

# PLAN YOUR NEXT SEA KAYAK ADVENTURE!



## 2018 TRIP DATES AND COSTS

### SOUTH PACIFIC



#### FIJI

### Yasawas Tropical Island Dreaming

FROM  
AU\$2,495

**8 DAY TRIP** • 5 – 6 DAYS KAYAKING ● EASY TO MODERATE

On this tropical adventure, paddlers can escape modern-day living and spend a week immersed in island time. We paddle a loop among the northern Yasawa Islands and camp on palm-fringed white sandy beaches. Meet the friendly locals, snorkel coral reefs and enjoy delicious camp meals on our superb Tropical Island Dreaming trip!

**DATES** • 2 – 9 Jun, 16 – 23 Jun, 30 Jun – 7 Jul, 14 – 21 Jul, 28 Jul – 4 Aug, 25 Aug – 1 Sep, 8 – 15 Sep, 6 – 13 Oct 2018.



#### FIJI

### Yasawas Ultimate Tropical Expedition

FROM  
AU\$2,795

**11 DAY TRIP** • 8 – 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE PLUS

Kayak the length of the Yasawa Island chain on our annual 120km+ adventure for intermediate paddlers. Numbers are limited for this self-supporting, island hopping, authentic South Pacific adventure. Experience hidden coves, lagoons, remote snorkelling and the achievement of completing an amazing tropical expedition!

**DATES** • 8 – 18 Aug 2018.



#### TONGA

### Vava'u Islands

8 DAYS FROM 10 DAYS FROM  
NZ\$2,695 NZ\$2,995

**8 or 10 DAY TRIP** • 6 – 8 DAYS KAYAKING ● EASY TO MODERATE

The Vava'u islands are a sea kayaker's dream with palm fringed shorelines, untouched beaches and closely grouped islands. Combine tropical paddles with visiting villages, camping on uninhabited islands and superb snorkelling. The Vava'u islands are one of the best places in the Pacific for close encounters with humpback whales, also enjoying a tropical escape!

**DATES** • **8 DAYS:** 18 – 25 Apr, 9 – 16 May, 6 – 13 Jun, 20 – 27 Jun, 4 – 11 Jul, 18 – 25 Jul, 1 – 8 Aug, 15 – 22 Aug, 5 – 12 Sep, 19 – 26 Sep, 3 – 10 Oct, 7 – 14 Nov 2018. **10 DAYS:** 18 – 27 Apr, 9 – 18 May, 6 – 15 Jun, 20 – 29 Jun, 4 – 13 Jul, 18 – 27 Jul, 1 – 10 Aug, 15 – 24 Aug, 5 – 14 Sep, 19 – 28 Sep, 3 – 12 Oct, 7 – 16 Nov 2018.



## TONGA

Ha'apai Islands FROM  
NZ\$3,695

11 DAY TRIP • 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Bring your spirit of adventure and your snorkel to the remote Ha'apai archipelago! Well off the tourist track, the Ha'apai Islands will thrill all modern-day Robinson Crusoes. Kayak between pristine coral atolls, explore lagoons, make friends with the locals and discover a rare sense of timelessness in the friendly islands.

DATES • 10 – 20 Jul, 14 – 24 Aug, 4 – 14 Sep, 2 – 12 Oct, 6 – 16 Nov 2018.



## AUSTRALIA

Hinchinbrook Island Group FROM  
AU\$2,295

7 DAY TRIP • 7 DAYS KAYAKING ● EASY TO MODERATE

Discover the solitude and beauty of Australia's largest island national park on a seven-day 90km kayak expedition. We'll paddle the magical shoreline, past temperate rainforest and granite cliffs, while keeping watch for manta rays, dugongs, dolphins and sea turtles. On land, beachcombing, swimming in waterfalls and rainforest hikes enhance our paddling days.

DATES • 6 – 12 May, 20 – 26 May, 3 – 9 Jun, 17 – 23 Jun, 1 – 7 Jul, 15 – 21 Jul, 29 Jul – 4 Aug, 12 – 18 Aug, 26 Aug – 1 Sep, 9 – 15 Sep, 23 – 29 Sep, 7 – 13 Oct, 21 – 27 Oct, 4 – 10 Nov 2018.



## MELANESIA

Secrets of Melanesia FROM  
US\$7,510

12 DAY TRIP • 8 – 9 KAYAKING ● EASY TO MODERATE

Kayak the most isolated and remote archipelagoes in the Pacific as we discover the outer Solomon Islands and Vanuatu. Hidden worlds await paddlers where shell money is still used and costumed village dancers welcome us to their island homes. The underwater world will entice paddlers into the water for amazing snorkelling opportunities.

DATES • 20 – 31 Oct 2017.

## ASIA



## INDONESIA

Raja Ampat Kayak and Live Aboard 10 DAYS FROM  
EU€4,20012 DAYS FROM  
EU€4,500

10 or 12 DAY TRIP • 8 DAYS KAYAKING ● EASY TO MODERATE

Join us aboard a traditional wooden sailing ship and discover an archipelago abounding in pristine coral habitats, exotic birdlife and beautiful beaches. Explore above and below the water on daily excursions to lagoons and limestone islands. This is a 'dream list' trip for paddlers, snorkellers and stand up paddle board enthusiasts!

DATES • 10 DAYS: 22 – 31 Oct, 21 – 30 Nov 2018. 12 DAYS: 5 – 16 Nov 2018.



## INDONESIA

Raja Ampat Paddling Odyssey FROM  
EU€2,695

11 DAY TRIP • 7 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Discover jungle-covered islands, cliffs, caves and one of the world's most spectacular marine habitats. We'll kayak a maze of islands, salt-water lakes and hidden mangroves. Camp on remote beaches and stay in simple homestays to experience the traditional culture of Raja Ampat.

DATES • 10 – 20 Jan 2018.



## INDONESIA

Raja Ampat Paddling Adventure FROM  
EU€2,850**9 DAY TRIP** • 6 – 7 DAYS KAYAKING ● EASY TO MODERATE

On this new trip, a support boat will transport paddlers to where few have kayaked before. Paddle around mushroom-shaped islands rising out of picturesque lagoons and covered in thick jungle. Snorkel with a myriad of tropical fish among colourful coral and swim with the manta rays on an amazing Raja Ampat adventure!

DATES • 1 – 9 Dec 2018.



## PHILIPPINES

Palawan Kayak Adventure FROM  
US\$2,500**10 DAY TRIP** • 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● EASY TO MODERATE

Explore northern Palawan Province on a boat-supported trip between El Nido and Coron. Daily adventures will combine 'big wall' paddling with an intimate exploration of sheltered bays and lagoons. We'll camp on powder-white beaches, surrounded by coconut palms and colourful reefs. Our newest tropical adventure, not to be missed!

DATES • 15 – 24 May 2018.

## MEDITERRANEAN



## ITALY

Liguria Coast and Cinque Terre Kayak/Walk FROM  
EU€2,750**9 DAY TRIP** • 6 DAYS KAYAKING & 2 DAYS HIKING ● MODERATE

Exploring the Italian Riviera by kayak and foot is a fantastic way to experience the stunning sea vistas and picturesque jumble of the colourful villages of the Cinque Terre. We stay in small, family-run hotels and enjoy superb local cuisine and friendly hospitality. A fantastic Italian adventure!

DATES • 1 – 9 Oct 2018.



## FRANCE / ITALY

Corsica and Sardinia Odyssey FROM  
EU€3,500**11 DAY TRIP** • 7 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Our latest Mediterranean sojourn combines a paddle and walking itinerary around the stunning islands of Corsica and Sardinia on this unique hotel-based sea kayak adventure. The diversity in scenery is amazing: with beautiful beaches, hilltop villages and historic ports to view from our kayaks. Mediterranean culture, food and wine—a trip for all the senses!

DATES • 14 – 24 May 2018.



## CROATIA

Croatia Explorer FROM  
EU€1,575**11 DAY TRIP** • 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Paddle between six islands on a 130km+ camping based expedition in the Kvarner archipelago in the northern Adriatic. Each open channel crossing takes paddlers to new surroundings, from lush forests to cliffs and caves. Enjoy the history, culture and camp cuisine on one of our favourite trips!

DATES • 9 – 19 Jun 2018.

## MEDITERRANEAN



### CROATIA

#### Kayak/Sail Adventure

FROM  
EU€2,425

**10 DAY TRIP** • 7 DAYS KAYAKING & 1 DAY HIKING ● MODERATE

Explore the stunning scenery of the Northern Dalmatian coast on your floating base-camp, an 18-metre gulet sailing ship. Discover the clear aquamarine water, traditional fishing villages, stunning beaches and ancient ruins of this amazing archipelago. Your kayak guide and boat crew will ensure a fabulous holiday!

**DATES** • 7 – 16 Sep 2018.



### TURKEY

#### Active Turkey

**13 DAY TRIP** • 7 DAYS KAYAKING & 4 DAYS WALKING ● MODERATE

On request.

We combine a seven-day kayak trip of Turkey's Turquoise Coast with a four-day walk along the ancient Lycian Way for the ultimate active holiday. Paddle beneath rugged headlands and ancient Lycian tombs, camp on wild beaches, visit hot springs and experience renowned Turkish hospitality.

Contact us for details.

## CARIBBEAN



### PANAMA

#### San Blas Archipelago

FROM  
US\$2,195

**9 DAY TRIP** • 6 DAYS KAYAKING & JUNGLE HIKES ● MODERATE

This unique Caribbean paddling adventure explores the San Blas Archipelago's 350 islands and cays, home to the indigenous Guna communities. An area of outstanding biological diversity, paddlers will enjoy beach camping on deserted islands, jungle walks and snorkelling over colourful coral reefs.

**DATES** • 23 – 31 Dec 2017, 27 Jan – 4 Feb, 10 – 18 Feb, 10 – 18 Mar 2018.

## NORTHERN EUROPE



### NORWAY

#### Lofoten Islands Kayak Expedition

FROM  
EU\$3,950

**8 DAY TRIP** • 6 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Norway's stunning Lofoten Islands are a sea kayaker's paradise with spectacular mountains and waterfalls, sandy beaches ideal for camping and almost 24-hour summer daylight. Join us on our inaugural trip and discover picturesque fishing villages, Arctic wildlife and superb paddling.

**DATES** • 26 Jul – 2 Aug 2018.



### SWEDEN

#### Bohuslän Archipelago

FROM  
AU\$3,795

**10 DAY TRIP** • 8 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

The west coast of Sweden is a first class destination for sea kayakers. Explore the thousands of granite islands and skerries, canals, fjords and seaside villages that make up the Bohuslän Archipelago. Enjoy camping on wild beaches, cosy lodge stays and sampling the local seafood—a smorgasbord of Swedish adventure!

**DATES** • 20 – 29 Aug 2018.

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## ICELAND & GREENLAND

### Iceland and Greenland Kayak Expedition

FROM  
EU€5,899

**12 DAY TRIP** • 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Join us on a remote expedition that combines the magic of Iceland with the raw wilderness of Greenland. Explore both regions by kayak and foot from our 'base camp', a comfortable and sturdy sailboat. Expect amazing wildlife encounters, breathtaking landscapes and new and inspiring paddle adventures!

**DATES** • 11 – 22 Aug 2018.



## SCOTLAND

### Wild Scotland

FROM  
AU\$8,550

**11 DAY TRIP** • 8 – 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Ancient worlds, culture and natural wonders await us on this voyage to Scotland's stunning coastlines and remote outer islands. Visit Neolithic sites with the on-board historian and World Heritage listed St Kilda. Explore fantastic sea caves, cliffs, sea stacks, seals, puffins and thousands of seabirds in this exciting paddling playground.

**DATES** • 21 Jun – 1 Jul 2018.

## ARCTIC



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### Across the Arctic Circle

FROM  
AU\$8,525

**14 DAY TRIP** • 8 – 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Explore stone-age sites in Orkney and the Shetland Islands, follow migrating whales along Norway's dramatic coast, toast your crossing of the Arctic Circle and enter the realm of the polar bear in Spitsbergen. Experience dramatic scenery, countless paddling opportunities and wonderful wildlife.

**DATES** • 2 – 15 Jul 2019.



## ARCTIC - SPITSBERGEN

### Spitsbergen Odyssey

FROM  
AU\$8,225

**11 DAY TRIP** • 8 – 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Circumnavigate Spitsbergen to discover a wild archipelago of vast glaciers, deep fjords, polar desert and fantastic wildlife. This voyage offers the best opportunities for seeing reindeers and polar bears with close to 24-hour daylight extending viewing opportunities. Looking to the skies, paddlers will be rewarded with the sight of millions of migratory birds, making every kayaking outing a feast for the senses.

**DATES** • 7 – 17 Jul, 17 – 27 Jul, 27 Jul – 6 Aug 2018.



## ARCTIC - GREENLAND, SPITSBERGEN & ICELAND

### Jewels of the Arctic

FROM  
AU\$10,150

**14 DAY TRIP** • 8 – 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Explore the world's largest fjords, Arctic wildlife and massive icebergs on our complete Arctic adventure. Watch for polar bears along the coast of Spitsbergen, delight in tundra walks in East Greenland and paddle among the world's largest icebergs in Scoresby Sund. Our guides love Greenland!

**DATES** • 6 – 19 Aug, 19 Aug – 1 Sep 2018.

# RUSSIAN COAST



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### Ring of Fire

FROM  
US\$8,825

**13 DAY TRIP** • 8 – 10 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Experience adventure kayaking in the Pacific Ring of Fire—the Kamchatka coastline, Kuril and Commander Islands. We'll share the water with inquisitive seals, sea otters and porpoises, while the skies are alive with thousands of sea birds. Join us as we explore, by kayak and foot, the volcanic islands, thermal pools, sea stacks, forests and rivers of the Ring of Fire!

**DATES** • 14 – 26 Jun 2018.



## RUSSIAN COAST

### Siberia's Forgotten Coast

FROM  
US\$9,550

**14 DAY TRIP** • 8 – 10 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Discover Russia's most spectacular wilderness on a voyage along Siberia's eastern coastline. Volcanoes tower above paddlers as they explore coastal rivers, pristine nature reserves and traditional fishing villages. Wildlife viewings, including brown bear, red fox and a vast array of birdlife make every outing an amazing adventure.

**DATES** • 26 Jun – 9 Jul 2018.

# ANTARCTICA



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### Antarctic Peninsula

11 DAYS FROM 12 DAYS FROM  
US\$10,550 US\$9,950

**11 & 12 DAY TRIP** • 5 – 7 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE

Antarctica is one of the most humbling and powerful places on earth and to see it by kayak is an experience of a lifetime. Each day holds unexpected wonders, from heart-stopping encounters with whales to serene paddles through narrow fjords dwarfed by enormous icebergs. Each voyage is guaranteed to have new and exciting experiences.

**DATES** • **11 DAYS:** 30 Jan – 9 Feb 2018, 7 – 17 Feb 2018, 17 – 27 Feb 2018, 25 Feb – 7 Mar 2018, 29 Dec 2018 – 8 Jan 2019, 6 – 16 Jan, 2 – 12 Mar, 10 – 20 Mar 2019. **12 DAYS:** 16 – 27 Dec 2017, 18 – 29 Dec 2018, 19 Feb – 2 Mar 2019.



## ANTARCTICA

### South Georgia, Falklands & Antarctic Peninsula

18 DAYS FROM 20 DAYS FROM  
US\$15,650 US\$15,650

**18 & 20 DAY TRIP** • 8 – 9 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE PLUS

South Georgia's snow-capped peaks tower above abandoned whaling stations reclaimed by fur seals, elephant seals and king penguins. Wandering albatross and countless seabirds soar overhead while orcas and humpback whales forage nearby. South Georgia is THE destination for the wildlife lover!

**DATES** • **18 DAYS:** 27 Dec 2017 – 13 Jan 2018, 13 – 30 Jan 2018, 7 – 24 Mar 2018, 1 – 18 Dec 2018, 16 Jan – 2 Feb 2019, 2 – 19 Feb 2019, 20 Mar – 6 Apr 2019. **20 DAYS:** 27 Nov – 16 Dec 2017.



## ANTARCTICA

### Sub-Antarctic Safari

FROM  
US\$12,150

**15 DAY TRIP** • 7 – 8 DAYS KAYAKING ● MODERATE PLUS

New trip! Don't miss out on this extraordinary opportunity to spend three extra days in the wildlife oasis of South Georgia and explore the magic of seldom visited outer islands in the Falklands.

**DATES** • 24 Mar – 7 Apr 2018.

# SUBANTARCTIC ISLANDS



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### Galápagos of the Southern Ocean

FROM  
US\$8,375

**13 DAY TRIP** • 5 – 7 DAYS KAYAKING  MODERATE PLUS

The rich biodiversity of the subantarctic islands of New Zealand and Australia ensure UNESCO World Heritage status. Our expeditions offer a wealth of sea kayaking opportunities to wildlife rich Macquarie Island, Campbell Island, Auckland Islands and The Snares. The islands are home to a vast array of albatross, penguins, petrels and elephant seals, ensuring priceless wildlife encounters.

**DATES** • 21 Dec 2017 – 2 Jan 2018.



## SUBANTARCTIC ISLANDS

### Forgotten Islands of South Pacific

FROM  
US\$5,250

**8 DAY TRIP** • 4 – 5 DAYS KAYAKING  MODERATE PLUS

Remote, uninhabited and on no regular shipping route, the Snares, Auckland and Campbell Islands offer an adventurous paddling playground with extraordinary wildlife. Dramatic coastlines, windswept Rata forests and megaherb fields are home to immense numbers of seabirds including Yellow eyed, Rockhopper and Crested penguins. Natural history at its best!

**DATES** • 14 – 21 Dec 2017.

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## TRIP CATEGORIES

### KAYAK/CAMPING TRIPS

Self-contained sea kayak and camping adventures to the world's most beautiful destinations! Trips include meals (while kayaking), camping and kayak gear, local transport, fees, permits and professional guides. Hotel accommodation, where included, is based on twin share.

### KAYAK/YACHT TRIPS

Traditional sailboats give the flexibility to travel further and paddle empty kayaks each day. Trips include exclusive boat charter, all meals on board, kayak gear, local transport, fees, permits and professional guides. Hotel accommodation, where included, is based on twin share and cabins are generally comfortable twin berths.

### KAYAK/HOTEL TRIPS

Kayak and hotel based adventures are ideal for a little luxury! Group hotels are small, characterful and based on twin share rooms. Single supplements are available. Trips include meals (while kayaking), kayak gear, local transport, fees, permits and professional guides.

### KAYAK/SHIP TRIPS

Our ice-strengthened expedition ships, *Polar Pioneer* and *Spirit of Enderby*, provide a comfortable base for our paddlers in polar, subantarctic and tropical environments. Accommodation is simple yet comfortable; all cabins have outside portholes and air-conditioning. The ships have medical services, a library, cosy bar and qualified chefs. Costs depend on the cabin chosen.

