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Fall into Spring Promotion - Dublin/Killarney 2023/2024 - 310285

Nov 3, 2023 - Nov 9, 2023

Book before 31st Dec 2023 - 10% Discount

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Dublin Airport

Welcome to Ireland!

Your Private Driver will meet you at the Arrivals Hall and take you to your Dublin City Hotel.



Dublin, Co.Dublin

Dublin is one of Europe's most vibrant cities. Over a thousand years old, the turbulent history and rich traditions of the city have inspired writers, artists and musicians down the ages. Today, artists are still attracted by Dublin's youthful enthusiasms and easy-going lifestyle and the city has become a thriving center of culture and enjoyment. The new wave of cafes and restaurants are meeting places for all ages while traditional Dublin pubs are rightly world-famous for their informal atmosphere and lively conversation. The city oozes atmosphere, not least in the heady scents that cling to it – the rich aroma of the hops being roasted in the Guinness brewery and the salty tang of the sea. Nighttime entertainment is a rich mix of world-class theater, concerts from classical to rock, jazz clubs, traditional music sessions and old-style cabaret.

Above all, Dublin is a small city, where visitors can feel at home after even the shortest stay.



Guinness Storehouse

Included in your package is entrance to The Guinness Storehouse, Dublin's most visited attraction and the home of one of Ireland's best-known brands. Learn about the history of "the black stuff", pull your own pint, and enjoy The Gravity Bar's stunning panoramic views. Visit the home of Ireland's oldest and most popular beer. This brewery experience tells the tale of Ireland's signature beer, with tastings and a rooftop bar overlooking Dublin.

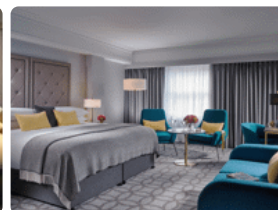


The Davenport

Check-in for two nights to the Luxury Davenport Hotel, enjoy the facilities of their Executive Room, with a super King Bed, access to their Executive Lounge (and its selection of complimentary beverages and snacks), a Nespresso coffee machine in-room and complimentary robes and slippers.

Located in the heart of Georgian Dublin steps away from Merrion Square, The Davenport is one of Dublin's most iconic luxury hotels, offering guests an old-world experience of the Irish capital with every modern convenience needed for a comfortable stay.

The Davenport is within walking distance of all of Dublin's top landmarks, cultural attractions and business districts. The Davenport seamlessly blends history with the needs of today's hotel guest, offering every modern amenity needed during your stay.



November 4 - Saturday



Hop-On/Hop-Off: Dublin

Included in your package are tickets for Dublin's Hop-On/ Hop-Off Bus, the best way to go sightseeing in Dublin - hit all of the major attractions, and travel at your own pace. The buses operate 9am-5pm every day, regularly stopping around the city. Major stops include:

Trinity College/The Book Of Kells

National Art Gallery

St. Stephen's Green

Temple Bar

St. Patrick's Cathedral

...and more!



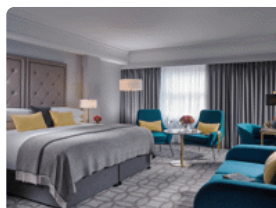
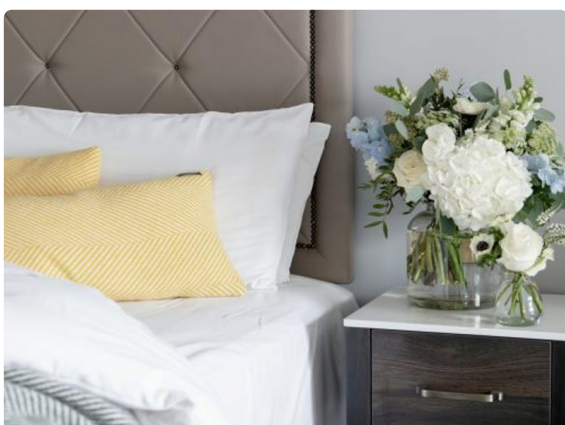
EPIC: The Irish Immigration Museum

Included in your package is entrance to EPIC: the Irish Immigration Museum tells the moving and unforgettable stories of those who left the island of Ireland, and how they influenced and shaped the world. EPIC embraces the past and the future with 1,500 years of Irish history and culture housed in its atmospheric vaults. The world's only fully digital museum, experience this breathtaking story in state-of-the-art interactive galleries, complete with touch screens, motion sensor quizzes and a feast of powerful audio and video that bring Irish history to life. Watch characters from the past tell one-of-a-kind tales of adventure and perseverance, conflict and discovery, belief and community



The Davenport

Overnight for your second night in the beautiful Davenport Hotel, enjoy a wonderful Irish Breakfast the following morning.



November 5 - Sunday



Check out of The Davenport

Driver/Guide Begins



This morning, you will meet your private driver/guide in the lobby of your hotel and begin touring the Emerald Isle.

Your driver will stay with you throughout your visit until you return to Dublin for your final night.

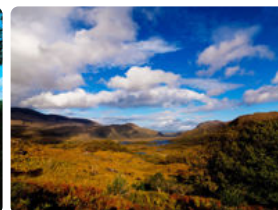


Killarney, Co. Kerry

Arrive in beautiful Killarney, Killarney offers an immersive Irish experience. Journey through timeless natural beauty, vibrant culture and rich history. Hear the whisper of ancient stories and feel the warmth of our welcome. On the doorstep you will find some of Ireland's most scenic attractions Gap of Dunloe, Molls Gap, Lakes of Killarney, Muckross Park, Torc Waterfall, Ross Castle and many more.

Browse through quaint shops brimming with locally crafted treasures, perfect mementos of your Killarney journey.

We'd love you to experience the magic of Killarney and to leave with the best piece of Ireland in your heart.



Muckross House & Gardens

Included in your package, is Muckross House, a nineteenth century Victorian mansion set against the stunning beauty of Killarney National Park. The house stands close to the shores of Muckross Lake, one of Killarney's three lakes, famed world wide for their splendor and beauty. As a focal point within Killarney National Park, Muckross House is the ideal base from which to explore this landscape.

You can also enjoy walking through Ireland's oldest national park, you'll witness the real, untouched beauty of Ireland. A quiet stroll around shimmering lakes, a breath of fresh air through ancient woodlands, surrounded by the Macgillycuddy's Reeks – here, nature's tranquillity is a balm for the soul.



3:00 PM CHECK-IN

Great Southern Hotel

Check-in to the beautiful Great Southern Hotel Killarney for three nights, in a Deluxe bedroom, including full Irish Breakfast each morning. From its distinctive architecture to its exceptional service and authentic hospitality, the Great Southern Killarney has been a favorite retreat for over 165 years. Originally opened in 1854, Great Southern has an impressive history & still retains the spectacular original architecture of the Victorian era while developing a deluxe guest experience. With 6 acres of beautiful private gardens in the center of bustling Killarney town, ideal for a delightful stroll.

As well as beautifully appointed accommodations residents enjoy the welcoming bar Brownes, the gourmet restaurant The Garden Room, The Killarney Wine Room and a traditional Afternoon Tea service served daily in The Grand Foyer and exclusive access to the beautifully restful Reading Room Residents Lounge. Complimentary access to the Health Club at Great Southern and on-site parking is included for all residents.



November 6 - Monday



Ring of Kerry

After your Irish Breakfast, your driver/guide will pick you up to bring you on an experience of a lifetime, a tour of the famous Ring of Kerry, this is the name given to the scenic coastal drive around the Kerry peninsula, along the base of the highest mountain range in Ireland. It's a road that takes you through 10,000 years of dramatic history. It's a road that takes you from deep forest to the crashing waters of the wild Atlantic. It's a road through rugged, majestic landscapes: where wild stag roam and where tumbling waterfalls crash into crystal streams teeming with wild salmon. It's a road that shows you the real meaning of a holiday in Kerry, Ireland. The 100-mile journey takes you through villages and towns depicting typical rural life in Ireland.



Bricin Restaurant and Boxty House

There are lovely traditional Irish Restaurants to enjoy dinner, The Bricin Restaurant is traditional, decorated with antique lamps, stained glass and artworks, turning out Irish favourites. Killarney Boxty (potato pancake) is a house speciality but we also offer a wide range of choices including crab claws, beef, fish, duck, chicken and vegetarian options.

www.bricin.ie



The Laurels Pub & Restaurant

You can also enjoy a great pint and some pub food in Killarney pubs, like the Laurels Pub, a traditional Irish pub hosting regular live Irish music/dance nights, with great food and Craic!

www.thelaurelspub.com



Great Southern Hotel

Relax in the Great Southern Hotel for your second night stay.



November 7 - Tuesday



Dingle Peninsula

Your Driver/ Guide will collect you after breakfast, to tour The Dingle Peninsula, which extends into the Atlantic Ocean. Enjoy some of the most magnificent coastal scenery in Ireland, plus view a series of Early Christian monuments, Iron Age fortifications and bee-hive huts which are now under the care of the state. One of the highlights of the Wild Atlantic Way, the Dingle Peninsula (Corca Dhuibhne) culminates in the Irish mainland's westernmost point. Centred on charming Dingle town, the peninsula has long been a beacon for those of an alternative bent, attracting artists, craftspeople, musicians and idiosyncratic characters who can be found in workshops, museums, festivals and unforgettable trad sessions throughout Dingle's tiny settlements. The town of Dingle enjoys a superb situation on its almost landlocked harbour, but the town itself has no traces of antiquity. However as one proceeds from the town of Dingle to Sleat Head, the road commands fine views of the Atlantic and the Blasket Islands which are a group of iron-bound islands, uninhabited since 1953. Framed by its fishing port, the Dingle peninsula's charming little 'capital' manages to be quaint without even trying. Some pubs double as shops, so you can enjoy Guinness and a singalong among hats and hardware, horseshoes and wellies. It has long drawn runaways from across the world, making it a cosmopolitan and creative place.



Great Southern Hotel

Return after your adventurous day and relax for the evening.



November 8 - Wednesday



Check out of Great Southern Hotel

After enjoying your full Irish Breakfast, check-out of the hotel. Your private driver/ guide will collect you to travel back to Dublin.



Dublin - The City

Enjoy your last day in Dublin, shopping for gifts to bring back home and see some more of Dublin's attractions, from the 11th-century Christ Church Cathedral to the Leprechaun Museum, enjoy a lunch in one of Dublin's famous literary pubs, Dublin is one of just five UNESCO Cities of Literature on the planet. You can raise a pint to writers like James Joyce, Oscar Wilde, and Bram Stoker or explore the life and works of poet W.B. Yeats at the National Library.

Dublin is a great city to explore on foot. From the gracious city parks of Merrion Square and Iveagh Gardens to the grand Georgian architecture and alfresco café culture of South William and Drury Streets, there's a lot to divert your attention. And don't forget Temple Bar—a cobblestoned cultural enclave of galleries, restaurants, hopping pubs, and the lively Meeting House Square.



Fire Steakhouse & Bar

We would recommend FIRE Steakhouse & Bar restaurant, for Dinner, is a multi award-winning venue located in the heart of Dublin city centre, in the popular Dawson Street and St Stephens Green vicinity.

FIRE's dining room was originally built in 1864 as the Lord Mayor's 'Supper Room and features incredible vaulted ceilings, stained glass windows and a beautiful terrace overlooking the Lord Mayor's Garden. Today it is the most historical and impressive dining room in Dublin.

FIRE Steakhouse & Bar Dublin offers the ultimate casual dining experience. Your personal server will be happy to explain the origin of all our dishes, pairing them with wine recommendations from their extensive wine selection. With an array of dishes to make your mouth water, you will find something to please your palette. Their signature dishes of wood-fired tiger prawns, and succulent Irish Hereford Prime Steaks come highly recommended.

View their menus: <https://www.firesteakhouse.ie/menus/>



Café en Seine



Enjoy a cocktail before dinner, in one of Dublin's most iconic and stunning venues, nestled in the heart of Dublin's city centre on Dawson Street. Their extensive dining experiences including a restaurant, a host of unique bars and a stunning indoor Parisian street garden with extensive brunch, lunch and dinner menus. Experience the stunning, iconic venue that is Café en Seine.

View menus here: <https://www.cafeenseine.ie/menus/>



The Davenport Hotel

Spend your last night in the beautiful Davenport Hotel.



November 9 - Thursday



Check out of The Davenport Hotel

After your last Irish Breakfast, check-out of the hotel.



Dublin Airport

Your Private Driver will meet you in the lobby of your hotel and take you to Dublin Airport for your flight home.



Information & Documents



What's Included

Transport:

- Private Transfer from Dublin Airport to Dublin City Hotel
- 4 days private chauffeur service for touring daily in a luxury vehicle, includes driver's expenses, fuel & road tolls and a daily allowance of 250 kms (155 miles). Gratuity is not included. Drivers are based on a maximum touring day of 9 hours daily & must have 11 consecutive hours at rest daily, as per European Union law regulations.
- Private Transfer from Dublin City Hotel to Dublin Airport

Accommodation:

- 2 nights: The Davenport, Dublin - executive room
- 3 nights: Great Southern Hotel, Killarney - deluxe room
- 1 nights: The Davenport, Dublin - executive room

Activities:

- Entrance to Guinness Storehouse
- Ticket for Big Bus Hop on/Hop off Tour Dublin
- Entrance to EPIC Museum
- Entrance to Muckross House & Gardens

Meals:

- Full Irish breakfast daily (except on day of arrival)

Price based on 2 adults

From \$3,495.00 per person based on two people sharing (Nov/Dec 2023)

From \$3,999.00 per person based on two people sharing (Jan-March 2024)

Please note no rooms are holding for this package a present and are subject to availability

*** Please note no activities or transport has been booked for this as of yet and are subject to availability***

TERMS & CONDITIONS:

A non-refundable deposit of 10% is due at time of booking [note: all credit card payments are processed in our Cork office in Ireland]. Full payment is due 45 days prior to travel.

Documentation including vouchers & itinerary are mailed a month prior to your trip.

Entrances suggested in the itinerary are not included unless noted in Inclusions above.

Optional Trip Insurance is recommended – details of inclusions can be found: www.special-ireland.com