



NYPD EMERALD SOCIETY

PRESENTS THEIR 2018

IRELAND AND SCOTLAND TOUR

JULY 15 – JULY 26, 2018

10 Nights in Ireland and Scotland

- 2 Aviemore, 1 Glasgow, 1 Belfast, 2 Dublin, 1 Kilkenny, 2 Kilarney, 1 Cork
- Full Irish Breakfast Daily
- 6 Hotel, Restaurant and Dinner Shows
- Airfare on Delta

Sightseeing included:

- Guided Sightseeing Tour of Pitlochry
- Guided Sightseeing Tour of Cairngorms
- Loch Ness Boat Cruise
- Tour of Glengoyne Distillery
- Panoramic Belfast City Tour
- Dublin Hop on Hop off Bus Tour
- Glasnevin Museum Tour and presentation
- by a resident Genealogist
- Rock of Cashel
- Blarney Castle and Blarney Woolen Mill
- Gap of Dunloe by Trap (horse and buggy)
- and the Three Lakes of Killarney by boat
- Foyne's Flying Boat Museum



- ***\$3,300.00 p.p. (double) And 30 Passengers Minimum***
- ***\$650.00 Single Supplement (limited)***
- ***A Deposit Of \$500 p.p. is Due by February 15th 2018***

***Please make checks payable and mail to NYPD Emerald Society at 349 W. 24th Street Deer Park, NY 11729.**

***Enclose a legible copy of the second page of your passport (passport should not expire within 6 months of 7/26/18, to avoid problems), address, phone#, date of birth, emergency name and contact # and email address. Please include any special dietary or physical needs If you have not applied for a passport yet, enclose your name as it will appear on your passport.**

***Travel Insurance is available and recommended. 1st pmt. due by 3/15/18. Final pmt. due by 4/15/18.**

***Once first payment is made, it is nonrefundable.**

***For more information please email nypdemeralds@netzero.net or contact Mary Ann or John Gerrity at (631) 595-2389.**

Guided tour of Pitlochry – A knowledgeable local guide will provide a tour of Pitlochry, a town filled with stone Victorian buildings and surrounded by mountains such as [Ben Vrackie](#) and [Schiehallion](#). Visitors will learn all about the history of this fascinating place with a main street that has an unusual period cast iron canopy over one side.

Loch Ness cruise – Guests will enjoy a one-hour sailing cruise of Loch Ness, which will provide onboard audio on the fascinating facts and legends of the Loch Ness Monster. The boat will cruise the deepest waters of Loch Ness as it sails past the stunning ancient ruins of Urquhart Castle.

Guided tour of The Cairngorms – A knowledgeable local guide will provide a tour of this mountain range located in the Cairngorms National Park. The Cairngorms can be found in the eastern [Highlands](#) of [Scotland](#) and form part of the [Grampian Mountain](#) range. There are no public roads through The Cairngorms but pedestrians can cross through the area by following the traditional routes of the [Lairig Ghru](#), and the [Lairig an Laoigh](#), or around them by following Glen Dee – Glen Feshie, and Bealach Dearg.

Whisky tour/tasting at Glengoyne Distillery – Visitors will enjoy an insightful tour of this famous Scottish whisky distillery, which has been continuously in operation since 1833. Guests will learn all about how the whisky ages – from the difference the wood makes, to how the spirit deepens in colour over the years. The tour will provide a dram of Glengoyne [12 Year Old](#) whisky at the beginning and a Glengoyne [18 Year Old](#) at the end. There will also be a chance of a stroll up to the waterfall and the hidden glen on the distillery grounds.

Entrance to Glasnevin Cemetery Museum and Dead Interesting Tour – Guests will have the opportunity to immerse themselves in the history of Ireland's largest cemetery as they learn of its sculpture, symbolism, architecture, art, sporting heroes, horticulture, natural life and much more. The Dead Interesting Tour will allow guests to visit the graves of and hear stories about little known figures such as; Maria Higgins, a woman who died once yet was buried twice in Glasnevin and the vault that held secrets during the Irish War of Independence. With a Genealogist presentation.

Dublin hop on – hop off bus ticket (red route) - We will provide the group with a hop on – hop off bus pass to allow them to travel around the city with ease. The bus departs from the City Sightseeing shop at [14 Upper O'Connell Street](#) every 15 minutes from 09:00am until 17:00pm.

Rock of Cashel – Guests will visit one of the most [spectacular and most visited tourist attractions](#) in Ireland, The Rock of Cashel. Most of the buildings on the current site date from the 12th and 13th centuries when the rock was gifted to the Church. The buildings represent both Hiberno-Romanesque and Germanic influences in their architecture.

Blarney Castle – Visitors will gain admission to Blarney Castle, the [medieval](#) stronghold, which is now a partial ruin with some accessible rooms and battlements. At the top of the castle lies the Stone of Eloquence, better known as the [Blarney Stone](#). Tourists visiting Blarney Castle may hang upside-down over a sheer drop to kiss the stone, which is said to give the gift of [eloquence](#). Guests can enjoy wandering around the castle's extensive gardens if they so wish.

Gap of Dunloe and 3 Lakes of Killarney excursion – This tour will begin at approximately 10.00am with a 10 km coach tour from Old Weir Lodge, Muckross Road, Killarney to the world-famous Kate Kearney's Cottage, situated at the start of the glacial valley. Here, guests will change to a pony and trap, or they can walk up through the mountain pass (10 km). En route visitors will pass five lakes linked together by the river Loe, with spectacular mountains on either side. Stopping at Lord Brandon's Cottage, on the Gearhameen River, there will be the opportunity for a snack lunch (not included in the price) and take a stroll around to enjoy the scenery on the shores of the Upper Lake. At 2pm the boatmen will call guests to the boats for departure and they will tour the two Rivers and three Lakes of Killarney's National Park, enjoying the most beautiful scenery anywhere in the world. – the majestic natural oak woodlands of Derrycunihy and Tomies mountains on the Upper Lake, to the Old Weir Bridge, where the boat may be able to "shoot the rapids", which leads to Dinis Cottage and the Meeting of the Waters, where the three lakes meet. The old Copper Mines are nearby, where copper was mined in Killarney three thousand years ago, and in the distance – Ross Castle, ancient seat of the O'Donoghue Clan, where the tour finishes at approx. 4.00pm.

Foynes Flying Boat Museum – Guests will travel back to the 1930s and '40s at the Foynes Flying Boat Museum when Foynes played a pivotal role in establishing commercial transatlantic passenger flights. Visitors will learn about the history of Flying Boats and the diverse range of people who arrived and departed from Foynes through the comprehensive collection of historical and interactive exhibits and memorabilia. Adults in the group will have the opportunity to sample an authentic Irish coffee at the Irish coffee centre.

Bunratty Medieval Castle Banquet – Guests will enjoy a welcome drink as a kilted piper plays a traditional song. The group will then cross over the drawbridge to enjoy a sumptuous four course dinner with fine wines as the Ladies of the Castle perform with an Irish Harp and Fiddle.