



Friday 11 | Depart USA for Dublin, Ireland

Depart USA on your overnight flight to Dublin. Please be sure to have your up to date passport valid for at least 6 months beyond dates of travel, and allow a minimum of 2 hours for check in.

Saturday 12 | Arrive Dublin travel to Donegal and Lough Eske Castle.

Morning arrival into Dublin airport (request arrival no later than 9:00AM) and after clearing customs and immigration your driver/guide will be waiting to take you north across the country to Donegal Town. Welcome dinner and overnight at your castle hotel. **(B,D)**

Sunday 13 | Slieve League Sea Cliffs Donegal

After breakfast depart for Slieve League (*Sliabh Liag*) to see the highest and finest sea cliffs in Europe, rising 1,955 feet over the Atlantic Ocean. Later travel to Ardara the home of Donegal tweed where you will see art of hand looming tweed and free time to enjoy Nancy's Pub in the town. Overnight and dinner at Lough Eske. **(B,D)**

Monday 14 | Donegal to Sligo and Westport

Breakfast at your hotel travel south through Sligo with a stop at the grave of W.B. Yeats before turning west as you make your way to Castlebar and Westport for overnight. Evening dinner at your hotel. Overnight in Westport. **(B,D)**

Tuesday 15 | Free Day in Westport or Achill Island

Free day to enjoy Westport or experience a day tour out along Achill Island with stunning sea views on the Atlantic Drive. Return to Westport with evening at leisure on your own for dinner. **(B)**

Wednesday 16 | Westport to Waterford via Kilkenny

Following breakfast depart Westport and journey south toward Galway and east to Stonyford Village in Co. Kilkenny for a unique experience learn the ancient sport of hurling, considered the fastest field game in the world, and pull a proper pint. Continue to Waterford City for overnight, with dinner at your hotel. **(B,D)**

Thursday 17 | St. Patrick's Day in Waterford

Enjoy St. Patrick's Day festivities in Waterford. If you are feeling energetic, option to bike or hike the Waterford Greenway, a beautiful path along the coastline on the old rail line from Waterford City to Dungarvan known locally as the Déise Greenway. Overnight in Waterford. with time to explore the city on your own for dinner. **(B)**

Friday 18 | Waterford to Dublin

Leaving Waterford this morning, travel north toward Dublin. After a panoramic tour of the city, time to relax and explore. This evening you will enjoy a farewell dinner and performance by the Bhoys at Nancy Hand's Pub. **(B,D)**

Saturday 19 | Dublin to USA

Private transfer to Dublin airport allowing 3 hours for check-in for your flight to clear US Customs and Immigration prior to departure. **(B)**

Included in your trip:

- Accommodation for 7 nights in 3 & 4-star hotels and a 5-star castle hotel with full breakfast each morning
 - 5 evening dinners (drinks at own expense)
- Performances by the Wild Colonial Bhoys | Slieve League Cliffs | Hurling Experience in Kilkenny
 - Transportation throughout with a private driver/guide

Not Included:

- Airfare from US to Ireland
- Items of a personal nature (laundry, telephone, drinks, meals other than those specified, etc.)
- Entrance fees to Visitor Attractions not specified
- Gratuities for driver/guide recommended EUR 7 per person per day given at end of trip

COST PER PERSON SHARING A ROOM: US\$1,799.00

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT (limited availability): US\$700

Deposit: \$500 per person

**DISCOUNT OF \$100 PER PERSON FOR DEPOSITS RECEIVED BY
May 31, 2021**



ACCOMMODATION (or similar)

DONEGAL:



Lough Eske Castle Hotel, Donegal Town, Co. Donegal (2 nights)

Tel: +353 (0)7497 25100

5* spa hotel in restored 17th century castle. Lough Eske Castle has a long history wrapped in the story of Co. Donegal and Ireland, said to be carved piece by piece from local stone carried by Clydesdale horses along specially constructed roadways. In 1861 the new Lough Eske Castle, as we know it today, was built on the site of the old Brooke Mansion. Always a place for entertaining international guests since 1861, Lough Eske Castle remains full of warm Donegal hospitality today as it did over 150 years ago.

WESTPORT:



Wyatt Hotel, The Octagon, Westport, Co. Mayo (2 nights)

Tel: +353 (0)98 25027

Charming 3* boutique hotel in Westport, centrally located on the famous Octagon offering luxury accommodation, Lively entertainment on offer every night. Bar, Restaurant, and Brasserie on site, and close to other pubs and restaurants, including the famous Matt Molloy's.

WATERFORD:

Granville Hotel, The Quay, Waterford City, Co. Waterford (2 nights)



Tel: +353 (0)51 305555

Newly renovated 4* hotel in Ireland's oldest city of Waterford located in the Viking Triangle. Pool and leisure centre onsite. A short stroll from the riverfront, many attractions, numerous shops, restaurants and pubs.

DUBLIN:

Ashling Hotel, 10-13 Parkgate Street, Dublin 8, Co. Dublin (1 night)



4* Hotel overlooking the Guinness Brewery, beside the Phoenix Park, near Dublin Zoo, adjacent to Heuston Station, a stone's throw from the Collins Barracks Museum, on the Luas (tram) line, well served by public buses and tour buses, the Ashling Hotel is the perfect starting point for whatever brings you to Dublin.