



UK / TAILOR MADE / 8 DAYS - 7 NIGHTS



### DAY 1

### Cardiff

Arrival at Cardiff airport, meeting our local guide and travel to the youngest capital of the United Kingdom. Visit of the center, with its historic buildings with Portland stone facades, the Town Hall, the Court and the Castle with the splendid Clock Tower, symbol of the city. At the end of the visit, check-in at the hotel, dinner and overnight stay..

### DAY 2

# Cardiff – Gower Peninsula – Pembroke Castle – Tenby

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to an excursion to the Gower Peninsula, the first area in the United Kingdom to be designated an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, with its breath-taking bay views and a rich and varied environment. Walk across the headland up to Rhosili Bay and out to Worm's Head if the tide allows. Arriving at Pembroke and visit of the castle of the Tudor dynasty, dating back to 1093. Free time for lunch. Then transfer to Tenby, a delightful seaside town rich in history, located in the western part of the Carmarthen Bay. Overnight in the area, dinner at the hotel..

### DAY 3

# St Davids – Pembroke National Park – St. Davids – Aberystwyth

Breakfast at the hotel. In the morning departing to Pembrokeshire Coast National Park, one of the most fascinating coastlines inBritain, for a coast path walk of 5 miles from Newgale up to Solva, Haverfordwest. Visit of St. David, a precious town on one of Europe's most beautiful coasts, and favorite destination for artists, travelers and pilgrims. Entrance to the VI century Cathedral of St. David. Continuing along the Cardigan Bay with a stop for lunch in Aberaeron, lovely fisherman's village. Arriving at Aberystwyth, a historic merchant town, well known for its old university. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

### DAY 4

# Rheidol Steam Train – Mynach Waterfalls/Devil's Bridge – Portmeirion

Breakfast at the hotel. Boarding on the spectacular steam train up to Mynach waterfalls and Devil's Bridge\*, across the green Rheidol valley. The trip is 19KM long and lasts approx. 1 hour. Free time for lunch. In the afternoon, arriving to Portmeirion, a splendid town that rises on the top of a cliff, surrounded by woods and sandy beaches. Stop in the pretty village of Betws-y-Coed before getting to Llandudno area, dinner and overnight at the hotel. \*Devil's Bridge entrance payable on site: 45 mins foot trail £ 3.50 pp / 15 mins foot trail £ 1.50 pp.



### DAY 5

# Isle of Anglesey - Caernarfon Castle

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to the Isle of Anglesey, a natural paradise with 220Km of preserved coast. First stop at the village in Anglesey with the longest name in the world: Llanfairpwllgwyngyll. The tour will continue to Beaumaris, the beautiful costal village with magnificent Castle where there will be time to enjoy a Welsh lunch in a local pub/restaurant (2 courses excluding drinks). In the early afternoon transfer to Caernarfon and visit of the magnificent castle, a splendid manor on the water, one of the most appreciated medieval monuments. Returning to the hotel, dinner and overnight.

#### DAY 6

# Bodnant Gardens – Conwy – Welsh Slate Museum

Prima colazione in hotel. Partenza per Caernarfon e visita del castello, splendido maniero sull'acqua, uno dei monumenti medioevali più apprezzati. Pranzo libero. Prosegumento per la visita di Conwy, dove si trovano un' altro spendido castello, un antico ponte sospeso, e la casa più piccola del Regno Unito; passeggiata lungo mare a Llandudno, importante centro balneare. Rientro in hotel, cena e pernottamento.

### **DAY 7**

# Snowdonia – Brecon Beacons

Breakfast at the hotel. Crossing and admiring the breathtaking landscapes and the characteristic mountain villages of Snowdonia National Park, you'll get to the town of Machynlleth, home to a thriving market and seat of the old Welsh parliament in 1404. In the late morning departure for an excursion to the Brecon Beacons National Park, one of the oldest parks established in the United Kingdom, which includes scenery of extraordinary natural beauty. Arrive in Brecon for a walk along the canal and admire the hidden corners of this quaint Welsh town (approx. 2 miles). Free time for lunch. Optional: visit of the National Show caves center, for a glimpse of an underground cave system that spans more than ten miles, one of the most significant natural networks of underground passages in Britain. Continue to Cardiff, hotel accommodation, dinner and overnight..

#### **DAY 8**

### Cardiff - Home

Breakfast at the hotel. Free time for shopping or individual visits.

Optional: visit of Caerphilly Castle or Tintern Abbey

Transfer to Cardiff airport and end of the tour



#### Notice:

The itinerary may vary in the order of overnight stays or be done in reverse depending on hotel availability.









### **POSSIBLE HOTELS:**

The same or similar hotels will be offered

Cities	Hotels
Londra	Novotel London West 4*
Cardiff	Copthorne Cardiff 4*
Llanelli	Stradey Park 4*
Aberystwyth	Gwesty'r Marine 3*
Nord del Galles	Oriel Hotel 3 *
Londra	Novotel London West 4*
	Londra Cardiff Llanelli Aberystwyth Nord del Galles

### **INCLUDED:**

- 7 x overnight stays in 3\*/4\* hotels with breakfast.
- 5 three-course dinners at the hotel from day 2 to day 6.
- $\bullet$  Private coach for the entire duration of the tour from day 2 to day 7.
- $\bullet$  Italian speaking tour guide for the entire duration of the tour from day 2 to day 7.
- Entrance tickets: Stonehenge, Roman Baths, Wells Cathedral, Glastonbury Abbey, Tintagel Castle, Lanhydrock House & Gardens, St Michael's Mount (at high tide, boat not included, payable locally approx £2.50), ferry from Dartmouth to Kingswear and steam train to Paignton

### **NOT INCLUDED:**

- Tips, porters and extras in general.
- Transfers.
- 2 dinners in London (free) and all lunches.
- Anything not specifically listed under "Included in Price".

#### Notice:

This is a sample programme, with a possible path. Prices depend on dates and number of passengers. We can offer you this programme or organise another tour that suits your needs.





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