



## 8 Days 7nights Trip Package

(July 18<sup>th</sup> to July 25<sup>th</sup>)

### How much is the trip package?

Only **\$2550** total if paid in full by **03/15/2024**! Be sure to pay your **\$500 deposit** (non-refundable, non-transferable) by **10/15/2023**.

### How can I pay? Are there payment plans?

You can pay in full by 02/15/2023 and get the best trip package price! We also offer payment plans for your convenience.

Deposit (non-refundable, non-transferable): **\$500** Due by **Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>**

Full Trip Payoff (balance after deposit): **\$2050** Due by **March 15<sup>th</sup>**

Payment Plans (includes processing fee):

Option 1 (4 payments)	<b>\$540</b> Nov. 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>\$540</b> Dec. 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>\$540</b> Jan. 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>\$540</b> Feb. 15 <sup>th</sup>
Option 2 (3 Payments)	<b>\$710</b> Nov. 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>\$710</b> Dec. 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>\$710</b> Jan 15 <sup>th</sup>	
Option 3 (2 Payments)	<b>\$1050</b> Nov. 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>\$1050</b> Dec. 15 <sup>th</sup>		
Option 4 (1 Payment)	<b>\$2050</b> Nov. 15 <sup>th</sup>			

#### Accepted Forms of Payment:

- Kwesi Anti@CycleGhana (PayPal)
- [cycleghana1@gmail.com](mailto:cycleghana1@gmail.com) 323-972-0174 (Zelle)

**IMPORTANT:** After you make any payment, please immediately send us an email at [cycleghana1@gmail.com](mailto:cycleghana1@gmail.com). Put "Ghana Trip Payment" in the subject line and include a screenshot of the complete payment. For payment options other than PayPal, or Zelle, please email us. You will receive an invoice for your payment within two business days.

**Single Supplement:** The above rates are based on double accommodations (two people sharing a room). In cases where there is only one person in a room, that person will pay a supplement of \$500.

#### What's included in the trip package?

- 8 nights double occupancy (single supplement +\$500) in 3- & 4-star accommodations
- Meals as indicated in the itinerary; snacks and bottled water (only on biking days)
- A CycleGhana 2024 jersey and Bib, A KRT/QRT jersey and A CycleGhana T-shirt.
- Transportation to and from and entrance fees for included sites and attractions:
  - Ghanaian Art Tour included Nkyinkyim outdoor museum of Kwame Akoto Bamfo, Arts Centre for National Culture, and more.
  - Hiking and Eco Adventures including A walk tour through the suburb of Nima, Aburi Botanical gardens, Tafi Atome monkey sanctuary.
  - Pan-Africanist Tours including the W.E.B Du Bois Center and much more...
  - Kayaking at the Keta Lagoon in the Volta River
- BlasTours Local Guide
- Five (5) cycling routes 33-93 miles (conversational pace)
- Transportation of bikes and cycling gear (on cycling days ONLY)
- Cycling Support Services and Personnel (on cycling days ONLY):
  - Bike mechanic
  - Ride leader
  - Ride marshal
  - Police Detail (Road Commander)
  - Ambulance
- Pre-Departure Support from Trip Leader including airline, visa, donation, and preparation recommendations. Refer to the [Full Itinerary](#) for more details.

## What's NOT included in the trip package?

- Travel Visa
- Plane ticket
- Bike and a bike case
- Cycling gear (shoes, cleats, helmet, gloves, water bottle, etc.)
- Travel insurance
- Alcohol, souvenirs, meals and activities not indicated on the itinerary.

## How do I secure my spot?

All you need to do to join the trip is to let us know by filling out this [Traveler Information Form](#) and paying your non-refundable deposit. Then send us an email immediately at [cycleghana1@gmail.com](mailto:cycleghana1@gmail.com) with "Ghana Trip Payment" in the subject line and screenshot of the complete payment transaction. Once we have received your form and deposit, we'll send you a reply and that's it, you are in! After that, just begin your monthly payments or pay your trip off by March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

## How do I get to Ghana?

Plane tickets are not included, but we will help with flight information and suggestions. Air France, KLM, Turkish Airlines, Delta, and United Airlines all fly to Ghana. The main International Airport in Accra is Kotoka International Airport. We will begin sharing preferred flight information with confirmed travelers in February.

## What will I need for this trip?

We will begin sharing travel tips, recommendations, and a suggested packing list with confirmed travelers in the private Facebook group. Here are a few items that you'll need for this trip:

- Ghanaian Visa ( [www.ghanaembassydc.org](http://www.ghanaembassydc.org) ), ( [www.ghanaconsulatear.org](http://www.ghanaconsulatear.org) )
- Immunizations (Yellow Fever, Covid, any other recommended by your doctor)
- Bike and travel bike case (hard case recommended)
- All your riding gear including tools and spare tubes, tires, cleats
- Any preferred snacks you might not find in Ghana
- First Aid Kit

## How will I get around in Ghana?

Transportation to included activities will be by a professionally licensed driver in an air-conditioned bus. Transportation of bikes and related gear will also be provided on cycling days. However, if you wish to visit other places not on the itinerary, taxis and Uber services are readily available to move around. For safety, we suggest tour group participants always travel with a trusted local.

## What if I want to do other activities?

That's great; we hope you do! The itinerary is structured so you will have some free time to plan your own outings and activities or just chill and soak up the Ghana vibe. It's up to you. The only suggestion, for your safety, is make sure you are with a trusted local-preferably from the Gladiator Cycling Club- if you choose to venture out on your own.

## What will the pre-departure timeline be like?

Here is a general timeline of how you can expect the trip planning to proceed. Travelers will be kept abreast of any changes.

Dates	Event/ Action
10/05/2023	All Deposits Due and Registration Forms Received
10/25/2023	Private WhatsApp Group Goes Live
11/15/2023	Full payments Due; Payment Plan Installment #1 Due
12/15/2023	Airline Tickets Updates Begin
12/25/2023	Immigration and Trip Protection Info Posted
12/15/2023	Payment Plan Installment #2 Due
01/30/2024	Currency and Budgeting Info Posted
01/15/2024	Final Installment Payment Plan #3 Due
03/06/2024	Ghana Independence Day Ride (1 <sup>st</sup> CycleGhana 2024 group Ride)
05/20/2024	Sample Packing List Posted
06/15/2024	Pre- Departure Checklist Posted
06/25/2024	Airport Arrival and In-Country Communication Info Posted
07/01- 07/05	Individual Final Check-ins

## What if I sign up and then I can't make the trip?

First, that will be very disappointing because we really want you with us! But we understand that sometimes stuff happens. In the event you need to back out of the trip after you've started making payments, you will have 2 options:

1. You can find someone to take your place and take over the payments.  
OR
2. Depending on when you cancel, you can get a Partial Refund (minus the NON-REFUNDABLE Deposit).

*IMPORTANT: You'd have to let us know in writing that you can't make it. Here's more info on [how to cancel](#).*

See you on the Motherland, Riders!!!!!!