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## Travel on the **Premier Classe** Train

**“Motorbike-on-Train Tour – from JHB”**

### **8-Day Train Tour Package Johannesburg to Cape Town (return)**



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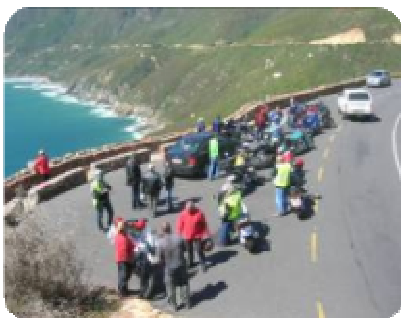


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**ABOUT THIS TOUR**

JB Train Tours invites you to join us on the **Motorbike-on-Train Tour** hosted from Johannesburg to Cape Town and return during 2010, travelling on the luxurious **Premier Classe Train**. This tour is ideal for those bikers who prefer a bit more luxury, as well as for those who would like to explore new destinations in a well structured, organised and safe manner. This is the time and opportunity to do it and to enjoy the Western Cape and Boland at its best. **24 Mountain passes; +-1020 km; in 4 days; tour guide; fun & laughter.** If you are a "big biker" and you've done all the roads and routes in Gauteng, Mpumalanga, KZN, Free State and the Lowveld, and you would like to ride **curving mountain passes, 1000's of sweeping corners** and **coastal road routes** – all on tarred roads - please read on.



This tour does follow the same routes as our other Motorbike-on-Train tour, hosted on the Trans Karoo Tourist Train and bikers on the Premier Classe train tour will ride with the other tours' bikers from Day 3 onwards. The rides 'lost' on Day 2 will be done on Day 6. Many bikers have asked for such a means of travel and after some more thorough investigation and proper planning, we are ready to take you from Gauteng to the Western Cape for a most enjoyable **motorbike-on-train tour** on the **Premier Classe** train. Visit places and travel roads that you've never seen before (or heard off); experience the scenic mountain passes with curves and corners galore; traverse the coastal roads; dine at quaint restaurants and bush pubs en route; accelerate in remote stretches and enjoy the 'fynbos' and outdoor life in the Western Cape & Boland.

Yes, the info above is correct. We'll traverse **24** mountain passes (not repeating one pass at any stage in the same direction) and travel more than a 1000km over the 4 days. There is ample time available to relax and have fun at night. JB Train Tours invites you to join us on a holiday **motorbike-on-train** tour in **2010** to Cape Town & the Western Cape. This is a **safe** and **secure** tour for individuals, families and/or groups. (Please note this is a **TOUR, NOT** a booze cruise, race or rally, neither a dull affair). It is a tour with stoppages en route to be able to enjoy the beauty & natural scenery the Cape can offer.

We have scheduled all five tours on the **Premier Classe** train with the Trans Karoo Tourist train tours during the year and you'll notice that it is NOT during the rainy season! This tour is a combination of: travelling by train ( your bike will be transported on the Trans Karoo Tourist train); enjoying Cape Town and the Western Cape; sleeping in a top class hotel with a swimming pool and other facilities;

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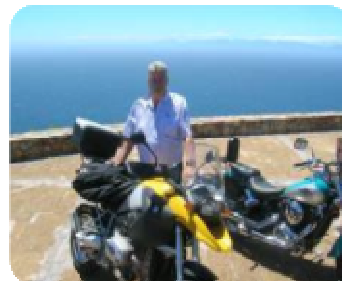
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enjoying the beach and sea, visiting the most popular tourist destinations and just relax. (All this at a very affordable rate at upmarket facilities). We have a few pleasant surprises included in the itinerary as well. The main purpose of this tour is to give bikers the opportunity to ride their bikes in another and interesting environment – with curves almost unlimited. It is not a race, though there will be a number of opportunities to use your horsepower to the full at certain spots. The different daily routes will take you past some breathtaking scenery. Our cruising speeds are within the legal limits.

The tours are scheduled to take place in summer time – hence rain should not be a problem (as the Western Cape is a winter rainfall area), but rather bring your foul weather gear with!

All the routes are on good **tarred** roads. A back-up vehicle will be on standby in case of emergency or breakdowns. **If utilised, the expenses are for the biker's pocket. Please make sure your bike is 100% roadworthy and in a good condition.** The group is limited to a **maximum of 22 motorbikes** per tour – **pillions** are obviously very welcome). I.e.: Max. 44 passengers per tour. It is not compulsory for the driver or pillion to ride every day. It could be exchanged for shopping and alternative sightseeing! This whole tour is a holiday. Are you tired of phoning, looking for accommodation and worrying about the logistics? We'll take you there. Go and **live** this unique tour!



### ABOUT THE PREMIER CLASSE TRAIN

See the FAQ document attached

### DATES

Tour No	Dates
P-MB 1	14 – 21 Feb
P-MB 2	7 – 14 Mar
P-MB 3	18 – 25 Apr
P-MB 4	19 – 26 Sept
P-MB 5	10 – 17 Oct

**Departure times:** Johannesburg, 15:00, Platform 16, Day 1 (Sun)  
Cape Town, 09:05, Platform 24, Day 7 (Sat)

**Arrival times:** Cape Town, 16:16, Platform 24, Day 2 (Mon)  
Johannesburg, 11:03, Platform 16, Day 8 (Sun)

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#### PRICES

Price/biker	Persons/compartiment	Persons/hotel room
R10 140,00	2	2
R12 540,00	1	1
Pillion pays R8 000,00		

#### Notes:

- No discount for children

#### INCLUDED IN THE TOUR PACKAGE

- Return transport from JHB to Cape Town on the luxurious Premier Classe train
- All meals and bedding on the train (breakfast, lunch, 5-course dinner & high teas)
- 5 nights' B&B accommodation in a top notch hotel in Cape Town
- Transportation of motorbike on the Trans Karoo Tourist class train
- Safe covered parking for bikes at the hotel
- Tour guide & sweeper

#### EXCLUDED FROM THE TRAIN TOUR PACKAGE

- Meals not mentioned
- Comprehensive Travel insurance (recommended)
- Entry to excursions E.G. Table Mountain: R150 pp, Robben Island: R200pp, Castle of Good Hope R25pp, South African Museum R20pp, V&A Waterfront, Botanical Gardens, Parliament, Beach – free of charge
- Expenses of a personal nature
- Fuel, toll gate fees, breakdowns or bike recovering costs
- Transfer from Worcester to CPT (on Day 6)

#### MORE TO KNOW

#### Loading of the motorbikes:

All the bikes must be brought to Platform 14 at Johannesburg Park station by latest 08:00 on the day of departure. Entry to the Platform is off Harrison Street. Owners to do loading and fastening of bikes (under supervision). **Please bring your own tie-downs.** Four tie-downs are more than enough. You are welcome to bring your own blankets or cloth for your bike. The motorbikes are transported in a "KP" carriage and will be hauled with the Trans Karoo Tourist train to arrive in Cape Town 4 hours before the Premier Classe train. This carriage is totally enclosed and the bikes won't be exposed to wind and weather.

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### **Insurance:**

Each bike owner is responsible for his/her own insurance on the bike.

### **Medical:**

Bring your medical fund card and medicines along.

### **Clothing:**

Casual clothing plus your normal personal biking gear.

### **Luggage:**

Just take what you need. Don't take the whole wardrobe. On arrival in Cape Town the luggage will be transported by staff to the hotel. You do not need to travel with it on your bike. **Please mark each piece of luggage or bag or suitcase clearly with your name on it.**

Your bike will be at CPT station on your arrival, at the Premier Classe lounge. On the return trip, your bike will be at JHB station on your arrival, locked up in a parking bay, on Platform 14.

### **WHY TRAVEL ON THIS TRAIN TOUR?**

- To cut out the long straight and boring roads of the Karoo
- To do something different
- 'Cause the bike can travel along on the train
- To start fresh when arriving in the Western Cape
- To have fun the moment you depart from Johannesburg
- To rest and relax on the way back – in style
- To enjoy the scenery from a different angle
- 'Cause it is safe & secure
- 'Cause travelling by train is 'lekker'
- To discover new routes, places and people

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#### WHO MAY GO ON THIS TRAIN TOUR?

**Who may come along? Any person** who is interested in visiting Cape Town and surroundings, can ride a big bike (500cc+), have a relevant & legal driver's licence and would like to travel in a group. By the way, you must bring your own bike! If you don't have a bike, a rental one can be arranged. All genders welcome. It is **NOT** a pre-requisite that you have to belong to any club or bike association.

**Note #1:** Do it together. Take your pillion along. (Sorry, no Sheila's provided!)

**Note #2:** Just calculate how much you save on wear and tear if NOT riding to the Cape on your bike.

#### HOW TO BOOK

All you need to do now is to complete the attached Reservation Form, pay the non-refundable deposit of R2 000 pp into the bank account, (banking details at bottom of Reservation Form) and fax both back to JB Train Tours at 086 694 2475.

The balance must be paid by latest two months prior to departure date. If not, your place would be cancelled automatically.

JB Train Tours is looking forward to host you on this train tour and share our beautiful country with you.

Travel greetings

*Jolene Matthysen* & the JB Train Tours Team

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<b>Day 1: Sunday</b>	
From 08:00	Passengers with bikes meet at Johannesburg station – Platform 14
14:00	Report to Premier Classe lounge at Johannesburg Train station and avail your JB Train Tours Confirmation letter
	Luggage will be taken to the train and placed in your compartment by Premier Classe staff
	Coffee/Tea & Biscuits will be served at the lounge
	Welcome by Premier Classe Train Manager
15:00	Premier Classe train departs from Johannesburg – Platform 16
	Welcoming drinks and snacks served in the Lounge Car
	5-course dinner served on the train
	Overnight on train
<b>Day 2: Monday</b>	
	Early morning tea or coffee is served on request
	Breakfast is served in the Dining Car
	Morning tea is served in the Lounge Car or your room
	Lunch is served in the Dining Car
	High tea is served in the Lounge Car or in the comfort of your room
	Note: All meals served on the train (included in the tour price)
16:16	Train arrives in Cape Town – luggage taken to hotel by JB TT staff
	Ride to hotel
	Book in at Hotel
	Evening at leisure – own programme
	Overnight at Hotel
<b>Days 3 – 6: Tuesday - Friday</b>	
	Breakfast served at the Hotel (included in the tour price)
	All other meals available (own cost)
	Days 3 - 6 of Motorbike Tour*
	<b>Day 3: Tuesday</b> (Today's distance = 179 km)
	<b>Route:</b> Cape Town – Twelve Apostles coastal road – Hout Bay – Constantia Neck - Boye's Drive - Simon's Town – Redhill – Just Nuisance Grave – Redhill - Cape Point Nature Reserve - Kommetjie Pass - Chapmans Peak – Suikerbossie - Twelve Apostles coastal road - Cape Town
	<b>Day 4: Wednesday</b> (Today's distance = 298 km)
	<b>Route:</b> Cape Town – Stellenbosch – Helshoogte Pass – Franschhoek – Franschhoek Pass – Theewaterskloof Dam – Villiersdorp – Elandskloof Pass – Elandsrivier Valley - Elandskloof Pass – 'Rooihoogte' at Stettyn – Worcester – Du Toitskloof Pass – Paarl – Cape Town
	<b>Day 5: Thursday</b> (Today's distance = 290 km)
	<b>Route:</b> Cape Town – Somerset West – Sir Lowry's Pass – 'Houwhoek' Pass – Botrivier – Caledon – Napier - 'Akkedisberg' Pass – Stanford - Hermanus – Kleinmond – Rooi Els Coastal road – Gordon's Bay – Strand - Cape Town

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	<b>Day 6: Friday</b> (Today's distance = 281 km)
	<b>Route:</b> Cape Town Pass – Wellington – Bainskloof – Michells Pass – Ceres – Gydo Pass – Doornkraal Pass – 'Agter Witzenberg Valleie' – Doornkraal Pass – Gydo Pass – Ceres – 'Theronsberg' Pass – Hexriver Pass – Slanghoek Valley – Worcester (Loading of bikes on train) – Transfer of Premier Classe train passengers to CPT
	<b>Total distance = 1 048 km</b>
Friday 15:00	Loading of bikes – Worcester
	Transfer to CPT
	Overnight at Hotel
<b>Day 7: Saturday</b>	
	Early Breakfast served at the Hotel (included in the tour price)
	Book out of the Hotel
	Guests convene at the Premier Classe lounge at Cape Town station for pre-departure tea and coffee
09:05	Depart from Cape Town station Platform 24 with welcoming drinks and snacks served in the Lounge Car
	Lunch is served in the Dining Car
	High tea is served in the Lounge Car or in the comfort of your room
	Dinner is served in the Dining Car
	Note: All meals served on the train (included in the tour price)
	Travel overnight
<b>Day 8: Sunday</b>	
	<b>Breakfast</b> served on the train ( <b>included</b> in the tour price)
11:03	The train arrives in Johannesburg – Platform 16
	Collecting of bikes
	Go home & rest!
	Train times are not guaranteed, the daily programme can change, daily route briefings will be done

**ENQUIRE/BOOK TODAY with:**

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**RESERVATION FORM FOR TRAIN TOUR PACKAGES**

**PLEASE WRITE WITH A BLACK PEN AND IN BOLD LETTERS**

**Please complete in full - One form per person**

FAX TO: 086 694 2475

Attention: JB Train Tours

Agent: HO

**RESERVATION ON PREMIER CLASSE TRAIN**

**Tour name:** 2010 Cape Town Motorbike-on-Train Tour Premier Classe **Tour code:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Tour date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name & Surname** (as ID/Passport) Mr/Mrs: \_\_\_\_\_ **ID/Passport No:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tel No:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Code) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_ (Code) \_\_\_\_\_ (H)

**Cell No:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax No:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Code) \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail address:** \_\_\_\_\_ (NB!)

**Postal address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**2-Bed compartment:** \_\_\_\_\_ **OR 1-Bed coupe** \_\_\_\_\_ (Please tick your choice)

**I'd like to share the compartment with (Name & Surname)** \_\_\_\_\_ **pillion/biker** (encircle)

**Your bikes details:**

**Type:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Model:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Size:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Reg. no:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I have a valid driver's license:** Yes/No (encircle)

Attached the **bank deposit slip of R** \_\_\_\_\_ per person

**Indemnity:** I have read JB Train Tours Premier Classe **FAQ** Document. (See attached to this Document/available on website/on request). I understand and accept that the booking agent will not be held liable for any losses of any kind, injuries, inconvenience, cancellations or delays that may occur. My deposit is non-refundable and my balance will be paid two months prior to departure. A reservation only becomes guaranteed once the deposit proof of payment and a correctly booking form has been received.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Next of kin Name:** (for emergencies): \_\_\_\_\_

**Tel No:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Code) \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell No:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Banking details:**

**Account Name:** JB Tours

**Bank:** ABSA

**Account No:** 405 307 1777

**Branch:** 632005

**Type of Account:** Cheque

**SWIFT code** (for international bookings): ABSA JJ ZA

Please attach the bank deposit slip & write your Surname & Tour code as a reference.

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