

## FALKLANDS, S GEORGIA & ANTARCTICA

22 DAYS / 19 NIGHTS ON BOARD

*Puerto Madryn to Ushuaia*

The sub-Antarctic Falkland Islands/Malvinas and South Georgia are home to some of the most unique and abundant wildlife on earth. With beaches covered in fur seals, elephant seals, and hundreds of thousands of penguins, it's one of the most jaw-dropping nature scenes you will ever experience. We'll also explore the fascinating history of the area, dating back to the grandiose times of the 'Heroic Age of Antarctic Exploration' of the late 1800s and early 1900s.

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Exploring the port of Stanley, Falkland Islands/Malvinas
- Penguin rookeries with hundreds of thousands of birds on South Georgia
- A visit to Grytviken, a former whaling station, and the gravesite of Sir Ernest Shackleton
- Potential encounters with Orca, Humpback and Minke whales
- Zodiac cruising amongst colossal icebergs



### DEPARTURES (all voyages on Seaventure)

- Nov 01 – Nov 22, 2022
- Nov 02 – Nov 23, 2023

[Our Ship: MS Seaventure](#)

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### Day 1, Puerto Madryn:

Explore Puerto Madryn, a popular destination for wildlife excursions and known for sightings of Southern Right whales. Attend the optional evening briefing for the opportunity to ask questions and meet some of your fellow travelers.

### Day 2, Embarkation:

Arriving at the ship in the afternoon, our Expedition Team and ship staff will greet you on board, followed by a safety and orientation briefing and Captain's welcome dinner.



### **Day 3-4, Southern Ocean:**

As we sail south, important briefings on environmental regulations and expedition safety are held, and you won't want to miss our experts as they begin their informative and entertaining talks about the wildlife, history, and geology of the area.

### **Day 5, West Falklands/Malvinas:**

We'll be exploring some of the westernmost settled outposts in the Falklands/Malvinas, where you can take in the beautiful countryside and look for Black-Browed albatross or Rockhopper, King, and Magellanic penguin rookeries.

### **Day 6, Stanley, East Falkland/Malvinas:**

Stanley is a lively hub of activity nestled in a sheltered harbor. Head out on foot to explore the museum, shops and services centered on the port, or look for sea lions, dolphins, and bird life along the shores.

### **Day 7-8, Southern Ocean:**

Things really start to ramp up with plenty of wildlife identifying to do as we make our way east across the Antarctic Convergence and officially enter Antarctic waters. Shipboard presentations continue, featuring topics such as the captivating history and abundant wildlife of South Georgia.

### **Day 9-12, South Georgia:**

South Georgia is often referred to as the 'Serengeti of the Southern Ocean' and it's easy to see why as you take in tens of millions of breeding penguins, seals, and seabirds. Magnificent mountain scenery, glaciers galore, icebergs, a rich historical tapestry, and an incredible array of wildlife will astound you as we travel down South Georgia's leeward coast. We'll also visit historic Grytviken whaling station, featuring the tiny graveyard where the great Antarctic explorer Sir Ernest Shackleton is buried.

### **Day 13-14, Scotia Sea:**

Heading farther south, we'll continue our informative presentations and wildlife spotting as the icebergs become bigger and more plentiful.

### **Day 15-18, Antarctic Peninsula and South Shetland Islands:**

Hopping into our inflatable Zodiac boats, we'll spend as much time as possible exploring. Be prepared to marvel up close at nature's glory as we set a course for the most scenic bays and channels of the Peninsula.

### **Day 19-20, Drake Passage:**

We leave this magical place and make our way north, once again heading across the Antarctic Convergence and the Drake Passage. We have one last hurrah as we celebrate the conclusion of our expedition with a special slideshow and a final meal together.

**Day 21, Ushuaia disembarkation:**

With huge smiles on weary, content faces, we disembark in the morning and transfer to the beautiful Arakur Resort and Spa in Ushuaia. Here you can unwind at the resort, relax in the spa, or hit the streets of Ushuaia to explore more sights.

**Day 22, Ushuaia:**

Saying goodbye to the lovely Arakur, our Antarctic adventure officially comes to an end. As you continue on, homeward bound or perhaps to another destination, you'll take with you the unforgettable memories of exploring the last wild place on earth.