



Manchester Ship Canal

OUR PRICE INCLUDES



- ✓ Executive coach travel
 - ✓ Dinner, bed and full English breakfast
 - ✓ Excursions as described in the itinerary
 - ✓ Portage
 - ✓ Ride on the Anderton Boat Lift and canal boat cruise
 - ✓ Entry guided walk, bus tour and museum entry to Port Sunlight
 - ✓ Single journey on the Manchester Ship canal
- Entry fees not included unless otherwise stated

Golden Age New Tour

A tour full of wonders from the 18th and 19th centuries when Britain's engineers were the most inventive and ambitious in the world. Their legacy is set amidst some of Britain's most peaceful scenery to make this a tour to suit all tastes. Discover the magic of a region that boasts a heritage as rich as its landscape.

OUR INCLUDED EXCURSIONS

A cruise on the fascinating Manchester Ship Canal. A truly memorable journey along the 35-mile stretch of canal with a lively commentary giving a revealing insight into the facts, the history and the dramas of one of Britain's major waterways. The cruises take in spectacular scenery leaving its passengers with an awe-inspiring sense of how its construction shaped the city of Manchester and the North West of England. The boat has licensed bars and sells refreshments and snacks throughout the cruise.

A visit to Port Sunlight. Port Sunlight is unique and those who visit for the first time are usually astonished at what they discover. It is argued to be the finest surviving example of early urban planning in the UK. The late 19th Century village

was built by William Hesketh Lever to house his soap factory workers at Lever Brothers which eventually turned into the global giant Unilever. The village is set in 130 acres of what can only be described as beautifully maintained parkland with a mature treescape. Nearly every building in the village is Grade II listed and two sections of the landscape are included in the English Heritage Register of Parks. We depart after breakfast for the short journey to Northwich for a ride on the Anderton Boat Lift nicknamed "the Cathedral of the Canals" when it was built in 1875. Until the recent arrival of Scotland's Falkirk Wheel it was Britain's only boat lift. We then continue to Chester for an afternoon in the beautiful walled city.



Marriott Manchester Airport Hotel

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- Outskirts • Well-appointed en-suite bedrooms • Hairdryer • Satellite television • Telephone • Tea, coffee-making facilities • Restaurant • Cocktail bar • Lift to all floors • Indoor pool • Whirlpool • Sauna • Steam rooms • Fitness suite.
- www.marriott.co.uk

Departure Dates

Monday	21st May	5 Days	£389	
Sunday	22nd July	5 Days	£349	
Monday www	3rd Sept	5 Days	£349	
Thursday	4th Oct	5 Days	£349	

Single room supplement £88.



Anderton Boat Lift