

Travel Classics Dublin Post-Fam



Sunday 21st May

11am Travel Classics Farewell Brunch

Depart Kilkenny on post-conference fam trip and head for Dublin

Dublin – A Breath of Fresh Air

The capital of Ireland is not just a city – it's a feeling, a vibe and a way of life unrivalled in Europe. With its passion for music, laughter and craic you will see why Dubliners love a party...so get your dancing shoes on and join in the fun! Dublin has an irresistible cosmopolitan vibe that is set against a history spanning over one thousand years and as the home of the friendliest people in the world – with live music, packed pubs, hip clubs and plenty of coastal villages and mountain walks nearby – you will soon see why Dublin is a city with language and words at its very heart, so come and write your own story!

We have a choice of tours this afternoon for you, please let us know your preference.

A guided walking tour of the cool and creative Dublin with **ORLAITH ROSS**

www.makingspace.ie

Photographic/Instagram walking tour of Dublin City. Take a special tour of Dublin that will bring you to both the iconic locations and some of the quirkiest vistas as you chase down the ultimate shots of the city.

Return to hotel.

Time for dinner with a difference, as you join the 1.5million inhabitants of Glasnevin Cemetery for an evening treat! You will take a short drive out to Glasnevin, where you will be treated to dinner in the Museum, overlooking the grounds of Dublin's most famous cemetery. After dinner, enjoy a night-time tour of this unique Victorian burial place, and unearth the secrets and stories of its many inhabitants.

<http://www.glasnevinmuseum.ie/>



Visit the bar of John Kavanagh's which lays claim to being the oldest family pub in Dublin – it was established in 1833 and the current family are the 6th generation in the business. Also known as 'The Gravediggers' because of its location next to Glasnevin cemetery, this is a genuine Victorian bar, and it has a reputation for serving one of the best pints in Dublin. The pub also makes an appearance in James Joyce's Ulysses and on June 16, Bloomsday, many people (some in Edwardian costume) will descend upon The Gravediggers, to mark the burial of the fictional character Paddy Dignam. Overnight in the Shelbourne Hotel, 27 St Stephen's Green, Dublin 2

<http://www.marriott.co.uk/hotels/travel/dubbr-the-shelbourne-dublin-a-renaissance-hotel/>

Monday 22nd May

Dublin is a city that is full of surprises, which is easily accessible by foot or by public transport. Explore the city at your leisure this morning and take in some of the highlights.

www.visitdublin.com



Enjoy lunch, followed by a private connoisseur tasting experience at the Guinness Storehouse

In the afternoon, why not try your hand at a little light adventure – kayaking down the River Liffey, or join us on a visit to Epic Ireland, Dublin’s dramatic new visitor experience that celebrates the unique global journey of the Irish people. This world-class exhibition tells the story of the Irish people around the world using state-of-the-art technology to deliver incredible visual stories with a high level of interactivity. Again, please let us know which one you would prefer.

6pm Time to roll up your sleeves and get your hands dirty, as you’ll be working for your dinner tonight! As a special farewell treat, you’ll be visiting the Cook’s Academy cookery school, where you will have a private cooking lesson with a Michelin-star chef. After getting a hands-on experience of the best that Irish food can offer, you can relax and enjoy a well-deserved glass or two of wine as you savour your own culinary efforts.

www.cooksacademy.com

After dinner you will have time to sample Dublin’s great nightlife scene.

Overnight in the Shelbourne Hotel

Tuesday 23rd May

Departures from Dublin Airport

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