

Island Ventures, is a small, personal and family owned company, celebrating our twenty-sixth year, specialising in offering select Birdwatching & Wildlife Tours around the British Isles "for the more discerning" plus several continental destinations. I personally guide all the Tours described, often accompanied by my wife Elizabeth. We take great pride in that over 85% of our business is with repeat custom.

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Island Ventures aims to offer:

- * Personalised groups
- * Relaxed, unhurried & informal style
- * Fully researched destinations
- * Experienced local guides (where applicable)
- * Superior accommodation
- * Warm welcome to beginners & single travellers
- * Easy walking & suitable for all ages
- * Excellent value for money

For our Wildlife Holidays in the British Isles, we are again offering our most popular & hugely successful Tour to **All The Outer Hebrides & Skye** (as featured in the *Daily telegraph*) along with our new Tour to **The Solway Firth & Argyle**. We are resurrecting our Tours to the **East Yorkshire Coast & Exe Estuary & South Devon**, along with a new Spring Tour to **The Jurassic Coast, Dorset**, plus re-visiting **The Suffolk Coast**. And not forgetting our ever-popular signature Tours to the **Isles of Scilly** in both Spring & Autumn (26th year in a row!), with all the Tours continuing under the acclaimed banner "*In Comfort & Style*".

Moving into Europe, we are resurrecting **Extremadura, Spain** (almost full already!) and with the continued popularity of the Mediterranean Islands, we shall be repeating last year's highly successful Tour to **Sicily**, plus offering a new Autumn migration Tour to the Baltic State of **Estonia**.

Finally, our Long-Haul Tours will include the wildlife of **Sri Lanka & Suriname**, an exciting return to Central Asia embracing the birds & the Silk Road Culture of **Uzbekistan & Tajikistan**, and finally a fabulous new "Semi" Long-Haul Cultural Tour to **Iran** entitled "*The Treasures of Persia*".



Looking Ahead to 2019

The Gambia & Senegal (Jan.)

Colombia (Feb.)

Cape Town + Lesotho (Oct.)

If you are contemplating booking a Tour for the first time, please do not hesitate to contact **Sarah Smith** in our Office **09.00-15.00 Monday, Wednesday & Friday** for any further information, no matter how trivial it may seem. Please check our website for further information, whilst regular *Island Ventures* Updates are sent out throughout the year. In booking a Tour you can be assured of our total committed personal attention and we look forward to meeting you during 2018.