
COMPANY NAME: IRELAND TRAVEL LINKS

The Southwest of Ireland is renowned for its breathtaking scenery from the unique Burren and the Cliffs of Moher along the Wild Atlantic way to the Ring of Kerry and Corks rugged peninsula coastline. Set amongst this landscape are some of the most acclaimed links courses in the world revered by the games greats including Watson, Palmer, Stewart, Michelson, Woods etc. With a warm welcome that is tradition for the locals, golfers will relish every moment of their stay. Indeed the locals are more than a little knowledgeable when it comes to golf and visitors can expect pre round tips from the locals to help them on their way. Many of the courses have been created or remodelled by some of the world's most celebrated architects, most notably Tom Simpson, Old Tom Morris, Dr. Alister MacKenzie, Robert Trent Jones and Tom Fazio to name but a few.

Golf

Day 1 - Lahinch GC - <http://www.lahinchgolf.com/courses/course-video/>

Day 2 - Ballybunnion GC Old Course - <http://www.ballybuniongolfclub.com/the-club/brochures-and-videos/>

Day 3 - Ballybunnion GC RTJ Cashen Course

Day 4 - Tralee GC - <http://traleegolfclub.com/#!/home>

Day 5 - Waterville GC - <http://www.watervillegolflinks.ie/videos/>

Day 6 - Dooks GC - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FKoc_567yQY

Accommodation

3 x Nights @ Teach De Broc / 19th Lodge Guesthouse, Ballybunnion, Co. Kerry. 4 star Guesthouses located opposite the famed Ballybunnion Golf Club. Enjoy the hearty full Irish breakfast or relax and unwind after golf in the bar. Take a short stroll to Ballybunnion golf club where you can marvel at the spectacular sunset views from the clubhouse restaurant or lounge bar.

3 x Nights @ Great Southern Hotel / Royal Hotel, Killarney, Co. Kerry. Enjoy your stay at one of these luxurious old world elegance hotels that is truly unique for quality, location, service and elegance. All centrally located in Killarney makes them easy access for Killarney's many traditional pubs and international cuisine restaurants.

Transport

7 x Days 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.

Touring Details

Day 1 - Monday

Arrive at Shannon Airport and be greeted by your chauffeured tour guide. Travel to play the Old Tom Morris designed and Dr. Alister MacKenzie & Martin Hartree remodelled Lahinch GC and discover the Ireland of yore in this unique authentic links with famous holes such as the Clondyke and the Dell. Play golf in the midst of the famous resident goats that roam free on the course. After golf relax and unwind at the clubhouse bar and restaurant with its panoramic view of the course and the Wild Atlantic Way. Be whisked away for a leisurely drive to Ballybunion across the River Shannon via a Ferry. Travel onwards to your final destination of Ballybunion with your accommodation located opposite Ballybunion Golf Club. Indulge in the traditional Irish cuisine in a local restaurant and enjoy the Irish Craic in one of the many bars in Ballybunion.

Golf: Lahinch GC (Est 1892) Par: 72 Men / 74 Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,950 yards / White Tees 6,613 yards / Ladies Tees 5,502 yards

Accommodation: 4 Star Teach De Broc / 19th Lodge Guesthouse, Ballybunion

Day 2 - Tuesday

Play Ballybunion's signature 18 hole Old Course believed by many to be designed by the Golf Gods and remodelled by Tom Simpson, Tom Watson & Martin Hawtree. Made world renowned by Tom Watson, follow in the footsteps of the greats of the game to have played there including Watson, Trevino, Faldo, Nicklaus, to O' Meara, Stewart, Woods & Michelson. After your round have a few beverages in the bar and lunch while sampling the magnificent view from the clubhouse perched on a sand dune looking over the eighteenth and the Wild Atlantic Ocean. Indulge in the traditional Irish cuisine in a local restaurant and enjoy the Irish Craic in one of the many bars in Ballybunion.

Golf: Ballybunion GC Old Course (Est 1893) Par: 71 Men / 74 Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,802 yards / White Tees 6,366 yards / Ladies Tees 5,475 yards

Accommodation: 4 Star Teach De Broc / 19th Lodge Guesthouse, Ballybunion

Day 3 - Wednesday

Enjoy a game at the Robert Trent Jones Senior designed Cashen Course. Marvel at the magnificent views as this course weaves through some of the biggest sand dunes in Ireland & Europe. Opened in 1984 this course requires acute precision especially off the tee as fairways frequently disappear around corners. Course management is at a premium and the single figure golfer may enjoy the course more off the blue tees. After your round have a few beverages in the bar and lunch while sampling the magnificent view from the clubhouse perched on a sand dune looking over the eighteenth and the Wild Atlantic Ocean. Indulge in traditional Irish cuisine in a local restaurant and enjoy the Irish Craic in one of the many bars in Ballybunion

Golf: Ballybunion GC RTJ Cashen Course (Est. 1984) Par: 72 Men & Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,318 yards / White Tees 5,945 yards / Ladies Tees 5,055 yards

Accommodation: 4 Star Teach De Broc / 19th Lodge Guesthouse, Ballybunion

Day 4 - Thursday

Travel to Arnold Palmer designed Tralee Golf Club which was instituted in 1896, and opened its present Arnold Palmer-designed course for play at Barrow in October, 1984. Marvel at the wonderful views and look down on the beach where “Ryan’s Daughter” was filmed off the 1st and 2nd holes. After golf enjoy the panoramic views from Tralee’s clubhouse before being whisked to Killarney to check into your centrally located accommodation. Indulge in International cuisine in a local restaurant and enjoy the Irish Craic in one of the many bars in Killarney.

Golf: Tralee GC (Est. 1896) Par 71 Men’s & Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,975 yards / White Tees 6,678 yards / Ladies Tees 5,481 yards

Accommodation: 4 Star Great Southern Hotel / Royal Hotel, Killarney

Day 5 - Friday

Travel along the breathtaking Ring of Kerry to the Eddie Hackett designed and the Tom Fazio remodelled Waterville Golf Club and marvel at the wonderful views. Pose for a picture beside a statue of Payne Stewart who was a regular visitor to Waterville for golf & fishing. After golf enjoy a snack and beverage at Waterville Clubhouse before returning back to Killarney. If time permits go back in time at Kerry Bog Village. Indulge in International cuisine in a local restaurant and enjoy the Irish Craic in one of the many bars in Killarney.

Golf: Waterville GC (Est. 1896) Par 72 Men’s / 73 Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 7,378 yards / White Tees 6,810 yards / Ladies Tees 5,360 yards

Accommodation: 4 Star Great Southern Hotel / Royal Hotel, Killarney

Day 6 - Saturday

Travel to the Royal Horse Artillery designed and Anthony Brown & Martin Hawtree remodelled Dooks Golf Club on the Ring of Kerry. Enjoy golf on this hidden gem, one of the 10 oldest clubs in Ireland. After golf enjoy a refreshment or two in the clubhouse before travelling back to Killarney. Indulge in International cuisine in a local restaurant and enjoy the Irish Craic in one of the many bars in Killarney.

Golf: Dooks GC (Est. 1889) Par 71 Men’s / 72 Ladies

Length: Blue Tees 6,586 yards / White Tees 6,327 yards / Ladies Tees 5,379 yards

Accommodation: 4 Star Great Southern Hotel / Royal Hotel, Killarney

Day 7 - Sunday

Depart Killarney and head for Shannon Airport for your flight home. Time may permit a quick stop in the picturesque village of Adare on the way.

Extend your stay

Occupying a stunning and unique headland reaching out over two miles into the Atlantic Ocean, the **Old Head of Kinsale** is home to the most spectacular world-class golf course. Stay in Kinsale and enjoy the famous local seafood cuisine.

Play **Castlegregory Golf Club** on the Dingle Peninsula this hidden gem of a 9 hole links course rated one of the best 9 hole courses in the country.

Travel via Dingle to play **Ceann Sibeal Golf Club** located below the rolling hills where part of the latest Star Wars movie was filmed. In the midst of Sybil Head, the Brandon Mountains and the Blasket Islands be enchanted by the beautiful surrounds.

Play **Killarney's Killeen or Mahony's Point Courses** on the beautiful Killarney lakes. Killarney Killeen's course has played host to the Irish Professional Open with previous winners there were Nick Faldo (1991) & 1992), Ross Fisher (2011) and Simon Dyson (2012).

OR We can customise your tour to your preferences

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.
