

DISCOVERY OFF-ROAD TOUR FROM BELLVILLE TO DARLING & BACK

Amazing tour suitable for newcomers with no off-road riding experience, along the picturesque old railway service road to Darling.



The railway service road from a rider's perspective



Short break on the way to Darling

Our philosophy

This discovery tour is intended for people with no (or limited) off-road experience, and those wishing to experience a unique adventure in a relaxed atmosphere and at a slow pace.

What to expect

Discover the charm of the old railway service road to Darling with a small dual-sport motorbike, starting from and returning to Bellville (Cape Town), during a full day guided tour.

After a short warm-up ride (30') on country roads, you will meet the first gravel road, where some skill and safety exercises are planned. Leaving the gravel, you will then ride the trail along the old railway, through farm land, and all the way up to the picturesque little town of Darling, which is located 95km North from our starting point.

Short escapades into the hills surrounding the main track add some more challenging sections and breathtaking views to the ride.

After the lunch taken in one of the local restaurants, and a short relaxing sightseeing tour of Darling with the motorbikes, it will soon be time to return.

Although the railway service road remains the guiding thread, several variations will allow you to experience some sand riding and navigate through the "fynbos" fields of the Rivierlands reserve.

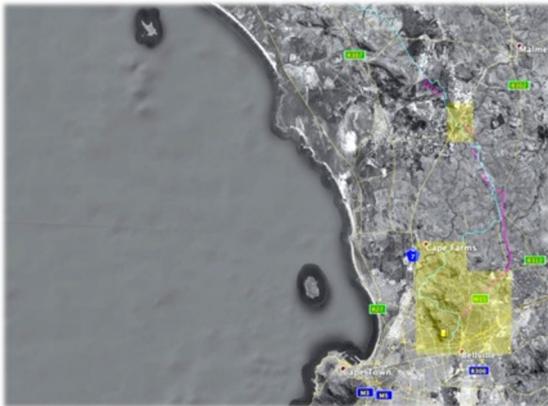
The last kilometers of open gravel road will lead you back to the tar road for the final 25km of the day.

This 180km tour is absolutely suitable for off-road beginners.

The journey offers a unique and unforgettable way to get to Darling and back, and is at the same time a fantastic opportunity to discover the joy of riding in a challenging environment, under professional guidance.

General information

<u>Distance</u>	190km (20% on road / 80% off road)
<u>Meeting</u>	08:00 in Bellville
<u>Departure / Return</u>	08:30 / 16:30
<u>Food</u>	Lunch at a restaurant in Darling, on-the-go-snacks
<u>Difficulty</u>	Overall grade 1 with sandy sections
<u>Terrain</u>	Gravel roads and sandy trails
<u>Requirements</u>	Valid motorcycle driving license Skill and safety exercises performed en route
<u>Participants</u>	Minimum 1 / Maximum 4 riders + guide
<u>Dates</u>	Daily (from Monday to Friday) on request



The itinerary



Sandy trail section on the way back to Bellville

Price

Visit http://endurafrica.co.za/prices_sub-menu.html

The price includes: Rental bike, rider's safety apparel, petrol, guide, snacks, lunch in Darling
The price DOES NOT include: Drinks at the restaurant, bike deposit

Safety

Our guides are qualified First Aid assistance, carry a repair and basic first aid kit, and a satellite phone connected to the GEOS emergency services.

Insurance

Off-road motorbiking is an hazardous activity, we strongly advise you to confirm that your insurance covers emergency medical expenses and evacuation. Please verify that your liability insurance covers the excess amount (R7'500) in case of damages which could occur to the rental motorbike.

Rental bikes

Our rental bike fleet includes small displacement dual sport motorbikes, e.g. Honda CRF250L, Yamaha XT250, and Beta Alp 4.0. Please note that bike's damages not considered as wear (e.g. levers, radiators, handlebars, grips, ...) are charged at real costs.



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