

EXECUTIVE TOUR SUMMARY

The North East of Scotland embodies much of what Scotland is famous for. Indeed, abounding scenery, historical castles, whiskey trails and a fantastic array of Scottish golf courses are in this region where the famous Scottish cities and towns lie including Aberdeen, Peterhead and Fraserburgh. For the golf enthusiast the North East has got it all. There are more than 60 classic, unspoilt courses on which to enjoy a round of golf and many of them are of 100 year vintage, much like the regions prized whiskey production. From traditional Seaside links that boast a ferocious bite to more inland, subtler tests, the North East has very golfing challenge at its disposal.

Golf

Royal Aberdeen Golf Club (Est. 1780) Par: 72 Men & Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,922 yards / White Tees 6,537 yards / Ladies Tees 6,034 yards

The Royal Aberdeen Course was originally designed by the Simpson Brothers, Archie and Robert of Carnoustie and later re-bunkered and lengthened by James Braid. Hawtree & Company are now engaged as the Club's architects to ensure our classic links keeps pace with the modern game. Balgownie is one of the truest linksland layouts in golf. It's a course to test the better golfer, one who can accommodate the many variable conditions this arduous links can throw at you. Balgownie's front nine holes rank amongst the very best in the world.

Cruden Bay Golf Club (Est. 1894) Par: 70 Men / 73 Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,609 yards / White Tees 6,263 yards / Ladies Tees 5,724 yards

A traditional Scottish links golf course, originally designed by Old Tom Morris of St Andrews and Archie Simpson in 1899 and re-designed in the 1920's by Tom Simpson and Herbert Fowler. The Course offers an internationally famous golfing experience – old fashioned links golf at its best – on one of the best links courses in Scotland. Creating unique challenges demanding the skills of power, placement and fine judgement upon the discerning golfer. Set against a backdrop of subtly contoured greens and magnificent panoramic views, our Course truly justifies the accolades it receives.

Trump International Golf Club (Est. 2012) Par: 72 Men & Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 7,428 yards / White Tees 6,329 yards / Ladies Tees 5,215 yards

Trump International was designed by the acclaimed Martin Hawtree who is chief design consultant for St. Andrews. The golf course follows a classic pattern of two out-and-back loops of nine holes. All 18 holes thread their way engagingly through the dunes, rising here to find views of the sea and

coastline, plunging there into secluded valleys, offering a sequence of superlative topographies, landscapes, alternating between spaciousness and enclosure, then panoramic view, and the whole time a rich texture of vegetation and wildlife habitats surrounding the golf holes.

Murcar Golf Club (Est. 1909) Par: 71 Men & Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,516 yards / White Tees 6,303 yards / Ladies Tees 5,635 yards

The Archie Smith designed and James Braid and George Smith remodelled, Murcar Links, is as fine a links course as you could wish to play" (Paul Lawrie, 1999 Open Champion) and adjoins Royal Aberdeen to its south side. With Cruden Bay a mere twenty minute car drive north, Murcar is without doubt, "a hidden gem" (Peter Alliss, TV Commentator & Former Ryder Cup Player). It is located on a classic stretch of links land with massive sand dunes, undulating fairways, and is covered in whins and heather with some magnificent views across the North Sea.

Carnoustie Golf Club (Est. 1839) Par: 72 Men / 70 Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,948 yards / White Tees 6,595 yards / Ladies Tees 6,144 yards

The Championship Course designed by Allan Robertson and remodelled by Old Tom Morris and James Braid has hosted seven Open Championships, one Ladies Open and two Senior Opens making it one of the very few to have done so in the UK. It is one of the three courses used for the annual Alfred Dunhill Links Championship. Carnoustie is forever remembered in the modern mind with the sight of a forlorn Jean Van de Velde paddling in the Barry Burn in 1999. Also venue for the famous "duel in the sun" between Tom Watson and Jack Nicklaus, Carnoustie has a much vaunted history as well as being a magnificent challenge to any golfer who graces its hollowed turf.

Fraserburgh Golf Club (Est. 1777) Par: 72 Men & Ladies

Length: White Tees 6,308 yards / Ladies Tees 5,323 yards

The 7th Oldest Golf Club in the world, today's feisty championship course, a James Braid (5 times Open Championship winner) redesign of the original layout, is one of the most natural links courses you will ever find. Be prepared for an invigorating ride around Fraserburgh's substantial sand dunes and an experience reminiscent of how golf must have been more than a century ago. Wildly undulating fairways, sand hills, wonderful views and some truly spectacular holes makes Fraserburgh a true links adventure from start to finish.

Moray Golf Club (Est. 1889) Par: 70 Men / 71 Ladies

Length: White Tees 6,084 yards / Ladies Tees 5,192 yards

The old course is considered to be one of the finest links courses in Scotland. A classic links designed by Old Tom Morris with deep revetted bunkers, undulating gorse lined fairways and smooth

fast greens. It is a superb test of golf with seven par fours over 400 yards. Gorse threatens throughout and the revetted bunkers look almost appealing by comparison. From the moment you tee off until you putt out on the elevated final green in front of the clubhouse, you can't fail but fall under the magical spell of this glorious links.

Peterhead Golf Club (Est. 1841) Par: 70 Men / 72 Ladies

Length: White Tees 6,147 yards / Ladies Tees 5,382 yards

The current 18 hole layout "Craigewan Links" began as a 9 hole course in 1892, designed by Willie Park Jnr a dual winner of the Open Championship, and was extended to 18 holes in 1908. Set among the dunes and across the Craigewan links the course is a classic example of Scottish seaside golf at it's best – and the toughest.

Accommodation

Malmaison Hotel, Aberdeen. Malmaison Aberdeen - the vibrant gem amidst Scotland's Granite City. The hotel is just a stone's throw from the city centre. Discover the fantastic facilities including an inner city spa to ensure relaxation, all complimented by the dedicated staff, ready to welcome you and make sure your stay is an exceptional one.

Meldrum House Hotel, Aberdeenshire. Meldrum House is quite simply unique. Nestled in the heart of Aberdeenshire's tranquil countryside, but just a few short miles from the bustling centre of Aberdeen, this charming 13th century baronial mansion house, 240 acre estate and golf course offers more than luxury. This is a country hotel that offers the very best of everything. Luxury accommodation with individually styled bedrooms.

Our associates in Scotland specialise in building bespoke luxury golf tours to include all of the above courses with a choice of the above luxury accommodations. We personally take care of our clients from the moment you enquire until the moment you depart from home.

Transport

Chauffeured Guided Tour & Transfers in Deluxe Mercedes Sprinter Bus with leather trim, wifi and air con. Fuel, Tolls, Ferry crossings and driver/guide expenses all included. Your knowledgeable chauffeur will guide you to the best restaurants and local bars as well as informing you on historical facts and fables.

Terms & Conditions

Costs may fluctuate upon the time of year and availability cannot be guaranteed on all courses.

Deposit required to secure the booking of accommodation and golf.

Full payment of tour required 1 month in advance of the tour date. Both are non refundable upon payment.

Please note Accommodation includes Bed & Breakfast only.

All lunch and evening meals are not included, but the finalised itinerary will have suggested local restaurants.

Golf green fees are included but any other activities are not included.

Tips are not included but encouraged.
