



## ADVENTURE TOURS

### Paragliding



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From the air, it's a whole other experience. From a parachute, gliding on top of the air, it's an adventure.

Here you can see Armenia from the air with one of our Paragliding Expeditions. Managed by the only Para gliders in the Caucasus licensed by the FAA, safety and fun are the order of the day with paragliding. Even if you have never been up, this is one view of Armenia you have to experience to believe!

For beginners or novices, paragliding expeditions include training, and all expeditions have you in the air for incredible glides over Armenia's mountains and valleys. You can even organize return to base via horseback!

Paragliding Expeditions start at \$99 per person per day, and include transportation to base, training, meals, airtime, and return to Yerevan.

Contact us for more information.

### Caving Armenia



### Caving Safaris

Armenia has three caves rated the best in Europe by the French Speleological Society.

Magili and Archeri (Bear's) Caves, and the smaller Jerovank cavern provide hours of exploration in subterranean Armenia. All three caves are located within a few kilometers of each other, with nearby camping at natural springs, under the boughs of an ancient apricot forest, or below towering rock formations.

Spelunking Safaris combine moderate hiking with caving, exploring one of the most diverse areas of Armenia and include the expert guide services of members of the Armenian Speleological Society, equipment for exploring caves, transportation to/from Yerevan, lodging in area hotels, traditional homes or camping, all meals and back up vehicle and staff.

## Mountain Climbing



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Climb Mt. Aragats, Armenia's tallest mountain, a dormant volcano with four rims. Expert guides lead you on expeditions from June-August.

Climbing Safaris include the services of expert guides, often working naturalists, botanists or ecologists in Armenia. They also include all land transportation, meals and overnight in Armenia during the safari (camping in nature, lodging in Yerevan).

## Ski Armenia



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Skiing Armenia? It's the best kept secret in the world, and at these rates, it's a steal!

During December-March, the home of the Soviet Olympic training village at Tsaghkadzor has the best ski runs for the money.

Ranked as one of the best competitive ski runs in Europe, the area now boasts new renovations and lift rates unheard of in the West.

Other ski ventures include Mt. Aragats (the highest mountain in Armenia) and freestyle skiing in Syunik.

Cross-country ski treks can be organized for all upper altitude zones in the country, and can be combined with camping or ecology field trips in Nature Preserves.

SKI SAFARIS are arranged individually and quoted on request. They include lodging, meals, transportation to/from Yerevan, unlimited lift tickets and excursions as chosen at time of booking.

## Sailing Armenia



## Sailing Sevan

Most people never see the other side of Sevan. The 90 km long lake is normally seen from the northern rim, but there is a whole other world when sailing on a 3-5 day yacht safari. This is civilized sailing, with cabin, sleeping berths and stops along the way.

Our sailing yachts and catamarans are competition craft and provide comfort, safety and experienced sailors to look for your needs. Each includes sleeping areas, a kitchenette, dining and sitting area, toilet and shower. Yachts hold up to 12 for day trips and sleep up to 6, Catamarans hold up to 18 for day trips and sleep up to 8.

SAILING SAFARIS can be booked for 3 to 5 day cruises, sailing both Little and Greater Sevan. Ports of call can include Sevan Peninsula, Noraduz/Gavar, Martuni, Shorzha and Vardenis. Sailing Safaris include full passage, accommodations as per craft, all meals and stopovers along the lakeshore for beach combing, swimming, sunning or exploring nearby areas on foot.

SIGHT-SEEING can be combined with sailing with guided excursions by land vehicle to the Bronze Age citadel at L'chashen, the Cliff Monastery at Ayrivank, the field of 1000 khachkars at Noraduz/Gavar, plus rarely seen 5000 BC Vishaps, pre-Christian monuments and 4th-14th century monasteries at Martuni, Dzoragiugh, Nor Getashen, Shorzha and Sodk.

Sailing Safaris are as low as \$300 per person for a 3-day safari. Contact us and tell us the number in your party and time of travel. We'll get back to you with the options.

## Armenia on Horseback



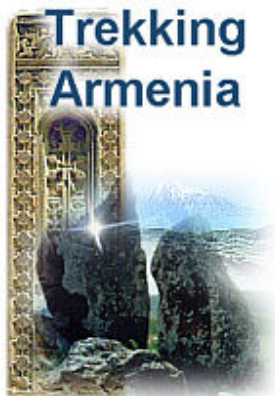
## Horseback Safaris

There is nothing like climbing mountain passes and meandering down river canyons on horse to feel a part of a time that once was: a time when heavily laden caravans traveled the 7000 kilometer Silk and Spice Roads. Experience our own version with Horseback Safaris.

Horseback Safaris combine trail riding with camping in Armenia's natural wilderness. Safaris can be taken to Mt. Aragats, onto the Geghama mountain Range, into the heart of Khosrov Nature Preserve and Ashtarak Region. Horseback Safaris can also be taken in Syunik, Tavush and Vayots Dzor, the most spectacular nature areas in Armenia.

Horses are carefully matched with rider experiences, and all members receive training and familiarization before embarking on a safari.

Horseback Safaris are complete with guide/translator, transportation to/from Yerevan to horse centers, backup vehicle and staff, all camping equipment and meals.



## Hiking and Camping

Hiking Armenia is an experience all its own--through the most pristine areas of the country, camping out at night under the stars.

These two trekking tours give you the breadth and depth of Northern and Southern Armenia--the least visited and most stunning parts of the country.

Trekking and Climbing Safaris include the services of expert guides, often working naturalists, botanists or ecologists in Armenia. They also include all land transportation, meals and overnight in Armenia during the safari (camping in nature, lodging in Yerevan).