

# TAILORMADE TOURS



*"All I can say is the trip went brilliantly. Thank you so much for all you and the team have done to accommodate us and be on hand to answer all our questions. You went out of your way to make things work out - whether that was the sorting birthday cakes or helping source moth traps or binoculars. The trip was a resounding success and all of us came back with stories and experiences that will last a life-time. Thank you for all you did to help." Nick Baker, Naturalist. With a large group in Scotland, July 2017*

**Dates** To suit you, subject to guide availability. We can advise on the best times of year to go to specific destinations, what can be seen at different times of year and where in the world is best for the wildlife you want to see

All of our holiday itineraries within the UK and overseas can be organised for private groups, with optional extensions and different levels of accommodation and meals available for most destinations

**Guides** We have a pool of guides, each with specific knowledge and interests, who have guided around Scotland and overseas

**Cost** All tailormade tours are individually priced according to the number of guests and your specific requirements

**Included** Your package can include any of the following: flights; ferries; trains; guides; accommodation; transport; meals; and any activities or entrance fees. We make all the arrangements, so you are left just to enjoy yourselves

**Info** All necessary information regarding travel, walking, weather, insects, meals, clothing and accommodation will be provided in advance of the tour, together with an appropriate species list, notebooks and pens

**Perry Fairman:** Guests in the Highlands, Arriving on Handa  
**Mary Braddock:** Golden Eagle  
**Jane Hope:** Red Squirrel

For bird clubs, tour operators and friends. Take the hassle out of your group trip and let us arrange all the details, whether in Scotland or overseas, at any time of the year.

- Design your own holiday the way you want it - anywhere you want it!
- Guiding, accommodation, meals, transport etc. can all be taken care of
- Birds, mammals, plants and insects can all be included in what you see
- Our guides have a wealth of knowledge, in Scotland and around the world
- Take exclusive use of our Steading in the Cairngorms National Park
- Combine wildlife watching with culture and heritage to suit your wishes
- Take the hassle out of the organisation and let us arrange it for you

Bird Clubs, groups of families or friends, school parties and tour operators come to us to organise private groups for them. Sometimes it's a specific itinerary based on what they'd like to see, sometimes they rely on us to design a tour. Either way, they want us to take the hassle out of organising their holiday, so they can concentrate on enjoying the wildlife.

For larger groups in Scotland, there is the option of staying at our exclusive Steading in Glen Feshie, in the Cairngorms National Park, allowing the days to be tailored specifically to your requirements. Smaller parties can rely on us to find them appropriate accommodation close to good birdwatching experiences. Wherever it is, our guides will seek out the wildlife you want to see and take you around in comfortable 8xseater minibuses.

Enjoy the spectacular mountains, moorlands and pine forests of the Cairngorms looking for all the grouse species, plus Dotterel, Ptarmigan,

Scottish Crossbill and Crested Tit, together with Red and Roe Deer, Red Squirrel and Pine Marten; experience the majesty of sea cliffs on Shetland for auks, Puffins and Gannets, combined with cetacean watching from land and sea and the night-time experience of Storm Petrels churring on Mousa; walk through the Machair of the Outer Hebrides, alive with the sounds of breeding waders and the distinctive call of the Corncrake, then seawatch for Long-tailed and Pomerine Skuas on their spring passage; sample the delights of intimate seabird encounters on the islands off Mull, whilst looking for White-tailed and Golden Eagles, the latter at their highest breeding density in Europe.

Let us know when you want to come, what type of accommodation you'd like and how many will be in the group and we'll do the rest. Our professional guides will take you through beautiful landscapes to show you the finest wildlife you'd like to see.

