

International Basketball Tour 2022 Ireland Itinerary Lakeland University Women's Basketball

Travel dates:

May 9-18, 2022.

Itinerary:

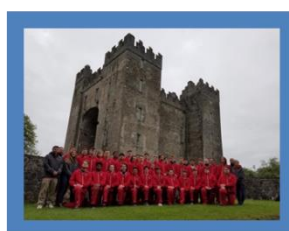
- May 9 Departure from Chicago airport.
Flight: AA 208 ORD-DUB 840P departure and May 10 at 1005AM arrival.
- May 10 Arrival Dublin airport in morning. Transfer to Croke Park in Dublin for tour of Croke Park and GAA Museum, home of the Gaelic Games. Transfer to hotel and check in. Rest of day/evening at leisure.
- May 11 Sightseeing Dublin – visit and tour Trinity College, Dublin Castle, Christ Church Cathedral, and St. Patrick's Cathedral. Evening game vs. local team.
- May 12 Visit the Kilmainham Gaol tour, one of the largest unoccupied gaols (jail) in Europe, covering some of the most heroic and tragic events in Ireland's emergence as a modern nation from 1780s to the 1920s. After this, visit the Guinness Storehouse and Old Jameson Distillery tour.
- May 13 Transfer to your accommodation in Cork. Check in to hotel and rest of day/evening at leisure.
- May 14 Day sight-seeing Cork and surroundings; Cork is the second largest city in the Republic of Ireland after Dublin. It lies on Ireland's south coast and is connected to the sea by Cork Harbour and a slim channel called Passage West. Today, many of Cork's tourist attractions recall its long history, and you'll find it a vibrant, lively city with plenty of things to do. Evening game vs. a local team.
- May 15 Transfer to Galway. Make a stop at and tour the Cliffs of Moher on the way.
- May 16 Day free for sightseeing and exploring Galway. Stroll along High Street taking in all its shops, restaurants and typical Irish pubs.
- May 17 Make an excursion to Bunratty Castle and Folk Park where you can experience the living reconstruction of the homes and environment of Ireland from over a century ago. Evening game vs. a local team.
- May 18 Transfer to Dublin airport and flight back home.
Flight: AA 209 DUB-ORD 100PM departure and 315PM arrival.



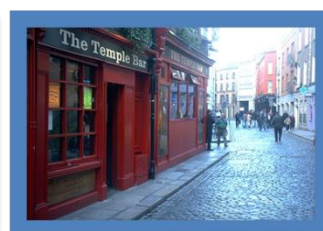
Willamette University



Galway Kylemore Abbey



Fishers High School



Streets of Dublin

Price per person

Between 45 and 73 people traveling - \$2,484.00 based on using one bus (max. 74 seats).

Price inclusions:

- Round trip airfare, including airport taxes and fuel surcharges. Prices are always subject to availability of flights and fares at time of booking.
- Accommodations and meals as specified in this proposal – see below.
- Ground transportation – see below.
- Costs for arranging the sport program – see below.
- Services of a local tour assistant – see below.
- 1 free trip for every 19 paying participants

Sport program included:

We will arrange a total of 3 games.

Accommodation and meals included:

Dublin: 3-star hotel accommodation in Dublin (Maldron Hotel Newlands Cross or similar).

- Daily breakfast and dinner included.
- Hotel located 2 km from Red Cow tram stop, and 15 km from both the Dublin Zoo and Phoenix Park.
- Accommodation in triple rooms (3 people per room) all with private bathroom, free Wi-Fi, flat-screen TVs, and tea and coffee making facilities.
- The hotel has a pub and restaurant.
- Double and single rooms available as well at a supplement. Supplement for a double room (2 people per room) is \$15.00 per person per night. Supplement for a single room (1 person) is \$70.00 per person per night.

Cork: 4-star hotel accommodation in Cork (Cork International Airport hotel or similar).

- Daily breakfast and dinner included.
- Hotel located only 5 miles from the city center.
- Participant prices based on accommodation in triple rooms (3 people per room) all with private bathroom, flat-screen TVs and free Wi-Fi, plus tea and coffee making facilities.
- The hotel has a restaurant/bar/lounge.
- Double/twin and single rooms available as well at a supplemental cost. Supplement for a double/twin room (2 people per room) is \$10.00 per person per night. Supplement for a single room (1 person) is \$50 per person per night.

Galway: 3-star hotel accommodation in Galway (Hotel Maldron Sandy Road Galway or similar).

- Daily breakfast and dinner included.
- This modern hotel is 3 km from the 16th-century Spanish Arch and 5 km from marine exhibits at Galway Atlantaquaria.

- Participant prices based on accommodation in triple rooms (3 people per room) all with private bathroom, free Wi-Fi and flat-screen TVs, as well as tea and coffee making facilities.
- Amenities include free parking and a fitness room. There's also a bar & restaurant serving lunch, dinner & bar menu.
- Double/twin and single rooms available as well at a supplemental cost. Supplement for a double/twin room (2 people per room) is \$15.00 per person per night. Supplement for a single room (1 person) is \$70.00 per person per night.

Transportation:

During your stay, the group will have a private bus available exclusively for your group 10 hours a day each day.

Local guide services:

We will have a local tour assistant assigned to be exclusively with your group full time each day during your stay. These tour assistants will provide you with any assistance when necessary, and help plan or amend your daily schedule as needed.

Options available (not included in prices)

Travel insurance option for people who booked the original tour and all players/coaches:

We can offer your group participants comprehensive travel insurance which includes accident, illness and trip cancellation coverage – more information will be sent to you after booking. Approx. cost for this travel insurance is \$67.00 - \$195.00+ depending on the age of the participant and the tour price. More information, see your team website.

Travel insurance option for new travelers (parents and family members only):

Your participants have the option to purchase accident, illness and trip cancellation/interruption insurance, including a Cancel for Any Reason Coverage (CFAR) – more information about this insurance is included on your team website page.

Other items not included in prices:

- Beverages (soda) with meals.
- Gratuities for representatives and bus drivers.
- Admission fees to attractions. This applies to per person admission fees for sights and attractions.

Touristic Information Dublin

Dublin is the capital and largest city of Ireland. Dublin is in the province of Leinster on Ireland's east coast, at the mouth of the River Liffey. Founded as a Viking settlement, the Kingdom of Dublin became Ireland's principal city following the Norman invasion. The city expanded rapidly from the 17th century and was briefly the second largest city in the British Empire before the Acts of Union in 1800. Following the partition of Ireland in 1922, Dublin became the capital of the Irish Free State, later renamed Ireland.

Guinness Brewery:

Guinness Storehouse is one of the most popular tourist attractions in Dublin, at St. James's Gate Brewery. Since opening in 2000, it has received over four million visitors. The Storehouse covers seven floors surrounding a glass atrium shaped in the form of a pint of Guinness. The ground floor introduces the beer's four ingredients, and the brewery's founder, Arthur Guinness. Other floors feature the history of Guinness advertising and include an interactive exhibit on responsible drinking. The seventh floor houses the Gravity Bar with views of Dublin and where visitors may drink a pint of Guinness included in the price of admission.

St. Patrick's Cathedral:

Saint Patrick's Cathedral in Dublin, Ireland, founded in 1191, is the National Cathedral of the Church of Ireland. With its 141 ft tall spire, St. Patrick's is the tallest church in Ireland and the largest. Christ Church Cathedral, also a Church of Ireland cathedral in Dublin, is designated as the local Cathedral of the diocese of Dublin and Glendalough.

Aviva Stadium:

The spectacular Aviva Stadium is home to the Irish Rugby Union team, as well as the Republic of Ireland National Soccer Team. It is Ireland's only UEFA Elite Stadium and has played host to matches for large tournaments such as the Heineken Cup, Nations Cup, and European Cup.

Downtown Dublin:

The Downtown area is home to several shopping centers, restaurants, pubs, and historical buildings. For shopping, visit Grafton street, Dawson street, located only a few blocks from Trinity College, or O'Connell and Henry street located near The Spire. The Spire otherwise known as the Monument of Light, is a 390 ft tall monument that has become a favored tourist location in Dublin. For fine dining try the Brasserie sixty6 or Dax Restaurant, just two of many top-rated restaurants in Dublin. The Rustic Stone just a few blocks from Grafton Street offers a unique and modern Irish food options.

Dublin Castle:

Erected in the early thirteenth century on the site of a Viking settlement, Dublin Castle served for centuries as the headquarters of English, and later British, administration in Ireland. In 1922, following Ireland's independence, Dublin Castle was handed over to the new Irish government. It is now a major government complex and a key tourist attraction. We hope you enjoy your visit.

Touristic Information Galway

Galway, known as the City of the Tribes, is an important tourist center and a gateway to the scenic areas of the county. Beginning in the 15th century, Galway was ruled by the leading fourteen merchant families, which were known as "tribes." The families built many castles throughout County Galway. Many streets and landmarks bear the names of these early "tribes."

Galway is a bustling town with fantastic nightlife. The beautiful scenery, charming pedestrianized streets, and numerous pubs and cafes are sure to keep you occupied.

Cliffs of Moher:

A must-do while on your way to Galway, is to see the awe-inspiring Cliffs of Moher. Here you will encounter nature in its wildest, purest form – see the rugged cliffs facing the mighty ocean, taste the salt air, feel the ancient rocks beneath your feet. This destination is one of the most breathtaking sights to see during your trip to Ireland.

Eyre Square/City Center:

While in Galway, the City Center there is plenty to see and do. The Eyre Square Center is home to several shops, restaurants, pubs and tourist attractions.

Optional Day Trip to Limerick:

While in Limerick visit King John's Castle, a 13th century marvel located next to the River Shannon. You can also visit Thormond Park, home of Munster Rugby Club, one of the top teams in Ireland.

Bunratty Castle:

The site on which Bunratty Castle stands was in origin a Viking trading camp in 970. The present structure is the last of four castles to be built on the site. Bunratty Castle, is the most complete and authentic medieval castle in Ireland. Built in 1425 it was restored in 1954 to its former medieval splendor and now contains mainly 15th and 16th century furnishings, tapestries, and works of art which capture the mood of those times.

Folk Park:

Enjoy the sights, sounds tastes, scents, of this enchanting place as you stroll from house to house or around the charming village street complete with school, post office, doctors house, hardware shop, printers and of course McNamara's pub. When you visit Bunratty Folk Park you experience a living reconstruction of the homes and environment of Ireland of over a century ago. Set on 26 acres, the impressive park features over 30 buildings in a 'living' village and rural setting.