimming with adventures.

Along the drive to Sur; we will passing through Quriyat, a village guarded by an 18th-century fort.

Then off we go to the turquois waters of Bimah Sinkhole and the white beaches of Finns

Explore Wadi Shab, another deep and narrow gorge carved out of the mountains, running between towering cliffs right down the sea.

After the wadi escapade, you'll be driven straight to Sur, where you will be seeing some fishermen in action as they go through their lives at the harbor.

At Sur City; Visit the dhow-building yard where traditional wooden boats are made by hand.

Bash the dunes, ride a camel, and just lose yourself in the beauty of the ever-changing slopes of sand. The rest of the day will be dedicated to everything Bedouin—see their homes, have an authentic Arabic meal, and enjoy the warm Omani welcome of coffee and dates.





## DAY 3 | Coastal Line from Muscat to Sur

- Pickup at 08:00 from your hotel in Muscat
- Visit Quriyat, Bimah Sinkhole, Wadi Shab, Sur City.
- Overnight at Wahiba Sands Desert



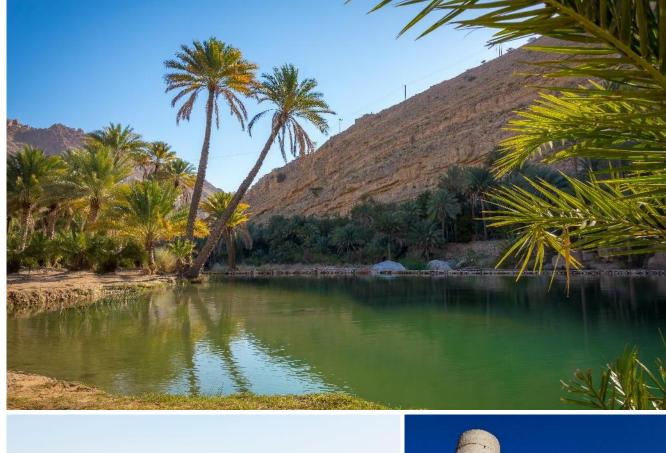
## WADI BANI KHALID – JABAL SHAMS MOUNTAIN

One of the most sought-after parts of any Oman itinerary is the wadi day—where you will finally have the chance to take a dip and relax in the cool waters of a natural pool. Remember to bring your swimsuit and wear light clothing as you head for Wadi Bani Khalid. Enjoy not only the calm, clear and deep waters, but also the sight of palm trees all around.

From the Desert we drive through Ibra to reach to the most beautiful Castle in Oman; Jabreen Castel. Continue to Bahla fort (photo stop), the oldest and first Omani fort to be built in the Islamic style.

Misfah has a falaj system and green terraces which provides the population of Oasis dwellers abundant bounty in terms of fruits (mango, papaya, banana and dates) and vegetables in spite of the dry vegetation elsewhere.

The Jebel Shams mountain, with its over 3,000 meters high is the highest mountain in Oman and home to the famous Oman's Grand Canyon. The view from the top over the Grand Canyon is absolutely breathtaking.







## DAY 4 | WADI & DESERT

- Breakfast at the camp
- Wadi Bani Khalid Jabreen Bahla Misfat Jabal Shams
- Overnight at Jabal Shams Mountain





## **NIZWA FORT & SOUK**

Start into the morning to visit the unique cattle market in Nizwa (on Fridays). Livestock owners, both women and men from nearby areas, bring their animals – mainly sheep, goats, cattle and at times even camels – to the market where they are registered.

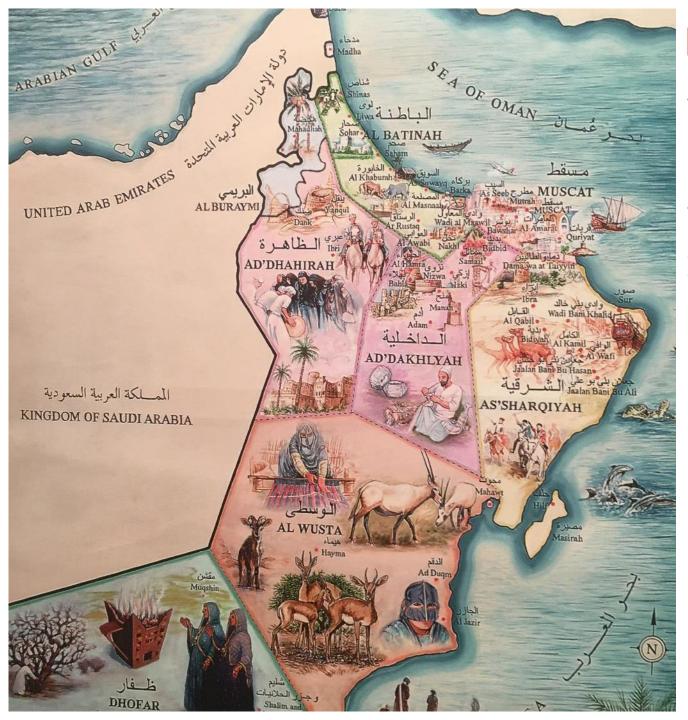
Visit the Nizwa fort which has been strategically built atop a hill overlooking the ancient city with its colorful domes and bustling market below. Spend some time in this traditional city and visit the interesting fort with the round tower and the museum and stroll thru the Souq.

One can also see how the traditional irrigation system that was used centuries ago and till date functions as the village uses it to nourish the Oasis.

Then Transfer to the Airport for the Departure Flight.

## DAY 5 | Nizwa Fort & Souk

- Depart @ 08:00
- Nizwa Fort & Souq Birkat Al Mawz Oasis.
- Drive to Muscat
- Overnight at a hotel in Muscat



# Time to say good bye

After the unforgettable moments spent in Oman, being introduced to different stories from different cities of this lovely piece on the planate, it is the time to say good bye and fly back to home carrying all a lot of pictures and stories to tell.

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01-Oct-2019 to 30-Sept-2020



- Accommodation in selected hotels for 5 nights
- Daily buffet breakfast
- Dinner at the Camp on day 3&4
- Arrival & Departure transfers from Muscat Airport
- Meet and Assist upon arrival with our English speaking representative
- All Meals are on food-only basis unless stated otherwise.
- Transfers, sightseeing as mentioned in the itinerary with English speaking driver cum guide, with suitable vehicles (salon car – max 3 pax, 4WD – max 4 pax)
- All entrance fees to the sightseeing places as mentioned in the program (subject to change).
- Water on board during the roundtrip
- Sites as mentioned on the program description kindly note some sites that are subject to closure due to religious festivals, Government holidays and some due to weather conditions and seasonality.
- All known taxes and service charges



## **EXCLUSIONS**

- Oman Visa:
- Un-sponsored tourist visa USD 13.00 (OMR 5) for stay less than 10 days
- Un-sponsored tourist visa USD 53.00 (OMR 20) per person for stay more than 10 days
- Sponsored tourist visa USD 75.00 per person ( upon request)
- Any item of personal nature.
- Any meals/beverages which are not mentioned under "included services"
- Tips & Porterage
- Any optional tours/excursions

### ADDITIONAL SERVICES

- Lunch in a local restaurant 16,- USD p.p.
- Picnic lunch box 12,- USD p.p.

## **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

- This offer is valid for min. 1 pax max 4 pax. For a group of more than 4 pax; please contact us for the costs.
- If a total of 9 rooms (approx. 18 pax) is exceeded, group rates will be applicable, kindly contact us for further details and assistance in this regard.
- (Offer is on request basis and upon availability.)
- All accommodation as mentioned above meal plan
- All above mentioned rates are in US Dollar and inclusive of currently valid taxes and service charges.
- Package rate is based on the fixed roundtrip. Any changes/amendments of the hotels & program, package rate will change.
- Please note that at the moment all offered tours and points of interest are open and accessible.
- Should the date of travel fall on a public holiday, Closure of sites, or an unforeseen event making the visit impossible, Muscat Desert Adventures is not responsible for any refund.
- Please note that Friday & Saturday are public holidays in OMAN a lot of points of interest are closed on Fridays.

## **PRICING**

## **VALIDITY DATE**

# 01.Oct.2019 - 30.Spt.2020

## **OPTION 1**

## **Proposed hotels:**

Majan Continental Hotel - DX RM Sama Al Wasil Camp - CHLT Sama Heights Resort - BNGLO

Dates: 01-Oct-2019 to 30-Apr-2020

No. of Pax	1 pax	2 pax	3 рах	4 рах	SGL Supp
Applicable rate per pax	\$1,926	\$1,051	\$837	\$726	\$372

Dates: 01-May-2020 to 30-Sept-2020

No. of Pax	1 pax	2 pax	3 рах	4 pax	SGL Supp
Applicable rate per pax	\$1,870	\$1,024	\$810	\$699	\$330

## **Cancellation Charges:**

- Within 25 days prior to arrival no charges
- Within 14 days prior to arrival 50%
- Within 7 days prior to arrival 100%

## **PRICING**

**VALIDITY DATE** 

01.Oct.2019 - 30.Spt.2020

## **OPTION 2**

## **Proposed hotels:**

Al Waha Hotel - Superior RM Desert Nights Camp -DX Tnt The View - SPR RM

Dates: 01-Oct-2019 to 30-Apr-2020

No. of Pax	1 pax	2 pax	3 рах	4 pax	SGL Supp
Applicable rate per pax	\$3,196	\$1,670	\$1,456	\$1,345	\$1,333

Dates: 01-May-2020 to 30-Sept-2020

No. of Pax	1 pax	2 pax	3 рах	4 рах	SGL Supp
Applicable rate per pax	\$2,580	\$1,353	\$1,139	\$1,028	\$875

## **Cancellation Charges:**

- Within 25 days prior to arrival no charges
- Within 14 days prior to arrival 50%
- Within 7 days prior to arrival 100%

## Note for Option 2 package:

Al Waha Hotel Seasonality Supplement	per pax
24.10 - 03.11 2019	\$113.00
27.12.2019-08.01.2020	Blackout
09.01.2020-13.02.2020 & 24.0205.04.2020	\$30.00
14.02.2020-23.02.2020 & 06.0420.04.2020	\$146.00

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