

SHORE EXCURSIONS

PHILIPSBURG, ST. MAARTEN

ULTIMATE ISLAND TOUR & EXPLORER CRUISE



\$79.00 / Adult
\$59.00 / Child
Duration: 4 Hours
Activity Level: Easy

DETAILS:

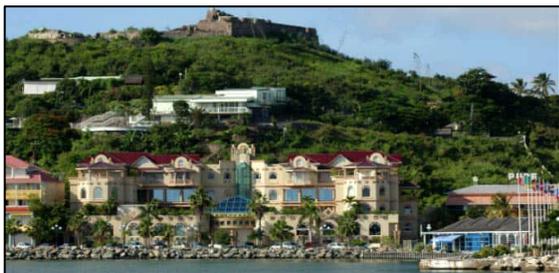
This is the ultimate way to spend your day in St. Maarten. This tour visits both the French and Dutch side of the island and you'll get to experience St. Maarten both by land and sea. Depart on your air-conditioned motorcoach with your professional guide narrating the rich history of the island and pointing out sites of interest. Cross the border and visit the French side where you'll pass Orient Beach and Grand Cas – the cuisine capital of the Caribbean. Stop in Marigot, the French capital for 1 hour of free time to explore the open-air market, visit the fantastic shops, or dine at one of many cafe's or restaurants in Marina Port Royal.

Next, you'll board a 65-foot double decker boat the Explorer where you'll listen to great music, relax, and have a complimentary open bar on a 1-hour lagoon cruise while the DJ entertains you with Caribbean songs and points out the multimillion-dollar villas and yachts of the rich and famous. Your cruise will drop you back off at Simpson Bay on the Dutch side where you will re-board your motor coach and conclude the rest of your island tour while you return to your ship. If time permits, you will have the option of being dropped off at Philipsburg, the Dutch capital to continue shopping and exploring. This truly is the ultimate island tour!

NOTES:

Participants must be at least 4 years of age and weigh no more than 300 lbs. Order of tour may vary.

SEE & SEA ISLAND TOUR



\$79.00 / Adult
\$59.00 / Child
Duration: 3 ½ Hours
Activity Level: Easy

DETAILS:

This tour combines the best St. Maarten has to offer, both on land and beneath the ocean's surface. Depart Philipsburg on the Dutch side of the island and drive up the

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eastern side to the second largest town in St. Maarten – Grand Case. Here you'll board a semi-submarine for an approximately 45-minute narrated tour of the coral reefs surrounding Creole Rock. The vessel does not submerge – you descend into the hull of the boat and in air-conditioned comfort, explore sea life in this cruising underwater observatory. The highlight of the trip is when a diver is surrounded by schools of fish right in front of your viewing window.

Back on shore, your tour continues to the French capital of Marigot, where you'll have time to explore this attractive city with its sidewalk cafes, open air market and duty-free shops. Depending on your tour itinerary you'll have an opportunity to stop off at Orient Bay lookout for a magnificent view of the east coast and nearby islands or at Cole Bay lookout on the west coast from where you can see the Simpson Bay Lagoon and the neighboring islands. This tour may operate in reverse order.

NOTES:

Participants must be able to walk approximately 100 feet and negotiate 7 steps into hull of boat. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

AERIAL SKY EXPLORER & FLYING DUTCHMAN



\$129.00 / Adult
\$109.00 / Child
Duration: 3 ½ Hours
Activity Level: Strenuous

DETAILS:

As an adventure-seeker you will simply love this new thrill ride that takes you on the Aerial Sky Explorer with the landscape unfolding below to the top of one of St. Maarten's highest mountains. You'll go flying back down on the world's steepest zip line.

Board your air-conditioned transportation at the dock for a 30-minute, air-conditioned ride to Rockland Estate.

You will be directed to the plantation house, built in the 1700s, to learn the powerful story of Trace Wilson, born into slavery on the estate in 1818 and his descendant Emilio Wilson who purchased the property to educate current and future generations about the conditions of plantation life as well as the customs, traditions, and history of St. Maarten, "The Friendly Island."

Embark the Sky Explorer for the approximately 25-minute ride to the top of Sentry Hill, one of St. Maarten's highest elevations at 1,125 feet. The experience encompasses two chairlifts as well as a series of platforms that encircle the mountaintop showcasing 360-degree views of the island including vistas of neighboring islands Saba, St. Eustatius, St. Barts and Anguilla.

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A brief orientation will prepare you to fly down the mountain on The Flying Dutchman, the world's steepest zip line! You'll be attached to a flight line in a secure harnessed chair, launching you on the 1050-foot drop in elevation over 2800 feet to experience the ride of a lifetime.

After your fun-filled adventure, souvenirs and attraction photos are available for purchase in the gift shop. Emilio's Restaurant, nestled among authentic antique colonial walls offers a menu of classic favorites with a new twist. Food and beverages are available for purchase.

When you are ready to depart, after exploring the estate, board your air-conditioned transportation back to your ship.

NOTES:

Participants must be between 52 & 80 inches tall, weighing a minimum of 100 lbs. and not exceeding 275 lbs. This tour is not recommended for pregnant women or people with back/neck injuries and heart problems. No flip flops or open shoes allowed. Wear closed toe, securely fastened shoes. No photo taking allowed on the zipline.

AERIAL SKY EXPLORER & 360° VIEWS



\$65.00 / Adult

\$65.00 / Child

Duration: 3 Hours

Activity Level: Easy

DETAILS:

Experience St. Maarten's newest attraction, the Soualiga Sky Explorer chairlifts. Take a tranquil ride up two lifts spanning a total of 2,997 ft. as the landscape unfolds below. A spectacular panoramic view on top of one of St. Maarten's highest mountains await you.

Board your air-conditioned transportation at the dock for a 30-minute ride to Rockland Estate.

You will be guided to the plantation house, built in the 1700s, to learn the powerful story of Trace Wilson, born into slavery on the estate in 1818. The museum will also showcase the legacy of Emilio Wilson, her descendant who later purchased the property, and his generous contributions to the island that he loved; St. Maarten "The Friendly Island".

After a brief orientation embark the Soualiga Sky Explorer for the approximately 25-minute ride to the top of Sentry Hill; one of St. Maarten's highest elevations at 1,115 feet. The experience encompasses two chairlifts as well as a series of platforms encircle the mountaintop showcasing 360-degree views of the island including vistas of neighboring islands Saba, St. Eustatius, St. Barts and Anguilla.

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When you are ready to descend simply board the Soualiga Sky Explorer for the scenic trip down the mountain. Enjoy exploring the Estate and sampling St. Maarten delicacies, snacks, and beverages at Emilio's restaurant. When you are ready to depart board air-conditioned transportation back to your ship.

NOTES:

No flip flops or open shoes allowed. Wear closed toe, securely fastened shoes.

AERIAL SKY EXPLORER, FLYING DUTCHMAN, SCHOONER RIDE & ZIP



\$169.00 / Adult

\$149.00 / Child

Duration: 4 Hours

Activity Level: Strenuous

DETAILS:

This is the ultimate package which will allow you to experience all attractions the park has to offer. Experience both zip lines; The Sentry Hill which takes you across the mountain ridge and the steepest line in the world and The Flying Dutchman! Consisting of two lifts the Sky Explorer brings you to the top of one of St. Maarten's highest peaks while the scenery unfolds below you, and the Schooner Ride sends you surfing down the mountain in an inner tube.

Board your air-conditioned transportation at the dock for a 30-minute ride to Rockland Estate.

Each adventure begins in this restored plantation house originally built in the 1700s. The Museum tells the powerful story Trace Wilson who was born into slavery on the property in 1818 and her direct descendant Emilio Wilson. You will see depictions of what life was like on a plantation and learn about the customs, traditions, lifestyle, and stories that earned Sint Maarten the nickname 'The Friendly Island.'

Embark on the Aerial Sky Explorer for the approximately 25-minute ride to the top of Sentry Hill; one of St. Maarten's highest elevations at 1,125 feet. The experience encompasses two chairlifts as well as a series of platforms encircle the mountaintop showcasing 360-degree views of the island including vistas of neighboring islands Saba, St. Eustatius, St. Barts and Anguilla.

After your orientation at the transfer station, you will put your safety equipment and harness system for your Sentry Hill Zip Line flight over the mountain ridge.

Board Lift 2 to the top of Sentry Hill and a brief orientation will prepare you to fly down the mountain on the world's steepest zip line, The Flying Dutchman. You'll be attached to a flight line in a secure harnessed chair, launching you on the 1050-foot drop in elevation over 2800 feet to experience the ride of a lifetime.

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To complete your top-to-bottom thrill ride, the Aerial Sky Explorer will take you to the Schooner Ride Station where you'll surf down the mountain in an inner tube through the curves and straightaways of a specially designed track.

After your fun-filled adventure, souvenirs and attraction photos are available for purchase in the gift shop. Emilio's Restaurant, nestled among authentic antique colonial walls offers a menu of classic favorites with a new twist. Food and beverages are available for purchase.

When you are ready to depart, after exploring the estate, board your air-conditioned transportation back to your ship.

NOTES:

Participants must be between 52 & 80 inches tall, weighing a minimum of 100 lbs. and not exceeding 275 lbs. This tour is not recommended for pregnant women or people with back/neck injuries and heart problems. No flip flops or open shoes allowed. Wear closed toe, securely fastened shoes. No photo taking allowed on the zipline.

RHINO RIDER



\$119.00 / Adult

\$119.00 / Child

Duration: 3 Hours

Activity Level: Moderate

DETAILS:

Experience excitement on the water in your Rhino Rider – a 10-foot inflatable motorboat for two that is yours to command. Following your guide, you'll maneuver safely through anchorages for hundreds of boats and alongside mega-yacht marinas before exiting the lagoon into Marigot, the French capital of the island. View historic Fort Louis before continuing along the picturesque coastline to your final destination at Happy Bay. It's your choice whether you snorkel the reef* * (weather permitting) or build sandcastles on the beach – the time is yours to enjoy the beautiful surroundings.

NOTES:

Participants must be at least 10 years of age and at least 18 years of age to operate the Rhino. Maximum combined weight is 400 lbs. per boat. Rhino Riders accommodate 2 people, singles will share with another guest or guide. If you wish to ride alone, you must purchase two tickets. Tour is not recommended for pregnant women or those with back problems. Snorkel gear is provided. This tour is on the French side of the island, where some nudity may be observed. Wear your swimsuit and bring a towel. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

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HORSEBACK RIDING, SCENIC TRAIL & SEA RIDE



\$99.00 / Adult

\$99.00 / Child

Duration: 3 Hours

Activity Level: Moderate

DETAILS:

See the coastal flora and fauna of Seaside Nature Park, while enjoying this leisurely horseback riding experience, and cool down with your horse in the Caribbean Sea. No prior riding experience is required. Ride your horse behind the guide in a small group, over the winding trails. Enjoy the view of the neighboring Caribbean islands like St. Barts and Saba, while your horse follows the trails along the rocky coastline. The guides will tell you about the flora and fauna, as well as the island's rich history. Photo stops will be made.

Next, you and your horse will go into the sea. You'll get a chance to take off your shoes, or better, wear water shoes. The saddles will stay on. Remember, what you wear should be allowed to get wet. This is another great photo opportunity! After your ride in the sea, it is only a few minutes ride back to the stables. You'll have an opportunity to change your clothes and enjoy a refreshment in the shaded beach bar area, after your ride. Guests are encouraged to bring cash or credit card to purchase optional extras, such as souvenirs, food and drinks, photo materials and treats for the different animals in the park.

NOTES:

Participants must be at least 8 years of age and weigh no more than 200 lbs. Weight limit is strictly enforced and no refunds will be given if you exceed the limit at the tour site. Guests 8 to 17 years of age must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Guests with heart conditions, back or neck injuries and pregnant women are not allowed to participate. Helmets are mandatory and will be provided. Dismounting the horses will be from a mounting block with assistance from the guides. Guests are divided into smaller groups of about 6 per guide. No bags are allowed to be taken on the tour – lockers will be provided. A bottle of water is included. Due to limited availability, guests are encouraged to book early. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

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ATV QUAD ADVENTURE – DOUBLE SEATER



\$199.00 / Adult
\$199.00 / Child
Duration: 3 Hours
Activity Level: Moderate

DETAILS:

Ride out on the adventure of a lifetime, with rough terrains awaiting you and explore the lush countryside of this 37 square mile island beauty. There is simply no other way to see the island as an adventurer. Make the best out of your vacation by driving through the countryside in a convoy and roughing it a bit on the hillsides. Then it is off to the most extreme, yet relaxing beach on St Maarten. A welcome drink is served upon arrival, then lounge on a powdery white sand beach as time appears to stand still.

NOTES:

Participants must be at least 8 years of age. Drivers must be at least 18 years of age and provide a valid driver's license with a maximum height of 6'8". The ATV accommodates two people, who will both have an opportunity to drive. The price for this tour is per vehicle. Combined weight on ATV is 600 lbs. This tour is not recommended for pregnant women and guests with walking or respiratory difficulties. All participants must sign a waiver form.

ATV QUAD ADVENTURE – SINGLE



\$129.00 / Adult
\$129.00 / Child
Duration: 3 Hours
Activity Level: Moderate

DETAILS:

Ride out on the adventure of a lifetime, with rough terrains awaiting you and explore the lush countryside of this 37 square mile island beauty. There is simply no other way to see the island as an adventurer. Make the best out of your vacation by driving the countryside in a convoy and roughing it a bit on the hill sides. Then it is off to the most extreme, yet relaxing beach on St Maarten. A welcome drink is served upon arrival, then lounge on a powdery white sand beach as time appears to stand still.

NOTES:

Participants must be at least 18 years of age and provide a valid driver's license with a maximum height of 6'8". This tour is not recommended for pregnant women and guests with walking or respiratory difficulties. All participants must sign a waiver form.

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BEACH RENDEZVOUS



\$89.00 / Adult
\$59.00 / Child
Duration: 4 ½ Hours
Activity Level: Easy

DETAILS:

Travel through the Dutch side of beautiful St. Maarten during this unforgettable day of fun and sun, and relaxation. En route, an experienced guide will provide an interesting narrative including a brief history of the island, and will also give information regarding the day, the location, the facilities, time for lunch and returning times etc. This guide will remain with you for the duration of the tour to answer questions and be of any assistance necessary to ensure your day is enjoyable and trouble-free.

Upon arrival, a welcome rum or fruit cocktail is served, and you are escorted to your complimentary lounge chair, which has been reserved in an area just for you. Umbrellas are available for a nominal fee. (\$4.00) Large enough to cover 2 persons.

A delicious lunch, with a choice of three entrees and a refreshing beverage (beer, wine, soda, or mixed drink), is served at shaded tables on the beach. After lunch you will still have more than enough time to relax on the beach.

On the return journey there will a photo opportunity at a viewpoint and you will also be given the option to be dropped off in town for shopping (guests then make their own way back to the ship).

AFTERNOON BEACH BASH



\$79.00 / Adult
\$49.00 / Child
Duration: 3 Hours
Activity Level: Easy

DETAILS:

If you are the kind of person who likes to “shop ‘til you drop” in the morning or just do not want to rush and have lunch on the ship, then you may be wondering how to spend the afternoon? Why not take a trouble-free trip to the beach with us and take advantage of what St Maarten is famous for – it’s beaches.

Unwind on one of the many Caribbean beaches at El Zafiro on Simpson Bay. You will be driven in air-conditioned transportation to the beach and be greeted by one of our

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guides who will show you with all the facilities. You will be supplied with a lounge chair in an area reserved just for you, and you will also enjoy rum or fruit punch upon arrival! For approximately two hours you can just relax in the sun, swim, or explore the beach.

NOTES:

There are no wooden walkways on the beach – just loose sand and no sand wheelchairs available. A collapsible wheelchair can be stored in the luggage area of the bus but guests must be able to walk on and off the bus and on the beach. Bring a bathing suit, towel, water, and sun protection. Beach is European-style, and some nudity may be observed. Bring cash in small denominations. Wear your swimsuit and bring a towel.

MAHO BEACH TRANSFER



\$59.00 / Adult

\$59.00 / Child

Duration: 4 ½ Hours

Activity Level: Easy

DETAILS:

Maho Beach has become the number one place in the world to experience the up-close sensation of watching planes, including wide-bodied, taking off and landing. You'll be greeted by a friendly guide and escorted to awaiting transportation to take a 35-minute air-conditioned bus ride to Maho Beach, famous for its close proximity to Princess Juliana Airport. Sit back, enjoy the scenery, and listen to the informative narration as you pass through the Dutch capital of Philipsburg en route to Maho Beach.

For those who love the thrill, or are aviation enthusiasts, watch the incoming jets gliding in just a few feet above your head. There is no other place in the world where you can watch planes pass so close to you and experience the excitement of the jet-blast as the planes take off. Sunset Beach Bar offers music, refreshments, and food for purchase. Relax on the beach or stroll over to the village for shopping or a casino visit. Your guide will be in attendance throughout the day to offer assistance. Your return journey to the ship, will pass through the village of Simpson Bay. A stop will be made at a fabulous viewpoint where you can take photographs of the airport and Simpson Bay Lagoon, winter home to some of the world's largest mega yachts. You'll be given an option to be dropped off in Philipsburg and return to the ship on your own.

NOTES:

Maho Beach is European style and there may be the possibility of observing partial nudity, i.e., topless bathing. Sun loungers and beach parasols are available for rent, at your own expense. Jet blast from departing airplanes can be extremely dangerous and it is advised that guests do not stand behind or get too close to the end of the runway. Guests will be required to sign a waiver.

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MADE IN ST. MAARTEN



\$99.00 / Adult
\$99.00 / Child
Duration: 4 Hours
Activity Level: Easy

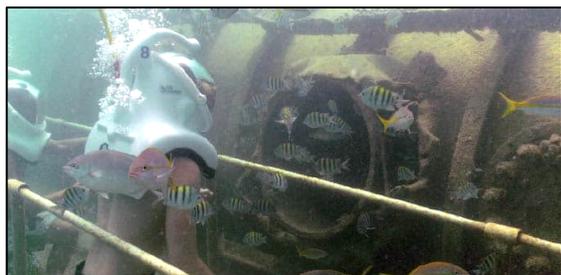
DETAILS:

Watch a chef create a selection of inspired dishes at a seaside restaurant and afterwards sample the delicious concoctions. The venue for this culinary immersion will be 978 Friar's Bay, a spectacular restaurant on the island's northern French side. Using fresh seasonal ingredients, the chef will likely prepare accras, saltfish fritters that are popular throughout the Caribbean. They are typically made with cod that has been spiced and salted to remove unwanted moisture. The chef will also demonstrate how to make banana flambé for your dessert. The rum for the dish will be one produced on the island that will impart a unique flavor. A tasting of premium rums follows during which you will learn how the spirits are produced. If you wish to stretch your legs, just stroll the wooden boardwalk the beach, where you will have time to enjoy the serene setting and take a refreshing swim in the sea.

NOTES:

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, can both make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

SEA TREK HELMET DIVE



\$125.00 / Adult
\$95.00 / Child
Duration: 2 ½ Hours
Activity Level: Moderate

DETAILS:

The tour starts with a 15-minute boat ride to the underwater park. Once onboard the Sea Trek platform your guide will give you a safety briefing and answer any of your questions. The underwater trek itself takes approximately 20 to 30 minutes to complete, based upon the number of guests. Each tour will have 10 guests maximum and will have a minimum of 3 Sea Trek guides. While one group is underwater, the other guests can snorkel while they wait.

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Climb down a ladder from the Sea Trek dock that reaches 20 feet down. The track takes you past both natural and artificial reefs such as a sailboat, a submarine, an airplane, a helicopter, King Neptune and 2 canons salvaged from Fort Amsterdam. Once back to the beginning of the track loop you'll climb the ladder back onto the dock while personally guided both up and down the ladder by a guide or safety diver.

NOTES:

Participants must be at least 8 years of age and weigh between 80 and 300 lbs. Must be able to walk and climb a ladder, be in good physical condition and sign a waiver. This tour is not recommended for guests with physical disabilities, pacemaker, epilepsy, severe asthma or who are claustrophobic. Pregnant women over 3 months are not allowed to participate. Activities may be reversed to avoid congestion at the dive site. Maximum depth is 20 feet. There are tee shirts, sodas, and bottled water available for purchase after the tour on a cash only basis. Due to restrictions by the Dive Provider, any scuba participants currently taking any medication or with a previous medical condition should bring a note from their primary physician stating that they are medically cleared to participate on a scuba excursion. You can purchase photos taken on the trek, 20-40 pictures of you, the group and environment on a USB stick for US \$35.

HISTORIC PHILIPSBURG BY TROLLEY TRAIN



\$45.00 / Adult
\$35.00 / Child
Duration: 2 Hours
Activity Level: Easy

DETAILS:

All Aboard the Tschu-Tschu Train! Immerse yourself in Philipsburg's natural, cultural, and historic landmarks on this scenic ride through town in a custom Trolley Train. When the first Dutch settlers arrived on St Maarten in 1631, they chose the sandy strip separating Great Bay from Great Salt Pond to build their capital, Philipsburg, where your ship is moored today. This excursion combines the exhilarating experience of a classical Tschu-Tschu Train ride with the natural, cultural, and historic landmarks on this scenic ride through Philipsburg, starting at the official Old Amsterdam Venue to taste the famous Dutch Gouda Cheese. Then you have 30min to enjoy your favorite spot in Philipsburg before we pass by to pick you up to finish the tour or you can enjoy more free time to discover Philipsburg and get back to ship at your own leisure.

NOTES:

Please wear light clothing and bring hat & sunglasses.