# 10 Day Morocco Tour October 1st - 17th 2023

(4<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>h</sup> October in Morocco)

Price - £1250 per vehicle (independent of number of passengers) £250 deposit will be required on booking and full payment will be require 2 months before departure.

#### **Accommodation**

Mix of Camping, Wild Camping, Bunk Houses and Hotels

#### What is included

Guide with own support vehicle Expertise and support Advice and Information (Before, during and after the event).

#### What is not included

UK - Europe Ferry (Allows flexibility on routes and travel times).

Spain to Morocco Ferry (By owning your own open return you have significant flexibility in extending your trip should you wish)

Accommodation or food

### **Itinerary**

This is an example of the Itinerary but it is flexible Sunday 3rd - Official meeting point in Southern Spain – although we may have already meet on the ferry and travelled down together Monday 4th – Cross to Morocco head for Chefchouan Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> Chefchouan to Azrou Wednesday 6th – Azrou - Talisint Thursday 7th – Talisint – Erg Chebi Friday 8th - Erg Chebi Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> Dessert crossing to Zagora Sunday 10th - Zagora - Erg Chegga Monday 11th - Erg Chegga - Foum Zigud Tuesday 12th - Foum Ziguid - Todra Wednesday 13th- Todra - Imchil Thursday 14th – Imchil – Mekenas Friday 15th – Mekenes – Tangier Port – Leave Morocco (Route subject to change)

# Spirit and intention of the trip

The intention of the trip is to run it with the spirit of an Overland Adventure Expedition. This means we expect to work together as a team and you will need to be an active participant in the adventure. The route and agenda are flexible depending on you and your fellow travellers abilities, vehicles and preferences, as is accommodation choices. Team work will allow us to take on more challenging and adventurous routes with that

would otherwise not be possible as individuals. Routes will be chosen based on an an assessment of the group and vehicle abilities.

This trip is intended as an offroad 4x4 adventure not a cultural tour. It will not specifically include any site seeing trips, although time aside may allow for this. (You will however see

and experience many interesting places). We will be looking to seek out challenging terrain that will test your driving skills and use the full capabilities of your 4x4 vehicles.

# **Driver/Driving Ability**

It is not necessary to have had any previous experience of "off-road" driving, however this trip is recommended for experienced drivers only. With these trips, we often find that the "on-road" driving can be more challenging than "off-road". There are long distances to cover and you can expect to be driving most of the day, every day (This is a driving holiday after all!). You are likely to be driving a right hand drive vehicle on a left hand drive road system. We recommend you are confidant driving your 4x4 in a heavily loaded state (but hopefully not to heavy!) and have previous experience of driving abroad.

## Vehicle requirements

Any well maintained full size 4x4s with a low ratio transfer box. (No Freelanders or SUVs).

It is our belief that you are best spending your money on things under your vehicle rather that things on your vehicle. Priorities should be: Reliability, Tyres, Suspension, Off-road performance and Protection.

Secondary concerns should be for things like: Roof Racks, Roof Tents, Solar Power, Additional Lights, Jerry Can holders etc

# Tyre Recommendations

Good All Terrain Tyres or Modern Mud Terrain Tyres

Eg Cooper Discover AT3, Copper Discover St Maxx or Cooper Tires Discover ST PRO

Traditional wisdom dictates all terrain tyres are best for overlanding but our experience of changeable conditions in the mountains means Mud Terrain Tyres make a good choice - make sure they have plenty of thread left!

#### Morocco costings (estimates)

Ferry UK – Spain ~ £800 (based on 2 sharing)
Santander to Algeciras 600 miles @ £1.60.1/litre Diesel
Ferry - Spain Morocco (open return) £200
Morocco 1100 Miles @ £1.10 per litre Diesel
Hotels average £40 per night for 2 people sharing
For 1-2 nights = £80
6-8 Nights Camping/Wild camping £20 a night in Spain £10 in Morocco

Not much else to spend your money on except drinking water, trinkets . Bring plenty of food (and beer/wine) from home.

Further Information will be provided with a full preparation guide at time of booking.

#### T+Cs

20% deposit at time of booking – Full payment 2 months before the start of the trip Once we receive your deposit and booking we'll send you a confirmation along with a preparation guide and our disclaimer.

# **Cancellation and Refund Policy**

Our primary objective is to see you out enjoying a 4x4 adventure in your vehicle. We are happy to cancel or reschedule your booking up to 2 months before the trip. Within 2 months refund or rescheduling is at our discretion. The only real problem occurs if your cancellation takes the number of vehicles on a trip below the minimum of 4 vehicles required to make a trip viable. If this is the case and the trip cannot be rescheduled with your fellow adventurers (who may already have committed to ferry/hotel bookings/time off work/vehicle preparation etc), then we will not be able to provide a refund. This policy is designed to minimise the chance of a cancellation affecting a trip going ahead and protects those who wish participate.

### **Hotel and Ferry Bookings**

In light of the above policy it is recommended you do not fully commit to Ferry or Hotel booking until 2 months before your trip. It is advisable that you contact us before making any commitment to a ferry or hotel bookings and we can confirm the status of a trip. 4x4 Adventure Tours provide a tour guide only service. While 4x4 Adventure Tours will provide all reasonable assistance as necessary, the ultimate responsibility for a persons safety lies with the person themselves and they accept all risks associated with themselves, their passengers and their vehicles. 4x4 Adventure Tours accepts no responsibility in the event of injury, loss or damage to any persons, vehicles or property.