



## *Ireland & Scotland Tour* *with Irish Centre, Spring Lake, NJ*

*Come with us and see the best of Ireland and Scotland on this marvelous journey that will captivate you! We will explore castles and medieval cities and experience some of the most spectacular scenery in all of Europe. This well-planned itinerary presents an unparalleled opportunity to visit both countries at a leisurely pace, while enjoying superior hotels and top class visits.*

**September 29—October 10, 2012**

Tour Price: \$3,295 (Land + Air per person sharing)  
Land-Only: \$2,178.00 per person sharing  
Single Room Supplement: \$598.00 (limited availability)  
Travel Protection Plan (optional but recommended): \$189 per person

### **TOUR INCLUDES:**

- Round-trip, non-stop air travel from Newark, N.J. on Continental Airlines
- Transport by luxury motor coach with a professional driver/guide
- Superior hotel accommodation for 10 nights
- 9 breakfasts & 9 dinners including Scottish Cabaret & Medieval Banquet in Ireland
- Welcome get-together drink
- Tours of Edinburgh, Belfast & Derry
- Ceilidh with singers, piper and dancers
- Sheepdog trials at Leault Farm
- Ferry from Isle of Skye and from Scotland to Ireland
- Visits and admissions to Edinburgh Castle, Culloden Battlefield Visitor Centre, Clan Donald Centre at Armadale Castle, Burns National Heritage Park, Titanic Belfast, Mount Stewart House & Gardens, Giant's Causeway, Glenveagh Castle & Gardens, Belleek Pottery Factory, W. B. Yeats' Grave, Strokestown Park House & Famine Museum and Cliffs of Moher
- Hotel portorage, all service charges, and all local and government taxes
- Flight bags, ticket wallets, baggage tags and strap
- No Hidden Extras!

**HOTELS:** Dalmahoy Hotel, Edinburgh; Columba Hotel, Inverness; Isles of Glencoe Hotel, Ballachulish; Europa Hotel, Belfast; Station House, Letterkenny; Kilronan Castle Hotel, Ballyfarnon; Temple Gate, Ennis

**For more information contact NACTA Travel at 866-622-2244  
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# Scots - Irish Tour Itinerary

## Sat, Sept 29 – NEWARK TO EDINBURGH

Depart Newark Liberty International Airport on an overnight flight.

## Sun, Sept 30 - Edinburgh & Scottish Cabaret

After a group transfer to your hotel, enjoy a free afternoon to rest. Use the hotel's leisure facilities or golf course,. Enjoy a welcome drink at your hotel and then a marvelous Scottish Cabaret.

## Mon, Oct 1 - Edinburgh Castle & City Tour

Explore Edinburgh and compare the wide streets and elegant mansions of the 200-year-old "New Town" with the narrow lanes and medieval townhouses along the Royal Mile. Finish your tour at Edinburgh Castle. The balance of the day is free.

## Tue, Oct 2 - Sheepdog Trials & Culloden

Drive into the Highlands to visit a farm and see dogs herd sheep and ducks! Tour Culloden Battlefield Visitor where, on 16th April 1746, British Government forces defeated Bonnie Prince Charlie's army. After dinner enjoy a ceilidh, traditional Scottish music, in your hotel.

## Wed, Oct 3 - Isle of Skye & Clan Donald Centre

Drive through wild Highland scenery and cross to the Isle of Skye. Drive through part of the island and visit the Clan Donald Centre at Armadale Castle to learn the history of the powerful Lords of the Isles. Return to the mainland through some of Scotland's loveliest scenery.

## Thur, Oct 4 - Rabbin Burns & Belfast

This morning drive south through Glen Coe and alongside the lovely shores of Loch Lomond. Stop in Alloway for a brief visit at the Burns National Heritage Park to see famous landmarks from Burns' poetry. Travel along the coastline to Cairnryan for a short ferry ride to Larne. Drive to your hotel in Belfast to arrive in time for dinner.

## Fri, Oct 5 - Titanic Belfast Tour & Mount Stewart

This morning tour Belfast with a local guide and see Victorian buildings and the shipyards where RMS Titanic was built. Visit the new *Titanic Belfast* to learn about the famous liner. Tour Mount Stewart House and Gardens to see antiques and world-famous paintings.

## Sat, Oct 6 - Giant's Causeway, Derry's Walls & Donegal

Drive north along the scenic route of the "Nine Glens of Antrim," and stop at the Giant's Causeway, enormous hexagonal columns formed by volcanic activity 60 million years ago. In Derry join a local guide for a short walking tour around the walls that encircle the old city.

## Sun, Oct 7 - Glenveagh Castle & Donegal

Travel into Glenveagh National Park and Glenveagh Castle built in 1870. Learn about the history of the mansion and tour the rooms and gardens. Then experience the beauty of the Grand Atlantic Drive, which winds through Downings and Rosapenna around the coastline.

## Mon, Oct 8 - Belleek China & Kilronan Castle Stay

Drive through the Barnesmore Gap to Donegal town. Visit the Belleek Pottery factory to see how the craftspeople create the famous fine china. Pause at Drumcliffe Churchyard to view the grave of W.B. Yeats, who based many poems on the local countryside. A short drive will take you to Kilronan Castle Hotel to relax before dinner.

## Tue, Oct 9 - Strokestown House, Museum & Cliffs of Moher

Visit Strokestown Park House in County Roscommon. See the 18th century mansion with its original furnishings; the four-acre walled garden, and the Famine Museum, which explains the circumstances of the 1840's Great Irish Famine. Travel south to view the Cliffs of Moher, a dramatic wall of rock that plunges to the Atlantic Ocean. In the evening head to 15th century Bunratty Castle for a fun medieval-style banquet with entertainment by the lords and ladies of the castle

## Wed, Oct 10 - RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES

Transfer to Shannon Airport and enjoy some last minute duty-free shopping before boarding our flight to Newark Liberty International

## TRANSATLANTIC FLIGHTS:

CO 36 Sep 29, 2012— EWR 8:05PM / EDI 7:55AM

CO 25 Oct 10, 2012— SNN 9:00AM / EWR 11:15AM

*Itinerary is subject to change*

## RESERVATION FORM

Passenger Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Name must match exactly with passport or name change fee will be imposed by the airline. If you do not yet have your passport check here

Mailing Address (no PO Box please) \_\_\_\_\_

City / State / Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to reserve:  Land & Air \$3,295.00 (includes airline tax\*) or  Land Only \$2,178.00

Insurance \$189.00 ( Insurance can only be purchased with deposit )

**\*airline taxes are subject to change until ticketed**

Room Type:  Twin (2 Beds)  Double (1 Bed)  Single (Single Supplement \$598.00)

Sharing with: \_\_\_\_\_

**Space is limited. Deposit of \$200 is required now to reserve your place on the tour. Payment in full is due by June 18, 2012  
Balance can be paid by check or credit card. Make checks payable to NACTA Travel. Complete this form and return with your  
check for \$200 per person, or \$389 if you wish to purchase travel insurance (recommended).**

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