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# OMAN

THE ULTIMATE GUIDE FOR INDEPENDENT TRAVELERS

# Welcome to Oman



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I fully enjoyed my trip to Oman, packed with beautiful beaches, lonely deserts, rocky coastlines, undulating sand dunes, Arabian culture, and traditional as well as luxury hotels. Beautiful Oman has plenty of highlights to offer but places like Wahiba Sands, Nizwa Fort, Jebel Shams are so unique that they will stay with you forever. Let us take you on the journey to discover the rugged mountains, spectacular Islamic architecture and emerald green oasis. Admire the shimmering coastline and enjoy the Bedouin hospitality.

**Let us show you Oman, the emerging destination, so you can experience it's intriguing cultures, natural beauty, warmth and friendliness of its people.**

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# A truly special Experience awaits you

When you travel with **Greece and Mediterranean Travel Centre**, you're not just booking a holiday – you're embarking on a journey designed to immerse you in the heart of your destination. As experts in Oman and the Mediterranean, we tailor every aspect of your trip to your preferences, ensuring that each moment is filled with unforgettable experiences.



**Here's why your experience with us will be extraordinary:**

## **Personalized Itineraries:**

We don't offer one-size-fits-all tours. Instead, we listen carefully to your interests and design a bespoke itinerary that lets you explore Turkey at your own pace, whether it's soaring above Cappadocia in a hot air balloon or discovering hidden gems in ancient cities.

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From savouring freshly prepared Turkish delights in local markets to dining in unique, family-run restaurants, we immerse you in the culture. You'll meet locals, share stories, and be welcomed into places that are rich with history and tradition.

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Every detail is taken care of for you—from your accommodations and transfers to local tours and dining experiences. All you need to do is show up and enjoy the adventure, knowing our team is looking after everything behind the scenes.

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Whether you are planning a modest getaway or a luxurious escape, we have the perfect holiday for every budget. With our clear pricing policy, you will know exactly what's included in your trip—no hidden surprises or unexpected costs.

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**Experience the difference.  
Let us take you on the trip of a lifetime.**

# Experience Oman

## Comfort & Convenience

A private tour is the best way to see Oman. Our tours offer efficient and relaxing ways of travelling and let you enjoy the scenery in luxury and comfort whilst someone else keeps an eye on the road. All the planning and research has already been done for you and tailored into an itinerary that ensures you visit the must-see destinations in Oman and many more of its secrets along the way. The vehicles used are usually cars and Minivans. All our escorted tours are escorted by an English-speaking Driver and are conducted on private basis. Free water is provided while driving.

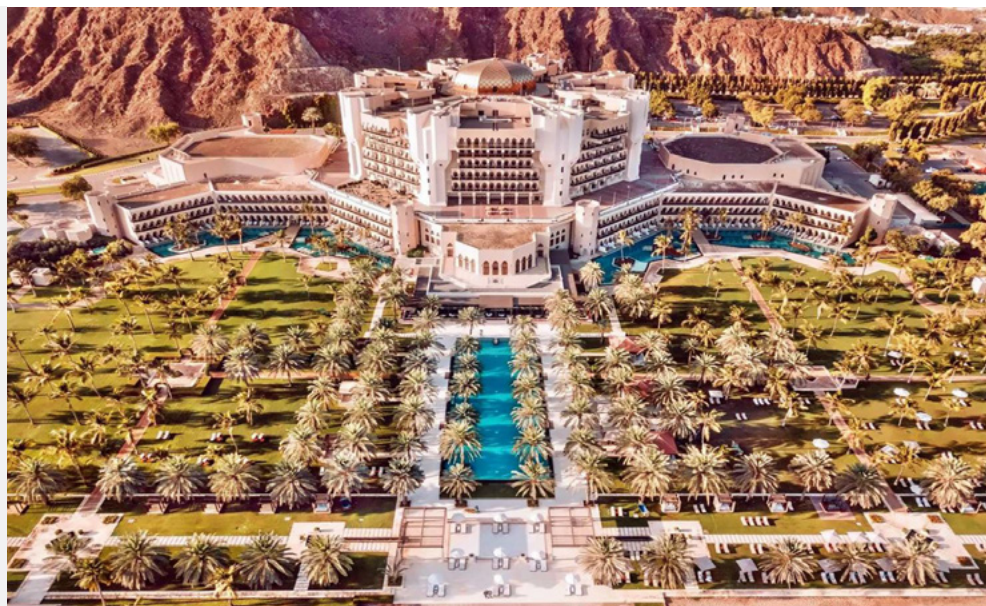


## Must See

Oman is a perfect blend of new and old and has an amazing amount to offer. It is a country where agriculture and fishing are still the traditional way of life, but where English is widely spoken. It is home to over 500 forts, castles and towers that were built to defend its coastline against potential invaders, but where the diverse terrain remains one of the highlights. The capital, Muscat, is endowed with beautiful traditional architecture of low rise buildings and decorative arabesque windows. Explore 1,700 kilometres of coastline, historic Nizwa or Salalah with legendary palace of Queen Sheba, Oman will open your eyes to a world of possibilities.

## Quality Accommodation

We offer a wide range of hotels in Oman. Our hotels are carefully selected for our packages and have staff who provide friendly and helpful service. They understand the needs of our Australian clientele, and in our view, represent the best value for money. We offer standard and premium hotels, but alternative hotels can be used for budget or discerning travellers. With each tour we provide the name of the hotel so you know exactly where you will be staying during the tour. Should you prefer to customise your itinerary, private tours of any duration and inclusions can be arranged.



# Private Tours of Oman

## Salalah Experience 4 Days

**Departs:** Daily

**Day 1: Muscat-Salalah**

Transfer to Muscat Airport for a flight to Salalah (airfare not included). On arrival transfer to the hotel. Overnight in Salalah.

**Day 2: Salalah**

After breakfast, visit the West side of Salalah and pass by the site of the famous Frankincense trees. Drive to splendid Mughsail Bay, where the mountains rise straight up from the beach and see the blowholes. Journey to the Prophet Job's tomb, perched high up in the jebels overlooking the city of Salalah. Drive back to your hotel. In the afternoon, enjoy a sightseeing tour of Salalah passing Al-Balid archaeological dig and drive through the scenic Corniche that leads to old Salalah. Continue to gold souk, Haffa Souk and to Dhofar museum. Overnight in Salalah. (B)

**Day 3: Salalah**

After breakfast, depart to explore East Salalah, pass by the Royal Farm and the Mamura Palace to Ayn Raza, a beautiful area surrounded by green hills. Drive through Qara Mountains to the ruins of Sumhuram at Khowr Rawri. This was a site of the Queen of Sheba's legendary palace. Continue to Mirbat, one of Salalah's best-known historic sites, Bin Ali's Mosque and Taqa villages. Afternoon at your own leisure. Overnight in Salalah. (B)

**Day 4: Salalah-Muscat**

After breakfast transfer to Salalah Airport for flight to Muscat (airfare not included). Transfer to your hotel. (B)  
Additional domestic airfare Muscat-Salalah-Muscat from approx A\$430 per person. Price is subject to change.



Wahiba Sands

## Oman Essentials 3 Days

**Departs:** Daily

**Day 1: Muscat-Ras Al Hadd**

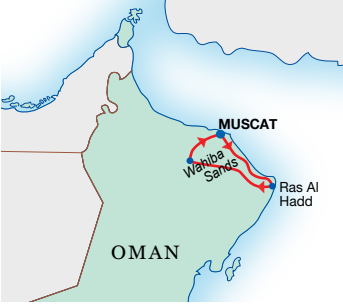
This morning depart by 4WD for an adventure trip of a lifetime. First stop will be Wadi Dayqah, a beautiful man-made dam. Then proceed to Wadi Arbreen, one of the most beautiful wadis in Muscat region. Proceed to the lush green Wadi Shad. From here continue to Wadi Tiwi, a city lost under the palms. Drive to Sur, a seafaring town. Continue on the coastal road until Ras Al Hadd for our overnight stay. At night, visit Ras Al Junayz, the unique turtle reserve where turtles lay their eggs. Overnight Ras Al Hadd Beach Hotel or similar. (D)

**Day 2: Ras Al Hadd-Wahiba Sands**

Travel to Jalan Bani Bu Ali on the South Eastern coast, which dates back to the third century. Visit the unique 52 domed Jamee Al Hamoda Mosque built in eleventh century. Continue to the nearby ruins of Al Hamoda fort, dating back 300 years. Proceed to Wadi Bani Khalid, a lush green valley surrounded by rugged mountains. After lunch drive up to Al Wasil, for overnight camping. Arrive at the campsite then experience a thrilling 4x4 dune drive. Enjoy a traditional BBQ dinner. Overnight in a traditional camp at Wahiba Sands. (B, D)

**Day 3: Wahiba Sands-Muscat**

After breakfast, depart by four-wheel-drive to the town of Mudairib, a pretty village dominated by its rectangular fort. Continue to Muscat and upon arrival drop off at your hotel. (B)



**HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS**

- 2 nights accommodation • Transportation by air-conditioned vehicle • English speaking guide/driver • Meals as per itinerary (B-Breakfast, L-Lunch, D-Dinner)
- Entrance fees, service charges & local taxes

| Price Per Person A\$   | Twin | Triple | Single |
|------------------------|------|--------|--------|
| <b>Standard</b>        |      |        |        |
| 1 Oct 2025-30 Apr 2026 | 1749 | 1322   | 3497   |
| 1 May-31 Aug 2026      | 1688 | 1261   | 3376   |
| <b>Premium</b>         |      |        |        |
| 1 Oct 2025-30 Apr 2026 | 1870 | 1445   | 3740   |
| 1 May-30 Sep 2026      | 1710 | 1285   | 3419   |

Supplements may apply for travel during Christmas/New Year or special events.



Mughsail Bay

Oman Prelude

6 Days

**Departs:** Daily

**Day 1: Muscat**  
Upon arrival into Muscat, transfer to your hotel for overnight.

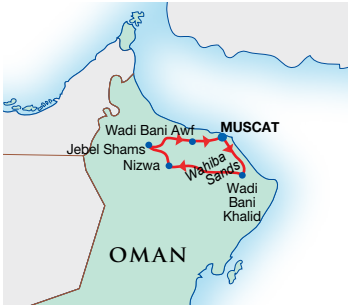
**Day 2: Muscat**  
Enjoy a city tour of Muscat, the capital city of Oman. It is known to be one of the most attractive cities in the Gulf region. This morning we will visit the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque, that has a remarkable architectural achievement. Wander the Corniche and visit the fish souk and Muttrah souk (Arabian market place). Visit Bait Al Zubair museum, the museum has Oman's finest and most comprehensive collections of antiques from all over the Sultanate. Alternatively the Bait Branda museum exhibits Omani heritage. Take a walk through the old city flanked by twin 16th century forts "Jalali" and "Mirani". (B, L)

**Day 3: Muscat-Wadi Bani Khalid-Wahiba Sands-Nizwa**  
Depart by four-wheel drive to Wadi Bani Khalid, the evergreen wadi - Amidst stark rocky outcrops of mountains, a lush valley oasis is born on rich earth provided with plentiful water. Then continue to Wahiba Sands, enjoy a roller-coaster ride over the dunes and then proceed to Nizwa, which was once the capital of Oman. Overnight in Nizwa. (B, L)

**Day 4: Nizwa-Jebel Shams**  
This morning we visit the 17th century round tower fort and the bustling souk. Proceed to visit the magnificent castle of Jibreen and continue to the ancient fort of Bahla (fort closed for renovation). Drive to Al Hamra village to see the remaining of old style mud brick houses, visit "Bait Al Safa", one of oldest house of Seikh which has been transformed into a lively museum. Photo stop at Wadi Ghul. The Wadi stands out against the brown mountains and the village nestles at the foot of the hills. Continue to Jebel Shams – also known as "the mountain of the Sun" for overnight. (B, L, D)

**Day 5: Jebal Shams-Wadi Bani Awf-Muscat**  
After breakfast, drive down the mountain, cross the Hajar mountains onward to Nakhl. Bilad Sayt, a scenic oasis settlement, can be seen at the bottom of the gorge. Enter the outskirts of the village of Wadi Bani Awf, and catch a glimpse of ancient cliff side houses. Continue driving to the ancient fort of Nakhl. After a look around the fort, visit Nakhl Hot Springs then proceed to Muscat. (B, L)

**Day 6: Muscat**  
After breakfast transfer to Muscat Airport for departure. (B)



Nizwa

Oman Express

5 Days

**Departs:** Daily

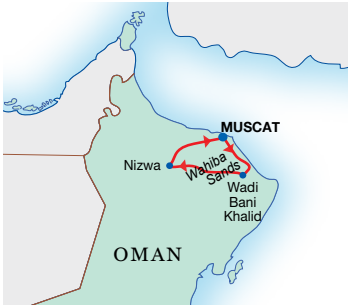
**Day 1: Muscat**  
Upon arrival at Muscat airport, transfer to your hotel. Overnight in Muscat.

**Day 2: Muscat**  
Enjoy a city tour of Muscat. Visit the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque, wander the Corniche and visit the fish souk and Muttrah souk (Arabian market place). Visit Bait Al Zubair museum, housing a collection of antiques from all over the Sultanate. Take a walk through the old city of Muscat bordered by twin 16th century forts "Jalali" and "Mirani". Return to your hotel for overnight. (B, L)

**Day 3: Muscat-Wadi Bani Khalid-Wahiba Sands-Nizwa**  
Depart by 4WD to Wadi Bani Khalid, the evergreen wadi. The blue pools are perfect for a refreshing dip. Continue to Wahiba Sands, described a sand sea, running south from the Eastern Hajar Mountains to Arabian Sea. After the tour we proceed to Nizwa, once the capital of Oman. Overnight in Nizwa. (B, L)

**Day 4: Nizwa-Muscat**  
After breakfast, visit the round tower fort and the bustling souk. Proceed to the castle of Jibreen then the ancient fort of Bahla (fort closed for renovation), famous for its pottery and included in UNESCO's list of World Heritage Sites. Drive to Al Hamra village to see the remains of old style mud brick houses. Also visit one of oldest houses of Seikh "Bait Al Safa". Overnight in Muscat. (B, L)

**Day 5: Muscat**  
After breakfast transfer to Muscat Airport for departure. (B)



**HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS**

- 4 nights accommodation • Transportation by air-conditioned vehicle • English speaking guide/driver • Meals as per itinerary (B-Breakfast, L-Lunch, D-Dinner)
- Entrance fees, service charges & local taxes

| Price Per Person A\$     | Twin | Triple | Single |
|--------------------------|------|--------|--------|
| <b>Standard</b>          |      |        |        |
| 1 Oct 2025 - 30 Apr 2026 | 1738 | 1378   | 3020   |
| 1 May 2026 - 30 Sep 2026 | 1681 | 1324   | 2932   |
| <b>Premium</b>           |      |        |        |
| 1 Oct 2025 - 30 Apr 2026 | 2542 | 2175   | 4628   |
| 1 May 2026 - 30 Sep 2026 | 2143 | 1775   | 3930   |

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Wadi Bani Khalid

Departs: Daily

Day 1: Muscat

Upon arrival into Muscat, transfer to your hotel for overnight. Muscat is Oman's port capital which sits on the Gulf of Oman surrounded by mountains and desert.

Day 2: Muscat

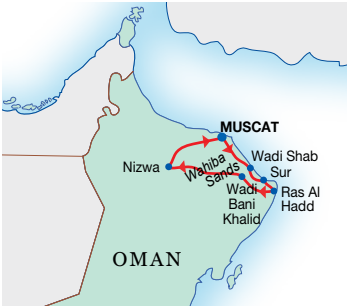
Enjoy a city tour of Muscat-undoubtedly one of the most attractive cities in the Gulf region. Visit the largest mosque in Oman, the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque, a remarkable architectural achievement. Modern, marble-clad Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque, with 50m dome and prodigious Persian carpet, can accommodate 20,000 people. Wander the Corniche and visit the fish souk, Muttrah souk and Bait Al Zubair museum which has the most finest and comprehensive collections of antiques from all over the Sultanate. Take a walk through the old city of Muscat flanked by twin sixteenth century forts "Jalali" and "Mirani". Return to your hotel for overnight. (B, L)

Day 3: Muscat-Wadi Shab-Sur-Ras Al Hadd

Drive through one of the most thrilling sections of Oman's 1,700 kilometre coastline. First visit the famous Sinkhole, a part of a collapsed mountain filled with sea water. Proceed to Wadi Shab, known for its lush green wadis with waters flowing most of the year and continue to Wadi TIWI, a luxuriant valley. Continue by driving to the port city of Sur which is famous for building wooden ships. Its shipyards, which still produce traditional wooden vessels, played a pivotal role in Oman's maritime past. In the city centre, Sunaysilah Fort has 4 defensive towers around a courtyard and boasts a commanding view over Sur. After a quick tour of Sur, continue to Ras Al Hadd and at night visit the unique turtle reserve with possibility of watching turtles laying eggs at night. Turtles spend most of their lives at sea, but adult female turtles spend a short time on land each year laying their eggs. They always choose quiet sandy beaches for their nesting. The beach is distinguished by its spectacular bays and rock formations which are havens for large numbers of birds. (B, L, D)

Day 4: Ras Al Hadd-Wadi Bani Khalid-Wahiba Sands

Visit Wadi Bani Khalid, a lush green valley surrounded by rugged mountains. Continue to Wahiba Sands - home to a few thousand Bedouins. Wahiba Sands



is renowned for its unique desert ecosystem and surprisingly rich biodiversity. Opportunity for dune bashing. Dinner and overnight Wahiba Sands during winter. During summer May-Sep overnight in Ibra due to closure of camp site. (B, L, D)

Day 5: Wahiba Sands-Nizwa

Depart to Mudairib, a pretty village dominated by its rectangular fort. Travel to Ibra, then continue to Birkat Al Mauz, enjoy a walk through its oasis and dense date plantations and visit the Falaj. Proceed to Nizwa, which was once the capital of Oman. Nizwa is renowned for its silver jewellery which is considered to be the best in the country. Its people are masters in making khanjars (curved daggers), recognised for their distinctive style and patterns. They also make copper ware, coffee pots, swords, leather goods and pottery. (B, L)

Day 6: Nizwa-Muscat

Visit the 17th century round tower fort and the bustling souk known for its silver and copper handicrafts. Then visit the magnificent castle of Jibreen, continue to the ancient fort of Bahla. Bahla is now included in UNESCO's list of world heritage sites. See the remaining old style brick mud brick houses at Al Hamra village. Visit one of the oldest house of Seikh "Bait Al Safa", Overnight Muscat. (B, L)

Day 7: Muscat

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for departure. (B)

HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS

- 6 night's accommodation
- Transportation by air-conditioned vehicle
- English speaking guide/driver
- Meals as per itinerary (B-Breakfast, L-Lunch, D-Dinner)
- Entrance fees, serves charges & local taxes

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|------------------------|------|--------|--------|
| Standard               |      |        |        |
| 1 Oct 2025-30 Apr 2026 | 2767 | 2171   | 4929   |
| 1 May-31 Aug 2026      | 2685 | 2089   | 4778   |
| 1-30 Sep 2026          | 2717 | 2121   | 4817   |
| Premium                |      |        |        |
| 1 Oct 2025-30 Apr 2026 | 3573 | 2975   | 6587   |
| 1 May-30 Sep 2026      | 3172 | 2576   | 5865   |

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Departs: Daily

Day 1: Muscat

Upon arrival into Muscat, transfer to your hotel for overnight.

Day 2: Muscat

Enjoy a city tour of Muscat, the capital of Oman. Visit the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque, a remarkable architectural achievement. Walk the Corniche and visit the fish souk and Muttrah souk. Visit Bait Al Zubair museum, which has Oman's finest and most comprehensive collections of antiques from all over the Sultanate. Take a walk through the old city flanked by twin 16th century forts "Jalali" and "Mirani". (B, L)

Day 3: Muscat-Wadi Shab-Sur-Ras Al Hadd

Start the day with an adventurous trip by a 4WD. Drive through one of the most thrilling sections of Oman's 1,700 km coastline. Our first stop will be the famous Sinkhole, a part of a collapsed mountain filled with sea water Continue to Wadi Shab (damaged by the cyclone), a wadi which is located between Muscat and the town of Sur and combines the attractions of coastal areas and inland wonders. Continue to Wadi TIWI, famous for one of the most beautiful wadis. Drive to Sur, a sea-faring town and a trading port bustling with activity. Continue to reach Ras Al Hadd and at night visit the unique Turtle reserve. (B, L, D)

Day 4: Ras Al Hadd-Nizwa

Depart to Wadi Bani Khalid - a lush green valley and famous for its natural beauty. Continue to Wahiba Sands, one of the most fascinating and mysterious regions of Oman. The Wahiba is also home to a few thousand Bedouins. Experience a thrilling ride of dune bashing with our experienced drivers. Then continue to Nizwa via Sinaw. Overnight in Nizwa. (B, L)



Day 5: Nizwa-Muscat

This morning we visit the 17th century round tower fort and the bustling souk known for its silver and copper handicrafts. Proceed to the magnificent castle of Jibreen and then to the ancient fort of Bahla (fort closed for renovation). Historic town of Bahla is famous for its pottery and a has become UNESCO World Heritage site. Drive to Al Hamra village, visit "Bait Al Safa - a traditional Omani house where you will see how Omanis used to live. Visit the mountain village of Misfah before returning to Muscat. (B, L)

Day 6: Muscat

After breakfast, transfer to the airport. (B)

HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS

- 5 nights accommodation • Transportation by air-conditioned vehicle • English speaking guide/driver • Meals as per itinerary (B-Breakfast, L-Lunch, D-Dinner)
- Entrance fees, serves charges & local taxes

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Wadi Tiwi



Jebel Shams

Oman Highlights

8 Days

**Departs:** Daily

**Day 1: Muscat**

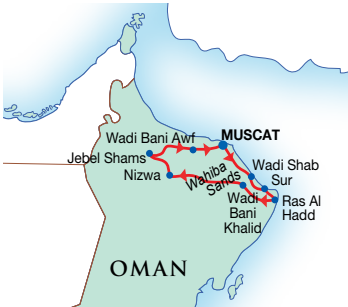
Upon arrival into Muscat, transfer to your hotel for overnight.

**Day 2: Muscat**

Visit the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque. Wander the Corniche and visit the fish souk and Muttrah souk, Bait Al Zubair museum, which has Oman's finest and most comprehensive collections of antiques from all over the Sultanate. Stroll through the old city surrounded by twin 16th century forts "Jalali" and "Mirani". (B, L)

**Day 3: Muscat-Wadi Shab-Sur-Ras Al Hadd**

Drive to the famous Sinkhole and then to Wadi Shab known for its lush green



wadis. Continue to Wadi TIWI, Sur and continue to Ras Al Hadd. At night visit turtle reserve. (B, L, D)

**Day 4: Ras Al Hadd-Wadi Bani Khalid-Wahiba Sands**

Depart to Wadi Bani Khalid, -its stream maintains a constant flow of water throughout the year. Continue to Wahiba Sands – one of most fascinating and mysterious desert. Opportunity to go dune bashing. Dinner and overnight in Wahiba Sands or nearby. (B, L, D)

**Day 5: Wahiba Sands-Nizwa**

Depart to Mudairib, a pretty village dominated by its fort. Then to Ibra, which was once a centre of trade, religion, education and art. Continue to Birkat Al Mauz to enjoy its oasis. Also visit the Falaj then proceed to Nizwa. (B, L)

**Day 6: Nizwa-Jebel Shams**

Visit the 17th century round tower fort and the bustling souk known for its silver and copper handicrafts. Then proceed to the magnificent castle of Jibreen and the ancient fort of Bahla. Drive to the date palm groves at Al Hamra village to see the remains of old style mud brick houses. Continue for overnight at Jebel Shams, one of the highest peaks in the region also known as 'the Mountain of the Sun'. (B, L, D)

**Day 7: Jebel Shams-Wadi Bani Awwf-Muscat**

Drive down crossing the Hajjar mountains onward to Nakhl. Bilad Sayt, a scenic oasis settlement, can be seen at the bottom of the gorge that plunges just beyond the rocky summit. Continue to the ancient fort of Nakhl, built in the pre-Islamic era. Visit Nakhl Hot Springs then proceed to Muscat for overnight. (B, L)

**Day 8: Muscat departure**

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for departure. (B)



Ras Al Hadd

**HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS**

- 7 night's accommodation
- Transportation by air-conditioned vehicle
- English speaking guide/driver
- Meals as per itinerary (B-Breakfast, L-Lunch, D-Dinner)
- Entrance fees, serves charges & local taxes

| Price Per Person A\$   | Twin | Triple | Single |
|------------------------|------|--------|--------|
| <b>Standard</b>        |      |        |        |
| 1 Oct 2025-30 Apr 2026 | 3913 | 3131   | 7018   |
| 1 May-31 Aug 2026      | 3683 | 2908   | 6589   |
| 1-30 Sep 2026          | 3716 | 2940   | 6628   |
| <b>Premium</b>         |      |        |        |
| 1 Oct 2025-30 Apr 2026 | 4533 | 3768   | 8389   |
| 1 May-30 Sep 2026      | 4093 | 3324   | 7542   |

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## 1 Al Bustan Palace

★★★★★



With a kilometre long private beach and an amazing reputation for its dining experience, the Al Bustan's impressive array of restaurants offers a variety of international cuisines. The Al Marjan Restaurant has impeccable service and unique ambience and serves first-class modern European cuisine. You can also take in the Pool Bar for light snacks and juices; and Seblat Al Bustan, an authentic Omani night-time Bedouin tented dining experience. The hotel has a gym, swimming pool and sauna with the 250 hotel rooms and suites featuring either magnificent mountain, sea or garden views with plush accommodations, high-speed Internet access, air conditioning, Toiletries, a hairdryer, and a bathrobe are offered in the bathroom. **Breakfast:** Buffet. **Child:** 0-12 years free with existing; Breakfast payable for children 6 to 12 years.

from  
A\$214  
per person  
per night  
twin share

## 2 Shangri-La Muscat

★★★★★



In a stunning bay overlooking the Gulf of Oman just 15-minutes from central Muscat, this ultra-luxurious resort is accessed through a private man-made tunnel in the Hajar Mountains. The resort boasts a lazy river stretching 500 metres from Al Waha to Al Bandar hotels. Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah Resort and Spa's Arabian-inspired rooms feature private balcony, terrace, or patio facing the sea. The Barr Al Jissah Resort features 8 world-class restaurants serving a variety of international cuisine. Cool Zone and Adventure Zone are designed to offer younger guests a variety of activities. In addition to a wide range of water sports, camel and pony rides along the beach and a full-service spa complex are on offer. Free WiFi is available throughout the entire resort. **Breakfast:** Buffet **Child:** One child 0-3 years free with cot or existing bedding.

from  
A\$130  
per person  
per night  
twin share

## 3 Haffa House

★★★★



Introducing traditional Omani hospitality to guests, the Haffa House is ideally located in the commercial business district in Muscat. Considered one of the premier hotels, the property offers the superior comfort including a buffet restaurant business centre, conference halls, café, gym, rooftop swimming pool, massage, spa and beauty salon. Additionally the hotel features 120 comfortable and European styled rooms ranging from standard to suites. Each room has been furnished with modern furniture and boasts A/C, telephone, ADSL internet, TV, mini bar, private bathroom with hairdryer. Interconnecting rooms are also available. **Breakfast:** American Buffet. **Child:** Child 0-6 years free when sharing with parents using existing bedding.

from  
A\$62  
per person  
per night  
twin share

# Oman General Information



## Introduction

The country of Oman is something of an enigma. It borders the United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia and Yemen. Oman has something for everyone, World Heritage listed ancient archaeological sites, deserts, beaches, islands, mountains, caves and springs, Oman proves it is a country full of contrasts.

## Time Zone

Oman is four hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time, which means the country is approximately seven hours behind during AEST in summer and six hours behind during winter.

## Currency

The Omani Rial is the official currency of Oman. Each Rial is made up of 1000 Baiza. In most tourist areas, banks and moneychangers are available to exchange money. There are also ATM's around the country.

## Tipping

As a general rule, 10% of a bill in any restaurant is recommended. With regards to tipping guides and drivers, we suggest putting aside US\$2 per person per day.

## Climate

The climate between November and March is widely considered to be the best time to travel due to the cooler temperatures averaging 25°C. Throughout the rest of the year, Oman can be extremely hot, particularly between May and August. However between mid-June to late-August, the rainy season in the Southern region of Dhofar and Salalah comes alive with grassy green hills and a comfortable drizzle of rain. Generally winter is cool and pleasant while summer can be very hot and humid.

## Average Monthly Temperatures (Degrees celcius):

| Average Temps |      | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec |
|---------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Muscat        | Low  | 17  | 18  | 22  | 26  | 30  | 31  | 31  | 29  | 28  | 27  | 23  | 18  |
|               | High | 25  | 25  | 28  | 32  | 37  | 40  | 38  | 36  | 36  | 34  | 30  | 26  |

## Official Language

Arabic is the official Language of Oman however English and some Asian languages are also widely spoken throughout tourist areas.

## Electricity

240 volts, 50 hertz. A European or British adapter would be required.

## Visas

Australians can now apply for their Oman visas online before they travel, a convenient alternative to visa-on-arrival. Australian passport holders can apply online through the Royal Oman Police website before they travel:

[www.evisa.rop.gov.om](http://www.evisa.rop.gov.om) Applicants must register as a user prior to completing the step-by-step process which is in plain English. The different visa types are described along with pricing and permitted lengths of stay. To complete your online application you will need a scanned copy of the photo page of your passport, as well as a digital (jpeg) passport photo. Passengers eligible for a visa on arrival at Muscat International Airport can make their visa payments at the Traveler Foreign Exchange counter located in the immigration arrivals hall. Payments are accepted in most currencies or by credit card. On payment, an automatic receipt will be issued to the traveller. This receipt is then presented at the immigration desk for the visa. A 30 day tourist visa fee is 20 Omani Rials - approximately AU\$71.00 (subject to exchange rate on the day)

## Getting There

**By Air:** Getting to Oman is relatively easy as there are many airlines flying including Emirates, Etihad, British Airways, Lufthansa, Royal Jordanian and Qatar Airways. There are daily flights between the airlines with links via Asia, UAE and Europe.

**By Sea:** While there is a port at Muscat

there are no passenger services arriving as yet. There are however, some cruise ships which will stop.

**By Land:** Arriving by land is easy as there are three 24 hour border crossings from United Arab Emirates. Visa can be arranged at the Border. Muscat lies approx 4 hrs east of Dubai. There are also daily bus services from Dubai into Oman.

## Accommodation

The majority of the hotels are modern and have a focus on luxury, exclusivity and opulence. Oman provides accommodation for every budget from city and beach hotels, apartments and even desert camps.

## National Holidays 2026

1 Jan – New Year's Day  
17-18 Jan – Prophet's Ascension  
24 Feb – Sultan's Birthday  
20-23 Mar – Eid al-Fitr  
26-30 May – Eid al-Adha  
15 Jun – Islamic New Year  
19 Nov – National Day of Oman  
25 Dec – Christmas Day

*Ramadan:* During the month of Ramadan Muslim abstain from eating and drinking during daytime. Restaurants are closed during the day and eating, drinking and smoking in public is generally forbidden between dawn and dusk.

## Things To Do

Notable areas to visit include the capital of Muscat, the desert region of Nizwa, the Hajar Mountains, Tropical Salalah, Wahiba Sands and the exclave of the Musandam Peninsula.

**Muscat:** Once 3 smaller towns, present day Muscat is a combination of the original walled city, a fishing village and the commercial and diplomatic centre. The city is features a long beach road & corniche (seafront walk) boasting kilometres of beaches, fisherman and open spaces. Highlights of Muscat include the Al Jalali & Al Miriani Fort, built during the late 1500's by the

Portuguese, Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque, known as the third largest mosque in the world and lays claim to a Swarovski crystal chandelier and the second largest hand made Persian carpet. Muscat also features museums, galleries and a number of local and national parks.

**Nizwa:** The ancient capital of Oman, Nizwa was a creative haven for all scholars, scientists and poets. Famed for the popular Nizwa Fort and souk located within the walls. Located nearby is the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Bahla Fort. Known as the biggest fort in Oman, it features 132 watch towers and a 13km long wall dating back to the ninth century.

**Musandam:** Separated from the rest of Oman by United Arab Emirates, the peninsula of Musandam is a unique enclave surrounded by mountains creating completely isolated villages only reachable by boat. Take the opportunity to enjoy some snorkelling or scuba diving to view the abundant sea life or hike the mountains to experience some of the natural wildlife.

**Salalah:** Known for being a tropical city from May to August, this city is known as the second city of Oman and famed for the Frankincense trade. Popular as the birthplace of the current Sultan. Other notable sights include the al-Hisn Souq or marketplace where bargains can be found.

**Other locations:** Wahiba where local Bedouins still reside and introduce visitors to camel riding, dune bashing and an overall desert experience. Another sight to be seen is Wadi Shab. Located approximately 100kms southeast of Muscat. Explore caves and discover pools of the brightest green. Hajar Mountains separates Batinah Coast from the rest of the country but offers some of the best panoramic views of the area. Hidden oasis towns dot the slopes of the mountain range.

# Booking Conditions

These Booking Conditions set out the terms on which you contract with us for the arrangement of travel arrangements for your trip. By making a booking with us, you acknowledge that you have read, understood and agree to be bound by these Booking Conditions. We reserve the right to change these Booking Conditions at any time prior to you making a booking request. "You" and "Your" means all persons named in a booking (including anyone who is added or substituted at a later date). "We", "us", "our" and "Greece and Mediterranean Travel Centre/ Luxury Greece Collection" means Greece and Mediterranean Travel Centre Pty Ltd.

If these Booking Conditions are published in a brochure, then please note the information contained in the brochure may alter from time to time due to changes that are beyond the control of the operators and their agents. These changes may affect prices, duration of tours, itineraries, contents, etc. Information contained in the brochure has been carefully checked and to the best of our knowledge is correct at the time of publishing. Prices and conditions of travel are subject to change without notice.

## VALIDITY:

Brochure is valid 1 January 2026 to 31 October 2026, unless dates under individual land components state otherwise.

## HOW TO BOOK:

Contact your Travel Agent or Greece and Mediterranean Travel Centre Pty Ltd to make your reservations.

A booking request is accepted when we issue a written booking confirmation. It is at this point that a contract between us and you comes into existence subject to these Booking Conditions. We reserve the right to decline any booking at our discretion. No employee of ours other than a director has the authority to vary or omit any of these Booking Conditions or to promise any discount, refund or credit.

Confirmed bookings will be issued with an invoice upon confirmation detailing all services booked. It is your responsibility to ensure all details are correct. The right is reserved to correct any errors in rates quoted or calculated for any service notwithstanding that the invoice may have been paid in full.

## SERVICES

The services we provide to you are limited to (a) the arrangement and coordination of your travel arrangements; and (b) the delivery of travel arrangements which we directly control. This includes (often significant) work undertaken prior to travel to arrange and coordinate the delivery of your travel arrangements.

## PRICES & EXCLUSIONS

Prices stated are in Australian Dollars (\$AUD) and are current at the time of publication unless otherwise indicated. We also sometimes invoice in Euro or New Zealand dollars. The price includes accommodation, transportation and other inclusions as per the published itinerary. International and domestic airfares and airport/hotel transfers are not included unless specifically stated. Costs associated with passports, visas, vaccinations, insurance, meals (other than those stipulated), emergency evacuation costs, gratuities, and all items of a personal nature are not included.

Selling prices for our products are calculated to include, but not limited to, research, brochure preparation, printing and distribution, communication costs, postage, courier fees, bank charges, currency transfers and remuneration to the travel agents. The prices do not imply that same or similar products may or may not be available at a different price if obtained from another source. Prices shown may not be valid during trade fairs, exhibitions and congresses.

## PRICE SURCHARGES

In the event of exchange rate fluctuations, the costs are subject to change without notice. In case of increases in the prices of service beyond our control including fuel surcharges, entrance fees, local taxes etc we reserve the right to adjust prices accordingly at any time up until the delivery of service irrespective if the payment has been received in full or not. Some overseas suppliers might charge a handling fee to supply a particular service. You will be informed about it at the time of booking.

## DEPOSIT

A 10% deposit per person or \$300 (whichever is the greater), is required within 7 days (unless otherwise stated) of us accepting your booking. The deposit represents a fee payable to us for services associated with the processing and confirmation of your booking and any consultations on travel arrangements that we may provide to you. Because these services are provided as soon as we confirm your booking, the deposit is non-refundable other than where we cancel your travel arrangements for reasons other than Force Majeure (see below).

Please note that we may not hold any services for you until we receive payment of your deposit, meaning that services may become unavailable or prices may increase, in which case you will be responsible for paying the increased price, and we will not be responsible if services become unavailable.

Some products may require higher deposit in excess of the above. This will be advised at the time your reservation is confirmed.

## FINAL PAYMENT

Payment in full must be received by the date(s) reflected on your invoice. We are under no obligation to remind you of a payment becoming due. If we fail to receive a payment from you by the due date for payment in clear funds, then this will be deemed a cancellation by you (see below). Note: some trips may require payment (including full payment) earlier or in additional instalments and this will be advised with the booking confirmation.

For late bookings (bookings within 45 days of departure), full payment is required at the time of request. You acknowledge that we may not be able to confirm services, in which case we will provide you with a refund.

## CANCELLATIONS BY YOU

### General Cancellations

If you wish to cancel your trip for other reasons than as set out below, we require written notice and will make refunds to you less cancellation fees in accordance with the table below, calculated from the date which we receive written notice:

**Ferry Tickets:** All ferry tickets are not refundable once paid in full regardless of date of cancellation.

### Other Services:

- Over 45 days before commencement: Deposit and any instalment payments only
- 45 days to 31 days before commencement: 50% of the booking value
- Within 30 days or no show 100% of the booking value

Certain products might be subject to additional cancellation fees in excess of the above. This will be advised at the time your reservation is confirmed.

### Covid-19 credit redemptions

If: (a) we issued you with a credit due to your original travel arrangements being disrupted by Covid-19 and associated restrictions; and (b) you have redeemed that credit for new travel arrangements; then (c) you agree that we will not be obliged to refund you the value of the

credit if you cancel your new travel arrangements.

If you cancel travel arrangements that have a value which exceeds the value of your credit (Excess Payment), then we will refund you the Excess Payment, less cancellation fees in accordance with the table below, calculated from the date which we receive written notice of cancellation:

**Ferry Tickets:** All ferry tickets are not refundable once paid in full regardless of date of cancellation.

### Other Services:

- More than 45 days before commencement: 25% of the Excess Payment
- 45 days to 31 days before commencement: 50% of the Excess Payment
- Within 30 days or no show 100% of the Excess Payment

Certain products might be subject to additional cancellation fees in excess of the above. This will be advised at the time your reservation is confirmed. Travel insurance is strongly recommended for all bookings.

### New or changed quarantine requirements

If after we confirm your booking: (a) new or changed quarantine requirements are imposed by government authorities either in a destination you are due to visit or in your home State or county and these remain in effect 60 days before commencement of travel arrangements booked with us; and (b) these new or changed quarantine requirements make it reasonably impractical for you to travel; then (c) you may give us written notice to cancel your trip not less than 45 days prior to commencement of the first arrangement.

If you cancel travel arrangements in these circumstances, then we will refund payments made by you less: (a) unrecoverable third party costs and other expenses incurred by us in relation to your travel arrangements; (b) overhead charges incurred by us relative to the price of your travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to your travel arrangements until the time of cancellation and in connection with the processing of any refund.

### General

You agree that the deductions and cancellation charges specified above are reasonable, represent a genuine pre-estimate of our loss and are required to protect our legitimate business interests.

For group departures, a transfer of a confirmed booking to another departure date at your request is deemed to be cancellation of the original booking.

### ILLNESS OR VACCINATION STATUS PREVENTING TRAVEL

If due to any illness, suspected illness or failure to satisfy any required tests (such as a PCR or rapid antigen test in relation to Covid-19) or vaccination requirements:

- an airline or other common carrier refuses you carriage;
- a hotel or vessel refuses to accommodate you; or
- we or our suppliers (acting reasonably) exclude you from the trip and you are consequently prevented from commencing or continuing your trip, then:
- if you have already commenced your trip, we will provide you with reasonable assistance to arrange alternative travel arrangements or to continue the trip. This will be at your cost.
- if you have not commenced your trip then we regret we will not be in a position to provide such assistance.

We will not be liable to refund the cost of your trip (or any part of it) because we would have already paid (or committed to pay) suppliers and we would have already performed significant work preparing for the delivery of your trip and servicing your booking.

We will not be responsible for any other loss or loss you incur in connection with your booking (for example, airfares and visa expenses) if you are prevented from commencing or continuing your trip in these circumstances.

### CANCELLATIONS OR RESCHEDULING BY US

In these Booking Conditions, the term Force Majeure means an event or events beyond our control and which we could not have reasonably prevented, and includes but is not limited to: (a) natural disasters (including not limited to flooding, fire, earthquake, landslide, volcanic eruption), adverse weather conditions (including hurricane or cyclone), high or low water levels; (b) war, armed conflict, industrial dispute, civil strife, terrorist activity or the threat of such acts; epidemic, pandemic; (d) any new or change in law, order, decree, rule or regulation of any government authority (including travel advisories and restrictions).

### Force Majeure – Prior to travel

If in our reasonable opinion we (either directly or through our employees, contractors, suppliers or agents) consider that your travel arrangements cannot safely or lawfully proceed due to a Force Majeure Event then we at our discretion may elect to:

- reschedule your travel arrangements (in whole or in part); and/or
- cancel your travel arrangements (in whole or in part), in which case our contract with you will terminate (in whole or in part).

If we cancel any of your travel arrangements, neither of us will have any claim for damages against the other for the cancelled arrangements. However, we will refund payments attributable to the cancelled travel arrangements less: (a) unrecoverable third party costs and other expenses incurred by us for the cancelled travel arrangements; (b) overhead charges incurred by us relative to the price of the cancelled travel arrangements; and (c) fair compensation for work undertaken by us in relation to the cancelled travel arrangements until the time of cancellation and in connection with the processing of any refund.

### Force Majeure – During travel

If due to Force Majeure we cancel travel arrangements after your trip has commenced, we will provide you with a refund of recoverable third party costs for cancelled travel arrangements only.

### Force Majeure – General

If we provide you with any alternative services or assistance where travel arrangements are cancelled or rescheduled due to Force Majeure, then you agree the amount to be refunded to you will be reduced by the value of these services and assistance.

You acknowledge that the terms in this section are reasonably necessary to protect our legitimate business interests. We strongly encourage you to purchase travel insurance that adequately responds to cancellation and rescheduling risks associated with Force Majeure events.

### Other cancellations

If we cancel your travel arrangements for reasons other than Force Majeure, you will be offered (at your election) a refund of all funds paid, or the offer of a trip of substantially equal quality if appropriate.

We will not be responsible to you for any other expenses or loss you incur if your travel arrangements are rescheduled or cancelled whether or not due to Force Majeure.

### AMENDMENTS BY YOU

We will endeavour to accommodate amendments and additional requests. You acknowledge that these may not be possible to fulfil, and for group departures a transfer of a booking to a different departure is deemed a cancellation. An amendment fee of \$50 will be levied to cover communication and administration costs for any changes to bookings. You will also be required to pay any additional costs charged by suppliers.

# Booking Conditions (continued)

## AMENDMENTS BY US

### Prior to travel

Occasionally, we may need to make amendments or modifications to the itinerary and its inclusions and you acknowledge our right to do this. If we become aware of a significant change to your itinerary or its inclusions prior to the commencement of your trip (where the trip can still proceed), then we will notify you within a reasonable time.

### During travel

You acknowledge that the itinerary, modes of transport, accommodation and/or the trip's inclusions may need to change during your trip due to local circumstances beyond our reasonable control, including road conditions, poor weather, changes in transport schedules, and/or vehicle breakdowns. You agree that we have the right to pass on any costs we incur for alternative arrangements we put in place for your benefit in these circumstances.

### General

To the fullest extent permitted by law, we will not be responsible for any omissions or modifications to the itinerary or the inclusions due to Force Majeure or other circumstances beyond our control happening after we have accepted your booking. This includes any loss of enjoyment or distress caused by omissions or modifications.

If you are entitled to any compensation for any modifications or omissions, then you agree it will be reduced by the value of any alternative services we provide which you accept.

We will not be responsible to you for any other expenses or loss you incur resulting from any amendment or change to the itinerary or its inclusions.

## UNUSED & DENIED SERVICES

No refunds will be made for any travel arrangements not utilised, whether by choice or because of late arrival or early departure. This includes the failure of transport to operate according to schedule, which we disclaim responsibility for.

If you are not fully and validly vaccinated against Covid-19 in the destination(s) where services are to be provided, and particular suppliers refuse to provide you with travel arrangements, then you agree you will not be entitled to any refund for those arrangements. We will not be responsible to you for any loss or expenses you incur (including loss of enjoyment or the costs of alternative arrangements) if you are denied services in these circumstances.

## CLIENT NAMES – EXACTLY AS PER PASSPORT

For security reasons, airlines and our overseas suppliers require names to be given exactly as stated in your passport. If you do not advise the correct information and we have to re-issue airline tickets or other documentation, then you will be responsible for any fees charged (such as airline cancellation charges or re-issue fees) in addition to our own reasonable administration fees.

## TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

Travel Documents cannot be issued until full payment is received and will be available no later than 14 days prior to departure. All documents for bookings under \$2000 will be available in electronic format only. For last minute bookings paid less than 14 days prior to client's departure, the documents will be provided in electronic format regardless of the value of the services.

## TRAVEL INSURANCE

It is strongly encouraged that you are adequately insured for the duration of your trip. We recommend comprehensive travel insurance to cover cancellation, medical requirements, luggage, repatriations and additional expenses. The choice of insurer is yours. We strongly suggest you purchase insurance at the time you pay your deposit. This is because cancellation fees and charges are payable from that time.

## ACCOMMODATION

We reserve the right to substitute hotels, vessels and other forms of accommodation with properties or vessels of a comparable or higher standard.

## INFORMATION & DESCRIPTIONS

Rooms and scenes shown are representative of those featured in various programs but are not necessarily supplied or visited. Hotel locations on maps are a guide only as maps are not to scale. Hotel gradings are those suggested by relevant local authorities or our representatives and may vary from Tourist Office gradings. The quality of hotels overseas may differ from Australian standards. In general terms rooms can be smaller and fairly basic, particularly those in the lower categories. If you prefer a superior degree of comfort, please select a higher category of accommodation. Specific bedding arrangements can be requested but cannot be confirmed or guaranteed.

## PASSPORTS, VISAS

It is a requirement that you hold a valid passport and any required visas for your trip. It is your responsibility to ensure that you are in possession of the necessary documentation to comply with the laws and regulations of the countries to be visited.

## VACCINATIONS

We strongly encourage you to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 with a vaccine approved by the Therapeutic Goods Administration. This is so health risks for yourself and others you come into contact with can be mitigated. Subject to the Illness or Vaccination Status Preventing Travel section above, if you choose to travel without being fully vaccinated, then you do so accepting the implicit risks to your health and you agree to provide us with waivers and releases as we may require.

It is your responsibility to obtain vaccinations and preventative medicines as may be required for the duration of the trip. Any information provided by us is given in good faith.

## HEALTH & FITNESS

It is your responsibility to ensure that you have a suitable level of health and fitness to undertake the trip of your choice.

If you suffer from a medical condition which may reasonably be expected to increase your risk of needing medical attention, or which may affect the normal conduct of the trip, then you must advise us at the time you make your booking request.

We may request you to provide an assessment of your medical condition from a qualified medical practitioner. If the assessment indicates that you will require special assistance from personnel which we cannot reasonably provide, then we may cancel your booking. Provided you notified us of your medical condition at the time you made your booking request, we will provide you with a full refund of payments made. If you fail to notify us at that time or if you fail to provide a medical assessment within a reasonable time of our request, then this will be considered a cancellation by you.

We reserve the right to cancel your booking if any changed or non-disclosed medical conditions mean that you will require special assistance which we cannot reasonably provide.

We strongly suggest that your travel insurance policy includes comprehensive cancellation coverage.

## DIETARY REQUIREMENTS

Special dietary requests are required to be notified to us at the time of booking. Although we will use reasonable endeavours to accommodate requests, we cannot guarantee requests will be met by suppliers. It is your responsibility to check that meals and beverages do not contain any allergens. We expressly disclaim any liability for meals or beverages that contain allergens.

## AUTHORITY ON TOUR

When joining a group tour, you undertake to conduct yourself in a manner conducive to good group dynamics. If you act in a manner that threatens or disrupts the safety or enjoyment of others on the tour, the tour leader may, acting reasonably, require that you leave the tour. You will not be entitled to any refund for unused services and you will be responsible for any additional costs you incur.

## MINIMUM NUMBERS

Some trips are based on a minimum number of passengers travelling. We will advise you prior to confirming your booking if this is the case. If a trip fails to satisfy minimum numbers, the trip may be cancelled. If the trip is cancelled, we will at your election refund you all payments made or credit payments towards alternative arrangements. We will not be responsible for any other travel arrangements affected by, or any additional costs incurred, as a result of cancellation.

## IMAGE RELEASE

When on tour, we may take photographs or make recordings of you and your activities that identify you. We reserve the right to use any images and/or recordings for promotional and marketing purposes. You consent to this use and acknowledge you will not be entitled to any payment or other compensation. If you do not consent to the use of your image or likeness, please advise us at least 21 days prior to the commencement of your tour.

## INDEPENDENT SERVICES

We are not responsible for any additional activities or excursions which are not included in the booked itinerary or which we sell as agent for the principal operator. Any advice or recommendation made by a guide or local representative does not make us responsible.

## ACCEPTANCE OF RISK

You acknowledge that travel involves personal risks which may be greater than those present in your everyday life. This could be as a result of the adventurous nature of your trip or the visiting of destinations which present geographical, political or cultural risks and dangers.

You should consult guidance issued by the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) applicable to the destinations within your itinerary. You acknowledge that your choice to travel is made having had the benefit of DFAT guidance, and you accept any additional personal risks associated with your travel. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we disclaim any liability for these risks.

## RESPONSIBILITY

### Services supplied by independent suppliers

Where a third party over whom we have no direct control (**Independent Supplier**) is the supplier of travel arrangements that form part of your trip, you acknowledge that our obligations to you are limited to taking reasonable steps to select a reputable Independent Supplier and arranging for them to provide those travel arrangements to you. Independent Suppliers over whom we have no direct control include but are not limited to airlines, railway and cruise operators, hoteliers, independent transport companies (i.e., vehicles not operated by us) and common carriers.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, we will not be responsible to you for any loss, damage, personal injury or delay attributable to the actions or omissions of an Independent Supplier. Any claims you have in this regard must be made against the Independent Supplier. You acknowledge that the Independent Supplier's liability to you may be limited by their own terms and conditions.

### Services we directly supply

To the extent only that we are the principal supplier to you of travel arrangements or other services which we control, then we will provide those travel arrangements and services with reasonable skill and care.

We will only be responsible for our employees in the course of their employment, and for our agents and suppliers (where we are not the supplier's agent or where the supplier is not an Independent Supplier) if they were carrying out the work we had asked them to do.

We will not be responsible for any loss, damage, claim or expense caused by the acts or omissions of yourself, of any other third party not connected with the provision of the travel arrangements or services, or due to an event of Force Majeure.

While we endeavour to meet scheduled arrival and departure times, we cannot guarantee this. We will not be responsible for any loss or additional expenses you incur for any missed connections/services attributable to delays.

### General liability limitation

You acknowledge that travel arrangements or services which comply with local laws and regulations will be deemed to have been properly performed, even if this would not be considered the case in Australia.

Australian Consumer Law and corresponding legislation in State jurisdictions in certain circumstances imply mandatory conditions and warranties into consumer contracts ("Consumer Warranties"). These Booking Conditions do not exclude or limit the application of the Consumer Warranties. Other than the Consumer Warranties, we disclaim all warranties.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, our maximum liability to you under these Booking Conditions, in tort (including negligence) or at law is limited to arranging for the travel arrangements to be resupplied or payment of the cost of having them resupplied.

## COMPLAINTS

In the event of a problem with any aspect of your travel arrangements you must tell us or make our representative or our local supplier aware of such problems immediately.

We will only consider and be responsible for claims made against us where we or our suppliers have had the opportunity to put things right on the ground. If you notify us of a problem during travel and we haven't resolved it to your satisfaction, then you must make any claim in writing within 30 days from the end of your travel arrangements.

## DEEMED ACCEPTANCE

If you place a booking on behalf of another party, you represent and warrant us that you are duly authorised to provide the agreement and consent of the other party to be bound by these Booking Conditions. You agree that you will be responsible for any loss or damage we incur if this is not the case.

## GENERAL

The contract between Greece and Mediterranean Travel Centre Pty Ltd trading as Greece and Mediterranean Travel Centre or Luxury Greece Collection and you is governed by the laws of the State of New South Wales. Any disputes shall be dealt with by a court with the appropriate jurisdiction in New South Wales.

If any provision of these Booking Conditions is found to be unenforceable, then to the extent possible it will be severed without affecting the remaining provisions.

Any personal information you provide to us will be collected, stored, used, protected and shared in accordance with Australian Privacy Principles, and our Privacy Policy, which is published here [www.greecemedtravel.com.au](http://www.greecemedtravel.com.au)

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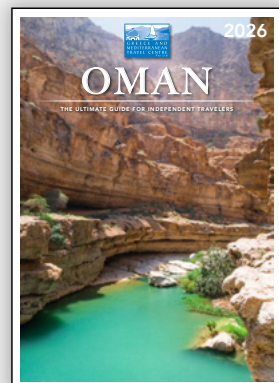
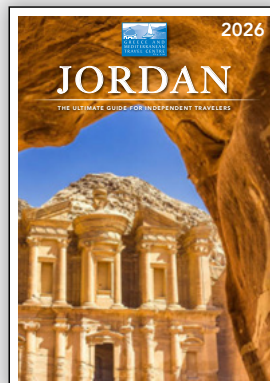
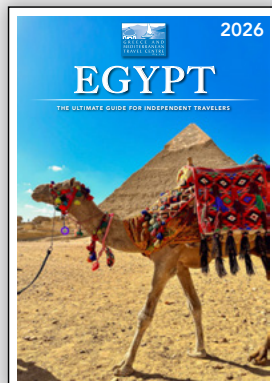
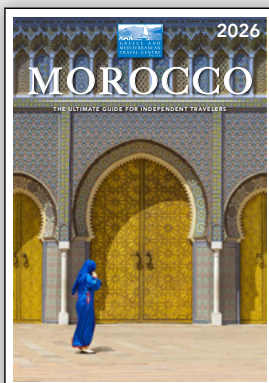
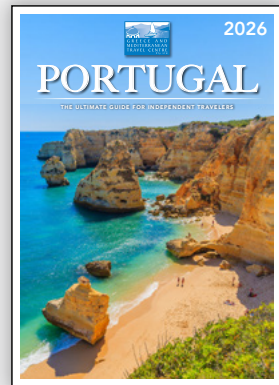
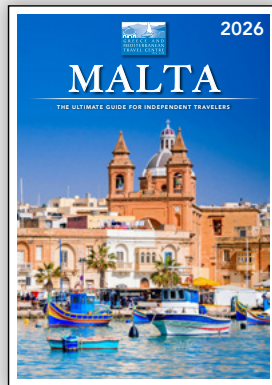
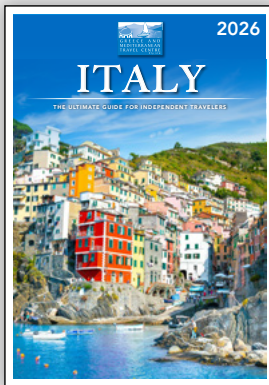
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