Highlights

Duration
6-7 Hours

Distance
110

Difficulty
2.0

Altitude Dif:
100

- Admire breathtaking views from above Kourtaliotiko Gorge
- Visit the peaceful hilltop chapel of Agios Paisios
- Explore traditional villages, narrow scenic and coastal roads of Southern Crete
- Swim and relax at the unspoiled bay of Mikri Triopetra
- Enjoy a curated Cretan snack by the sea
- Travel in comfort with premium 4×4 vehicles and expert local escorts

Pick Up Times

8:30 Georgioupoli
8:35 Kavros
8:55 Rethymnon Castle
9:00 Rethymnon Town
9:05 Kallithea
9:10 Missiria
9:15 Platanias
9:10 Adelianos Kambos
9:05 Pigianos Kambos
8:55 Sfakaki
8:45 Skaleta
8:35 Panormos Geropotamos
8:30 Panormos
8:15 Bali
Tour starts at 09:30 am

Schedule

May – October: Monday – Wednesday – Friday
November – April: On Request

Price

> 79.00€ Adults Aged 13-up
> 69.00€ Children Aged from 4 to 12,99

* The prices are for group participation with a minimum of 4 pax to start

Price Includes

>Free hotel pick-up and drop-off
> 4×4 off-road vehicles or 4×4 vans (7 or 9 seater) driven by multilingual escort-drivers
>Individual Cretan salad and a bottle of water
>Sunbeds and umbrellas at Mikri Triopetra
>Liability insurance and local taxes
>Free booster seats upon request

Gallery






Price Does Not Include

> Additional services at the beach
> Coffee, beverages, or refreshments at tavern
> Gratuities

Description

Discover the southern beauty of Crete on an authentic 4×4 safari adventure designed for travelers seeking genuine moments, panoramic landscapes, hidden coastal gems and crystal-clear waters far away from mass-tourism places.

Kourtaliotiko Gorge – A Majestic Beginning: Our journey begins with pick-up from your hotel in Rethymno, heading towards the impressive Kourtaliotiko Gorge, where we make our first stop to admire the dramatic cliffs and breathtaking views from above. The scenery sets the tone for a day filled with natural wonder and "beyond the ordinary" exploration.

Agios Paisios – Panoramic Serenity: We continue to our second stop at Agios Paisios Church, perched on a serene hillside overlooking Damnoni. Here, you'll enjoy sweeping panoramic views of the South Cretan bays and the rugged mountain landscapes that define this majestic region. The visit to the small chapel is truly breathtaking and, combined with the peaceful location, offers a uniquely selected spot for reflection and relaxation.

Traditional Villages & Scenic Countryside Roads: Our route then leads us through traditional villages and narrow countryside roads before reaching the South Coast at Kato Preveli. From this point, the safari adventure transitions into an off-road coastal drive, following a scenic seaside trail toward Triopetra, a route blessed with crystal-clear waters, wild coastal beauty, untouched landscapes and ideal spots for memorable photos.

Mikri Triopetra – Coastal Bliss & Crystal Waters: The highlight of the day awaits at Mikri Triopetra, where we stop for two and a half hours to relax and swim in a charming small bay with crystal-clear waters. Enjoy the tranquility of this unspoiled beach while savoring an individual Cretan salad and a bottle of water offered by us, featuring fresh local flavors to complement your seaside experience.

Sunbeds and umbrellas are also provided free of charge for your comfort during your time at the beach.

After unwinding by the sea, we board our vehicles for a comfortable return journey back to your hotel, carrying with you memories of a journey filled with nature, culture, and exclusive discoveries — an authentic "Uncharted Escapes" South Coast adventure.

RTH05. South Rethymno Scenic 4×4 Trails with Swim Stop, Itinerary:

08:30 – 09:30: Pick-ups (1 hour)
09:30 – 10:05: Drive to Kourtaliotiko Gorge (35 minutes)
10:05 – 10:15: Kourtaliotiko Gorge viewpoint stop (10 minutes)
10:15 – 10:30: Drive to Agios Paisios Chapel (15 minutes)
10:30 – 10:50: Agios Paisios panoramic stop (20 minutes)
10:50 – 11:25: Drive towards Kato Preveli (off-road) (35 minutes)
11:25 – 11:30: Photo stop (5 minutes)
11:30 – 12:00: Coastal drive to Mikri Triopetra (30 minutes)
12:00 – 14:30: Mikri Triopetra beach stop (2 hours 30 min)
14:30 – 15:30: Drive back to pick-up points (1 hour)

*Time schedules may vary depending on group size and weather conditions

Don't Forget

Essential Items for Your Journey: Remember to pack comfortable shoes, such as trekking shoes or sandals, a camera to capture memorable moments, and sun protection. During spring and autumn, consider bringing a jacket to stay comfortable.

Important Considerations: Please note that this trip is not recommended for individuals with car sickness, mobility or kinetic issues, back problems, pregnant women, or children under 4 years old, as we do not provide baby seats. Additionally, individuals taller than 195 cm or heavier than 130 kg may find the trip challenging. Alcohol consumption is strictly prohibited for minors under the age of 18.

Flexibility in Program: Uncharted Escapes prioritizes your safety and comfort. We reserve the right to make minor adjustments to the program if necessary, especially in the case of unfavorable weather conditions. Such changes may occur without prior notice, ensuring the best possible experience for our guests.

Reservation Guidelines: To secure your spot, reservations must be made at least 24 hours before departure. Cancellations should adhere to our cancellation policy outlined in our "Terms & Conditions" section. Please familiarize yourself with these policies to ensure a smooth and transparent booking process.

Cancellation and Refund Policy: Late cancellations, made within the specified timeframe in our Terms & Conditions, will not be eligible for a refund. In the event of tour cancellation due to insufficient participants or adverse weather conditions, Uncharted Escapes will refund 100% of all payments made.

For a detailed understanding of our terms and conditions, please visit: Terms & Conditions

Adventure Tips

Immersive Experience for All: Our trip is crafted for those seeking an extraordinary adventure, catering to diverse audiences including youth groups, solo or couple participants, families with older children, and corporate teams. Discover a journey beyond the ordinary.

Thoughtful Guided Stops: Enjoy the journey with guided stops strategically placed every 30-40 minutes, ensuring everyone's comfort and providing ample opportunities to soak in the surroundings.

Customized Culinary Delights: Uncharted Escapes prioritizes your dining preferences. When meals are included, inform us in advance about any vegetarian preferences or dietary restrictions, including food allergies, allowing us to prepare suitable alternatives tailored to your needs.

Your Well-Being Matters: Recognizing the importance of your holidays, we are dedicated to ensuring you can unwind, relish, and dream as you wish. Count on us to make your experience not just enjoyable but also secure, reflecting our unwavering commitment to your well-being.