



Norwin Express Tours
presents a Special Group Departure
Northern Welcome
October 20 - 28, 2018

9 Days / 8 Nights / 15 Meals
Depart U.S. for Dublin overnight October 19th –
tour begins October 20th

LAND & AIR **\$2,564*** per person
based on double occupancy
Single Room Supplement \$380

* **SAVE 5% on the land portion when you
deposit by February 2, 2018!**

Optional Travel Protection Insurance \$199

*Air departure tax, fuel & surcharges are subject to
change until entire group is confirmed and ticketed.*

Tour Highlights:

- Belleek Pottery
- Causeway Coast Discovery Centre
- Down Cathedral
- Giant's Causeway
- Glasnevin Cemetery Museum
- Titanic Belfast
- Amazing Grace Viewing Point
- Tullamore Dew Distillery
- Westport House

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**This Fully Inclusive
Guided Vacation Features:**

- 8 nights in hotels listed
- 8 daily hot breakfasts (B)
- 1 lunch (L)
- 6 dinners (D) including a
Cabra Castle Hotel welcome
dinner, Walled City Brewery
Restaurant, and a traditional
dinner and show at Merry
Ploughboy Pub
- Turf has been used as a fuel
throughout Ireland for
hundreds of years. Witness a
turf-cutting demonstration
and tea with scones at
Causeway Coast Discovery Centre.

All CIE Tours Guided Vacations Include:

- Sightseeing by luxury coach
- Professional tour director
- All on-tour transportation including shuttles and ferries
- Welcome get-together drink with your group
- Free Wi-Fi on coaches so you can stay connected along the way
- Deluxe documents wallet and backpack to keep you organized
- All local taxes, hotel service charges & handling of one suitcase per person

Hotels – 8 Nights:

- Cabra Castle Hotel | Kingscourt (1)
- Europa Hotel | Belfast (1)
- Maldron Hotel | Derry (2)
- Clew Bay Hotel | Westport (2)
- Talbot Hotel Stillorgan | Dublin (2)

*This tour is subject to CIE Tours' booking guidelines and cancellation penalties. Refer to General
Conditions on website (cietours.com) or back cover of current brochure. CST# 2021285-20.*

9 Day Northern Welcome Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Dublin Arrival & Cabra Castle Hotel

Your tour begins at 3:00 PM at the Cabra Castle Hotel for afternoon tea. The hotel is 50 miles from Dublin Airport, so be sure you have made appropriate transfer arrangements. The hotel is set on spacious grounds with a 9-hole golf course. In the evening enjoy a welcome drink and dine in the hotel restaurant. (D)

Day 2: St. Patrick's Country & Titanic Belfast

Admire the gentle slopes of the Mourne Mountains and peaceful coastline as you travel north to Down Cathedral. Tour the ancient cathedral and view the historical burial place of St Patrick, Ireland's patron saint, marked by a huge boulder. Drive to Belfast to join a local guide for a tour of central Belfast to see prominent buildings, political murals and the docks where the RMS Titanic was built in 1912. Visit the magnificent Titanic Belfast, a state-of-the-art attraction that will immerse you in the story of this iconic liner. (B, D)

Day 3: Turf Cutting & Giant's Causeway

Drive north along the Nine Glens of Antrim, one of Ireland's popular scenic routes to discover lovely views of mountains, valleys, and coastline. This area is where many scenes from the "Game of Thrones" series were filmed. Visit The Causeway Coast Discovery Centre for tea with scones and a turf-cutting demonstration. Stop for photos at the sprawling ruins of Dunluce Castle. Visit the natural wonder that is Giant's Causeway, hexagonal columns formed by volcanic activity over 60 million years ago. Continue to Derry where you'll have time to explore or relax before dinner. (B, D)

Day 4: Inishowen Peninsula & Derry's Walls

Travel around the Inishowen Peninsula, a 100-mile scenic route. Drive alongside Lough Foyle, to Banba's Crown on Malin Head, the most northerly point of the Irish mainland, to admire stunning seascapes. Enjoy tea and scones with your fellow travelers at the Seaview Tavern before continuing towards Buncrana for a stop at the Amazing Grace viewing point, where John Newton was inspired to write the well-known hymn in 1772. Upon returning to Derry, join a local guide for a short walk around Derry's medieval city walls that completely encircle the old city center. Learn about the development of the settlement throughout the centuries. Complete your tour at the Walled City Brewery Restaurant for dinner. (B, D)

Day 5: Donegal & Belleek Pottery

Travel through rugged countryside with magnificent scenery to Donegal town where you will have some leisure time to explore independently. Visit Belleek Pottery, founded in the 19th century to bring employment to the area. See how craftspeople shape and decorate raw material to create the worldfamous fine china. At a local farm, watch as a farmer works with skilled dogs to herd sheep. In Westport, a local guide will escort you on a gentle walk through this historic and planned town center before dinner. (B, D)

Day 6: Westport House & Achill Island Tour

Take a tour around the stately Westport House, which overlooks the ocean and contains a wealth of interesting portraits, furniture, silver, and porcelain. Travel around Clew Bay, which is reputed to have 365 islands, to access Achill Island by bridge. Follow the Atlantic Drive to capture wonderful views of steeply sloped mountains plunging into the shimmering Atlantic Ocean. Near Slievemore see the Deserted Village and stop in Keel for a casual lunch. Return to Westport where the evening is free for independent exploration and dining. (B, L)

Day 7: Galway & Tullamore Dew

Enjoy a gentle walking tour with a local guide around central Galway to see Eyre Square, Galway Cathedral, and the Spanish Arch. On Shop Street view the medieval Lynch's Castle that gave the English language a new word. Then browse on your own through narrow streets that are closed to traffic. Travel through the center of Ireland to visit Tullamore Dew distillery to see whiskey production and savor a tasting at the end of the tour. Head to Dublin for dinner and a lively traditional Irish show at the Merry Ploughboy Pub. (B, D)

Day 8: Glasnevin Cemetery Museum

Take a morning guided tour of Dublin to see elegant Georgian townhouses with brightly painted doors and the wide thoroughfare of O'Connell Street. Tour Glasnevin Cemetery Museum, Ireland's national necropolis, a who's who of modern Irish history. Spend afternoon on an independent open-top bus tour and a visit to one of Dublin's top attractions – Guinness Storehouse, Teeling Distillery, EPIC Ireland, or the General Post Office Museum. (B)

Day 9: Tour Ends in Dublin

Your tour ends after breakfast. (B)

(B) Breakfast (L) Lunch (D) Dinner

For reservations, please complete the form below and include your non-refundable deposit of \$250 per person. Save 5% on the land portion of this tour if deposited by February 2, 2018. Optional Trip Protection Insurance is additional at \$199 per person and is also due at the time of deposit.

Full name of passenger (must match passport) _____

Nationality _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ Gender: M F

Inbound Flight Arrival Details _____

Outbound Departure Details _____

Type of Room: TWIN SINGLE If TWIN room, provide name of roommate _____

Street Address _____

I would like the Optional Trip Protection Insurance. \$199 payment is enclosed.

City/State/Zip _____

I am enclosing a deposit check for \$ _____

Daytime Phone _____

Evening Phone _____

Email _____

Emergency Contact _____

Emergency Contact Phone _____

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