

GOLFERS DREAM VACATION 2027

A Suggested Private Itinerary

This private tour is designed for golf lovers looking to combine the unforgettable sights, history and beauty of Ireland with rounds of golf at several of the world's most spectacular courses. We can customize any itinerary to include any additional interests you may have.

DAY 1

SHANNON – KILLARNEY

Morning arrival at Shannon Airport, where after clearing customs you are met by your professional Irish Driver Guide and transferred to Killarney. We may stop first at Bunratty, with its 600-year-old castle and adjacent folk park, to stretch our legs. It is then on to Killarney. Killarney was a monastic settlement from the 5th or 6th century, and housing settlement began here around 1500. Explore colorful laneways and a fine cathedral, and experience the ambience of the busy town center. Killarney is nestled amid deep, lake-filled valleys with astounding sights such as the famous Ladies' View (named after Queen Victoria's ladies-in-waiting) and the MacGillicuddy's Reeks, Ireland's highest mountain range, home of Carrauntoohil, the country's highest peak.

Overnight at the Killarney International Hotel.

DAY 2

KILLARNEY –
BALLYBUNION –
KILLARNEY

This morning we meet our Driver Guide by 6:00 AM and make our way to Ballybunion Old Course for our 7:22 AM tee time, enjoying the magnificent scenery en route. You may want to have lunch at Ballybunion. You then make your way to the Cashen Course for your 3:00 PM tee time. After golfing, your Driver Guide brings you back to Killarney.

Overnight at the Killarney International Hotel.

DAY 3

KILLARNEY – WATERVILLE
– KILLARNEY

After breakfast we depart Killarney and start on the Ring of Kerry. There is an unspoiled nature to Ireland's most beautiful region, and the Ring provides many unforgettable memories as it passes through picturesque villages such as Glenbeigh, Waterville and Sneem before returning via Ladies' View and the famous Lakes of Killarney. We make our way to Waterville for your 1:30 PM tee time at Waterville Golf Links. **Overnight at the Killarney International Hotel.**

DAY 4

KILLARNEY – ENNIS

After a full Irish breakfast we depart Killarney and travel to Cashel, where we may visit the impressive Rock of Cashel. With its well-preserved ecclesiastical remains, it is one of Ireland's most spectacular landmarks, rising above the surrounding plain. The large cathedral, ancient round tower and very early Romanesque Cormac's Chapel, perched on a dramatic outcrop of rock, were silent witnesses to many of the stirring events of Irish history. St. Patrick is said to have converted the local king, Aenghus, here in the 5th century, and Brian Boru was crowned King of Munster here in the 10th century. We continue to Limerick, Ireland's third-largest city and home of author Frank McCourt, who wrote Angela's Ashes. Its origins date to the 9th century, when Vikings settled the site. Limerick is known as the "City of the Broken Treaty": the Treaty of Limerick (1691), which surrendered the city to William of Orange, promised respect for the rights of Catholics, but its terms were soon breached. The treaty was signed on the Treaty Stone, which can still be seen today. King John's Castle is a fortified 13th-century castle on King's Island in the heart of medieval Limerick, overlooking the River Shannon, and brings to life the stories of the people through political upheaval, war and famine. **Overnight at the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis.**

DAY 5

ENNIS – CLIFFS OF MOHER
– LAHINCH – ENNIS

This morning after breakfast you may want to journey first to the Cliffs of Moher. The cliffs are astonishingly impressive and staggeringly beautiful. The vertical cliffs rise to a height of 700 feet, their edge falling away abruptly into the ceaselessly churning Atlantic. On a clear day you can see forever: the Aran Islands stand etched on the waters of Galway Bay, and beyond lie the hills of Connemara. As you leave the cliffs, you travel through the little village of Liscannor, and across the bay you can see the seaside village and golfers' mecca of Lahinch, where you play Lahinch Golf Club for your 4:18 PM tee time. **Overnight at the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis.**

DAY 6

SHANNON AIRPORT

Transfer on own by taxi to nearby Shannon Airport.

YOUR DISTINGUISHED PRIVATE TOUR INCLUDES

DRIVER GUIDE

- Professional Irish Driver Guide with deluxe vehicle from your arrival at Shannon Airport on Day 1 until the end of Day 5 in Ennis

ACCOMMODATIONS

- 5 nights as follows, or similar:
- **Killarney – Killarney International Hotel** – 3 nights, 4-star killarneyinternational.com
- **Ennis – Old Ground Hotel** – 2 nights, 4-star oldgroundhotelennis.com

MEALS

- Full Irish breakfast daily (except day of arrival)

ALSO INCLUDED

- Fully escorted sightseeing as per itinerary
- All Driver's expenses (except tip to the driver)
- Hotel taxes

NOT INCLUDED

- Green fees, caddies and club rental
 - Tip to your Driver Guide
 - Any items of a personal nature
 - Dinners and suggested optional sightseeing mentioned in the itinerary
 - Admissions not listed above, which are paid directly to each venue so that you never pay for a site you later decide not to visit
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Tee times shown are examples and are subject to availability at the time of booking. This is a suggested itinerary and can be customized to your interests.