

Round Trip in Sardinia 2024

From the Islands south-west to the Island north-east

Small groups maximum. 8 Persons

Travel Calendar:

March-June, September-November

Arrival Day

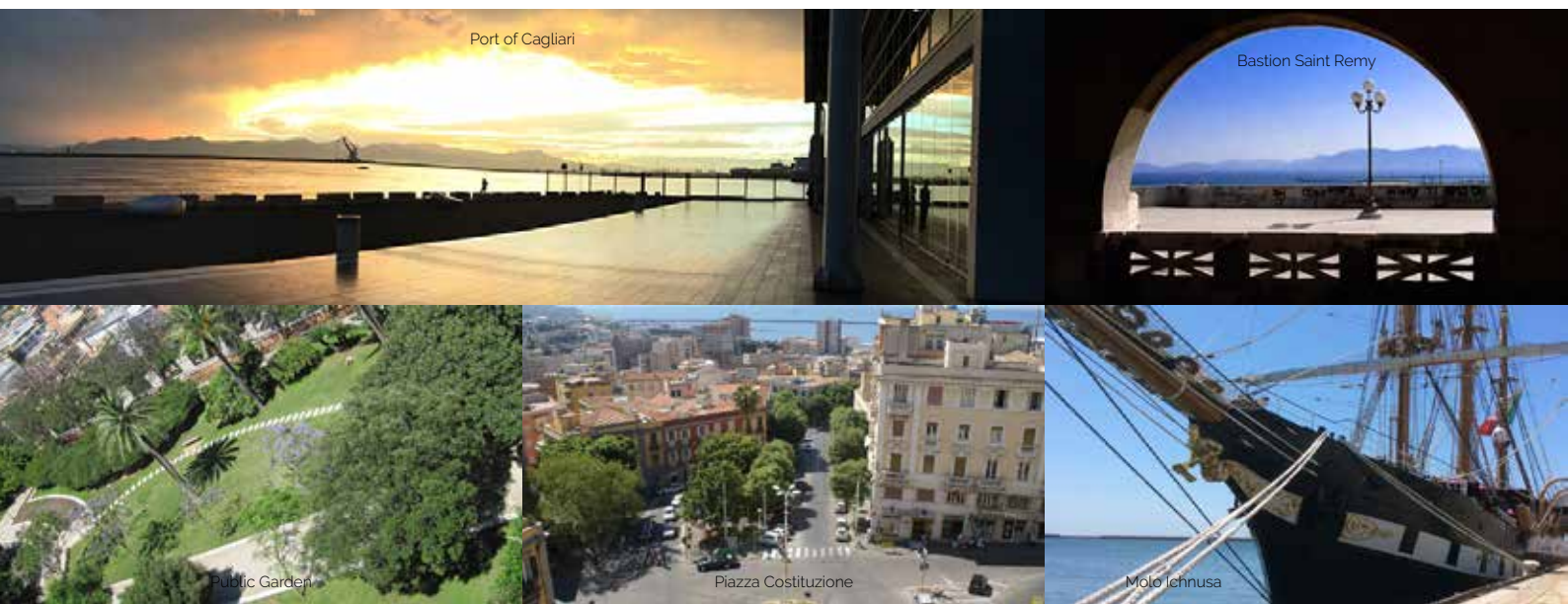
We will pick you up at Cagliari Airport and take you to your accommodation. In the evening, you can join us at the welcome dinner where you meet our team as well the other participants.



Photos of Cagliari

1° Day

In the morning we organize a city-tour of the most beautiful spots in Cagliari, a stop at the salt flats to see the flamingos, a stop at the city's beach and a visit to the local market. In the afternoon you'll have a relaxed stroll through the historical part of the town, with a visit to a Museum, the tower of San Pancrazio, the Royal palace, the cathedral and the bastion of Saint Remy. Finally, we bring you to an amazing café with the best ice-cream in the entire Island. Then you will be



2° Day



Photos of the south west coast

2° Day

We drive you down along the beautiful south-coast, eventually reaching the Sant'Antioco peninsula. Along the way we stop at various panoramic points with amazing views over turquoise-colored bays and coves. Along the coast we will provide you with interesting information about local history, nature and wild- life. In Sant'Antioco, we visit the only person left in the world who makes marine byssus (sea-silk). This is a goose bump experience. We then we go to visit the catacombs under the Basilica of the protector of Sardinia. The church was built in the 5th century BCE and is one of the oldest in the island. Back on the mainland we will show you some enchanting views of the west-coast. On the way through the fascinating old mining areas in the mountains, we stop to see "the queen". Before we reach Cagliari you will see varied landscapes with castles, salt lakes and a breathtaking view over the gulf of Cagliari.



Impressions of the south west



3° Day

After you check out from the hotel, we pick you up and head in a north-east direction. Our first stop is in San Sperate, where we visit the 'sound stone' garden of Pinuccio Sciola. Here you can hear the sound of the universe, perhaps for the first time in your life. After that, a walk through the streets of the town, which is decorated with more than 500 murals.



Photos of San Sperate

We then drive on towards the center of the Island. On the way we have two choices: we can stop at the Roman thermal baths where you can relax in the natural pools on the river, or we can visit the amazing 'Holy well sanctuary called the 'Pozzo di Santa Christina', built around 1100 BCE. Later on we drive through the charming mountains of Oliena to the Hotel, the 'Rifugio di Su Gorropu'. It's a charming place in the middle of the mountains with an incredible view over the canyon and the mountains. The local food is of the highest quality and is all homemade. This is your chance to experience the real Sardinia. The oldest family of the world lives in these mountains and there is the highest concentration of people over one hundred years old in Europe.



Roman Thermal Bath



Sanctuary Santa Cristina



Su Gorropu



4° Day

The Valley of Lanaittu



Photos of the Mueseum



4° Day

We visit the museum in Dorgali. It's rich in archeological treasures from different periods: stone age, Nuragic (bronze age), Phoenician and Roman periods. You need this knowledge before we head for our next visit to the Nuraghe of Sos Carros. We then enter the fascinating valley of



Monte Leone

Lanaittu. Exploring this area you have the feeling that time has stood still for thousands of years. It's a magical place where we visit the water temple of the Nuragic People, the "Eye of the wind" cave (Sa Oche e Su Bentu), the Corbeddu cave where they found human remains dating back 25,600 years and which was once the shelter of the most infamous bandits. On the way back we take a short walk to visit the deepest natural water source in the Island.



Sa Oche e' su Bentu



Sos Carros



Su Gologone



5° Day

We drive to Mamoiada. The town is famous for hosting the original Sardinian Carnival and for its incredibly tasty wine. First we visit the museum of masks. Then we have a wine-tasting session with local delicacies made by the most famous wine producers in the area.



Museum of the mask and wine tasting

If then there is some time left we go to the charming medieval town of Galtelli, where we drive up to the top of the mountain to visit the big bronze statue of Jesus on a cross 12 meters high. The panorama from there is breathtaking. A view over the Gulf of Orosei and the mountains above Lula and the Supramonte.



Galtelli



View over Lula



6° Day



Photo over Palau

6° Day

A tour to the Island of La Maddalena along the gorgeous coastline of the Costa Smeralda. We take the ferry (20min) to the Island to visit the charming town. You will love this place. On the Island you may like to eat some fish specialities in one of the nice little restaurants along the port.



Pictures of the places we are going to see

In the afternoon we head back to Palau, where we drive you up to 'bear rock', a huge granite rock that is the symbol of the town.



7° Day

After our breakfast, we load our luggage into the car and we are then ready to drive down to the Giants' Tomb S'Ena e' Thomes" (1800-1600 BCE:). Then we drive back to Cagliari and on our way we stop at the Nuragic fortress Nuraghe Losa. This building is unbelievable and it will be your



Photos of San Sperate

Indiana Jones experience of the tour. Finally, we reach Cagliari in the late afternoon. You check into your hotel where you can freshen up and relax a little bit before I pick you up to go to the best fish restaurant in town.

Departure Day: Check out from the Hotel, and ride to the Airport.



Nuraghe Losa 1200 B.c



General Information

The Round Trips are organized with a minibus taking a maximum of 8 guests plus driver on board and using a maximum of 2 vehicles for the week's tour. We visit places you cannot reach with coaches. With us, in 7 days you see more than you can see by coach in 10 days. We save a lot of time because we are a small group and with our vehicles we get to places where there are no coach parks crowding the sights. As we take only small groups, the minimum/maximum?? number of participants is 8 persons per vehicle.

Our trips are for guests who value quality and like a friendly informal atmosphere. Tripadvisor has awarded us the certificate of excellence.

We select our accommodation very carefully. What is most important for us is good management, excellent food, cleanliness and good comfortable beds.

We prefer not to have frequent changes of accommodation, but to settle down in strategically important areas from where we can visit as much as possible with minimum expenditure of time. The whole check-in and check-out procedure takes so long that you would lose about half a day in the week, which can be better used for sightseeing.

Our guests especially appreciate the fact that they do not have to constantly pack and unpack suitcases.

Half-board is included in our weekly offer. From experience we know that in Sardinia we eat too much and most of the time our guests at noon like to have just a little or even no food. During the day there is always the possibility of a snack to eat. You can also get a packed lunch directly in the accommodation where we stay.

Your flight is not included in our offer. Since we have guests from all countries, we are unfortunately unable to include the flight. You can book the flight directly in your travel agency or online. In spring as well as in autumn there are a lot of low cost offers to reach Sardinia with Easyjet, Ryanair, Eurowings etc. As soon as we have all data of arrival and departure we redefine the program.

What is included

- Transfer to and from the airport
- 7 nights with breakfast and dinner (the dinner on the day of arrival and the evening before the departure will not be consumed in the hotel. The transport is included.
- All tickets for the sights described in the program as well as the ferry to the island of "La Maddalena"
- Wine tasting with local delicacies

What else do we offer

At least once a day we can offer you a ride to the supermarket. Should there be any time left in our day program, we always like to add something extra so that you can experience as much as possible. Where possible, we like to satisfy all our guests' desires. This means that if special requests are made and the group agrees we can change and adapt our program. In small groups we can be very flexible and it is satisfying for us to please you.

Changing the travel itinerary

It is rare that we have to make a program change, though possible reasons can be: weather conditions, unannounced strikes or early unannounced closure of visiting sites. In these cases, we offer an alternative program of at least an equivalent or usually higher-quality.

Souvenirs

Sardinia has a large selection of first-class souvenirs.

For the ladies there is fantastically beautiful filigree gold jewelry, cork shoes, cork sandals, cork bags, ceramics, baskets, fabrics, cookbooks and carpets.

Popular among the men are folding knives (very popular with collectors), masks, bronze statues, pecorino cheese, local salsiccia (sausage), prosciutto, olive oil, wine and grappa.

These can be purchased almost anywhere and most of the stores can send the goods to your home, so you have no excess weight in the suitcase.

How to dress

Sardinia has a very mild climate, but in the spring and autumn it can be a little nippy on some days. Also, at night you should have a jacket for precaution. We recommend comfortable clothes and sturdy shoes. Walking shoes won't be necessary, so light trekking or sports shoes are just the thing.

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Climate

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Climate data for Cagliari, altitude 4 m													[hide]
Months	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
Average high °C (°F)	14.3 (57.7)	14.8 (58.6)	16.5 (61.7)	18.6 (65.5)	22.3 (72.2)	27.3 (81.1)	30.4 (86.7)	30.8 (87.4)	27.4 (81.3)	23.1 (73.6)	18.3 (64.9)	15.4 (59.7)	21.7 (71.1)
Daily mean °C (°F)	9.8 (49.8)	10.9 (50.5)	11.8 (53.2)	13.7 (56.7)	17.7 (63.9)	21.7 (71.1)	24.7 (76.5)	26.2 (79.2)	22.9 (73.2)	18.4 (65.1)	13.8 (56.8)	11.0 (51.8)	16.7 (62.1)
Average low °C (°F)	5.5 (41.9)	6.8 (44.2)	7.1 (44.8)	8.9 (48)	12.4 (54.3)	16.2 (61.2)	18.9 (66)	19.6 (67.3)	17.1 (62.8)	13.7 (56.7)	8.3 (46.9)	6.6 (43.9)	11.8 (53.2)
Average rainfall mm (inches)	49.7 (1.957)	52.3 (2.098)	40.4 (1.591)	29.7 (1.563)	26.1 (1.028)	11.9 (0.469)	4.1 (0.161)	7.5 (0.295)	34.9 (1.374)	92.8 (3.653)	93.4 (3.677)	48.6 (1.91)	427.5 (16.831)
Average rainy days (≥ 1.0 mm)	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.0	4.4	2.1	0.8	1.3	4.3	8.5	7.4	7.4	61.6
Mean monthly sunshine hours	136.4	138.2	186.0	213.9	269.7	288.0	334.8	310.9	246.0	198.4	147.0	127.1	2,595.8

Source: Servizio Meteorologico,^[1] Hong Kong Observatory^[2] for data of sunshine hours

Booking

You can book through the travel agency that we indicate in our e-mail. Since the flight is not included, the travel agency can help you to book travel if you wish. In the low season you can find a lot of good prices with Easyjet, Ryanair etc.

The price for the week's tour is calculated based on standard double rooms for a couple. For singles, a surcharge of €30 /day applies.

Cancellation fees

If you have booked the trip and need to cancel, you will be charged for any costs that you may be reimbursed by your cancellation insurance. Please remember to notify this in writing to your travel agency.

Pricing

Round trip 1 Week

March - June, September - November

Group with 2 Persons 1680€/Person

Group with 4 Persons 1580€/Person

Group with 6 Persons 1360€/Person

Group with 8 Persons 1240€/Person

10% Discount: March, April, October, November

The weektour include: 7 nights with breakfast and dinner, airport transfer, tickets of all sites to visit and 1 wine tasting.

Our special offer: If you bring a group of 8 Persons together, for you as the organizer you save 50%.

Costs for cancellation

60-31 days before departure 20% of the total package

30-25 days before departure 50% " " "

24-18 days before departure 75% " " "

17-00 days before departure 90% " " "

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