Nature & Conservation Itinerary

8 days

St Helena Island
A breath of fresh air









Saturday	***14:30***	**Arrival transfer from St Helena Airport to your accommodation.** *Transfer cost approx. £25* **Enjoy an afternoon and evening at leisure.**
Sunday	***09:00***	**E-bike and hike with E-connect Tours on the main road circling the base of Diana's Peak, from White Gate via Hutt's Gate, Levelwood and Sandy Bay Ridge. Diana's Peak National Park is currently closed to visitors to stop the spread of harmful plant pathogen, but you will be able to observe some of the lush endemic ferns from the roadsides.** *Cost from £50 per person private, or £90 - £120 per small group | Tour includes pick-up and drop-off | Lunch is not included, so please arrange your own.*
	19:00	**Dine a la carte at Mantis St Helena.** *From £20 pp*
Monday	***06:00***	**Experience the beauty of our Category VI Marine Protected Area with your choice of a marine safari, whale shark encounter (seasonal), snorkel or dive.** *Dive/snorkel gear provided | Cost from £40 pp (small groups), cost varies for small private bookings | Meet at Jamestown Wharf landing steps.* **Enjoy an afternoon at leisure, or explore the treasures of Jamestown: The Museum of St Helena, Jacobs Ladder, St James' Church, The Public Library and the St Helena Archives (by appointment).**
	18:30	**Savour a farm-to-fork, 5-course meal at the rustic Farm Lodge Country House.** *Reservations required in advance | Cost approx. £45 plus £25 return taxi.*
Tuesday	***10:30***	**Plantation House tour and visit with Jonathan the Tortoise — the world's oldest known living land animal.** *Cost approx £15 pp plus £20 return taxi from Jamestown.*
	13:00	**See the St Helena wirebird in its natural habitat and tour the Millennium Forest and its nurseries. You can even plant your own endemic gumwood tree.** *Cost £55 pp plus £10 to plant a tree.*
	18:30	**Enjoy local flavours with a dinner at Anne's Place.** *Cost approx. £15 pp.*
Wednesday	***09:00***	**Forage with local botanist Stedson Stroud, and learn about both introduced and endemic species, as you hike to Blue Point. Stedson will also talk about organic farming on the island.** *Pick-up and drop-off at the Tourist Office | Cost on request.*
	17:30	**Enjoy the sunset by the sea with a local fish fry at the St Helena Yacht Club.** *Cost approx. £10 pp.*
Thursday	***AM***	**Enjoy the morning at leisure.**
	14:00	**Taste the exclusive St Helena Coffee on a coffee tour at Wranghams — a family-run business.** *From £15pp plus approx. £40 return taxi.*
Friday	***10:00***	**Guided National Trust hike to the Gates of Chaos, overlooking Lot's Wife Ponds. Here you'll learn about seabird monitoring and see Masked Boobies.**
	18:30	*Tour includes pick-up and drop-off from National Trust in Jamestown | Lunch is not included, so please arrange your own | Hiking boots recommended| Cost £55.* **Replenish those calories with a 'Bar and Grill' style meal at the Blue Lantern Restaurant.** Reservations required in advance | Cost approx. £25 pp.
Saturday	***11:30***	**Departure transfer from your accommodation to St Helena Airport.** *Transfer cost approx. £25*