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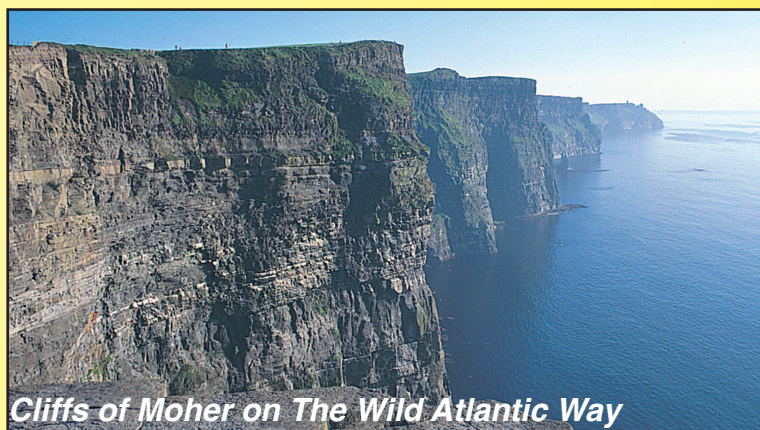
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Bunratty Castle



Cliffs of Moher on The Wild Atlantic Way



Medieval Banquet

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Welcome to RAILTOURS IRELAND

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Dear Vacationer,

I am delighted you are considering Railtours Ireland *First Class* for your Irish holiday /vacation in 2014. We started in 1998 and have looked after almost 350,000 visitors to Ireland almost 80% of whom are from U.S. and Canada. Our popularity comes from our first class customer service and legendary hospitality as well as our ability to create a memorable experience as well as allowing visitors the option of touring Ireland without having to drive. **We are Ireland experts!**

Remember, we can look after your entire vacation needs from meet and greet at Dublin Airport to arranging transfers, your accommodation needs in Dublin, Cork, Killarney, Galway and Belfast. Most of our tours include large sections of Ireland's Wild Atlantic Way.

We are really pleased to announce our NEW five star Ireland Rail Cruise and Castle Tour with one departure in 2014. Treat yourself to a cruise around Ireland by rail in your own private heritage train with accommodation in five star Castle, Country and City Hotels - see page 4 for details.

Check out our NEW Day Tour to Belfast and its Titanic Quarter as well as the newly opened Crumlin Road Jail - see Tour DC10T for details on page 7.

Check out all our tours ranging from one day to nine day duration and the great value special offers below including our amazing value "Welcome to Dublin Citypack".

**We are delighted to announce that there is now
FREE WiFi on all trains in Ireland.**

We look forward to welcoming you to Ireland in 2014.

*Jim Deegan,
Managing Director*



TWO SPECIAL OFFERS FOR 2014 Fantastic Value!

Offer 1

"Welcome To Dublin Citypack"

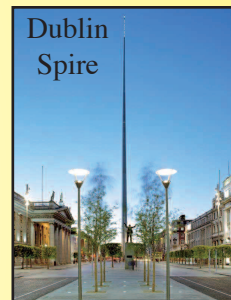
Railtours Ireland is delighted to offer our visitors a new fully-inclusive Dublin accommodation and activity Package.

Our Welcome to Dublin Citypack includes:

- Personal Meet & Greet off your flight at Dublin Airport
- Return transfers* to/from your city centre Hotel
- 2 nights 4-star standard city centre Hotel accommodation (room only and subject to availability)
- Dublin Bus city sightseeing tour
Hop on - Hop off ticket



Kilmainham Jail



Dublin Spire



Molly Malone

ONLY €149 euro per person sharing - extra nights available from **€49 euro** per person sharing.

*This offer is available if you purchase an extended tour of 3 days or longer at full adult price directly from Railtours Ireland - not available with any other discounts. Normal price €189 per person sharing. * Dublin Airport pick-up 06.00 to 23.00 only. Outside these hours €39 per person extra. Return transfer to Dublin Airport available from 06.00 to 23.00 only - otherwise own arrangements.*

Offer 2

FREE DUBLIN BUS HOP ON - HOP OFF TOUR TICKET

Railtours Ireland is delighted to offer a FREE Dublin Bus Hop On-Hop Off tour ticket worth *at least* €19 (euro) with every extended tour including afternoon departures or any two of our day tours (*per person*).

SPECIAL OFFER FOR SENIORS (Over 55) - FREE Hop On - Hop Off tour ticket with every day tour purchased online at www.railtoursireland.com.



Your FREE Hop On - Hop Off Tour ticket will be in your travel pack when you check in for your first Railtours Ireland tour. You can also receive it in advance - by arrangement. **Seniors** must pick up their tickets in person at Railtours House, 16 Amiens Street, Dublin 1. (*directly opposite Connolly Station*)

ALL OFFERS MUST BE BOOKED DIRECTLY IN ADVANCE on www.railtoursireland.com.



THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT

Railtours Ireland *First Class!*

HAS ACHIEVED A TRIPADVISOR RATING OF



BY ITS GUESTS AND THEREFORE HAS BEEN AWARDED A

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Christine Petersen
President, TripAdvisor for Business

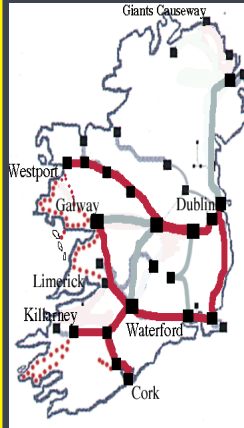
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NEW FOR 2014

THE IRELAND SEVEN DAY RAIL CRUISE AND CASTLE TOUR

For the first time ever, we offer an exclusive rail cruise through Ireland in your own special heritage train and overnighting in five star Irish Castle, City and Country Hotels



Ashford Castle

This exclusive tour is limited to 50 guests and will include - Dublin, Waterford, Cork, Cobh, Killarney, The Ring of Kerry, Cliffs of Moher, Bunratty Castle Medieval Banquet, Connemara and Galway Bay

Only one departure on Monday September 29th 2014

- Day 1 Sunday** *Gathering Day. Individual Transfers from Dublin Airport to your hotel. Overnight in a 5 star Dublin Hotel.*
- Day 2 Monday** *Transfer from hotel to your private heritage train at Dublin Rail Terminal then rail down Ireland's scenic east coast through Wicklow, Wexford and Waterford City where we have private visit to Waterford Crystal overnight in Waterford Castle.*
- Day 3 Tuesday** *By rail through the Suir Valley, Co. Tipperary to Cork and a visit to Blarney Castle, Cork City's English Market, overnight in five star Fota Island Resort*
- Day 4 Wednesday** *Visit Cobh, Titanic's last port of call and then rail to Killarney for a tour of The Ring of Kerry, overnight in Killarney five star hotel on the shore of Killarney's lakes.*
- Day 5 Thursday** *By rail from Killarney to Limerick and the wild Atlantic coast where we visit the spectacular Cliffs of Moher. Medieval banquet tonight in Bunratty Castle and overnight in Dromoland Castle.*
- Day 6 Friday** *By rail to Galway Bay. Explore Galway City and overnight in Ashford Castle, Cong, Co. Mayo.*
- Day 7 Saturday** *Tour of Connemara to Westport on the shores of Clew Bay and rail across Ireland back to Dublin with dinner on board. Overnight in Dublin five star hotel.*
- Day 8 Sunday** *Scattering Day. Individual transfers from your hotel to Dublin Airport.*

Price: €3,499 per person sharing (single room supplement €899)

to include:

- Personal Meet & Greet off your flight at Dublin Airport
- Private transfers* to/from your city centre Hotel / Rail Stations
- 7 nights five star Hotel accommodation with Dinner and Full Irish Breakfast
- Morning coffee, lunch and afternoon tea each day
- All rail travel aboard private heritage train throughout
- All tours, transfers and admissions
- Services of Railtours Ireland *First Class!* hosts throughout
- All taxes and service charges



Dromoland Castle

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Waterford Castle

Tour DH01 - Day Tour

Waterford Crystal & Kilkenny City

(By rail to the South East of Ireland)

Enjoy a day out to Ireland's "sunny south east" We visit the ancient city of **Kilkenny** or as it is known "The Marble City". We continue on to explore the historic Viking City of **Waterford** where we visit The Waterford Crystal Visitors Centre. With an option to explore more!.

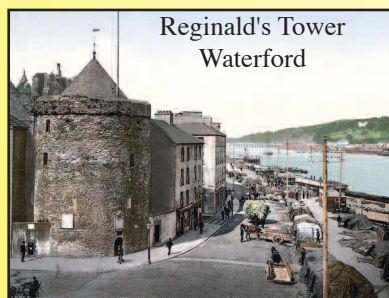


ITINERARY

Check-in **Dublin Heuston Station** (Information Desk) for 07.25 7.25am -snacks available) departure of intercity train to **Kilkenny**. We arrive at 09.00 (9.00am) after a scenic rail journey and we take a guided tour of **Kilkenny City** known as "The Marble City", after the tour you will have plenty of time to explore and perhaps visit **Kilkenny Castle** overlooking the River Nore (admission not included) and the nearby **Kilkenny Design Centre**. We depart Kilkenny at 11.40 and arrive in **Waterford Crystal** on the banks of the River Suir in the heart of **Waterford City** at 12.20. On arrival we have time for lunch (not included) followed by a tour of the Waterford Crystal Visitors Centre (included). The tour departs **Waterford** by train at 16.25(4.25pm)arriving in **Dublin Heuston** at 20.00 (8.00p.m) (snacks available). Our return journey by train is via the scenic **Suir Valley** through the heart of **County Tipperary**, we change trains at Limerick Junction to join our express back to **Dublin**.

Departs Daily - Monday to Saturday

Overnight option (4*standard hotel) available in Waterford - please ask for details.



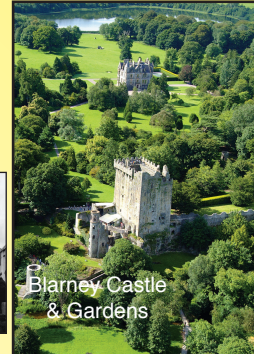
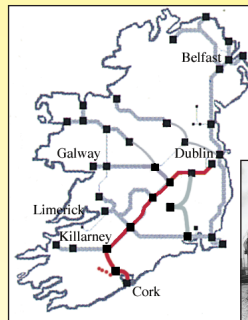
Tour DH02 - Day Tour

OUR SECOND MOST POPULAR DAY TOUR

Cork, Blarney Castle & the Queenstown/ Titanic Story

(By rail to the South of Ireland)

A highly enjoyable trip to Ireland's southern capital, **Cork**, visiting the world renowned **Blarney Stone** and the **Queenstown Story** at **Cobh**, on **Cork Harbour**, famous as the **Titanic's** last port of call (all admissions and transfers / tours included).



ITINERARY

Check in **Dublin Heuston Station** (Information Desk) for 07:00 departure of Intercity train to **Cork** (breakfast available). On arrival in **Cork** we transfer by road to **Blarney Castle** where we kiss the famous stone and thus acquire the gift of eternal eloquence. Time for shopping and lunch at **Blarney Village** before returning to **Cork** and a short city tour. We have a scenic journey alongside **Cork Harbour** to **Cobh** where the "**Queenstown Story**" **Heritage Centre** is located in the beautifully restored Victorian railway station and transatlantic terminal. This was embarkation point for generations of Irish emigrants to the new worlds, from famine times to recent years - including passengers for the **Titanic** in April, 1912. Return to

Cork for departure on Intercity service to **Dublin** (light meals and full bar available). Arrival at **Dublin Heuston Station** is at 20.00 hrs. (8.00pm).



Departs Daily (Monday - Saturday)



Tour DH 02B SHORTER ECONOMY OPTION

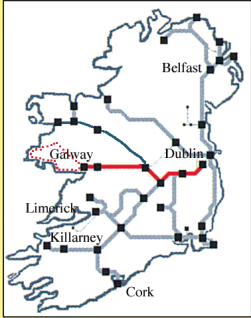
Dublin - Cork - Blarney ONLY (without Cobh) and earlier return - 16.55 (4.55pm)



Connemara and Galway Bay

(By rail to the West of Ireland)

An enchanting day tour to the glorious West of Ireland where John Ford filmed "The Quiet Man". We arrive through Galway (the City of the Tribes), see **Kylemore Abbey** and the **Maam Valley** (Joyce country) and explore **Connemara** which means "inlets of the sea", and has glorious lake and mountain scenery along The Wild Atlantic Way.



Kylemore Abbey

ITINERARY

Check in Dublin **Heuston Station** (Information Desk) for 07:35 departure of Intercity train to Galway (*snacks available*). On arrival in **Galway** we begin our tour by coach and strike out into the fabulous scenery of **Connemara**. On our journey through **Connemara** we pass the house where Bruce Ismay (director of the White Star Line) retired to in disgrace after surviving the Titanic sinking until his death in 1932. During this tour we see many **Connemara** ponies in their natural habitat. Mountains, lakes and deep inlets are there to behold, we visit the lovely fishing village of **Leenane** on **Ireland's only fjord**. We visit the world famous **Kylemore Abbey Visitor Centre** and Victorian Garden which will be our lunch stop (*not included*). See the **Twelve Bens** and **Maamturks** mountain ranges. Plenty of shopping and photo opportunities en route. We continue on along the northern shores of **Galway Bay** and arrive in **Galway** for our return Intercity train to Dublin **Heuston Station** arriving at 21.45hrs (9.45pm). (*snacks available*).

Please note: For operational reasons itinerary is subject to change on the day.



Departs Daily
(Monday - Saturday)



ALL TOURS HAVE STOPS EN ROUTE FOR PHOTOGRAPHY, SHOPPING ETC.,



Leenane Village

The Ring of Kerry

(by rail to the Southwest of Ireland)

An all day tour offering a unique opportunity to experience the world renowned Ring of Kerry, with its overwhelming mountains and seascapes. Its route takes in a lot of The Wild Atlantic Way.



On the Ring of Kerry

ITINERARY

Check in Dublin **Heuston Station** (Information Desk) for 07.00 departure of Intercity train (*breakfast available*) to **Mallow** County Cork. Here we transfer by train to **Killarney** and thence by road for our tour of the **Ring of Kerry**

We have a wonderful day viewing some of Ireland's most spectacular scenery, including **Dingle Bay** the **Skellig Rocks**, **Kenmare Bay**, **Sneem Village** and the **Macgillicuddy Reeks**, Ireland's highest mountain **Carrantuohill**, **Moll's Gap**, **Ladies View** and the world famous **Lakes of Killarney**. We return to **Killarney** for train departure to **Mallow**, where we join our **Dublin** bound express (*snacks and full bar available*). Arrival at Dublin **Heuston Station** is at 21:00 (9.00pm).

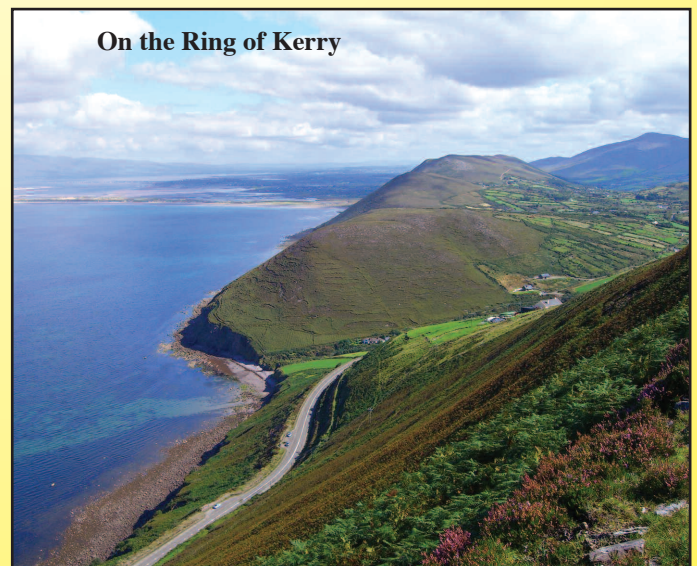


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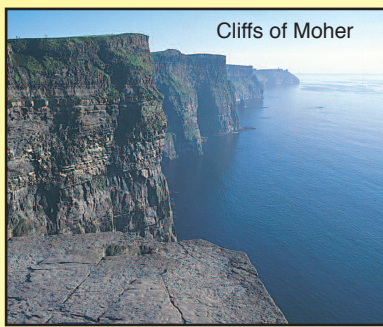
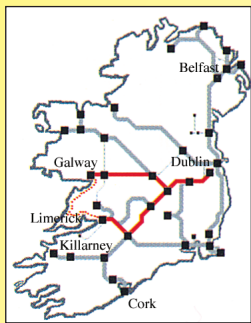


On the Ring of Kerry

The Cliffs of Moher, Bunnratty Castle, The Burren, and Galway Bay

(By rail to the West of Ireland)

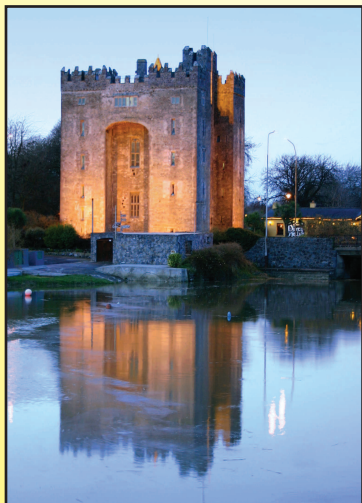
A day trip to Ireland's rugged and unique mid-western coast, through Limerick on the mighty River Shannon and on then to the imposing Bunnratty Castle with its lovely folk park. The stunning Cliffs of Moher, the Burren and Galway Bay along The Wild Atlantic Way. A flavour of Galway City (traffic permitting) concludes the tour before our return to Dublin.



Cliffs of Moher

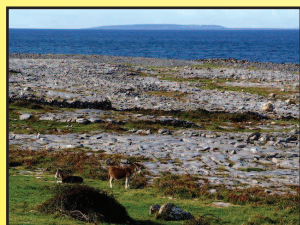
ITINERARY

Check in Dublin **Heuston** Station (Information Desk) for 07.00 departure of Intercity train (breakfast available) to **Limerick**, arrival 09.10 (9.10am). Here we join our coach and have a short tour of the "Treaty City" and setting for "Angela's Ashes". We cross the mighty river Shannon and head north to **Bunnratty Castle** and **Folk Village**, arrival 09.45 (9.45am - admission included) - approx 2 hour stop including a guided tour of the restored castle and an opportunity to explore the authentic recreation of an Irish Village at the end of the 19th century, smell the beautiful aroma of the traditional turf (peat) fires in the fireplaces of the thatched cottages. We continue west to the fishing village of **Doolin** on the wild Atlantic coast for our lunch stop (*not included*) at Gus O'Connor's famous pub (*try the chowder!*). After an hour here we have a twenty minute run to the majestic **Cliffs of Moher** - the highest seacliffs in Europe where we spend at least 75 minutes. We leave here and continue north along the coast and enter the unique lunar landscape of the **Burren** (*photostop*), famous for its fauna and flora, we continue around **Black Head** before heading along the shores of **Galway Bay** (our route is regarded as one of Europe's top ten coastal drives) to **Galway** the city of the tribes where we join our Dublin bound train (*light meals and full bar available*) Arrival at Dublin **Heuston** Station at 21.45 (9.45pm).



On this tour you travel through three of Ireland's four provinces.

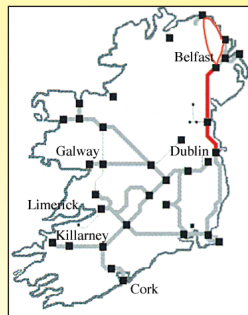
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The Giant's Causeway Glens of Antrim and Wild Atlantic Coast

(By rail to the North of Ireland)

A fascinating day out to the famed Antrim coast with its spectacular seascapes taking in the Giant's Causeway and Dunluce Castle. Rail travel Dublin - Belfast - Dublin by "Enterprise Express" (all admissions, included except Carrick-a-rede rope bridge)



Now open all year round

Carrick-a-rede Rope Bridge

ITINERARY

Check in Dublin **Connolly** Station (Information Desk) for 07:35 departure of Enterprise Service (*light breakfast available*). At **Belfast** we join our tour and head to the famous Antrim Coast Road crossing the lovely **Glens of Antrim** en route to **Ballycastle** and the **Carrick-a-rede** rope bridge. Glimpse the **Scottish coast** on a clear day. Bushmills visitor center is our lunch stop, (*not included*). We continue to the stunning **Giant's Causeway** next, seeing **Dunluce Castle** (photo stop only). We return to **Belfast** and our train to Dublin arriving at **Connolly** station at 22:15 (10.15pm - *snacks available*). Time and traffic permitting we will have a short tour of **Belfast** and see where the **Titanic** was built and launched in May 1911.

Departs Daily Mon to Sat

* small sterling charge payable if you actually cross the bridge (local charge)

PLEASE NOTE: Sterling (British) Currency is required in Northern Ireland



IMPORTANT NOTICE

On any tour to Belfast and The Giant's Causeway please remember you are leaving the Republic of Ireland and entering the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, please ensure that your Visa requirements are in order and it is essential that you carry your passport

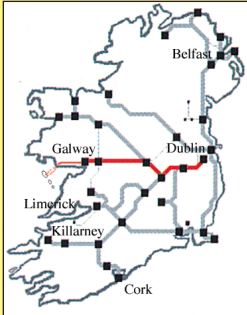


Glens of Antrim

The Aran Islands in Galway Bay

(By rail to the West of Ireland)

A unique opportunity to visit Inismór the largest of the legendary Aran Islands facing the wild Atlantic Ocean at the mouth of Galway Bay. (flights, admissions, transfers /tours included).



Aran Islands

ITINERARY

Check in Dublin **Heuston** Station (Information Desk) for 07:35 departure of Intercity train (*snacks available*) to Galway. We transfer by road (bóthar Cois Faraige - the road beside the sea) to Connemara Airport for *flight to **Inismór** where we join our tour of the Island with time for lunch at **Kilronan** before our visit to the magnificent ancient fort **Dún Aengus** with its sheer cliffs and dramatic seascapes. Return flight and transfer back to **Galway City** with time for exploring and shopping before our return train departing **Galway** to **Dublin Heuston** arriving at 21.45 (9.45pm). (*snacks available*)

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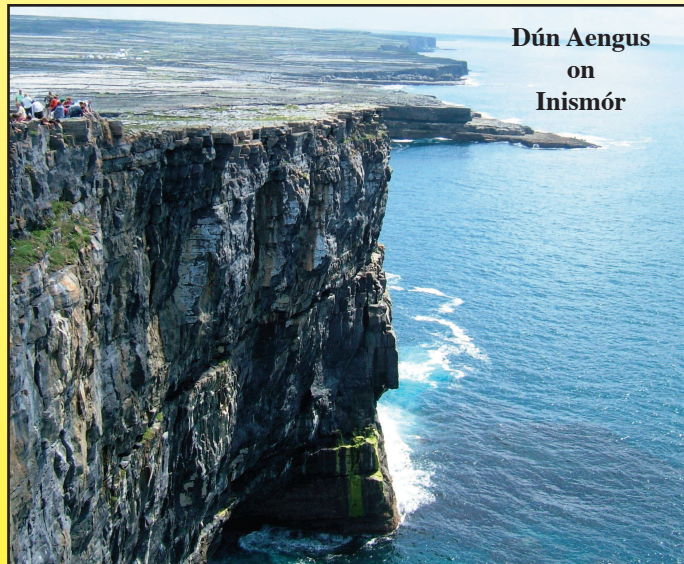
* should weather conditions be such as to curtail flights you will be taken on an alternative tour to Connemara (DH 04) and refunded the difference. No further refund available should you decide not go to Connemara for any reason.



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(Monday - Saturday)



Overnight option available in Galway City - please ask for details when booking



Dún Aengus
on
Inismór

Titanic Belfast

(By rail to the North of Ireland)

NEW FOR 2014 - A day tour to the northern capital enjoying the Enterprise Express train to Belfast and then a Hop On- Hop Off tour of all the cities major attractions including Titanic Quarter and the newly opened Crumlin Road Jail.



The Titanic Visitors Centre

ITINERARY

Check in Dublin **Connolly** Station (Information Desk) for 07:35 departure of Enterprise Express train (*snacks available*) to **Belfast**. Experience crossing the border at Milepost 59 and after arrival at Belfast Central we take you by local train to Belfast Great Victoria Street Station in the heart of the city where you pick up your Hop On - Hop Off tour. This takes you right around the city including The Titanic Quarter we include admission to The Titanic Visitors Centre. Optional visit to the newly refurbished and acclaimed Crumlin Road Jail - see the eerie condemned cell and adjacent gallows. Drive the famous Falls and Shankill Roads and see their murals!.

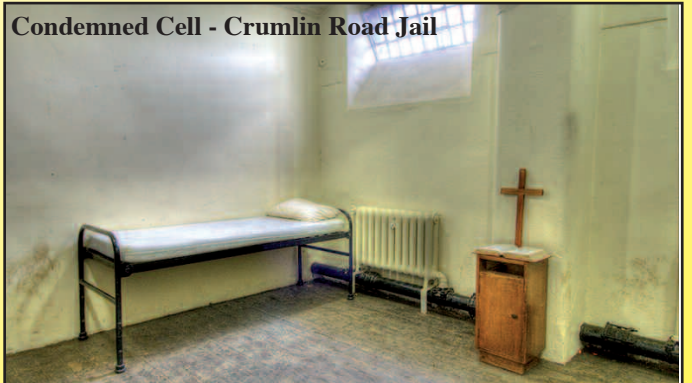
Plenty of time for shopping etc., in Belfast city centre and return at either 16.10 (4.10pm), 18.10 (6.10pm) or 20.10 (8.10pm) arriving in **Dublin Connolly Station** two hours and ten minutes later. (*bar and snacks available*)



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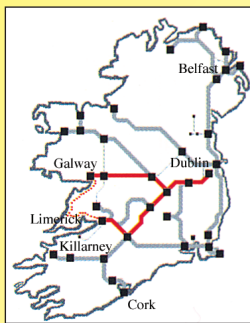
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Condemned Cell - Crumlin Road Jail

Overnight tours with
Afternoon Departures to our
most popular destinations...
Have a lie in!

**Limerick City & The Cliffs of Moher,
Bunratty Castle,
The Burren and Galway Bay**



Tour DH06AN - Overnight Tour

An overnight tour to Ireland's mid-western capital, **Limerick**, the Treaty City, on the banks of the majestic river Shannon. This Tour includes four star standard Hotel accommodation in the City Centre and a full Irish Breakfast. Your evening in **Limerick** is free to explore the locations where the film Angela's Ashes was made and perhaps have a pint in one of the city's many Traditional pubs. The next day we will take you to visit **Medieval Bunratty Castle** then on to a charming pub for a lunch stop in a remote Atlantic coastal village and then to the **Cliffs of Moher**. We travel through the **Burren**, around **Black Head** and on to **Galway City** along the shores of **Galway Bay**. (all admissions and transfers/tours included).

ITINERARY DAY 1

Check in **Dublin Heuston Station** (Information Desk) for the 15:25 (3.25pm) departure of intercity train. On arrival in Limerick at 17.40 (5.40pm) we transfer you to your four star standard hotel in **Limerick City Centre**. You have the evening free in "The Treaty City" - a vibrant lively city with a great selection of bars and restaurants to suit all tastes and pockets. We include some suggestions in your travel pack.

ITINERARY DAY 2

Pick up at your Hotel at 09.30am. We head north to **Bunratty Castle** and **Folk Village** (admission included), then to a **Doolin** village traditional Irish pub for our lunch stop and on to the majestic **Cliffs of Moher** on the wild Atlantic coast. We enter the unique lunar landscape of the **Burren**, rounding **Black Head** before heading along the shores of **Galway Bay** to **Galway**, the city of the tribes. We now have some free time available for exploring and perhaps an evening meal. Then we join our **Dublin** bound train (light meals available) arriving in **Dublin Heuston** at 21.45. The drive from the **Cliffs of Moher** to **Galway** city is regarded by the AA Automobile Association as one of the top 10 coastal drives in Europe.

On this tour you travel through three of Ireland's four provinces.

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All tours have stops en route for photography, shopping etc.,
Overnight option available in Galway City - please ask for details when booking.



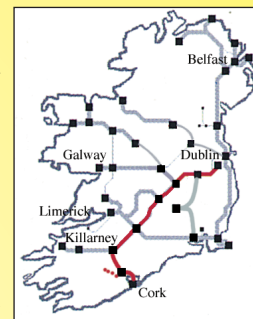
**Cork, Blarney Castle & the
Queenstown/Titanic Story**

Tour DH02AN - Overnight Tour

A highly enjoyable trip to Ireland's Southern capital, **Cork**, visiting the world renowned **Blarney Stone** and the **Queenstown Story at Cobh**, on **Cork Harbour**, famous as the **Titanic's last port of call** (all admissions and transfers / tours included).

Blarney Castle - Cork

An overnight tour to Ireland's Southern Capital, **Cork**, including four star standard hotel accommodation in Cork city which includes a full Irish Breakfast. Your evening in **Cork** is free to explore and perhaps find that traditional Irish pub full of live music. The next day we will take you to the world famous **Blarney Stone**, and the **Queenstown Story at Cobh** on **Cork Harbour**, famous as the **Titanic's last port of call** (all admissions and transfers / tours included).



ITINERARY DAY 1

Check in **Dublin Heuston Station** (Information Desk) for the 14.00 (2.00pm) departure of Intercity train to **Cork**. On arrival in **Cork** 16.40 (4.40pm) we transfer you to your 4 star standard Hotel in **Cork City Centre**. You have the evening free in Ireland's "real capital" (as the locals would say!).

ITINERARY DAY 2

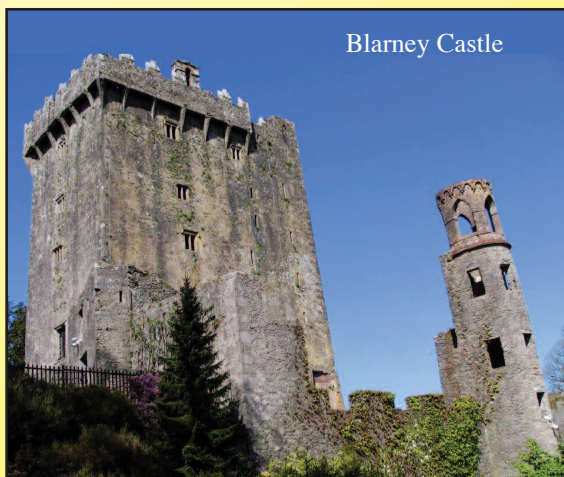
Pick up at your Hotel at 09:15 when we will travel by road to **Blarney Castle** and its stunning gardens, where we kiss the famous stone and thus acquire the gift of eternal eloquence. Time for shopping and lunch at **Blarney Village** before returning to **Cork** and a short city tour including a stop at the English Market (traffic permitting). We have a scenic journey alongside **Cork Harbour** to **Cobh** where the "**Queenstown Story**" Heritage Centre is located in the beautifully restored Victorian railway station and transatlantic terminal.

Embarkation point for generations of Irish emigrants to the new worlds from famine times to recent years - including passengers for the **Titanic** in April 1912. Return to **Cork** for departure

on InterCity service to **Dublin** (light meals available). Arrival at **Dublin Heuston Station** is at 20.00 hrs. (8.00pm).



Departs Daily (Monday - Friday)



Blarney Castle

Killarney & The Ring of Kerry

Tour DH05AN - Overnight Tour

An overnight tour to the World famous **Killarney** situated on its famous lakes and under the highest mountains in Ireland, the **Macgillicuddy Reeks**. Your tour includes four star standard Hotel accommodation in **Killarney** town centre with its large selection of cosy pubs and restaurants for you to explore and enjoy. We include full Irish breakfast and a tour of the stunning **Ring of Kerry**.

Moll's Gap - Ring of Kerry

ITINERARY DAY 1

Check in **Dublin Heuston** station (Information Desk) for the 15:00 (3pm) departure of intercity train to **Killarney**. On arrival in **Killarney** at 18.16 (6.16pm) we transfer you to your 4 star standard hotel in **Killarney** very close to the bustling centre of this most traditional of Irish towns. Your evening is free to explore **Killarney's** quaint pubs and restaurants.



ITINERARY DAY 2

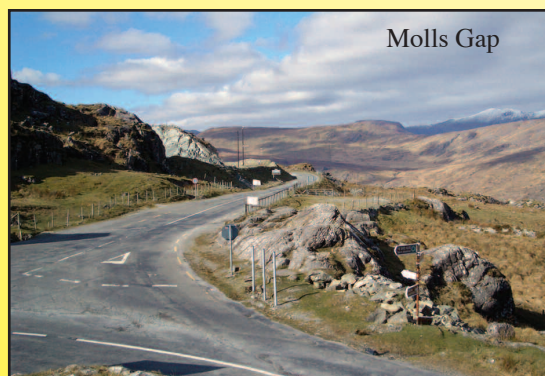
The next morning at 10.00am you will be picked up from your Hotel to join the **Ring of Kerry** tour. We have a wonderful day viewing some of Ireland's most spectacular scenery, including **Dingle Bay**. We also see the **Macgillicuddy Reeks**, Ireland's highest mountain **Carrantuohill**, **Moll's Gap**, **Ladies View** and the world famous **Lakes of Killarney**.

Return to **Killarney** for train departure to **Mallow**, where we join our **Dublin** bound express (light meals available). Arrival in **Dublin Heuston** is at 21:00 (9.00pm).

Departs Daily (Monday - Saturday).



Ring of Kerry



Molls Gap

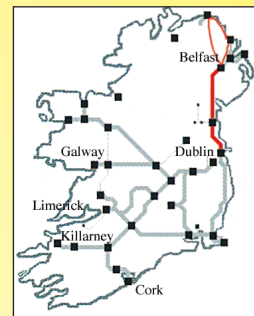
Belfast City & The Giant's Causeway

Tour DC10AN - Overnight Tour

An Overnight to the North of Ireland, **Belfast City**, including a four star standard Hotel in the Heart of **Belfast City Centre** which includes the famous 'Ulster Fry' Breakfast. You have the evening free to explore the vibrant city of **Belfast**. Day two you will visit Ireland's top tourist attraction, the **Giant's Causeway**, which has often been described as the Eighth Wonder of the World. This is a fascinating day out to the famed **Antrim** coast with its spectacular seascapes taking in the **Giant's Causeway** and **Dunluce Castle**. (all admissions, transfers /tours included).

ITINERARY DAY 1

Check in **Dublin Connolly** station (Information Desk) for the 13.20 (1.20pm) departure of enterprise train to **Belfast**. On arrival in **Belfast Central Station** we will transfer to a local train service to **Belfast Great Victoria Street**, which is situated directly underneath your 4 star standard Hotel. The rest of the afternoon is free to explore the exciting Northern Capital.



ITINERARY DAY 2

After your Ulster Fry, you will be picked up at your Hotel at 09:30am. We will travel by coach on the famous **Antrim Coast Road** crossing the lovely **Glens of Antrim** en route to **Ballycastle** and the **Carrick-a-rede** rope bridge. Glimpse the **Scottish** coast on a clear day. We continue to the stunning **Giant's Causeway** next, seeing **Dunluce Castle** (photo stop only). We return to **Belfast** and our train to **Dublin** arriving at **Dublin Connolly** station at 22.15 (10.15pm - snacks available on board)

All tours have stops en route for photography, shopping etc.

Please Note: Sterling (£ British) Currency is required in Northern Ireland.

*£3.50 or €5.00 euro payable if you actually cross the

Carrick-a-rede Rope Bridge (local charge).

Departs Daily (Monday - Saturday)

Single room Supplement €39.00



IMPORTANT NOTICE

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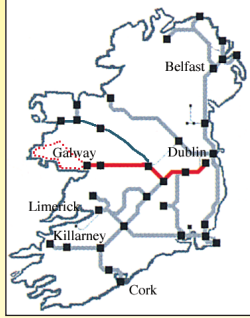
Carrick-a-rede Rope Bridge

Tour DH04AN - Overnight Tour

An overnight tour to the glorious West of Ireland including a comfortable three/four star hotel located in the City Centre of **Galway** (the City of the Tribes), you will have the evening free to experience this most exciting city full of really good pubs and restaurants, many with traditional Irish music - hear the Irish language (Gaelic) being spoken. The next morning after a full Irish breakfast you will be taken on a great tour of one of Ireland's most scenic regions, **Connemara**.

ITINERARY DAY 1

Check in **Dublin Heuston Station** (Information Desk) for the 13.25 (1.25pm) departure of Intercity train to **Galway** (snacks and drinks available). Our train takes us the whole way across Ireland from east to west. On arrival in Galway you will be checked in to your comfortable hotel near the railway station and you have the evening free to explore.



ITINERARY DAY 2

We begin our tour by coach and strike out into the fabulous scenery in the region known as **Connemara**. Mountains, lakes and deep inlets are there to behold, we visit the lovely fishing village of **Leenane** on Ireland's only fjord. We visit the world famous **Kylemore Abbey** Visitor Centre and Victorian Garden which will be our lunch stop (not included). See **The Twelve Bens** and **Maamturks** mountain ranges. Plenty of shopping and photo opportunities en route. We continue on along the northern shores of **Galway Bay** and arrive in **Galway** for our return Intercity train to **Dublin Heuston Station** arriving at 21.45 (9.45pm - snacks available).



Departs Daily
(Monday - Saturday)

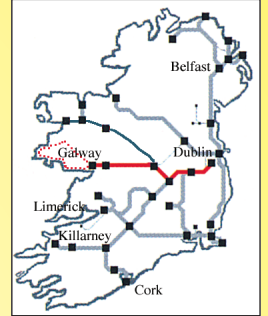


Tour DH09 - 2 Day Tour

A new opportunity to overnight in the capital of Connemara - the beautiful town of Clifden. Staying at the famous **Abbeyglen Castle Hotel** or the **Four Star Station House Hotel**. Experience two days of touring **The Wild Atlantic Way** in this most beautiful region with overnight in Clifden. This tour offers exceptional value and a dinner, bed and breakfast is offered as part of this package.

ITINERARY DAY 1

Check in **Dublin Heuston Station** Information Desk for 07.35 departure of Intercity train to **Galway** (snacks available). On arrival in **Galway** we transfer to our waiting coach and strike out into the fabulous scenery of **Connemara**. During this tour we see many Connemara ponies in their natural habitat, mountains, lakes and deep inlets are there to behold. Arrival in **Clifden** mid afternoon, free time to explore this beautiful little town on the Atlantic Coast with its wonderful pubs and seafood restaurants, dinner and overnight in either **Abbeyglen Castle Hotel**, **Station House Hotel** or **Foyles Hotel**.



ITINERARY DAY 2

10.00am depart **Clifden** for morning tour of the **Sky Road, Coral Beach** - spectacular coastal scenery. We visit **Derrygimlagh Bog**, the site of the **Marconi** transmitting station where Jack Phillips worked as a wireless operator. He left in 1911 and joined the **Titanic**, and went down with the ship as he sent the final distress messages. This also is the site where Alcock and Brown landed in 1919 after the first ever non-stop transatlantic flight. We continue to **The Coral Beach**, and the beautiful fishing village of **Roundstone** enroute to **Kylemore Abbey** and its victorian gardens for our lunch stop (not included). We continue our tour through **Connemara** enjoying spectacular mountain and lake scenery on our way back to **Galway** where we join our train to **Dublin** arriving at 21.45 (9.45pm).



Tour itinerary subject to change.

Departs Daily - Monday - Saturday

Prices are per person sharing -
single room supplement applies

All tours have stops en route for Photography, shopping etc.

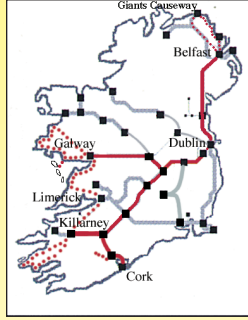
Extra nights available in Galway city
at the end of your tour - Please
ask for details when booking.



Tour DH3711910N - Nine Day Tour The Titanic Rail Trail & Wild Atlantic Way

(By rail to the North, South and West of Ireland)

We are delighted to offer a nine day (nine nights) tour of **Ireland** which includes the highlights of **Ireland** and has the theme of the ill fated **Titanic** story. We visit **Cork** and **Blarney Castle**, and **Cobh** near **Cork City**, the ship's last port of call. We include **Belfast** where she was built, we explore **Clifden** in **Connemara**, where **Jack Phillips**, the **Titanic's** wireless operator worked for **Marconi** before the fatal voyage. This tour also takes in **Ireland's** most famous attractions such as **The Cliffs of Moher**, **Blarney Castle**, **The Ring of Kerry**, **Bunratty Castle**, **The Giant's Causeway** and **Galway Bay** on the wild Atlantic Coast. This escorted tour, like all our extended tours, includes all rail and coach travel, quality hotel accommodation, admissions where stated and transfers.



ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in **Dublin** Heuston Station (Information Desk) for 07.00 departure of Intercity train to **Cork** (free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com). We transfer to **Blarney Castle**, (admission included) kiss the **Blarney Stone** and thus acquire the gift of eternal eloquence. After time for lunch and shopping we have a short city tour of **Cork** and we have a scenic journey alongside **Cork Harbour** to **Cobh** where the **Titanic** made its last port of call and where generations of Irish emigrants left for the new worlds. We visit the **Cobh Heritage Centre** home of the **Queenstown Story** and **The Titanic Story** (admission included). We travel by train from **Cobh** to **Killarney** where we are transferred to our comfortable Bed and Breakfast accommodation with ensuite facilities free upgrade to four star standard hotel if you book directly online at www.Railtours Ireland.com. Evening Free to explore the traditional pubs and restaurants and maybe a walk to the famous lakes.

ITINERARY - DAY 2

10.00am we embark on the famous **Ring of Kerry** tour which is a largely coastal drive around the **Iveragh Peninsula**, on one side of which is **Dingle Bay**. Lots of stunning mountain and coastal scenery. We pass through **Sneem** Village and see **The Skellig Rocks**, **The Macgillicuddy Reeks** including Ireland's highest mountain, **Carrantuohill**. Our route includes **Molls Gap** and **Ladies View** over the world famous **Lakes of Killarney**. Evening free and overnight in **Killarney** in quality hotel accommodation.

ITINERARY - DAY 3

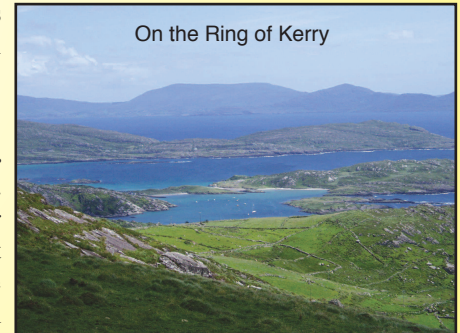
07.30 transfer by road from **Killarney** to **Limerick** passing through the lovely village of **Adare**. In **Limerick** we have a short tour of the treaty city and setting for the movie "**Angela's Ashes**". We head north to **Bunratty Castle** and **Folk Village**, we include admission and a guided tour of this wonderful medieval castle and the accurate recreation of Irish Country life in the adjacent Folk Park. Our next stop is at a traditional Irish pub, **O'Connor's of Doolin**, with its reasonable priced seafood and pub grub - try the chowder (lunch not included). It is a short drive from here to the majestic **Cliffs of Moher**, (admission incl) from here we enter the unique lunar landscape of the **Burren** rounding **Black Head** before heading along the shores of **Galway Bay** (our route is regarded as one of Europe's top ten coastal drives). Overnight in **Galway City** in three/four star hotel. Evening Free.

ITINERARY - DAY 4

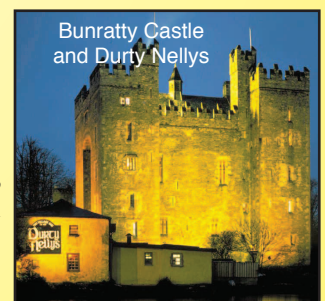
10.30am transfer to **Connemara Airport** for flight and tour of **Inismór**, the largest of the **Aran Islands**, where we join our tour of the Island with time for lunch at **Kilronan** before our visit to the magnificent ancient fort **Dún Aengus** with its sheer cliffs and dramatic seascapes. Return flight and transfer back to **Galway City** with time for exploring and shopping. Evening Free.



Blarney Castle & Gardens



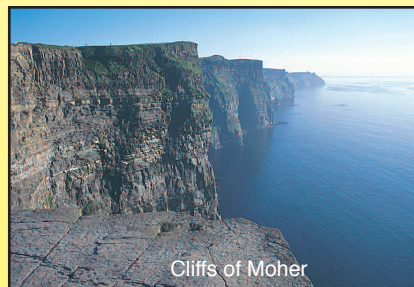
On the Ring of Kerry



Bunratty Castle and Durty Nellys



Waterfront at Cobh



Cliffs of Moher



Remains of original pier in Cobh where Titanic passengers embarked

ITINERARY - DAY 5

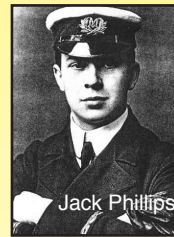
10.00am depart **Galway** for tour of **Connemara** including **Kylemore Abbey** and its wonderful Victorian gardens. On our journey through **Connemara** we pass the house where Bruce Ismay director of the White Star Line retired to in disgrace after surviving the Titanic sinking until his death in 1932. During this tour we see many **Connemara** ponies in their natural habitat. Transfer to **Clifden**, the capital of **Connemara** and The Abbeyglen Castle Hotel, Station House Hotel or Foyles Hotel in the centre of the town. Evening Free to explore this beautiful little town on the Atlantic Coast with wonderful pubs and seafood restaurants. Dinner and overnight in **Clifden**.

ITINERARY - DAY 6

10.00am depart **Clifden** for morning tour of the **Sky Road, Coral Beach** - spectacular coastal scenery. We visit **Derrygimlagh Bog**, the site of the **Marconi** transmitting station where Jack Phillips worked as a wireless operator. He left in 1911 and joined the **Titanic**, and went down with the ship as he sent the final distress messages. This also is the site where Alcock and Brown landed in 1919 after the first ever non-stop transatlantic flight. We return to **Kylemore** for our lunch stop (*not included*). We continue our tour through **Connemara** enjoying spectacular mountain and lake scenery on our way back to **Galway** where we join our train to **Dublin** arriving at 21.45 (9.45pm). Overnight **Dublin** city centre hotel.



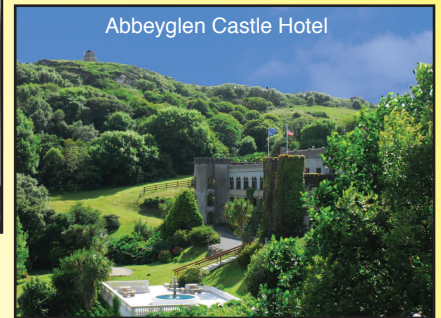
Coral Beach Ballyconneely



Jack Phillips



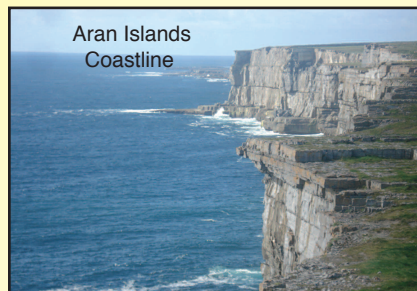
Bruce Ismay



Abbeyglen Castle Hotel



Connemara Pony



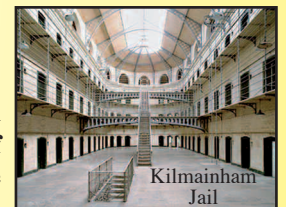
Aran Islands Coastline



Aran Islands

ITINERARY - DAY 7

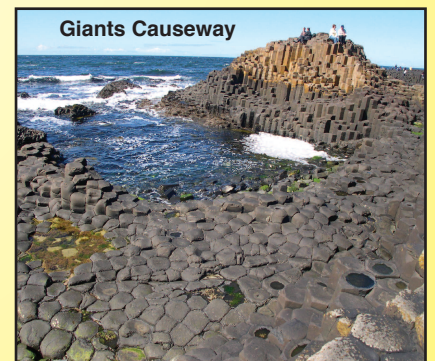
This is your leisure day in **Dublin** during which you can use your **Hop On- Hop Off Dublin** city sight seeing tour ticket (included in your pack). This **Hop On-Hop Off** tour will take you to **Dublin's** most famous attractions including **The Guinness Brewery, Trinity College** (see the **book of Kells**), **Kilmainham Jail**, and **Christchurch** and **St. Patrick's Cathedrals**, plus lots lots more. Overnight **Dublin** city centre hotel.



Kilmainham Jail

ITINERARY - DAY 8

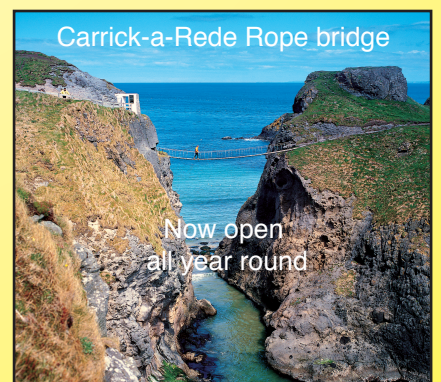
Check in **Dublin Connolly** station (Information Desk) for 07.35 departure of Enterprise train to **Belfast**. On arrival, we join our coach and head north along the famous **Antrim** coast road, crossing the lovely **Glens of Antrim** en route to **Ballycastle** and **Carrick-a-rede rope bridge** (optional - if you wish to cross the bridge there is a local charge of £4.50 - not everyone wants to cross the bridge!). Glimpse the Scottish coast on a clear day. We continue to the stunning **Giant's Causeway** next (admission included), then a photo stop at **Dunluce Castle**. We return to **Belfast** and your four star hotel in the city centre for overnight.



Giants Causeway

ITINERARY - DAY 9

After enjoying a Full Irish Breakfast (the famous Ulster Fry) at your leisure, you will join the **Belfast Hop-On-Hop-Off** tour which not only explores the city centre but also the **Titanic Quarter** (see the original dock where the doomed liner was built). We also visit the new **Titanic Visitor Centre** (admission included) and you can see the last surviving White Star Line Ship "The Nomadic". Optional visit to **Crumlin Road Jail**. You will also see the murals of the **Falls** and **Shankill Roads** with plenty of free time for shopping and exploring. You will join the Railtours Ireland group returning to Dublin at 20.05 (8.05pm) from **Belfast Central Station** arriving **Dublin Connolly** at 22.15 (10.15pm) and overnight in Dublin City Centre Hotel.



Carrick-a-Rede Rope bridge

Now open all year round

Departs Monday / Wednesday / Thursday / Sat - March - October

*Prices per person sharing
Single Supplement €269*

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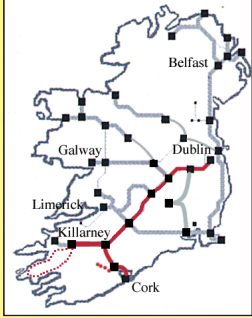
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Tour DH03 - Two Day Tour

**Cork, Blarney Castle,
The Queenstown/Titanic Story,
Killarney and The Ring of Kerry**
(By rail to the South/Southwest of Ireland)

A two day tour to the South and South West of Ireland taking in Cork, Blarney Castle, The Queenstown Story at Cobh, overnighting in Killarney and touring the world renowned Ring of Kerry (all admissions, transfers, tours included)



Checking in at Heuston Station

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in Dublin **Heuston** Station (Information Desk) for 07:00 departure of Intercity train (*free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*) to **Cork**. We transfer to **Blarney Castle** and kiss the **Blarney Stone**. After time for lunch and shopping we have a short city tour of **Cork** and then visit **Cobh** Heritage Centre, home of the "**Queenstown Story**". We travel from **Cobh** to **Killarney** where we are transferred to our comfortable Bed and Breakfast * accommodation (with en-suite facilities) *Free upgrade to four star standard hotel if you book directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*. Evening free.

ITINERARY - DAY 2

10.00am we embark on the famous Ring of Kerry tour which is a largely coastal drive around the **Iveragh Peninsula**, on one side of which is **Dingle Bay**. Lots of stunning mountain and coastal scenery including the famous **Lakes of Killarney**.

Return train to **Dublin** departs **Killarney** 17.36 (5.36pm) and arrives Dublin **Heuston** 21.00 (9.00pm). (*snacks and full bar available*)



Departs Daily
(Monday - Saturday)
Prices are per person sharing
Single Room Supplement
applies



* Upgrade to 4 Star Standard Hotel €29 pps see above



Iveragh Peninsula

Tour DH07 - Two Day Tour

The West Coast Explorer
(including Galway Bay)
(By rail to the West of Ireland)

An opportunity to experience "the best of the West" in two days, taking in Limerick, Bunratty Castle, the Cliffs of Moher, Galway Bay and overnighting in Galway City. Next day exploring Connemara including Killary Harbour and Kylemore Abbey.



Atlantic Coast at Doolin Village

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in Dublin **Heuston** Station (Information Desk) for 07:00 departure of Intercity train (*free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*) to **Limerick**. We join our coach here for a short tour of **Limerick City** and then to **Bunratty Castle and Folk Park** (admission included). On to the village of **Doolin** for lunch stop at **O'Connors Pub**. Next we visit the stunning **Cliffs of Moher, Black Head, the Burren and Galway Bay** overnighting in the heart of **Galway City**. (3 star hotel accommodation - bed and full Irish breakfast)

DAY 2 (SEE DH04)

10:00am we head into magnificent **Connemara** where John Ford filmed "The Quiet Man" in 1951, taking in **Kylemore Abbey & Gardens, Leenane and Killary Harbour**, Ireland's only fjord. See lots of breathtaking lake and mountain scenery and the **Connemara ponies'** natural habitat. We return to **Galway** for our return Intercity train to Dublin **Heuston** arriving at 21.45 (9.45pm). (*snacks available*)



Prices are per person sharing
single room supplement of
€29 applies



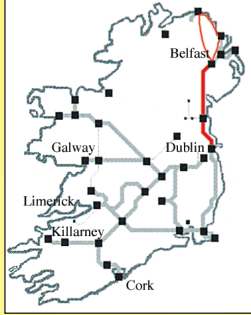
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Shop Street Galway City

Belfast & The Giant's Causeway
(By rail to the North of Ireland)

Due to overwhelming demand for overnighing and exploring **Belfast** we have created a new two day tour, taking in the **Giant's Causeway** on Day 1 with 4 star Belfast hotel accomodation and on Day 2 a relaxing day of exploring **Belfast** and its attractions including **The Shipyard where the Titanic was launched in May 1911.**



Giant's Causeway

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in Dublin **Connolly** Station (Information Desk) for 07:35 departure of Enterprise Service (*light breakfast available*). At **Belfast** we join our tour and head to the famous **Antrim Coast Road**, crossing the lovely **Glens of Antrim** en route to **Ballycastle** and the **Carrick-a-rede** rope bridge. Glimpse the **Scottish coast** on a clear day. Our lunch stop is at **Bushmills Visitors Centre** (*not included*). We continue to the stunning **Giant's Causeway** next, seeing **Dunluce Castle** (photo stop only). We return to **Belfast** and our **four star** city centre hotel for overnight.

DAY 2

After enjoying a Full Irish Breakfast (the famous **Ulster Fry**) at your leisure, you will join the **Belfast Hop-On-Hop-Off** tour which not only explores the city centre but also the **Titanic Quarter** (see the original dock where the doomed liner was built), we include admission to the new iconic **Titanic Visitors Centre**. Optional visit to **Crumlin Road Jail**. See the political murals of the **Falls** and **Shankill Roads**, there is plenty of free time for shopping and you can return to **Dublin** on any scheduled train service or join the **Railtours Ireland** group returning to Dublin at 20.05 (8.05pm) arriving **Dublin Connolly** at 22.15 (10.15pm).

Prices are per person sharing - single room supplement of €39 applies.

EXTRA NIGHTS AVAILABLE IN BELFAST - Please ask



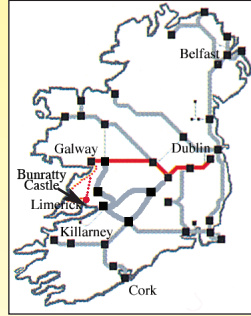
Departs Daily (Mon - Sat)
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Titanic Quarter Visitors Centre

Bunratty Castle Medieval Banquet & The Cliffs of Moher
(By rail to the West of Ireland)

Experience one of Ireland's most famous cultural and historical nights - **The World Famous Medieval Banquet** in the **Great Hall of Bunratty Castle** overnighing in quality hotel accomodation in **Bunratty Village** and enjoying a tour to the **Cliffs of Moher** and **Galway Bay** - the next day. Time to explore **Galway** (Day 1)



Bunratty Castle and Durty Nellys

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in Dublin **Heuston** Station (Information Desk) for 11.25 departure of Intercity train to **Galway**. Arrive **Galway** 13.40 (1.40pm). Enjoy almost four hours exploring **Galway City**. Depart **Galway** 18.00 (6.00pm) by road to **Bunratty Village** and check in to our comfortable hotel. At 20.45 (8.45pm) Irish Mead reception in **Bunratty Castle** before medieval banquet (including wines) and legendary Irish entertainment. Afterwards perhaps enjoy a nightcap in **Durty Nelly's** famous traditional pub beside the castle. Overnight in 4 star hotel.

ITINERARY-DAY 2

09.45 meet **Railtours Ireland** host for tour of **Bunratty Castle** and **Folk Park**, then set off by coach for the coastal village of **Doolin** and our lunch stop at **Gus O'Connor's** famous bar. We then visit the spectacular **Cliffs of Moher**. Continuing through the lunar landscape of **The Burren** we drive around **Black Head** and along the shores of **Galway Bay** (*our route is regarded as one of Europe's top ten coastal drives*) ending up in **Galway City** where we join our **Dublin** bound train (snacks available) arriving at **Dublin Heuston** station at 21.45 (9.45pm).

Departs Mon to Fri (Feb to Dec)



single room supplement applies
Student price €233p.p.s.



Medieval Banquet

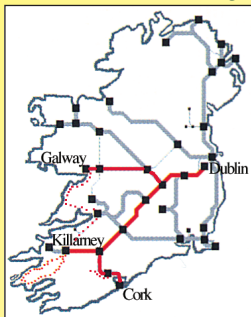


Entertainers at Bunratty Castle

Cork, Blarney Castle, The Ring of Kerry and the Cliffs of Moher

(By rail to the South, Southwest & West of Ireland)

A three day tour to the South and South West of Ireland taking in Cork, Blarney Castle, The Queenstown Story and then from Killarney, touring the Ring of Kerry, the Cliffs of Moher and Galway Bay, returning to Dublin by train from Galway. This tour takes in a big chunk of The Wild Atlantic Way.



Annie Moore Memorial - Cobh

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in Dublin **Heuston** Station (Information Desk) for 07:00 departure of Intercity train (*free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*) to Cork. We transfer by road to **Blarney Castle** and kiss the famous stone. After time for lunch and shopping, and a flavour of **Cork City** we visit **Cobh** Heritage Centre, home of the "Queenstown/Titanic Story". We travel by train from **Cobh** to **Killarney** where we are transferred to our comfortable Bed & Breakfast * accommodation with en-suite facilities. *Free upgrade to four star standard hotel if you book directly online at www.railtoursireland.com (subject to availability).* We are based here for two nights.

ITINERARY-DAY 2

10:00 we embark on the famous Ring of Kerry tour which is a largely coastal drive around the **Iveragh Peninsula** - lots of stunning mountain and coastal scenery, including the famous **Lakes of Killarney**.

ITINERARY - DAY 3

07:30 transfer from **Killarney** to **Limerick** to join DH06 visit **Bunratty Castle, Cliffs of Moher**, traditional pub at **Doolin, Galway Bay**, return to **Dublin Heuston** by Intercity train arriving at 21.45 (9.45pm).

Departs (Mon,Tues,Wed,Thurs, Sat)

Prices are per person sharing
Single Room Supplement €29 per night applies



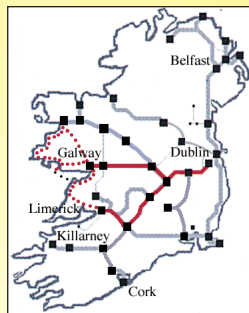
*Upgrade to 4 Star Standard Hotel €58 pps see above for special offer



The Cliffs of Moher, Aran Islands Connemara and Galway Bay

(By rail to the West of Ireland)

Experience the delights of Galway Bay surrounded by the Burren region and the Cliffs of Moher, facing spectacular Connemara across the water with the Aran Islands lying at the mouth of this world famous inlet. Staying in a three star hotel in the heart of vibrant & Cultural Galway City (*the City of the Tribes*).



ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in Dublin **Heuston** Station (Information Desk) for 07.00 departure of Intercity train to **Limerick** (*free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*). See **Tour DH 07** for details.

ITINERARY - DAY 2

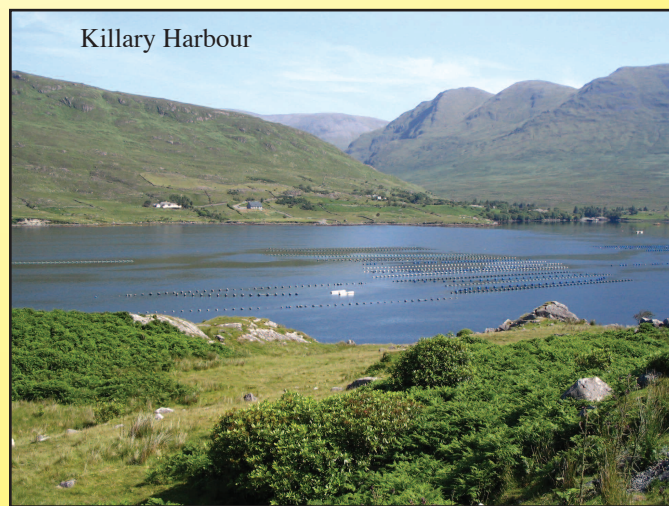
10.30am transfer to Connemara Airport for flight to **Inismór** where we join our tour of the island, time for lunch at **Kilronan** before our visit to the magnificent ancient fort **Dún Aengus**. Return flight and transfer back to **Galway** city late afternoon. Overnight as before.

ITINERARY - DAY 3

10:00am we head into magnificent **Connemara** where John Ford filmed "The Quiet Man" in 1951, taking in **Kylemore Abbey & Gardens, Leenane and Killary Harbour**. See lots of breathtaking lake and mountain scenery. We return to **Galway** for our return train to Dublin **Heuston** arriving at 21.45 (9.45pm) (*snacks and full bar available*)

Prices are per person sharing - single room supplement applies

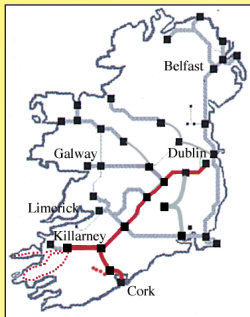
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Cork, Blarney Castle, The Ring of Kerry and the Dingle Peninsula

(By rail to the South, Southwest of Ireland)

A three day tour to the South and South West of Ireland taking in Cork, Blarney Castle, The Queenstown/Titanic Story and then based in Killarney, touring the Ring of Kerry and the Dingle Peninsula



Traditional Thatched Cottage

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in Dublin **Heuston** Station (Information Desk) for 07:00 departure of Intercity train (*free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*) to Cork. We transfer by road to **Blarney Castle** and kiss the famous stone. After time for lunch and shopping, and a flavour of **Cork City** we visit **Cobh Heritage Centre**, home of the "Queenstown Story". We travel by train from **Cobh** to **Killarney** where we are transferred to our comfortable * Bed & Breakfast accommodation with en-suite facilities. *Free upgrade to four star standard hotel if you book directly online at www.railtoursireland.com (subject to availability)*. We are based here for two nights.

ITINERARY-DAY 2

10:00 we embark on the famous Ring of Kerry tour which is a largely coastal drive around the **Iveragh Peninsula** - lots of stunning mountain and coastal scenery, including the famous **Lakes of Killarney**.

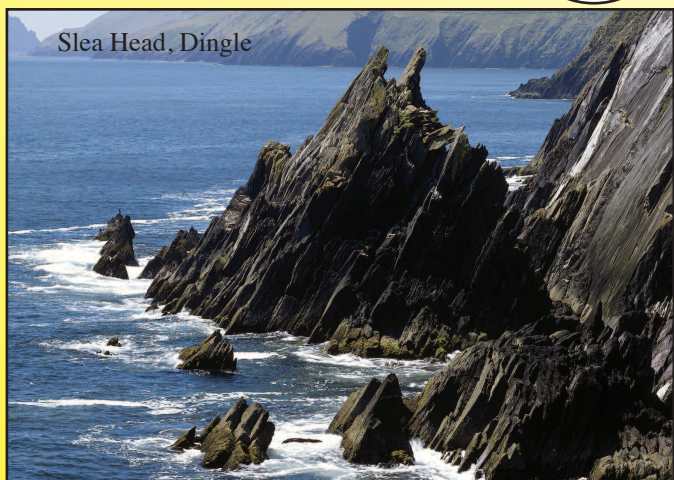
ITINERARY - DAY 3

10:00 we tour the **Dingle Peninsula** made famous as the location for the movie "Ryan's Daughter". We return by train from **Killarney** at 17.36 (5.36pm) arriving in Dublin **Heuston** at 21.00 (9.00pm).

Departs Daily - Monday - Saturday
March to October only



Prices are per person sharing
Single Room Supplement applies
* Upgrade to 4 Star Standard Hotel
€58 pps see above for special offer

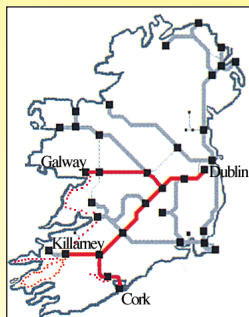


Slea Head, Dingle

The Great Southern & Western Coast

(By rail to the South, Southwest & West of Ireland)

A four day tour to the South West and West of Ireland taking in **Cork, Blarney Castle, The Queenstown/Titanic Story in Cobh**, and then based in **Killarney**, touring the **Ring of Kerry, Dingle Peninsula and Cliffs of Moher** before returning to Dublin by train from Galway.



Slea Head, Dingle Peninsula

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in **Dublin** Heuston Station (Information Desk) for 07.00 departure of Intercity train to **Cork** (*free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*). We visit **Blarney Castle, Cobh**, travel to **Killarney** for three nights * Bed & Breakfast accommodation with en-suite facilities. *Free upgrade to four star standard hotel if you book directly online at www.railtoursireland.com (subject to availability)*

ITINERARY - DAY 2

10.00 depart **Killarney** on **Ring of Kerry** tour, overnight in **Killarney**. See previous tour for more details.

ITINERARY - DAY 3

10.00 we tour the **Dingle Peninsula** made famous as the location for the movie "Ryan's Daughter" overnight in **Killarney**. See previous tour for more details.

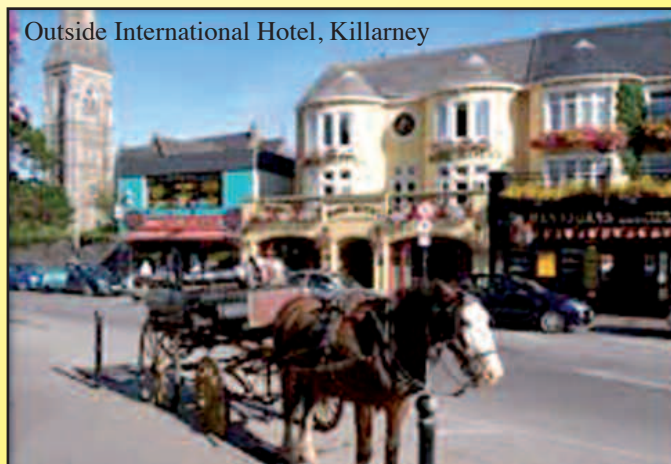
ITINERARY - DAY 4

07.30 depart **Killarney** to **Limerick**, to visit **Bunratty Castle, Cliffs of Moher, O'Connor's Pub at Doolin, Galway Bay** (see DH36 for details) return to **Dublin Heuston** by train from **Galway** arrival 21.45 (9.45pm).

Departs - Mon/Tues/Wed Friday and Saturday
March to October only



Prices are per person sharing
Single Room Supplement applies
* Upgrade to 4 Star Standard
Hotel €87 pps see above for special offer

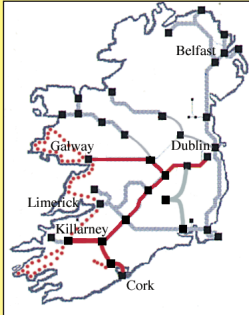


Outside International Hotel, Killarney

The Grand Atlantic Tour

(By rail to the South, Southwest & West of Ireland)

A truly unique opportunity to visit our great Southern and Western coastal regions, with fabulous seascapes and mountain scenery and visits to Ireland's premier tourist locations such as **Cork, Cobh, Blarney Castle, Ring of Kerry, Bunnratty Castle, Cliffs of Moher, Galway Bay and Connemara.**



Bunratty Castle

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in **Dublin** Heuston Station (Information Desk) for 07.00 departure of Intercity train to **Cork** (*free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*). We visit **Blarney Castle, Cobh**, then travel to **Killarney** for two nights * Bed & Breakfast accommodation with en-suite facilities. *Free upgrade to four star standard hotel if you book directly online at www.railtoursireland.com. (subject to availability)*

ITINERARY - DAY 2

10.00am depart **Killarney** on **Ring of Kerry** tour, overnight in **Killarney**.

ITINERARY - DAY 3

07.30 transfer from **Killarney** to **Limerick**, to join DHO7 visit **Bunratty Castle, Cliffs of Moher, O'Connor's Pub at Doolin, Galway Bay**, overnight **Galway City** in 3 star Hotel.

ITINERARY - DAY 4

10.00am depart **Galway** for tour of **Connemara**, including **Kylemore Abbey** after which we depart **Galway** by train, arriving **Dublin Heuston** 21.45 (9.45pm). (*snacks available*)
(See tours **DH03 & DH07** for further details)



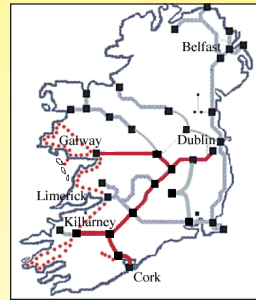
Departs Mon/Tues/Wed
Thursday and Saturday
Prices are per person sharing
Single Room Supplement applies
* **4 Star Standard Hotel**
upgrade in Killarney €58 pps
see above for special offer



The Royal Atlantic Tour

(By rail to the South, Southwest & West of Ireland)

In response to popular demand we present a five day tour taking in **Cork, Cobh, Blarney Castle, Ring of Kerry, Bunnratty Castle, Cliffs of Moher, Galway Bay, Connemara and The Aran Islands.**



Aran Islands Coastline

ITINERARY DAY 1

Check in **Dublin** Heuston Station (Information Desk) for 07.00 departure of Intercity train to **Cork** (*free full Irish Breakfast included Monday to Friday if tour booked directly online at www.railtoursireland.com*). We see **Blarney Castle, Cobh** then travel by train to **Killarney** for two nights * Bed & Breakfast accommodation with en-suite facilities. *Free upgrade to four star standard hotel if you book directly online at www.railtoursireland.com. (subject to availability)*

ITINERARY DAY 2

10.00am depart **Killarney** on **Ring of Kerry** tour, overnight in **Killarney**.

ITINERARY DAY 3

07.30 transfer **Killarney** to **Limerick** to join DH 711 . Visit **Bunratty Castle, Cliffs of Moher, Doolin**, overnight in **Galway City** in three/four star hotel (2 nights).
See DH36 for details

ITINERARY DAY 4

10.30am transfer to **Connemara** Airport for flight and tour of **Inismór**, largest of the **Aran Islands**. See DH11 for more details.

ITINERARY DAY 5

10.00am depart **Galway** for tour of **Connemara** including **Kylemore Abbey** after which we depart **Galway** by train arriving **Dublin Heuston** at 21.45 (9.45pm). (*snacks available*)

Departs - Mon/Tues/Wed/Thurs & Sat

Prices are per person sharing
Single Room Supplement applies



* **4 Star Standard Hotel**
upgrade in Killarney
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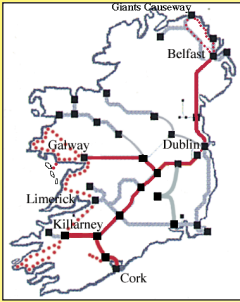


Dun Aengus
Inismór Aran Islands

The All Ireland Rail Tour

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Finally a tour covering all our highlights - offering two nights in Killarney, two nights in Galway and two nights in Dublin.



On the Ring of Kerry

ITINERARY DAY 1

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Free upgrade to four star standard hotel if you book directly online at www.railtoursireland.com. (subject to availability)

ITINERARY DAY 2

10.00am depart **Killarney** on **Ring of Kerry** tour, overnight in **Killarney**.

ITINERARY DAY 3

07.30 transfer **Killarney** to **Limerick** to join DH 711 . Visit **Bunratty Castle, Cliffs of Moher**, overnight in **Galway City** in three star hotel (2 nights) breakfast incl.

ITINERARY DAY 4

10.30am transfer to **Connemara Airport** for flight and tour to **Inismór** largest of the **Aran Islands**.

ITINERARY DAY 5

10.00am depart **Galway** for tour of **Connemara**. After which we depart **Galway** by train arriving **Dublin Heuston** at 21.45 (9.45pm) transfer to 4 star standard hotel for two nights (*room only*).

ITINERARY DAY 6

Check in **Dublin Connolly Station** for 07.35 departure (breakfast available) **Giants Causeway** tour (see tour DC10). Arrives back in **Dublin** 22.15 (10.15pm) for second night in 4 star standard hotel.

Departs Mon/Wed/Thurs and Sat

Prices are per person sharing

Single Room Supplement applies

* 4 Star Standard Hotel upgrade in

Killarney €58 pps

See above for special offer



Dunluce Castle

The Wicklow Mountaineer

The Wicklow Mountains, East Coast, Avoca (Ballykissangel) and Glendalough

A lovely fully guided tour into the **Wicklow Mountains** to visit Ireland's most famous village, **Avoca**, otherwise known as "**Ballykissangel**", situated in the beautiful **Vale of Avoca** and also the magnificent ancient monastic city of **Glendalough** (valley of the two lakes).



Glendalough

Departs **Dublin Connolly Station** 09.40 by train, arrives **Arklow** at 11.10, then luxury coach to **Avoca**: 11.30 – 12.45, **Glendalough**: 13.30-14.45, returns to **Dublin** by train at approx 16.45.

ITINERARY

Check in **Dublin Connolly station** (**INFORMATION DESK**) for 09.40 departure of train to **Arklow**. A fantastic tour during which you will enjoy a spectacular train journey south by **Killiney Bay**, around **Bray Head** and along the beautiful East Coast to **Wicklow** where we swing west into the Mountains. Visit the famous village of **Avoca (Ballykissangel** in the hit TV series). See hand weaving at the **Woollen Mills** – great shopping & time for lunch – or maybe a pint at **Fitzgeralds** famous pub. Visit the ancient Monastic city of **Glendalough** (valley of the two lakes) all in beautiful mountain scenery! We return to **Dublin** by train arriving 16.45 (4.45pm) approx.

Ideal for cruise passengers.

We return to **Dublin Connolly station** which is adjacent to **Dublin's Docklands** at approx. 16.45 (4.45pm).

Departs Daily

(Mon - Sat)



Scenic rail journey as seen on BBC TV Great Rail Journeys - Spring 2013 with Michael Portillo.



Half Day

Mystery Tour

TOUR DC12 - SHORTER DAY TOUR

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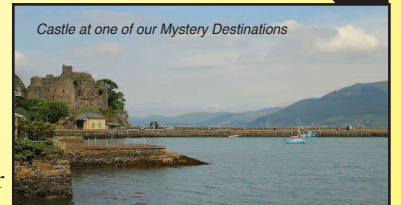
Let us take you away from **Dublin** for a day and show you some of Ireland's loveliest countryside, we may visit an inland town or coastal village, a magnificent castle perhaps, or maybe mountain scenery or gentle rolling hills - you won't be disappointed.

Check in **Dublin Connolly Station** 09.40 (Information Desk) Returns to **Dublin Connolly Station** at 18.15 (6.15pm).

This tour does not go to the Wicklow Mountains.

Departs Sunday only - (March - October)

Family fare available



Castle at one of our Mystery Destinations



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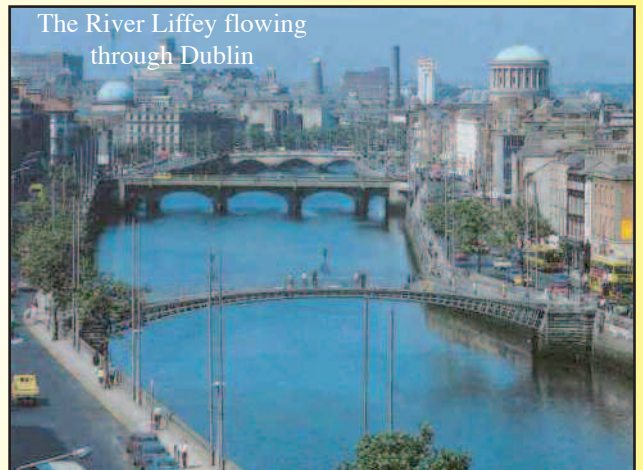
Temple Bar, Dublin

ITINERARY - DAY 1

Check in **London Euston Station** (Network Rail Mobility Assistance Reception) for 09:10 departure of Virgin Train direct to **Holyhead**. **Holyhead** rail station is also the cruise ferry terminal so after a very short bus transfer to the berth you walk onto the ship - The Irish Ferries Cruise/Ferry to **Dublin**. Arrive **Dublin** 17.25 (5.25pm) where you will be welcomed by your Railtours Ireland host and transferred to your City Centre Hotel, enjoy your evening free in "Dublin's Fair City" perhaps visit the exciting and vibrant "Temple Bar" area - full of traditional pubs and restaurants - suggestions in your travel pack.

ITINERARY - DAY 2

A day free to explore **Dublin** using your **free Hop On-Hop Off** tour ticket. Sights to be visited include Guinness Store House, Kilmainham Jail, Trinity College for Book of Kells, Phoenix Park and St. Patrick's Cathedral or take a **Railtours Ireland** one day to nine day tour (price not included). See details



The River Liffey flowing through Dublin



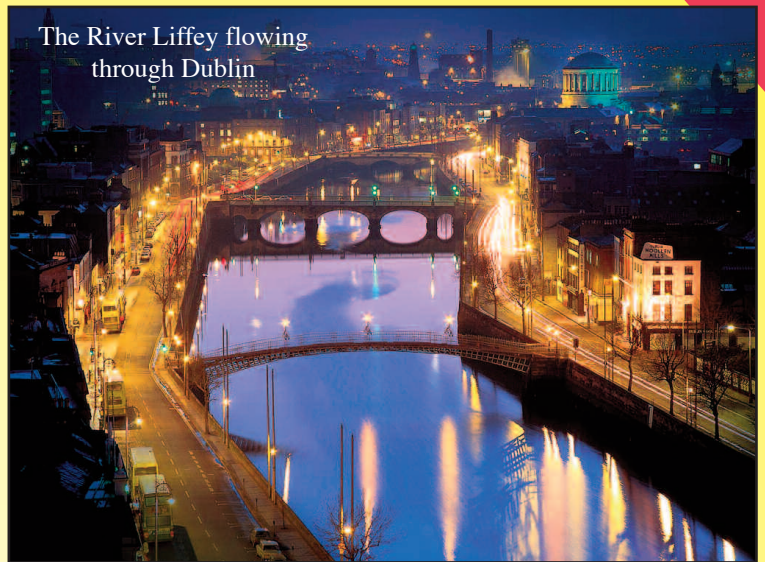
ITINERARY - DAY 3

07.00 Transfer from your hotel to **Dublin Ferryport** for 08.05 cruise/ferry to Holyhead and thence train to **London** arriving 16.38.

Extra nights available in Dublin from €49pps

PRICE €389 per person sharing and includes:-

- Meet and Greet at London Euston Station
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- Round trip London-Dublin by train and ship
- Round trip transfers from Dublin Ferryport to Hotel
- Two nights four star standard Dublin city centre hotel (room only)
- Dublin Bus Sightseeing tour Hop-On-Hop-Off ticket - valid 48 hours
- All taxes and service charges
- Child reduction €75 when sharing with adults
- * PLEASE NOTE your ticket back to London is valid one month from date of outward travel. Extra nights available in Dublin from €49 per person sharing. **Consider adding any one of our ex Dublin railtours to complete your Irish travel experience.**



The River Liffey flowing through Dublin



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- **Choose a railbreak destination**
- **Choose a date**
- **Select a departure time from Dublin**
- **Book and pay for your break online at Irishrail.ie or telephone 01 856 0069 or call in to our office at 16 Amiens Street, Dublin 1 - opposite Connolly Station.**
- **Railbreaks are offered any day all year round subject to availability.**

TOUR DC 21 - WEXFORD

Enjoy a break in Wexford, principal town of the "Model County" in the Sunny South East. We offer either the Talbot Hotel or Whites Hotel, both in the centre of the town. The train journey from Dublin to Wexford is the most scenic in the country - enjoy a lovely start to your break.

Children (5-15 yrs) half price when sharing with two adults. Single room supplement €59.

DEPARTURE TIMES FROM DUBLIN* 09.40 13.36 18.38



You Choose and tell us when booking
Check in Dublin Connolly Station (Customer Service Desk) 20 mins before departure.
* Monday to Saturday
SUNDAY DEPARTURE TIMES -10.25 13.45 18.30



TOUR DH 27 - WATERFORD

The ancient viking city of Waterford makes a great short break destination. Attractions include Waterford Crystal, the Bishops Palace and the Viking Quarter. We offer the Fitzwilton Hotel and the Tower Hotel.

Children (5-15 yrs) half price when sharing with two adults.

Single room supplement €59.

DEPARTURE TIMES FROM DUBLIN*

07.25 10.15 13.15 15.10 16.35



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SUNDAY DEPARTURE TIMES
09.10 14.10 17.40



TOUR DH 25 - TRALEE

Have a lovely break in the Kingdom of Kerry's Capital - Tralee. We offer the Brandon Hotel which is in the centre of Town, yet handy for Tralee's attractions such as Blennerville Windmill and the newly created Wetlands.

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DEPARTURE TIMES FROM DUBLIN*

07.00 09.00 11.00 13.00 15.00 17.05



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SUNDAY DEPARTURE TIMES
08.30 10.00 13.00 15.00 17.00

TOUR DH 26 - WESTPORT

Westport at the entrance to Clew Bay on the wild Atlantic coast is a perfect short break destination with great pubs and restaurants and plenty of long walks. We offer the Westport Wyatt Hotel or the Clew Bay Hotel.

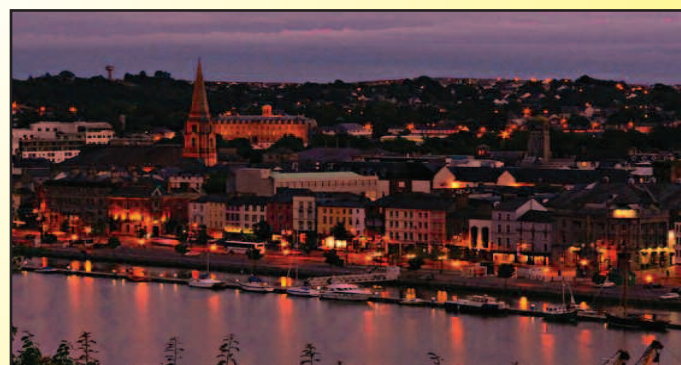
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SUNDAY DEPARTURE TIMES
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TOUR DC 20 - SLIGO

The gateway to the North West Sligo offers everything needed for a short break, bustling city centre, yet beside the coast for those long walks, we offer the Glasshouse Hotel or the Southern Hotel.

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- All admissions as stated.
- All accommodation and breakfast where stated on extended tours.
- Information Pack including itinerary.
- Qualified Driver/Guide on coaches.
- Children under 16 Half price or as stated - (except on DH11 and extended tours where discount is €25 per day). Prices do not include meals unless otherwise stated.
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