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**CURACAO
& BONAIRE**

AFRICAN AMERICAN TRAVELERS



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MEET THE TEAM



Lawrence McLean

**CEO/FOUNDER OF AAT
TRIP HOST**

Lawrence McLean developed the concept of AAT in 2012, as a result of the constant let down of friends backing out of travel plans, or simply not sharing his interest in traveling any further than the Caribbean. He started the group, African American Travelers of Philadelphia, followed by another chapter in New York, on meetup.com. Since, he has led thousands from around the country, on the most epic, unforgettable, international tours. AAT's groups have perused six continents, including its, signature, annual NYE in Dubai experience, and taking travelers "Home for the Holidays" to the beautiful motherland, Africa, year after year. According to "Madame Noir" Lawrence has been recognized as one of the three US entrepreneurs who is changing the perception of travel to Africa!



Andrea McLean

**SOCIAL MEDIA ENGAGER
HOST ASSISTANT**

Andrea McLean is known for traveling with style, She has worked in customer service and sales for many years, mastering 60-second pitches since the spunky age of 6! She is focused on customer satisfaction, engagement, and bringing a smile to our travelers faces. Some believe that she may have been a comedian in her past life. Whenever she is around , there is always laughter.



William McLean

**SOCIAL MEDIA ENGAGER
HOST ASSISTANT**

William Mclean is our newest addition to the team. William is currently in college majoring in business acquiring relevant skills that will not only enhance your traveling experience with African American Travelers but ensure that your experience is our top priority. William loves building connections and meeting new people, as our entire team is incredibly eager to present our customers with the opportunity to develop lifelong friendships and memories as that will last forever.

“Great things in business are never done by one person. They’re done by a team of people.”

– Steve Jobs

THE ITINERARY

FRIDAY, MAY 23

 **USA → CW**

ARRIVE IN CURACAO


CURACAO HOTEL
3:00 PM CHECK IN



8:00 PM

BLACK & GOLD HOST DINNER

SATURDAY, MAY 24



ISLAND TOUR

- 9:00 AM** Depart for Island Tour w/ Lunch
- Walking Tour of Willemstad
 - hete Boka National Park
 - Flamingo Sanctuary Sint Willibrordus
 - Curacao Liqueur Distillery
 - Boka Patrick
 - Fort Beekenburg

5:00 PM RETURN TO HOTEL

SUNDAY, MAY 25

YACHT TOUR OF KILEN

8:00 AM DEPART FOR KILEN

5:00 PM RETURN TO HOTEL

MONDAY, MAY 26



CARACAO HOTEL

12:00 PM CHECK OUT



FLY BACK TO HOME

BONAIRE EXTENSION

MONDAY, MAY 26



HATO CAVES & ALOE VERA PLANTATION TOUR

1:00 AM DEPART FOR TOUR

5:00 PM RETURN TO HOTEL

TUESDAY, MAY 27



FLY TO BONAIRE

4:00 PM CHECK OUT / TRANSFER TO CUR

7:35 PM DEPART FOR BONAIRE / via light No X12808

9:00 PM ARRIVE IN BONAIRE AND TRANSFER TO HOTEL

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28



ISLAND TOUR

9:00 AM Depart for Island Tour w/ Lunch

- Kralendijk
- Slave Huts at Orange Pan
- Gotomeer
- Washington-Slagbaai National Park Visitor Center
- Seru Largu

1:00 PM RETURN TO HOTEL

THURSDAY, MAY 29



FREE TIME

FRIDAY, MAY 30



BONAIRE HOTEL

12:00 PM CHECK OUT



FLY BACK TO HOME



Willemstad

Willemstad, capital and chief town of Curaçao, located on the southern coast of the island of Curaçao in the Caribbean Sea. It is divided into two parts by Sint Anna Bay, leading to Schottegat Harbour. The two halves, Punda and Otrabanda (“Other Side”), are joined by the Koningin Emma (“Queen Emma”) Bridge; opened in 1888 and rebuilt in 1939, the bridge underwent a major restoration in the early 21st century. A fixed bridge was completed in 1974. Willemstad served as the capital of the Netherlands Antilles until that territory was dissolved in 2010. Willemstad is a Caribbean centre of trade, petroleum storage and refining, tourism, and banking. The town has many Dutch-style gabled houses.



Shete Boka National Park

The Area with more than 10 beautiful Boka’s (inlets) where three species of turtles nest. A boka is, in fact, an inlet. Shete Boka stands for ‘seven inlets’. Years ago, the environmental group Amigu di Tera arranged excursions in this area along seven bays. Hence, the name is taken, although in reality there are more than seven coves in this national park. The park begins at the beautiful Boka Tabla where large, unpredictable waves crush against an underground cave.



Flamingo Sanctuary Sint Willibrodrus

Sint Willibrodrus sits along the edge of the Jan Kok Bay, on the western coast of Curaçao. It’s a small town, but one with big ambitions. As you approach, it’s impossible to miss the “Williwood” sign on a hill in the distance. Actually, you might miss it, if your attention has been captured by all of the flamingos



Curacao Liquor Distillery

the company behind the famous Blue Curacao liquor - is located at Landhuis Chobolobo, the 19th century country house where, among other things, the Blue Curacao liqueur is made. Because the liqueur is produced at Landhuis Chobolobo, it is considered 'The home of the Curacao Liqueur'.



Boka Patrick

Between the town of Barber and the eastern coast of Curaçao lies a swath of land known as Patrick, named after a plantation house which used to sit roughly in its center. Rugged, isolated and mostly flat, this is a popular area for hiking and easily reach the coast where there are a couple of impressive inlets.



Fort Beekenburg

Fort Beekenburg lies on a rocky outcrop next to the Caracas Bay east of the city of Willemstad, on the Caribbean island of Curaçao in the Dutch Antilles. Fort Beekenburg was built in 1703 on the orders of the Governor Van Beek to protect the entrance to the bay behind it; the Spaanse Water. The round tower of the fort was completely built out of stones that were fabricated in the Netherlands and which were shipped to Curaçao as ballast.



Klien Island

Klein (little) Curacao is a small uninhabited, tropical bounty island with a pristine white beach, crystal clear blue sea, a spectacular reef and colorful sea life. This beautiful island is located approx. 15 miles from Curacao and around 1.7 square kilometers in size and a must visit when you're staying on Curacao. You'll find on Klein Curacao one of the most beautiful beaches in the world



Hato Caves

The Curacao Hato Cave is located on the north side of the island and only 4 minutes driving or 12 minutes walking from the Curacao International Airport. The Hato Cave, being more than 300.000 years old, is the biggest and most prominent cave on the island. Since 1991 the Hato Cave was officially open to the public after undergoing an intensive upgrading by the Government of Curacao to make it accessible by foot. Nowadays, the Curacao Hato Cave can be considered the most beautiful and public-friendly cave of the island.



Aloe Vera Plantations

Curaçao has a long history of cultivating aloe vera, since it's one of the few plants able to thrive in the island's dry and windy climate. We visited the Curaloe Plantation and Factory, near the Ostrich Farm and St. Joris Bay, to see how the plants are grown, harvested and processed



Kralendijk

Embark on an awe-inspiring tour to the towering headland known as Cape Point. Jutting out into the ocean, this rugged and rocky peninsula has become synonymous with the Cape of Storms since the explorer, Barolotmeu Dias, first set his sights on it in 1488. In those days, sailors saw Cape Point as both a useful landmark and a terrifying hazard depending on the time of day and the weather. No longer feared, Cape Point has become a popular attraction. Home to sweeping vistas, spectacular landscapes, and rich fauna and flora, there's no denying the beauty of this historic land formation.



Slave Hut at Orange Pan

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Gotomeer

Victoria Falls National Park in northwestern Zimbabwe protects the south and east bank of the Zambezi River in the area of the world-famous Victoria Falls. It extends along the Zambezi river from the larger Zambezi National Park about 6 km above the falls to about 12 km below the falls.



Seru Langu

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Washington Slagbaai National Museum

The Boma – Dinner & Drum Show is non-stop entertainment from the moment you are ceremoniously dressed in your “chitenge” (sarong), to the traditional dance performances, face painting, a fortune teller and more, to the renowned interactive drumming show.

ACCOMODATIONS



Curacao Marriot Beach Resort

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Delfin Beach Resort