

10 DAY BUCKET LIST TOUR

ICELAND & THE NORTHERN LIGHTS

\$4599

PER
PERSON
TWIN
SHARE

TYPICALLY **\$7999**

REYKJAVIK • GULLFOSS FALLS • THE BLUE LAGOON

THE OFFER

With the rumble of volcanoes, geysers gushing, glaciers making paths through mountains and the awe-inspiring colours of the aurora borealis shining through the night sky, the ever changing landscapes of Iceland will make you feel insignificant, if not completely transformed by the experience.

See the highlights of Iceland on this 10 day bucket list package taking in the great waterfalls, geysers, glaciers and more. Tour Iceland's capital Reykjavik, take a boat cruise on the scenic Breidafjörður fjord, see the beauty of Icelandic horses and search for the aurora borealis - the natural phenomenon that light up the night sky. Explore the UNESCO listed Þingvellir National Park, see the iconic Gullfoss Waterfalls of the Hvítá River, take a dip in the geothermal Blue Lagoon and so much more. Includes return international flights, 7 nights hotel accommodation, nine meals, English speaking tour guides and more!

See London's iconic landmarks including Trafalgar Square, Tower of London and London Eye, plus enjoy a day at leisure in London to explore at your own pace on the 13 day pre-tour extension package.

10 DAY PACKAGE

\$4599

13 DAY PACKAGE

\$5199

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THE ITINERARY

Itinerary - 1: 10 Day Package

Day 1 Australia - Reykjavik, Iceland

Today depart from Sydney, *Melbourne, Brisbane, *Adelaide or Perth for Reykjavik, Iceland. Fly with award winning airlines such as Etihad, Emirates, Qatar Airways, and Singapore Airlines, to name a few (subject to availability).

Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Welcome to Reykjavik

Upon arrival transfer to the hotel by hotel shuttle.

Overnight: Hotel Klettur or similar, Reykjavik

Meals included: None

Day 3 Reykjavik City Tour & Borgarfjörður Saga Valley – Begin 6 night Northern Lights Academy Program

After breakfast meet the tour guide who will show you the highlights of Iceland's exciting capital city. Afterwards the tour heads west to Borgarfjörður, known as the Saga Valley because of its many important historical events. Get a chance to climb the Grábrók Volcano crater and visit Deildartunguhver, one of Europe's most powerful hot springs which produces 180L of water per second which is nearly boiling at 97° Celsius. In the valley you will also visit Hraunfossar, a series of waterfalls pouring from beneath a wide lava field. Next visit nearby Barnafoss – the children's falls, with its own tragic tale. The afternoon includes a lecture about the Northern Lights - this is the beginning of the six-night Northern Lights Academy (see the Important Information for more details). After dinner (not included) step into the hotel garden in search of the Northern

Lights followed by a hot cup of hot chocolate or tea.

Overnight: Icelandair Hotel Hamar or similar, Borganes

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 4 Snæfellsnes Peninsula & Fjord Cruise (approx. 250km)

Today head to the Snæfellsnes Peninsula, "the peninsula of the snowy mountain", located on Iceland's west coast, and in many ways a microcosm of the whole island. The region is characterised by a rugged mountain chain that runs its length. Travel to the charming fishing town of Stykkishólmur for a cruise in the Breiðafjörður Fjord. After a light lunch (included), a uniquely Icelandic "treat" awaits you at Bjarnarhöfn, where they make Hákarl – fermented shark. Depending on road and weather conditions, visit the fishing village of Grundarfjörður, a place with an impressive coastline, mountains, lakes and waterfalls behind the village. Jutting out into the bay rises one of the most photographed mountains in Iceland, Mt. Kirkjufell. On the way back to Borganes the guide will give you some practical tips on how to photograph the Aurora. Naturally, once darkness falls head out into the hotel garden to look for the Northern Lights and perhaps even enjoy a soak in the hotel's outdoor hot tubs.

Overnight: Icelandair Hotel Hamar or similar, Borganes

Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch

Day 5 Golden Circle, Geothermal Taste & Icelandic Horses (approx. 220 km)

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those sheep! Continue inland to Þingvellir National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Travel the Golden Circle route and see steam rising from the Geysir geothermal fields as you arrive. There are a variety of hot springs and bubbling pools to explore. The original geyser is now dormant but has been replaced by Strokkur, “the Churn”, which erupts at 5-10 minute intervals. The chef of the Restaurant Geysir invites you to taste freshly baked hot spring bread served with Icelandic butter, geothermal boiled eggs and herring. It’s best served with a small glass of Geysir Schnapps, very cold – nearly freezing. Head to Gullfoss, a double waterfall that tumbles 34m into the Hvítá River and attracts tourists and travellers in both summer and winter. In the afternoon, you will learn about Icelandic horses, their special qualities and history before visiting a geothermal greenhouse. Afterwards continue onwards to the accommodation in south Iceland. Tonight, step into the darkness and search for the elusive Northern Lights. You can choose to search for the lights from a comfortable hot tub in the garden of the hotel, amidst the peace and stillness of rural Iceland.

Overnight: Hotel Eldhestar or similar, Hveragerð

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 6 Natural Wonders of South Iceland & Volcano Centre (approx. 220 km)

Today travel along the south coast of Iceland to the Lava and Volcano Exhibition Centre, (entrance included) where you will learn about the geology of active volcanoes. Further east visit one of Iceland’s finest folk museums (entrance included). This museum contains an outstanding collection of farm and domestic artefacts from Iceland’s past and several turf built houses. Nearby is Skógafoss Waterfall which is 60m high and one of the most impressive waterfalls in the country. In

the afternoon take a stroll on the black lava beach and along bird cliffs at Reynisfjara in south Iceland. Spend the next two nights near Kirkjubæjarklaustur in the Vatnajökull National Park region, located in darkness and ideal for Northern Lights searching.

Overnight: Icelandair Hotel Kirkjubæjarklaustur or similar, Kirkjubæjarklaustur

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 7 Skaftafell National Park & Vatnajökull Glacier (approx. 280 km)

Today is all about glaciers, ice and icebergs. Travel to Jökulsárlón, a glacial lagoon filled with floating icebergs, and explore the extraordinary site. If you are lucky you might spot seals swimming in the arctic waters. You can also walk along the black sandy beach where large icebergs get stranded. In the afternoon visit the tiny turf church at Hof and spend time at Europe’s largest national park, which has Iceland’s highest mountains, an alpine environment, and Europe’s largest glacier. In the evening enjoy a film presentation about the Northern Lights. Be careful not to go to bed too soon in this remote and quiet location or you may just miss out one more chance of seeing the Northern Lights shimmering and dancing across the night sky.

Overnight: Icelandair Hotel Kirkjubæjarklaustur or similar, Kirkjubæjarklaustur

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 8 South Shore, Reykjavik & The Blue Lagoon (approx. 370 km)

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The black lava beach with high bird cliffs and pounding waves is an impressive sight. Further west reach the high but narrow Seljalandsfoss Waterfall which plunges from the mountain. In the afternoon return to Reykjavik and enjoy approximately 2 hours of leisure time to explore Iceland's capital on your own. Perhaps visit museums, do some shopping or simply enjoy a rest. Early this evening enjoy a soak in the famous Blue Lagoon (entrance and towel included). An otherworldly wonder in the heart of a volcanic landscape, experience the radiant powers of geothermal seawater. After an Icelandic farewell dinner at a local restaurant, you will experience one last nocturnal tour to seek more Northern Lights. Arrive back into Reykjavik around midnight.

Overnight: Hotel Klettur or similar, Reykjavik

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Day 9 Reykjavík, Iceland - Australia

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Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Welcome to London

Upon arrival be met by the tour leader and transferred to the hotel.

Overnight: Hotel Ibis Earl's Court, London or similar

Meals included: None

Day 3 London City Tour

This morning depart from the hotel for a panoramic half day guided tour of London. Take in famous sights such as Trafalgar Square, Piccadilly Circus, Covent Garden, Regent Street, Oxford Street and more. See the Albert Memorial, Royal Albert Hall, Parliament House and the London Eye Ferris wheel. Next travel past the Tower of London; a medieval fortress built in the year 1078 by William the Conqueror, before returning to the hotel. Enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure.

Overnight: Hotel Ibis Earl's Court, London or similar

Meals included: Breakfast

Day 4 London Free Day

Today enjoy a day at leisure in the capital of England. You might like to use this time to explore London's rich history and culture, or sample some of the cities world class restaurants or markets.

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Meals included: Breakfast



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Meals included: Breakfast;Dinner

Day 12 Reykjavik, Iceland - Australia

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Day 13 Arrive in Australia

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TOUR INCLUSIONS

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the magic of beautiful Iceland
- Seek out the famed northern lights – an amazing natural phenomenon
- Discover the highlights of Reykjavik on a guided tour
- Visit amazing Borgarfjörður, known as the Saga Valley
- Take the chance to climb the incredible Grábrók Volcano crater
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- Witness Hraunfossar, a series of waterfalls pouring from beneath a wide lava field
- See beautiful Barnafoss – ‘the Children’s Falls’
- Discover the Snæfellsnes Peninsula, known as “the peninsula of the snowy mountain”
- Enjoy a boat cruise on scenic Breidafjörður Fjord
- Take the chance to taste Hákarl a unique Icelandic treat
- See Þingvellir National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage site
- Journey along the spectacular Golden Circle route
- Taste hot spring geothermal baked bread and eggs
- Witness the amazing double waterfall, Gullfoss
- Visit an Icelandic horse stables and a geothermal greenhouse
- Learn about the geology of active volcanoes at the Lava and Volcano Exhibition Centre
- Visit the outstanding Skógar Folk Museum and turf houses
- Witness the impressive Skógafoss Waterfall
- Stroll along the stunning black lava beach at Reynisfjara
- Explore extraordinary Jökulsárlón, a glacial lagoon filled with floating icebergs
- Experience dramatic glaciers, ice, waterfalls and icebergs
- Enjoy a photo stop in impressive Vík
- Swim in the enchanting Blue Lagoon thermal baths

FLIGHTS

Return international flights (economy class) departing SYD/*MEL/BNE/*ADL/PER

ACCOMMODATION

7 nights in quality hotel accommodation

DINING

Enjoy 9 meals including daily breakfast

TOUR ESSENTIALS

- English speaking tour guides
- Airline taxes and surcharges

TRANSPORT

Transportation by modern vehicles

TRANSFERS

Return airport transfers in Iceland

13 Day Iceland Explorer

- All of the 10 Day Package inclusions, plus the following:
- One way international flight (economy class): London to Reykjavik
- 3 nights quality hotel accommodation
- Enjoy 3 additional meals
- Enjoy a guided city tour of bustling London
- See the Tower of London, the Albert Memorial and more
- Relax or explore on a day free at leisure in London
- Airport to hotel transfer in London (day 2)



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

*Please note: all information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.

BOOKING INFORMATION

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. The Passenger Information Form must be completed within 72 hours of purchase.

Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

On purchasing this Travel Offer you are bound by the General Terms and Conditions, in addition to the specific terms and conditions outlined in this Important Information.

Please note: all additional charges are payable direct to your Travel Consultant in AUD (unless otherwise stated).

OFFER ESSENTIALS

Travel offer is valid for travel on selected dates until the 5th March 2020.

This travel offer is priced for one person based on twin share.

Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers a mandatory single supplement applies:

- 10 Day Package: \$560
- 13 Day Package: \$860

Departure Dates (2019)

Please see TripADeal website for current departure dates.

Departure Cities

Sydney, *Melbourne, Brisbane, *Adelaide

or Perth

Interstate Surcharges

*Melbourne or *Adelaide: \$250 per person

Please note:

* This fee includes a mandatory 2 night stopover in Doha due to flight scheduling. Please note customers will arrive back into Australia on Day 13 (standard package) and Day 16 (extension package).

^ For solo travellers ex Melbourne and Adelaide a further mandatory single supplement of \$250 applies. Once your booking has been made a representative from TripADeal will contact you with regards to making payment.

FLIGHTS

Full Service Airline(s) Used

Etihad Airways, Emirates, British Airways, Singapore Airlines, Cathay Pacific, Virgin Atlantic, Royal Brunei, Lufthansa, Swiss Airways, Austrian Airlines, Scandinavian Airlines, Qatar Airways, Air France, KLM, Finnair, Virgin Australia, Thai Airways, Korean Airlines, Malaysia Airlines, China Southern Airlines, China Eastern Airlines, Turkish Airlines, Oman Air, Garuda Indonesia, Vietnam Airlines, Air China, China Airlines, Malindo Airlines plus codeshare partners (subject to availability).

Please note: One way flights can not be accommodated. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Arrive early in Reykjavík, Iceland (10 Day package only)

\$200 per person, subject to availability

Please note:

- This fee does not include extra nights accommodation, meals or airport transfers.
- No flight booking changes or cancellations permitted after air tickets have been issued.
- Flight changes are subject to availability at

the time of booking.

- Not permitted during and including the following dates: 1st September – 13th October 2019 and 29th November 2019 – 20th January 2020.

Arrive early in London, England (13 Day package only)

\$200 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

- If you are interested in this option, please contact our friendly reservations team at TripADeal to make this booking and provide your preferred travel dates. This arrive early option is not available through the online check out.
- This fee does not include extra nights accommodation, meals or airport transfers.
- No flight booking changes or cancellations permitted after air tickets have been issued.
- Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.
- Not permitted during and including the following dates: 1st September – 13th October 2019 and 29th November 2019 – 20th January 2020.

Stay behind in Reykjavík, Iceland

\$200 per person, subject to availability.

Please note:

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- Not permitted during and including the following dates: 29th November 2019 – 20th January 2020.

Stopover Packages

Twin share: \$450 per person/one way

Solo Traveller: \$700 one way

Locations:

* Doha

Includes:

- 2 Nights in 4 star accommodation
- Daily breakfast
- Return airport transfers



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Please note:

- Only one stopover is permitted, it can be either an inbound or an outbound stopover.
- Stopovers are not available for purchase ex Adelaide and Melbourne as these are already included in the interstate surcharge.
- Stopover packages are subject to availability.

Flight Class Upgrades

- Premium Economy: Not available.
- Business Class (Australia – Iceland - Australia / Australia – England and Iceland - Australia): Buy now for \$6999 per person

Please note:

- All Premium Economy and Business Class upgrades are subject to availability (if we are not able to fulfill your business class request the upgrade cost will be refunded).
- On any upgrade purchase, short haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed in a Premium or Business cabin; subject to aircraft configuration.
- If Abu Dhabi, Dubai or Doha stopovers are offered, Premium Economy upgrades will not be available.

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation Used

10 Day Package

3-4 Star (self-rated):

- Reykjavik: Hotel Klettur or similar
- Borganes: Icelandair Hotel Hamar or similar
- Hveragerdi: Hotel Eldhestar or similar
- Kirkjubæjarklaustur: Icelandair Hotel or similar

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3-4 Star (self-rated):

- London: Hotel Ibis Earl's Court or similar
- Please note: Accommodation/rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type, and are subject to availability based on seasonality. Properties will be confirmed, no later than two weeks prior to travel.*

Extra Nights

- Reykjavik, Iceland (Pre/Post Tour): \$320 per room including breakfast.

- London, England (Pre Tour / 13 Day package only): \$290 per room including breakfast.

Please note: extra nights are based on room only and subject to availability until the time of booking. Airport transfers are not included if you wish to arrive early or stay behind.

Maximum Room Capacity

3 people (subject to availability).

Child Policy

- No child discounts. Full price applies for all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for Children/infants 12 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors allowed.

Triple Share

No discounts apply for 3rd person travelling. Full price applies, subject to availability.

Please note: Triple shares may be required to share existing bedding.

Bedding Configuration

Double or twin bedding (subject to availability).

Adjoining / Interconnecting Rooms

Subject to availability and at the hotels discretion. Please enquire on booking if you require this option.

GENERAL TOUR INFORMATION

Minimum group size 2, maximum group size 45 per vehicle.

Please note: the 13 Day Package with London Pre Tour Extension, has a minimum group size of 10.

EXCLUSIONS

- Visa fees and requirements (A visa is not required if travelling on an Australian passport).
- Meals/beverages not stated in the itinerary.
- Optional gratuities/tipping.
- Optional activities/tours.
- Personal expenses.
- Hotel to airport transfer in London (day 5 /

extension package only).

- Travel insurance (Mandatory).

Please note: A comprehensive travel Insurance policy must be organised BEFORE all details can be finalised.

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Northern Lights:

This program includes a special six-night Northern Lights Academy – which means that during 6 evenings there is a combination of presentations, lectures, a film and guided searches for the Aurora Borealis – the Northern Lights. All countryside hotels in this program offer a Northern Lights wake up call for guests that register for that special service at the hotel reception. The Northern Lights Exploration series are designed to spend 6 evenings in the countryside to maximise the chances of seeing the elusive Northern Lights, still the tour is dependent on weather and therefore sightings are not guaranteed. The Northern Lights are in the northern hemisphere from September through April but are only visible when the sky is clear and free of clouds. Like many natural wonders, the Northern Lights are ephemeral – they may be visible, they may appear for a bit and then be gone (it is not a TV show that you can just turn on and off). But it is worth the patience which is much required. Because they are a winter event, you need to be prepared to wait outside while looking for them. It is best to dress very warmly, in layers, with good footwear, gloves, hats and whatever else makes you comfortable while you await patiently for this truly outstanding event. For the best photos, a tripod is recommended.

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide:

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information



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on history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction in which he or she is guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves the group at the end of the tour, they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader:

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides in each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village, and offer information on the place visited on the bus, however they are not required to have specific knowledge on art, architecture, or history. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and if caught doing so, can be fined.

Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when particularly required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURES

Thanks to the Gulf Stream, Iceland enjoys a moderate maritime climate: cool in summer and fairly mild in winter. It is an island in the North Atlantic, nestled against the Arctic Circle, so the weather is very changeable and visitors should be prepared for the unexpected. Normal winter temperatures, like October and November range between 0-5 °C. When it comes to Iceland's weather – the one thing you can count on is unpredictability. You never know what is going to happen next! A beautiful sunny day can suddenly turn windy and rainy – then it can all change again in a moment. You may experience every weather imaginable over the course of a few days, especially in late autumn and

early spring. Important to remember when packing: Iceland is a very windy place! The best plan is to be prepared for anything and everything AND always dress in layers. The Icelanders have a saying: "there's no such thing as bad weather, just bad clothing."

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points:

At TripADeal we do not arrange seat selection. It is important to highlight that some Airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the Airline directly with seating allocation requirements and or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the Airline once you have your flight information.

Passport Validity:

Customers are required to provide valid passport details either at the time of purchase, or no later than 45 days prior to departure date. Failure to do so may result in cancellation of the booking. In this instance customers will be responsible for any costs and fees incurred.

COACH TOUR

Meals:

Daily breakfast is included in the tour, for all other meals; lunches and dinners the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, suggestions and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify TripADeal of any dietary requests/requirements. Please note; we will do our best to meet your requests/requirements, however cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

Luggage:

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on the tour. With regards to luggage, you must carry

your own luggage from the coach to the hotel room and back to the coach. The driver will assist with the uploading and off-loading of the luggage from the coach.

OTHER

Fitness Level Required / Mobility:

Our vehicles are not equipped with wheelchair access, so unfortunately our tours are currently not suitable for wheelchair users and those less mobile.

Please note: a general level of fitness will be required. If you have any concerns please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

Yellow Fever:

A valid international certificate of vaccination against Yellow Fever is required in many countries. You may need to present this on arrival at the airport or border crossing. Some countries will refuse entry if you are unable to present your certificate. It's also quite common for your home country to request a Yellow Fever certificate on your arrival back home.

It is your responsibility to check with your doctor well in advance of leaving home about the Yellow Fever requirements for the countries you'll be visiting.

Gratuities / Tipping:

Gratuities (tips) are not included in the tour price for services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. Tipping is optional and at the customer's discretion.

Sightseeing:

Please note: In the event entrance to a site is affected by changes in operating hours or public holiday closures, your itinerary will be adjusted to ensure you do not miss out on the experience.

Shopping:

Shopping overseas can be a daunting and confusing experience, especially when



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

there is a language barrier. Please be very cautious when foreign currencies and prices are involved. If paying by credit card, please pay close attention to the amount you are being charged and keep all of your receipts.

Do not make any purchases you are not comfortable with or feel pressured into. If you are uncertain or need assistance with the language barrier, please seek assistance from your Tour Guide/Leader.

Please refer to our Terms and Conditions in regards to shopping for further information.

VISAS

A tourist visa for Europe is not required for stays up to 90 days if travelling on an Australian Passport.

Please note: Passengers who are not Australian citizens must check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required. It is also important to note, some areas of employment such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations may have additional restrictions in applying for Visas. This may in turn affect the type of application required.

INSURANCE

We are proud to offer a range of travel insurance products - please ask your Travel Consultant for more information.

SCHEDULE OF FEES

Voluntary Changes

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- 1st Change - \$100.00 per person + any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel provider.
- 2nd Change - \$150.00 per person + any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel provider.

- Subsequent changes - \$250.00 per person + any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel provider.
- Changes within 30 days of departure \$350.00 person + any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel provider.
- Changes within 14 days of departure \$500.00 per person + any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel provider.

Name Changes Due To Passenger Error

- If the incorrect name has been advised to TripADeal, charges of \$150.00 per person + any additional charges applied by the airline/cruise company/accommodation/other travel provider.