

Join Chris Robinson, travel and radio personality on his excellent adventure to Ireland! This trip is a great introduction to Ireland – it gives a fantastic overview and takes you to some of the "must-sees". If you are looking for a rich and unique heritage, a fascinating culture and heartbreakingly beautiful scenery, look no further than Ireland.

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Irish Highlights Itinerary

October 18, 2014 TRAVEL TO DUBLIN

October 19, 2014 ARRIVE DUBLIN AND SIGHTSEEING

Spend the morning relaxing or exploring this vibrant, friendly city. Meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers this afternoon and see Trinity College, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Phoenix Park and the stately Georgian Squares with your Local Expert. This evening, board your canal boat for a leisurely cruise along Dublin's 200 year old Grand Canal; get to know your companions and Travel Director at an on-board Welcome Reception which includes a light evening meal and drinks.

Meal(s): (Welcome Reception)

Hotel: Camden Court (Hotels are subject to change)

October 20, 2014 DUBLIN - CO. WICKLOW - NEW ROSS -WATERFORD

Travel through the lush countryside of County Wicklow – known as the Garden of Ireland. Then on through County Wexford before arriving in the town of New Ross. See the monument to John F. Kennedy who visited his ancestral family hometown in 1963. Visit the three-masted barque Dunbrody, and gain a Unique Insight into the tragic plight of Irish emigration during the 1800s. This afternoon, visit the House of Waterford Crystal for a Local Speciality demonstration. Watch the master craftsmen at work during your tour of the workshop, and see the exquisite completed pieces in the showroom. Dine tonight at your hotal

Meal(s): (Full Breakfast / Dinner)
Hotel: Fitzwilton (Hotels are subject to change)

October 21, 2014 WATERFORD - YOUGHAL - BLARNEY -KILLARNEY (2 NIGHTS)

This morning, visit the historic seaport town of Youghal, once home to Sir Walter Raleigh. Visit Blarney Castle, kiss the Blarney Stone and acquire the 'gift of the gab' then travel through the colourful market town of Macroom and see the impressive Castle Arch, once the gateway to Macroom Castle it is now almost all that remains. Cross the Kerry Mountains to Killarney, your home for the next two nights.

Meal(s): (Full Breakfast) Hotel: International Hotel Killarney (Hotels are subject to change)

October 22, 2014 RING OF KERRY EXCURSION

Today we experience Ireland's most scenic coastal drive around the Iveragh Peninsula, better known as the 'Ring of Kerry'. It is undoubtedly one of the most magical and varied places in the whole of Ireland and is truly a photographer's delight. We will also see Daniel O'Connell's Cahirciveen, the fishing village of Waterville, the Black Valley and Moll's Gap. Here mountains, valleys, lakes and sea blend into a landscape that is often breath-taking beyond words.

Meal(s): (Full Breakfast)

October 23, 2014 KILLARNEY - CLIFFS OF MOHER - BUNRATTY - LIMERICK

Take the ferry across the Shannon estuary to scenic County Clare. A picturesque coastal drive through the beautiful villages of Kilrush and Lahinch brings you to the Cliffs of Moher. See the history of the cliffs brought to life with a visit to the 'Atlantic Edge' exhibition. Visit Bunratty Castle and explore the Folk Park, a living museum dedicated to life in Ireland during the 18th and 19th centuries. In Limerick, view King John's Castle, St. Mary's Cathedral and the Treaty Stone during your orientation.

Meal(s): (Full Breakfast) Hotel: Radisson Blu Hotel & Spa (Hotels are subject to change)

October 24, 2014 LIMERICK - GALWAY - DUBLIN

This morning, head north to Galway. View the cathedral and enjoy some free time in the city before continuing to Dublin. Join your companions and Travel Director this evening for a Be My Guest Farewell Dinner.

Meal(s): (Full Breakfast / Be My Guest Dining) Hotel: Camden Court (Hotels are subject to change)

October 25, 2014 DEPART DUBLIN

Say goodbye after your unforgettable journey through the friendly Emerald Isle! Airport transfers are available. Conditions apply.

Meal(s): (Full Breakfast)

WHAT'S INCLUDED

Insider Experiences

- Be My Guest in the lush countryside surrounding Dublin we visit a beautiful old farmhouse which is now a thriving Bed & Breakfast. Meet the owner and her family and enjoy traditional Irish dishes.
 Wander through the herb garden or take the breath-taking scenery around this unique home.
- · Local Expert in Dublin.
- Unique Insight Visit the three-masted barque Dunbrody, a replica of one of the original famine ships used during emigration from Ireland in the 1800s.
- Hidden Treasure Enjoy at least one surprise Hidden Treasure experience, unique to your itinerary, courtesy of your expert Travel Director.
- Local Speciality Visit the House of Waterford Crystal showroom and workshop.

Sightseeing Highlights

- · City tour of Dublin.
- · Orientation of Waterford, Limerick and Galway.
- Visit the famine ship in New Ross, the crystal showroom at Waterford, Youghal, Blarney to kiss the stone and gain the 'gift of the gab', Cliffs of Moher and Bunratty folk park.

- View St Patricks Cathedral and Phoenix Park in Dublin, King John's Castle and St. Marys Cathedral in Limerick and the Cathedral of Galway.
- · Scenic drive of the Ring of Kerry.

Dining

- · 6 full Irish breakfasts.
- 3 dinners (including Welcome Reception, Be My Guest and a three course dinner).

Travel Highlights

- Travel by luxury air-conditioned coach with reclining seats and an on-board restroom.
- First Class hotel accommodation featuring twin rooms and private facilities.
- The services of a professional Travel Director throughout your journey.
- All hotel service charges and tips, baggage handling fees and local taxes included.
- Audio Headsets provided throughout your trip to enhance your included sightseeing experiences.
- · A travel wallet with your documentation.
- · Ferry across the Shannon Estuary.
- · Complimentary keepsake photo.



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