

SCORESBYSUND, GREENLAND

Yachting at the Edge of the World



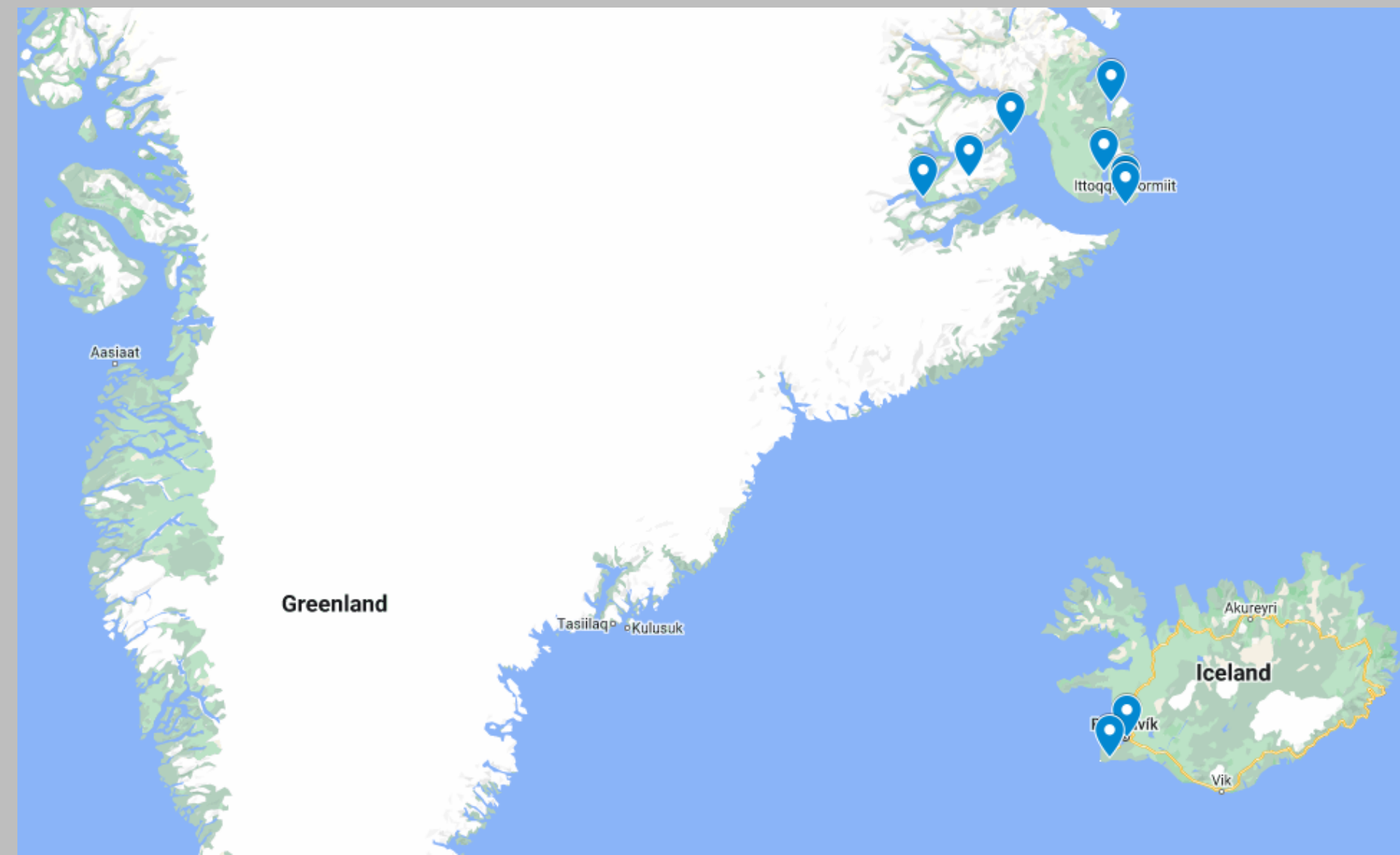
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ELEVATED LUXURY DMC
ICELAND | POLAR | NORDIC

EXCLUSIVE

LOCATION

Scoresbysund is the largest fjord complex on planet Earth, boasting mountains up to 2000m high and fjords up to 1500m deep. The oldest exposed rocks in East Greenland, approx. 3 billion years old, can be found in the innermost corners of this region. Furthermore, remains of the dinosaur Plateosaurus and early mammals, as well as footprints left behind by a small carnivorous dinosaur, have been discovered in the area.



CREW

Your local Icelandic crew upholds a professional approach to safety, sailing and navigation. The crew consists of the captain and first mate, as well as a specialist guide with a passion for sailing and thirst for adventure. Finally, the chef's love for cooking ensures you will experience everything the local environment has to offer.

CAPTAIN // ÞORKELL

Captain Þorkell is a former consultant and corporate executive. He started his career in the shipbuilding business, earning a shipbuilding master's degree. Sailing has been his passion from a young age. Þorkell holds a Master Captain's License with passenger endorsements from the Icelandic Transport Authority. His License, decades of cruising experience, his Yachtmaster offshore training and his passion for sailing in the harsh Arctic, make him our designated captain. We established the unique Luxury Adventure Expeditions onboard Vera as an alternative travel concept offering a personalized experience so that you can enjoy the adventures, exactly like our Captain does. Together you will discover the luxury of simplicity and experience the life of an explorer.

FIRST MATE // ÓLAFUR

Ólafur holds a Master Captain's License with passenger endorsements from the Icelandic Transport Authority, his passion for sailing and the Arctic makes his summers on Vera a dream come true.

FIRST MATE & GUIDE // GUNNI

Gunni is an experienced sailor and mountain guide with decades of experience as a driver and guide in the Icelandic mountains and glaciers. To fuel his passion for Polar expeditions and the far North, great open spaces, Midnight Sun, Polar Bears, Inuits, and Ice Packs, Gunni has spent many summers in Greenland as a sailor and guide. He is a highly trained individual who will share his unique understanding of the Arctic with you.

SAILOR & GUIDE // SVENNI

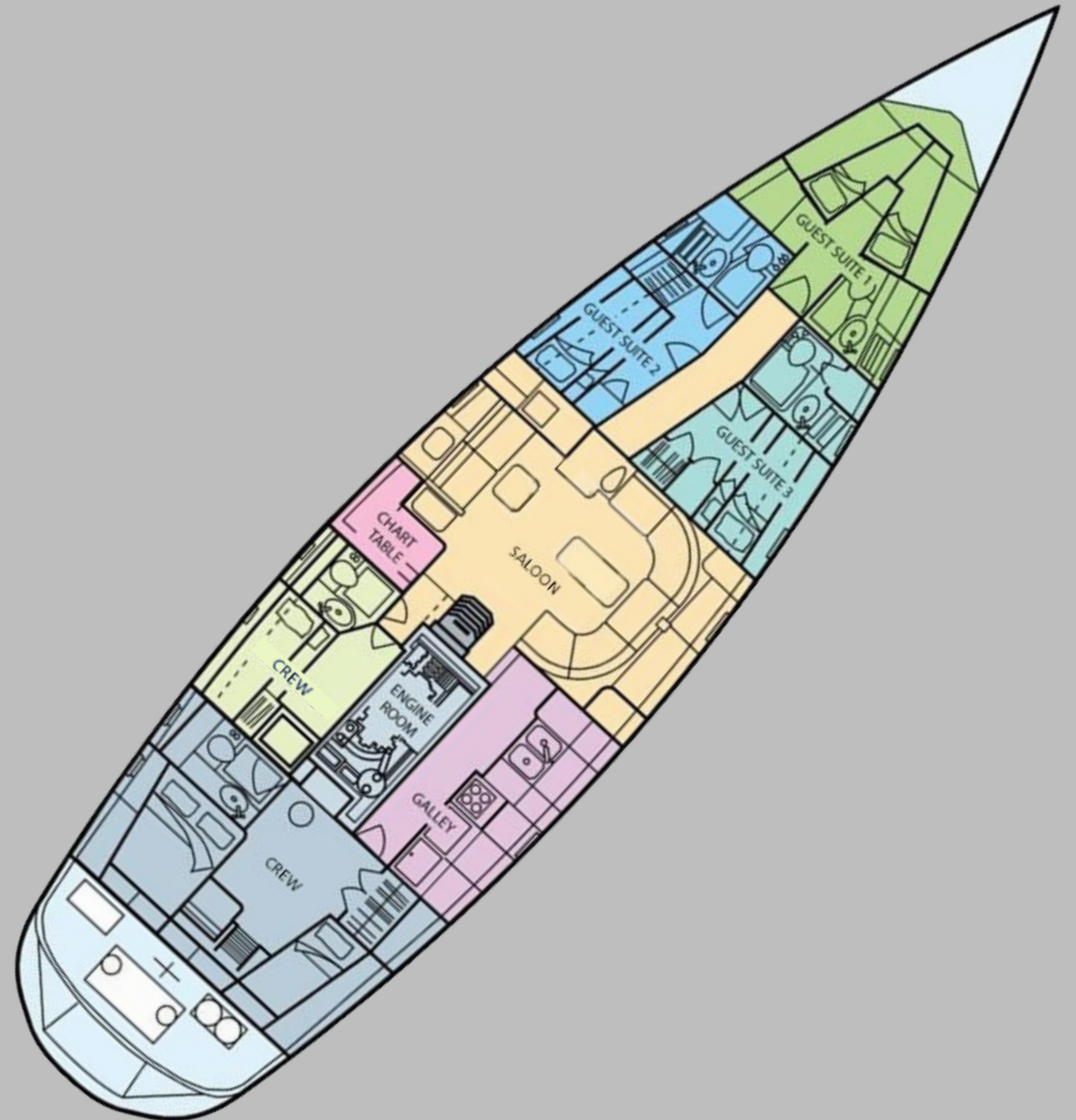
Born in a farm in the highlands of North Iceland, Svenni was exposed to the harsh nature of the Arctic from early on. He has spent many years at sea, is a qualified first-class carpenter, an experienced in guiding in the Icelandic highlands and in Greenland. Svenni is a jack of all trades, always smiling, jovial and adventurous by nature, his interest and concern for the environment led him to become a great addition to the crew



ADVENTURE YACHT // VERA

The sailing yacht Vera operates as a highly successful luxury crewed charter in Iceland and Greenland. For overnight voyages, she offers ten berths over five separate cabins, all en-suite with showers, for six guests and four crew members.

Vera is an Oyster 68. Designed by Holman and Pye and built in 1989 by Oyster Marine in England, she is an excellent cruising yacht, recognized throughout the sailing world for quality, comfort and performance. With core values of strength, seaworthiness and a multitude of practical, seamanlike features, she provides a secure environment for adventurous cruising.



DAILY ITINERARY



DAY 0 / ICELAND ARRIVAL

Upon arrival at KEF intl airport, your private driver awaits to bring you to The Reykjavik Edition for check in. Explore the capital at leisure before heading to one of the city's top restaurants for dinner.

DAY 1 / FLY TO GREENLAND

Your incredible voyage starts with a flight from Reykjavík to Constable Point in Greenland, a small airfield west of Hurray Inlet in Jameson Land. Here you will board the beautiful yacht Vera and get introduced to the crew that will accompany you on your sailing adventure. After a brief safety introduction, you will sail away and start this amazing weeklong journey. Your first stop will be the quaint village of Ittoqqortoormiit, one of the most isolated settlements in the western hemisphere. It is rarely visited by tourists, and home to only 350 inhabitants, here you will feel like you have left the world you know behind.

DAY 2 / DINOSAURS & HOT SPRINGS

Today your day starts with a helicopter sightseeing flight over the beautiful Fjords of Greenland. Your first landing will be at the uppermost Carlsberg Fjord beds, that are covered in incredible grey & red siltstone that allows for displays of wave ripples, desiccation polygons and a magnificent dinosaur trackway. Here you will have the chance to see with your own eyes the large dinosaur footprints and tiny polygonal desiccation cracks that are at least 15 million years old. Toast in champagne at this incredible location and soak in the amazing history that you are witnessing. Board your helicopter and arrive at Cape Tobin, where you will get to visit a geothermal area close to the village that has hot springs with water temperature at 62 °C. After a short stop you will return to Ittoqqortoormiit. In the afternoon, get ready to learn about the culture and history of this remote Inuit hunting community with a local guide.



DAY 3 / SAILING & POLAR BEARS

In the morning, you will set sails early and head to the stunning Vikingbukt area, where you will get close to the glacier fronts and see incredible basalt columns formations. Get ready to look for majestic Polar Bears as they are often sighted in this area. Continue your journey and arrive at your next stop, the beautiful Denmark's Island. Anchor at Hekla havn and explore the old Inuit settlement and wintering camp of the first scientific expedition at this location, that took place over a hundred years ago.

DAY 4 / ICEBERGS & HIKES

After a delicious breakfast, get ready to go hiking in the stunning Denmark's Island. Today you will get to experience what it is like to travel around this Island like the Inuits that settled here a long time ago. Explore the scientific camp that is located on the island and soak in the history of the environment you are in.

DAY 5 / BASALT PEAKS & GRANITE CLIFFS

Today you continue the journey by sailing west between incredible icebergs drifting with the currents. You will see massive mountains and granite cliffs as Vera navigates in the incredible Atlantic Ocean that surrounds Greenland. You will explore Fohnfjord with its stunning basalt mountains side and 2000 meters high granite cliffs of Milne Land. Anchor for the night close to Red Island.

DAY 6 / RED ISLAND & MUSK OX

Step ashore to explore the breath-taking red sandstone coast at Red Island. Marvel in a large number of Icebergs that have accumulated at the end of the shore. The contrast of this area is awe inspiring. Continue your adventure by sailing to Redfjord, this location is filled with massive icebergs. Hike in this incredible area and look for Musk Ox, one of the most famous animals on the island, their name in the local language is "Umimmak", which means "the long-bearded". Arrive in Rypefjord and anchor for the night.



DAY 7 / MOUNTAINS & BEAR ISLANDS

The sailing continues eastwards through island fjord, here you will witness one of the most spectacular parts of the voyage. The 2000 meters tall mountain with granite walls straight up from the sea is an unforgettable sight. Anchor at Bear Islands, one of the most beautiful locations in Scoresbysund, where you will have the opportunity to hike and explore in an incredible setting. In the evening a delicious barbecue dinner at shore awaits you.

DAY 8 / RETURN TO ICELAND

The last day of your incredible adventure is going to start with a long sailing in the fjord between the Bear Islands to arrive at the airstrip at Constable Point. Admire the breath-taking icebergs floating in the fjord as you leave the sea behind and end this magnificent voyage. Departure by flight to Reykjavík, Iceland where you will check in at the famous Blue Lagoon Retreat.

DAY 9 - BLUE LAGOON RETREAT

After your week-long adventure in the wilderness, now it's time to relax and unwind. Enjoy a full day at the otherworldly Retreat by Blue Lagoon. Soak in the milky blue waters, indulge in tranquil in-water treatments and dine at the famous Moss restaurant.

DAY 10 / DEPARTURE

Check out from the Retreat by 11am and private transfer to KEF intl airport for your departing flight.

End of Services

AVAILABILITY

2023 DATES

- 30 August – 09 September
- 06 – 16 September
- 13 – 23 September

2024 DATES

- 31 July – 10 August
- 07 – 17 August
- 14 – 24 August
- 21 – 31 August
- 28 August – 07 September

2025 DATES

- Already bookable on request

Note: Northern Lights season starts in September
Availability current as of March 2023 – contact us for updates



RATES

2023 RATES

- 2 pax - €230,890
- 4 pax - €243,890
- 6 pax - €256,890

2024 RATES

- 2 pax - €242,690
- 4 pax - €255,690
- 6 pax - €269,690

2025 RATES

- Available on request

Note: Rates are published as total per departure, incl. tax.



INCLUDED

Accommodation

- 1-night at the Reykjavik Edition, 5-star
 - Jr. Suite, DBL occupancy
- 7-nights onboard Vera Yacht
 - Access to 3x Guest Cabins w/ en-suite bathrooms
- 2-nights at the Retreat by Blue Lagoon, 5-star
 - Jr. Suite, DBL occupancy

Meals

- Daily breakfast in Iceland
- Dinner at a Michelin Star restaurant in Reykjavik on day-0
 - Chef's menu w/wine pairing
- All inclusive onboard the Yacht
 - Personal chef prepares B/L/D
 - Non-alcoholic beverages
 - House wines and spirits
- Dinner at Spa Restaurant at the Retreat on day-8
 - A la carte
- Dinner at Moss Restaurant at the Retreat on day-9
 - 7-course w/ wine pairing

Transportation

- All airport transfers in Iceland
- Return flights between Iceland and Greenland
 - Reykjavik - Constable Point - Reykjavik
 - 1x Luggage (20kg/44lbs) per person
 - 1x Personal Item (4kg/9lbs) per person
- Transfers between Constable Point airport and Yacht
- Private Yacht for the entirety of the voyage
- Helicopter for sightseeing on day-2
 - Capacity 4 persons per flight

Activities

- Onboard private activity guide, crewmember
- Exploration of Inuit Village
- Guided Hiking
- Fjord Kayaking
- Wild Animal Spotting
- Helicopter to Dinosaur Footprints Site
- Private guidance throughout
- 60min in-water treatment at the Retreat by Blue Lagoon

Other

- 24/7 Emergency Line
- Local taxes

EXCLUDED

- Any meals, beverages, activities, entry fees or services not mentioned in the included section
- Premium alcoholic beverages onboard Yacht
 - Fee applies for special import
- International flights to and from Iceland
- Excess baggage charges
 - Reykjavik-Constable Point-Reykjavik
- Personal Travel Insurance *recommended*

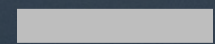
CHANGES

Special requests are welcome and catered for in every way possible.

The itinerary is highly dependent on weather and current conditions, so daily program may differ. The specialist crew will offer the best possible experience each day.



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