HAMMOND TOURS



$3,595.00

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Join Meself, Himself & Herself (Terry, Rob & Crystal from The Fenians) for an unforgettable journey through Ireland.

RAMBLING HOUSE TOUR OF IRELAND

APRIL 15–25, 2027

Hammond Tours Presents: Daily Itinerary

Day 1, April 15 – Thursday: Dublin Airport – Fota Island. Your tour begins at Dublin Airport, where you'll meet your professional Irish Driver/Guide. We have an afternoon departure from the airport and travel south across the heart of Ireland to Fota Island, just outside Cork city. Settle in at Fota Island Resort, set among gardens and parkland in Cork Harbour, and enjoy dinner at the hotel. **Dinner & Overnight Fota Island Resort**

Day 2, April 16 – Friday: Cobh – Spike Island. Spend the morning in the Cobh area, the colorful harbor town that was the last port of call for the Titanic. This afternoon we take a guided tour of Spike Island, the historic fortress and former prison in the middle of Cork Harbour. This evening the band performs at the Boothouse Bar, a historic, family-run thatched country pub at Upper Glanmire Bridge, Whites Cross, County Cork. **Overnight Fota Island Resort**

Day 3, April 17 – Saturday: Charles Fort – Kinsale. Today we travel to Kinsale, one of Ireland's most charming harbor towns, with its brightly painted streets, shops and pubs. On the way, you have the option to be dropped in Cork City to explore on your own. Otherwise, we visit Charles Fort, the great star-shaped 17th-century fortress guarding Kinsale Harbour, with free time in Kinsale before returning to Fota Island. **Overnight Fota Island Resort**

Day 4, April 18 – Sunday: Fota Island – Bunratty – Connemara Coast. Depart Fota Island this morning and head north and west to Bunratty Castle & Folk Park, where the 15th-century castle and the recreated village bring Ireland's past to life. Continue on through Galway and into Connemara, arriving at the seaside Connemara Coast Hotel, overlooking Galway Bay, where we gather for dinner. **Dinner & Overnight Connemara Coast Hotel**

Day 5, April 19 – Monday: Galway. Travel into Galway, where we enjoy a panoramic tour of the city from the coach before free time to explore on your own. Explore the Latin Quarter and Shop Street, or settle into a pub or café. This evening the band performs at The Quays in Galway. **Overnight Connemara Coast Hotel**

Day 6, April 20 – Tuesday: Connemara. Today we enjoy the DK Connemara Oysters experience, discovering how Connemara oysters are farmed and enjoyed fresh from the bay, with the wild Atlantic coastline as the backdrop. The rest of the day is free. **Overnight Connemara Coast Hotel**

Day 7, April 21 – Wednesday: Connemara Coast – Kiltimagh. Depart the Connemara Coast this morning and travel north into County Mayo, with a visit to the Quiet Man Museum, celebrating the classic film that made this part of the west famous around the world. Continue to Kiltimagh and check in at the Park Hotel Kiltimagh. After dinner, we head to a real Rambling House session at Davy's Pub in the village of Carracastle. **Dinner & Overnight Park Hotel Kiltimagh**

Day 8, April 22 – Thursday: Kiltimagh. Today we visit Kilcashel Stone Fort and St Patrick's Cemetery, places rich in local history and heritage, with time to take in the quiet countryside of County Mayo. Return to Kiltimagh for some free time in this friendly town, known for its tradition of music, storytelling and the arts. This evening the band performs at the Folk Café in Kiltimagh. **Overnight Park Hotel Kiltimagh**

Day 9, April 23 – Friday: Kiltimagh – Dublin. After breakfast, enjoy a morning session of music, poetry and storytelling at the Folk Café, followed by a visit to the Kiltimagh Museum, where the story of the town and its people comes to life. Then say farewell to Kiltimagh and travel east across the Midlands to Dublin, our final stop of the tour. Check in at the Arlington Hotel, ideally located on the River Liffey, and enjoy the evening at leisure in the city's pubs and restaurants. **Overnight Arlington Hotel Dublin**

Day 10, April 24 – Saturday: Dublin. A free day in Dublin to explore the Irish capital at your own pace. Stroll Grafton Street and St Stephen's Green, visit Trinity College, home of the Book of Kells, browse the shops or wander the lively Temple Bar district. You may also wish to visit the Guinness Storehouse, Dublin Castle or Kilmainham Gaol on your own. This evening the band performs at the Arlington Hotel, a fitting finale to a week of music. **Overnight Arlington Hotel Dublin**

Day 11, April 25 – Sunday: Dublin Airport. After breakfast you will be transported to Dublin Airport for your flight home. In the true Irish tradition, we wish you a "Safe Home".

YOUR HOLIDAY INCLUDES

Transportation & Services

- **Deluxe motorcoach** from April 15 (depart Dublin Airport) until April 23 (arrive Dublin)
- **Professional Irish Driver and Guide** from April 15 to April 23
- **One group transfer** on April 25
- **Porterage** of one suitcase per person and hotel taxes throughout (except tips to your Driver/Guide)

Accommodations — Ten (10) Nights, as follows or similar

Cork – Fota Island Resort ★★★★★ www.fotaisland.ie — 3 Nights (Apr 15, 16 & 17)

Connemara – Connemara Coast Hotel ★★★★ www.connemaracoasthotel.ie — 3 Nights (Apr 18, 19 & 20)

Kiltimagh – Park Hotel Kiltimagh ★★★★ www.parkhotelmayo.com — 2 Nights (Apr 21 & 22)

Dublin – Arlington Hotel ★★★ www.arlingtonhotel.ie — 2 Nights (Apr 23 & 24)

Meals

- **Full Irish Breakfast Daily** (except day of arrival)
- **Three Dinners**: Fota Island Resort (Apr 15), Connemara Coast Hotel (Apr 18) & Park Hotel Kiltimagh (Apr 21)

Admissions Included

Cobh Heritage Centre • Spike Island Tour • Charles Fort • Bunratty Castle & Folk Park • DK Connemara Oysters Experience • Quiet Man Museum • Kilcashel Stone Fort & St Patrick's Cemetery • Folk Café Morning Session & Kiltimagh Museum

NOT INCLUDED

- Airfare • Items of a personal nature • Meals not specified as included • Sightseeing not indicated as included • Gratuities for your Driver Guide (at the discretion of the traveler)

Reservation Application

Rambling House Tour of Ireland (MHH2027)

April 15–25, 2027

Go to www.hammondtours.com to complete your reservation application.

A non-refundable deposit of $250.00 per person is required to reserve your space.

If you want a single room, there is an additional single supplement charge of $1,375.00.

Your final payment is due 2/15/2027. Reminders will be sent.

Questions? Contact HAMMOND TOURS

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