

### Ports & Excursions



#### Aruba

Dutch influence still lingers on this balmy Caribbean island, part of the former Netherlands Antilles until its independence in 1986. Aruba is a contrast: the island's arid interior is dotted with cactus and windswept divi-divi trees while secluded coves and sandy beaches make up its coast. Aruba's long and colorful heritage is reflected in its dialect. Called Papiamento, it is a tongue that combines elements of Spanish, French, Portuguese, Dutch, African and English.

### Points of Interest

## California Lighthouse

Perched on a high elevation and named after the steamship "California," which sunk off the coast of Aruba, this lighthouse was built in 1910, and offers stunning views of the island and coastline.

## Oranjestad

Oranjestad, Aruba's largest port, is the island's capital and offers the best shopping experience on its main street. It is also known for its impressive Dutch Colonial architecture.

## The "Antilla" Shipwreck

The 400-foot "Antilla" is one of the Caribbean's largest shipw recks and also one of its most popular attractions. It was sunk during World War II and is home to many kinds of exotic sea life.

# Baby Natural Bridge

Baby Natural Bridge is a stunning rock and coral formation. The original Natural Bridge fell into the sea in 2005, but the smaller bridge remains a must-see island highlight.

# Ayo or Casibari Rock Formations

These dramatic formations are shaped by boulders, some the size of small houses and weighing several tons. Arawak Indians would visit in order to hear incoming thunderstorms and draw on the rocks.

## 6 Ostrich Attraction

Dozens of extroverted ostriches and emus live at this unusual farm, where you can get an up-close look at the gawky creatures' life cycle and even try hand feeding them!

# 7 Beaches

Aruba is famous for gorgeous, palm-tree lined w hite sandy beaches w hich are home to calm clear w aters, making them perfect locations for sw imming, snorkeling and sunbathing.

# 8 Butterfly Farm

Aruba's Butterfly Farm is home to hundreds of exotic butterflies w ho fly freely w ithin large meshed enclosures. Witness all stages of their life cycle and w ith guidance, handle these tiny creatures.

#### Special Child Pricing Available!

Children age 12 and younger, savings up to 50%. For actual pricing information, click on tour title or Reserve button.

Sightseeing & City Tours

Most Popular

Island Highlights & Beach

AUA-100 | Aruba

You will visit: You will see:



hours

from \$59.00

Drive though Aruba's capital, Oranjestad, and admire its Dutch Colonial buildings before seeing the California Lighthouse and viewing the Casibari rock formations. You will also visit and relax at one of Aruba's beautiful beaches.

### California Lighthouse, Ostrich Attraction & Shopping AUA-230 | Aruba

You will visit:

You will see:



hours

from \$59.95

Discover Aruba's scenic highlights on a fun yet relaxing excursion around the California Lighthouse and Casibari rock formations, before visiting an ostrich attraction, where you will have an opportunity to feed these flightless birds.

### Butterfly Farm, Rock Formations & Shopping AUA-235 | Aruba

You will visit: a





from \$59.95 hours

Tour Aruba's fascinating Butterfly Farm to learn more about these delicate insects. Then pay a visit to the island's famous Aloe factory, before a stop at the breath-taking Ayo rock formation.

Activities & Adventures

#### Kid-Friendly

### De Palm Island Beach, Water Park & Meal

AUA-280 | Aruba

You will visit:



4.5 from \$89.95

Ride the ferry to fun filled De Palm Island, where you will use your beach resort 'passport' to enjoy many activities including snorkeling, sw imming, banana boat rides, water slides and food and beverages.

## California Lighthouse & Beach

AUA-285 | Aruba

You will visit:





from \$34.95 hours

Enjoy hours of splashy fun in the sun with a trip to gorgeous MooMba Beach on a banana bus, first stopping at the famous California Lighthouse which boasts panoramic island views.

# Schooner Cruise, Antilla Shipwreck & Snorkeling

AUA-805 | Aruba

You will visit:





from \$64.95 hours

Become a real 'pirate of the Caribbean' on the "Jolly Pirates" sailing boat, when you visit three beautiful sites to swim, snorkel and fly 'n' dive off the rope swing.

## Snorkeling Cruise & Antilla Shipwreck

AUA-810 | Aruba

You will visit:

You will see:



4 hours

from \$49.95

A sleek sailing catamaran w hisks you off on a snorkeling expedition to one of Aruba's famed coral gardens and, conditions permitting, to one of the largest shipw recks in the Caribbean.

#### IMi Dushi' Sail, Snorkel, Antilla Shipwreck & Lunch AUA-815 | Aruba

You will visit:

You will see:



6 from \$79.95 hours

Enjoy an exhilarating three stop snorkeling adventure and delicious regional lunch on board of a colorful three level deck w atercraft. You can discover the wonders of sea life in the crystal Caribbean waters.

#### Helmet Dive, De Palm Island Beach & Meal AUA-900 | Aruba

You will visit:





4.5 hours

from \$149.95

Immerse yourself in Aruba's sensational sea life as you go on a glorious helmet dive before enjoying delicious buffet (breakfast or lunch), and all the amenities, at the paradise resort of De Palm Island.

#### Certified Scuba Diving & Antilla Shipwreck (Two Sites) AUA-930 | Aruba

You will visit:







from \$119.95

This Certified Scuba Tour is the best way to discover Aruba's underwater world.

### 4WD Island Tour, Baby Natural Bridge & Arashi Beach AUA-340 | Aruba

You will visit: **1) 4) 5) 7** 



4.5 hours

from \$94.95

Explore beautiful Aruba in a 4WD Land Rover. This action packed tour visits many impressive landmarks including Casibari Rock (considered Aruba's Stonehenge), the geological wonders of Natural Bridge, the medieval looking Bushiribana Ruins, and a picturesque chapel. Later, enjoy a refreshing dip in the turquoise waters of Arashi Beach.

Countryside Horseback Ride AUA-430 | Aruba

You will see:



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from \$109.95

Head to a local ranch, saddle up and discover Aruba's countryside as well as one of its many sandy beaches in true cow boy style on horseback.

### A Day at De Palm Island & Lunch AUA-275 | Aruba

You will visit:





6.5 hours

from \$99.95

Ride the ferry to fun filled De Palm Island, where you will use your beach resort 'passport' to enjoy many activities including snorkeling, sw imming, banana boat rides, water slides and food and beverages.

#### UTV Off-Road Adventure

AUA-555 | Aruba

You will visit:

You will see:



3.25 hours

from \$219.95

Jump behind the wheel and experience Aruba's beauty from the seat of a UTV. Your guided off-road safari takes you through the island's western outback and past the famed Ayo Rocks with visits to the quaint Chapel of Alto Vista, fabled Bushiribana Gold Mine Ruins and landmark California Lighthouse.

Nature & Wildlife

# Semi-Submarine, Shipwreck & Island Drive

AUA-655 | Aruba

You will visit: You will see:



from \$69.95 hours

The perfect way to see Aruba by land and sea, this exhilarating tour includes a semi-submarine cruise, plus the chance to see the Casibari rock formations, the Baby Natural Bridge and the California Lighthouse.

# Atlantis Submarine Expedition

AUA-670 | Aruba

You will see:





hours

from \$99.95

Discover the undersea splendors, sea-life and wrecks of Aruba onboard the "Atlantis" submarine, designed to take you on a thrilling underwater excursion in air-conditioned comfort.