



# 11D10N Best of Britain (BBOB)

Price per person from MYR 15205



## **Tour Description**

Explore the Best of Britain on this incredible trip across England, Scotland and Wales, and travel over the sea to the Isle of Skye. Imagine life as a Benedictine monk at Buckfast Abbey, feel the hope of brave pilgrims in Plymouth and be inspired by the beauty of Lake Windermere.

# **Tour Itinerary**

## Day 1:- Journey to Stonehenge, Bath and Exeter

The rolling green and golden landscapes of rural Wiltshire provide a stunning backdrop for our scenic drive to Salisbury Plain this morning. We tread in the footsteps of druids and pagans at Stonehenge before travelling to the UNESCO listed Bath, with its elegant Georgian façades and the centuries-old Roman Baths. Our home for the next two nights is the historic cathedral city of Exeter where we will enjoy a memorable Welcome Dinner this evening at our hotel.

Dinner

## Day 2:- Plymouth and More in the Southwest

Our first stop today is in the ancient port city of Plymouth, where we'll delve into the history of the brave Pilgrim Fathers who set sail for an unknown New World from its shores. See the Royal Citadel overlooking Plymouth Sound and consider an optional cruise around the dramatic coastline. We take a step back in time at our next stop – the delightful village of Polperro. Continuing along the brooding moorland of Dartmoor, we arrive at Buckfast Abbey, where we'll Dive Into Culture and gain insights into how Benedictine monks have lived and prayed for over 1,000 years.

#### **Breakfast**

## Day 3:- Onwards to Glastonbury and Cardiff

Enjoy a scenic drive through the pretty Devon and Somerset countryside to mystical Glastonbury, where we'll visit the ruined Abbey, said to be the final resting place of King Arthur. Your journey back to a time of knights, lords and ladies is just beginning and you'll head to Somerset for an unforgettable experience with lan and Ann Dyer who are your warm Be My Guest hosts on their modern-day dairy farm, where guests will get to see the ancient manor which was mentioned in the Domesday book of 1085. The Dyers both hail from old farming families and you'll learn what life is like in the rural countryside and the historical significance of their home as you Connect With Locals over a lunch featuring family favorites prepared by keen cook, Ann. We journey to Cardiff, the capital of Wales, where we'll explore the proud heritage of the Welsh and modern icons, including the Principality Stadium during an orientation tour.

#### **Breakfast Lunch**

## Day 4:- Explore Tudor History and on to Liverpool

Tudor history is explored this morning as we visit the historic towns of Ludlow and Chester with their characteristic black-and-white half-timbered buildings. Join your Travel Director for an orientation walk past these famous Tudor Rows and enjoy views of Chester's medieval city walls and red sandstone Cathedral. The haunt of the 'Fab Four' is our final stop today. Join a Local Specialist to gain insight into Liverpool's Beatles' history and enjoy a free evening in one of Britain's edgiest cities.

#### **Breakfast**

## Day 5 :- Venture to the Romantic Lake District and on to Glasgow

Rolling Lancashire pastures give way to the soul-stirring Lake District, whose beautiful scenery has inspired poets and writers for centuries. We travel along the shores of Lake Windermere, through countryside made famous by the poet William Wordsworth. Stop in Gretna Green on the Scottish border, where many eloping couples have tied the knot. We arrive in Glasgow later for an orientation tour, including views of the Cathedral, magnificent George Square and the Clyde River, the former heart of the shipbuilding industry. This evening, enjoy a Regional Dinner in a local restaurant.

#### **Breakfast Dinner**

### Day 6:- On to Fort William and the Scottish Highlands

Journey along Loch Lomond, whose Bonnie Banks were immortalised in the well-known Scottish song. We arrive in Glencoe and remember the MacDonald clansmen who died tragically in the 1692 massacre which led this place to be called the 'Glen of Weeping'. At the World War II Commando Memorial near Fort William, we admire views of Britain's highest mountain, Ben Nevis. Our day in beautiful surrounds comes to an end with a cosy dinner at our hotel located within the Cairngorms National Park in the Scottish Highlands.

#### **Breakfast Dinner**

## Day 7:- Discover the Isle of Skye

We travel to the coast this morning to the Isle of Skye where a Local Specialist will take us on a journey to view the remarkable Cuillin Mountains. Against the backdrop of heather-clad mountains, we stop at the ancient settlement of Kyleakin. Later, we cross back to the mainland to view scenic Eilean Donan Castle. Travel through the Scottish Highlands past its picturesque lochs and glens, keeping your camera at the ready to capture 'Nessie' if you can.

**Breakfast Dinner** 

## Day 8 :- Journey to Enchanting Edinburgh

Heading back to the lowlands of Scotland, we stop in Pitlochry before heading to the historic home of golf, St. Andrews. Here, the first games were played during the 1400s. See its famous 18th hole before crossing the Firth of Forth to Scotland's enchanting capital, Edinburgh. Tickets to see the spectacular Edinburgh Tattoo are included on departures that coincide with performance dates.

#### **Breakfast**

## Day 9: - Uncover Edinburgh's Treasures

Ramble up the Royal Mile today and see the iconic sights of one of Britain's most enchanting cities. The elegant Palace of Holyroodhouse, in the shadow of Arthur's Seat, and the Scottish Parliament feature on your sightseeing tour with a Local Specialist. Visit Edinburgh Castle perched atop Castle Rock overlooking the city. Admire the elegant Georgian architecture in the New Town and amble through the hidden passages of the Old Town before enjoying an evening at leisure. Consider an Optional Experience including traditional song, dance and Scottish fare.

#### **Breakfast**

## Day 10:- Continue to York

We travel to the medieval market town of Alnwick this morning, where we'll see the impressive castle home to the Duke of Northumberland and the Tenantry Column, upon which the Percy Lion sits and surveys the town. Journey through Northumberland to the cathedral city of York. We'll embark an orientation walk past its cobblestone Shambles and see the inspiring Minster with its 'heart of Yorkshire' before joining our newfound friends for a Farewell Dinner.

#### **Breakfast Dinner**

## Day 11: Onwards to Shakespeare's Stratford-upon-Avon and London

Shakespeare's legacy and life are celebrated in his home town of Stratford-upon-Avon, which we will have an opportunity to visit today on our return to London. See Anne Hathaway's thatched cottage and visit Shakespeare's Birthplace and Visitor Centre. Later, we travel back to London where our amazing holiday comes to an end.

**Breakfast** 

## **Tour Prices**

Start Date	End Date	Twin Sharing (RM)	Single Supp (RM)	-
18 May 2024	28 May 2024	17,395	RQ	
22 May 2024	1 Jun 2024	17,395	RQ	
25 May 2024	4 Jun 2024	15,768	RQ	
1 Jun 2024	11 Jun 2024	17,517	RQ	
5 Jun 2024	15 Jun 2024	17,517	RQ	
8 Jun 2024	18 Jun 2024	15,768	RQ	
15 Jun 2024	25 Jun 2024	15,989	RQ	
22 Jun 2024	2 Jul 2024	17,762	RQ	
29 Jun 2024	9 Jul 2024	17,762	RQ	
13 Jul 2024	23 Jul 2024	18,105	RQ	
27 Jul 2024	6 Aug 2024	15,935	RQ	
31 Jul 2024	10 Aug 2024	15,768	RQ	
3 Aug 2024	13 Aug 2024	19,723	RQ	
7 Aug 2024	17 Aug 2024	15,768	RQ	
10 Aug 2024	20 Aug 2024	15,768	RQ	
17 Aug 2024	27 Aug 2024	19,723	RQ	
21 Aug 2024	31 Aug 2024	15,621	RQ	
24 Aug 2024	3 Sept 2024	17,885	RQ	
31 Aug 2024	10 Sept 2024	17,885	RQ	
4 Sept 2024	14 Sept 2024	16,096	RQ	
7 Sept 2024	14 Sept 2024	16,096	RQ	
11 Sept 2024	21 Sept 2024	17,885	RQ	
14 Sept 2024	24 Sept 204	17,517	RQ	
21 Sept 2024	1 Oct 2024	17,517	RQ	
28 Sept 2024	8 Oct 2024	15,547	RQ	
5 Oct 2024	15 Oct 2024	15,415	RQ	
12 Oct 2024	22 Oct 2024	15,415	RQ	

## What's included

Destination **Departure Location**  England, Scotland, United Kingdom

Stonehenge

**Return Location** London

**Price includes** 

- An expert Travel Director and professional Driver
- Pick-up and drop-off when you stay at the Trafalgar recommended London hotel
- booked through Trafalgar
- Cherry-picked hotelsall tried and trusted

- All hotel tipscharges and local taxes
- Breakfast daily and up to half of your evening meals
- Must-see sightseeing and surprise extras
- Audio headsets for flexible sightseeing
- Luxury air-conditioned coach with Wi-Fi in most countries or alternative transportation (such as ra
- Accommodations

## Price does not include

- International air ticket
- Others not mentioned