

THE SCOTS IRISH TOUR



Superior First Class Hotels – 12 Day Coach Tour

800-863-9067

From \$ **1698** land only

Tour Highlights:
 Scottish Cabaret & Dinner,
 Brazen Head Pub Dinner, Edinburgh &
 Blair Castles, Blair Athol Whisky
 Distillery, Derry's Medieval Walls, Ulster
 American Folk Park



TOUR INCLUDES

12 days/10 nights/18 meals

- Group transfers on arrival and departure
- Ferry from Scotland to Ireland
- Sightseeing by luxury coach throughout
- Dublin open-top bus tour
- Visit and a drink at Guinness Storehouse or Old Jameson Distillery
- Services of a professional driver/guide
- Superior first class hotels with private bath/shower for 10 nights
- 10 full Scottish & Irish breakfasts (B)
- 8 dinners (D) including
 - Scottish cabaret with dinner in Edinburgh
 - Food, Folk and Fairies dinner/show at the Brazen Head Pub
 - 6 table d'hote dinners
- Welcome get-together drink
- Scenic cruise on Loch Ness
- Whisky tasting and tour of Blair Athol Distillery
- Reserved seats for Edinburgh Military Tattoo on August 09 and 23 departures
- Tours of Edinburgh and Belfast with local guides
- Walking tour of Derry with a local guide
- Day tour to Achill Island
- Visits and admissions to Kelvingrove Art Gallery & Museum, Ben Nevis Highland Centre, Blair Castle, Edinburgh Castle, Giant's Causeway, Ulster American Folk Park, W. B. Yeats' Grave, Strokestown House & Famine Museum and Kilmainham Gaol
- Deluxe flight bag, ticket wallet, luggage tags & strap
- All local taxes, hotel service charges & portorage for one suitcase per person

Your Hotels

Stay at the following (or similar):

- Thistle Hotel, Glasgow (1 night)
- The Newton Hotel, Nairn (1 night)
- Marriott Dalmahoy Hotel, Edinburgh (2 nights)
- Europa Hotel, Belfast (1 night)
- Everglades Hotel, Derry (1 night)
- Mill Times Hotel, Westport (2 nights)
- Burlington Hotel, Dublin (2 nights)

Call Linda Terrill, British Isles Travel Specialist, to help you plan your vacation to the British Isles.

Day 1 – Mon: Depart U.S. for Scotland

Day 2 – Tue: Glasgow Highlights

Land in Glasgow Airport and transfer to your hotel. Take a city tour to discover the main attractions of Glasgow and visit the Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum. Enjoy a welcoming drink before dinner. (D)

Day 3 – Wed: Loch Lomond & Loch Ness Cruise

Drive alongside the famous Loch Lomond and through Glencoe. Stop at Ben Nevis Highland Centre and at Fort Augustus embark on a short cruise on Loch Ness to admire enchanting scenic views before continuing to Nairn. (B, D)

Day 4 – Thu: Blair Castle & Cabaret

Visit 13th century Blair Castle to see portraits, china and armor and stop at Blair Athol Distillery to learn about whisky and enjoy a sample. Continue south to Edinburgh and attend a Scottish cabaret and dinner. (B, D)

Day 5 – Fri: Edinburgh Castle & City Tour

See the principal sights of Edinburgh, including Princes Street, New Town and the Royal Mile. Visit Edinburgh Castle to see the Scottish Crown Jewels and the Stone of Scone. The balance of the day is free. (B)

Day 6 – Sat: Larne Ferry & Belfast

This morning drive to Cairnryan and take a ferry ride to Larne in Ireland. Tour Belfast's highlights with a local guide, including Victorian buildings, the Harland and Wolff Shipyards and areas around the Shankill and Falls Road. Check in to your centrally-located hotel. (B, D)

Day 7 – Sun: Giant's Causeway & Derry Walk

Drive north along the scenic "Nine Glens of Antrim" to visit the Giant's Causeway, hexagonal columns formed by volcanic activity over 60 million years ago. Continue to Derry and join a local guide for a short walking tour around the medieval city walls. (B, D)

Day 8 – Mon: Ulster American Folk Park & Westport

Visit the Ulster American Folk Park which traces the story of Ulster emigrants. On Donegal Bay view the grave of the writer, W. B. Yeats and continue your drive through Counties Sligo and Mayo to Westport, an estate town laid out in 1780. (B, D)

Day 9 – Tue: Achill Island & Famine Village

Tour Achill Island, joined to the mainland by bridge. Follow the Atlantic Drive for great views and see the Deserted Village, abandoned in the 1840's Famine. Return to Westport for an afternoon at leisure. (B, D)

Day 10 – Wed: Strokestown Park House & Dublin

Visit Strokestown Park House to see the 18th century mansion, the four-acre walled garden and the Famine Museum, which explains the 1840's disaster. Journey across Ireland to Dublin and the Brazen Head Pub is reserved for a great dinner and a lively traditional show. (B, D)

Day 11 – Thu: Kilmainham Gaol & Guinness

Relax on a half-day guided tour of Dublin and visit Kilmainham Gaol to see how penal establishments were operated in past centuries. The afternoon is free so that you may use your independent open-top bus tour and Guinness or Jameson vouchers. (B)

Day 12 – Fri: Return Home from Dublin

Transfer to Dublin Airport to check in for the journey home. (B)

Photo: Edinburgh Skyline from Calton Hill

12 DAY SCOTS IRISH TOUR - 2010

Depart USA-GLA	Return DUB-USA	Land Only
Mon Apr 19	Fri Apr 30	\$1698
• Mon May 03	Fri May 14	1898
Mon May 17	Fri May 28	1938
Mon May 31	Fri Jun 11	1998
• Mon Jun 14	Fri Jun 25	1998
Mon Jun 28	Fri Jul 09	1998

Departures every 2nd week until Oct 18
 Single Room Supplement: \$598.

• Save \$100 per person if you are 55 or over

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