



Donegal

OUR PRICE INCLUDES



- ✓ Executive coach travel
 - ✓ Return sea crossings between Fishguard and Rosslare
 - ✓ 1 overnight's bed and breakfast accommodation
 - ✓ 1 overnight's half board accommodation
 - ✓ 5 night's 4 course, three choice dinner bed and breakfast
 - ✓ A glass of wine at dinner
 - ✓ Welcome tea, coffee and biscuits on arrival in Belleek
 - ✓ One night's traditional Irish music
 - ✓ Entry to Belleek Pottery
 - ✓ Irish coffee making demonstration
 - ✓ Entry to the American Folk Park in Omagh
 - ✓ Full day guide for the Glenveagh National Park
 - ✓ 2 course lunch in Athlone
 - ✓ Excursions as described in the itinerary
- Entry fees not included unless otherwise stated

Donegal Delights

This most remote and undiscovered corner of Ireland has been the inspiration for many Irish artists and writers. Literature reflects a region that encompasses enchanting glens, placid lakes and impressive mountains, bordered by a spectacular coastline carved by the Atlantic Ocean.

ITINERARY

Day 1 We travel to Fishguard for the afternoon sailing with Stena Line Ferries to Rosslare. We continue to Bray for our one night's bed and full Irish breakfast accommodation. Due to the late arrival in Bray we recommend you purchase a meal on board ship although bar snacks may be available to purchase at the hotel.

Day 2 After breakfast we enjoy a brief visit to the bustling city of Dublin, before heading across country to County Donegal. We travel via Cavan and admire the great lakes, which dominate the Co. Fermanagh landscape scattered with islands and adorned with forest parks. We continue along the shores of Lough Erne arriving at the Carlton hotel for tea, coffee and biscuits and time to relax before dinner.

Day 3 At leisure in Belleek. In the morning we have arranged a visit to the local Belleek Pottery, home of Ireland's oldest pottery where you are able to observe how this legendary basket weave china is handcrafted. In the afternoon we include an Irish coffee making demonstration in the hotel.

Day 4 After breakfast we travel through the jewel of Co. Donegal, the Glenveagh National Park. We pass through the Blue Stack Mountains, across the Gweebarra Bridge to

Dunlewy, beautifully situated at the foot of Mount Errigal overlooking the lake, Ionad Cois Lochs provides a fascinating insight into the area before travelling through the National Park and returning to Donegal through the Barnesmore Gap.

Day 5 Today we visit Donegal, take the opportunity to visit the castle, abbey or Magee's home of Donegal hand-woven tweeds with demonstrations taking place during summer. Subject to tidal restrictions you can enjoy a cruise around Donegal Bay.

Day 6 Today we travel to Omagh and our included visit to the Ulster American Folk Park. Depicting the story of emigration during the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries you will find traditional thatched buildings, American log houses and a full-scale replica emigrant ship and the dockside gallery to help visualise a bygone era.

Day 7 Sadly it's time to leave Belleek and travel to Athlone where we include a 2 course lunch before we continue south to our overnight half board accommodation in the Wexford area.

Day 8 Following an early breakfast we travel the short distance to Rosslare Harbour for the morning sailing to Fishguard before completing the journey home.



Donegal Bay

Carlton Hotel Belleek ★★ ★ EEE

Town centre location • En-suite bedrooms • Complimentary toiletries • Television • Tea, coffee-making facilities • Ironing services • Restaurant • Riverfront Bar • Entertainment every evening • Lift servicing all floors. www.hotelcarlton.co.uk

Departure Dates

Sunday	3rd June	8 Days	£509
Saturday	21st July	8 Days	£509
Sunday	26th Aug	8 Days	£509
Sunday	23rd Sept	8 Days	£509

Single room supplement £100.



Glenveagh Castle