

# THE N. IRELAND & IRELAND EXPERIENCE BELFAST & DUBLIN





### **PROJECTED DAILY ITINERARY & FEATURES**

- 9 Nights of 5-Star Accommodations
- \*7 Rounds of Bucket List Golf
- Full Breakfast Daily
- All Ground Transportation
- \*Optional Golf Available

DAY 1

Arrival Day

DAY 6

**DAY 7** 

Travel to Dublin Check In: The Fitzwilliam Hotel

DAY 2 Golf Round #1: Ardglass

Check In: The Merchant Hotel

DAY 3 Golf Round #2: Portstewart

DAY 4 Golf Round #3: Royal Portrush

DAY 5 Golf Round #4: Royal County Down DAY 8 Golf Round 6: County Louth Golf Club

Golf Round #5: The Island Golf Club

DAY 9 Golf Round #7: Portmarnock Golf Club

DAY 10 Departure Day!



### HERE'S WHAT OUR GUESTS SAY ABOUT US!

"In my 46 years as a PGA Golf Professional, I have NEVER worked with anyone who is as committed to, and passionate about, great customer service as Garmany Golf. These guys and gals seem to live to create Experiences for folks. They just do it right!"

**Steve Menchinella, PGA** Director of Golf Emeritus Sunnyside Country Club

"This was a first class experience led by a worldclass Garmany team. They were all over everything; available, in-person 24/7, flexible, accommodating, friendly and professional."

**Bob Eckert** Member at Los Angeles CC Scotland 2016 & Northern Ireland 2017

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# THE MERCHANT

Located in the city center's historic Cathedral Quarter, The Merchant is a fantastic 5-star luxurious hotel. A short distance from Belfast's main attractions, rooms at The Merchant offer bespoke furnishings and a plethora of amenities, including a rooftop gym, spa, and jazz bar.





### ARDGLASS

Located 30 miles from Belfast, Ardglass Golf Club is links golf as it should be. With views of the beautiful coastline from every hole and the majesty of the Mourne Mountains providing the perfect backdrop, Ardglass has a true claim to be rated amongst the world's greatest links courses.



# **PORTSTEWART - STRAND**

Founded in 1894 and redesigned by Willie Park, Jr. in the 1920's, this championship links course received its greatest makeover with the purchase of land known as "Thistly Hollow" in 1981. The Strand Course is the jewel in the Portstewart portfolio.



# **ROYAL PORTRUSH**

Royal Portrush Golf Club is home to one of the best and most challenging links golf courses in the world, the Dunluce Links, and the hidden gem, the Valley Links. Royal Portrush is the only club in Ireland to have hosted The Open Championship.



### **ROYAL COUNTY DOWN - CHAMPIONSHIP**

Royal County Down Golf Club is located in one of the world's most naturally beautiful links settings. Against the magnificent backdrop of the Mountains of Mourne, the World Ranked #1 golf course zigzags back and forth to provide a different view from virtually every hole.



### THE FITZWILLIAM - DUBLIN

Located in the heart of Dublin, the Fitzwilliam Hotel epitomizes luxury and comfort. With a contemporary twist to Irish hospitality, The Fitzwilliam acts as an modern wonderful home away from home in one of the world's most historic cities. And with its location right on the famed St. Stephen's Green, all of the city's wonderful sights & attractions are at your fingertips.



# THE ISLAND GOLF CLUB

Established in 1890, The Island Golf Club is one of Ireland's oldest golf clubs. The Island Golf Club offers a unique setting for visitors as the course is surrounded by the sea on 3 sides and provides a tranquil sanctuary despite being just minutes from downtown Dublin. The Island Golf Club is a mustplay for anyone wanting a classic links experience with a course played over rugged, natural terrain that's nestled between the sea and high sand dunes.



# **COUNTY LOUTH**

County Louth is one of the best kept secrets of Irish golf and is arguably one of the most enjoyable 18holes of links golf that you can find. Situated between the river Boyne and the Irish sea, golfers of all skill levels will find County Louth enjoyable and challenging, especially when the winds pick and the course shows its ferocious teeth.



### PORTMARNOCK

Ranked amongst the top golf courses in the world, Portmarnock is arguably one of the best Championship Courses in Ireland. The course layout has been completely crafted by the natural land and is surrounded by water on 3 sides. Ooften at the mercy of the wind, Portmarnock is quite a formidable test for golfers of any skill level, which is why it has become quite the popular location for some of golf's biggest competitions including the Walker Cup, the Irish Open and the Canada Cup.



# LOCAL ACTIVITIES

### BELFAST

- Black Taxi Tour
- Have a pint at the famous Crown Bar
- Titanic Experience
- Giant's Causeway
- Game of Thrones Tour
- Ulster Museum
- St. George's Market

### DUBLIN

- Guinness Storehouse
- Book of Kells at Trinity College
- Kilmainham Gaol
- Samuel Beckett Bridge
- Powerscourt Gardens
- Saint Patrick's Cathedral
- Jameson Distillery



# **OUR PROMISE TO YOU!**

We realize that you have a choice when you travel and we are thrilled and honored to have the opportunity to create your unforgettable Bucket List Experience. We will do EVERYTHING possible to ensure that your Experience exceeds your expectations.







### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT N. IRELAND & IRELAND

#### Q: What airports should I plan to fly in and out of?

A: You'll want to schedule your flight to arrive and depart from the Dublin International Airport (DUB). Dublin Airport. Your first round of golf at County Louth is approximately 50 minutes from the Dublin Airport.

#### Q: What will the weather be like during our stay?

A: A typical day in N. Ireland & Ireland in April could bring a bit of sunshine, clouds, mist, rain, and wind. The average temperature for April-September is typically 50-75 Fahrenheit. Extremes are rare in N. Ireland & Ireland, as it tends to not be overly warm or cold.

#### Q: What currency is used in N. Ireland & Ireland?

A: The British Sterling Pound (GBP) is the currency used throughout N. Ireland. The GBP is currently trading at approximately 1.26 US Dollars to the GPB. The Euro is the currency used throughout Ireland and is currently trading at 1.12 US Dollars to the Euro.

#### Q: Will I be able to get cash and use credit cards while in N. Ireland & Ireland?

A: You will find that most major credit cards and debits cards are nearly universally accepted in N. Ireland & Ireland. The same is true of Travelers cheques, which should be in Pounds to avoid extra exchange rate charges. ATMs are ubiquitous throughout N. Ireland & Ireland so you will have easy access to cash. It should be noted that American Express is not as widely accepted in the UK as Visa and MasterCard.

#### Q: What is the cancellation policy for this Experience?

A: All deposits and final payments are non refundable. However, we highly recommend purchasing a travel insurance program through Travel Guard and we will be happy to provide a quote for The Tee Tour & Travel policy. This policy will allow you to cancel for a variety of reasons and receive a full refund of all fees paid, including airfare. Please contact a GG Concierge if you would like a quote for travel insurance.

#### Q: What if I want to play additional and optional golf?

A: There are plenty of championship links courses around the area you'll be staying at in N. Ireland & Ireland! If any Guest wants to play additional golf, even at the spur of the moment, a member of the GG Concierge Team can arrange optional golf for you.



### DETAILS, TERMS & CONDITIONS

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- Caddies and/or carts may be arranged at the request of the Guest, provided such services are available.
- All caddie fees and gratuities and cart fees are the responsibility of the Guest.

• A current handicap certificate from a bona-fide golf club may be required for all Guests who are playing golf during the Experience. Play could be denied if a valid handicap is not presented.

### TRAVEL GUARD'S TEE, TOUR & TRAVEL POLICY

• Garmany Golf strongly recommends for your protection that you take out insurance to cover you in case of forced cancellation, loss or damage of luggage, personal injury, accident, illness, or other unforeseen circumstances, none of which Garmany Golf can be liable for. Garmany Golf is a licensed representative of Travel Guard, provider of the Tee, Tour & Travel policy, a comprehensive travel insurance policy from the recognized leader of travel insurance options. A Garmany Golf Concierge will be happy to provide a quotation and proposal for a Travel Guard policy as well as facilitate the registration for any Guest.

### CANCELLATIONS:

• Once tee times and accommodations have been booked and confirmed, and the requisite deposits have been placed, there are no refunds of any deposits or final payments made by Guests or the representative club. Garmany Golf strongly recommends travel insurance to protect any Guest against any unforeseen circumstances that may cause a Guest or club to cancel participation in any Experience.

#### ADDITIONAL AND OPTIONAL BOOKINGS AND PAYMENT:

• At the request of a Guest, a GG Concierge will be happy to book any non golfing tour, activity or additional round of golf before or during the Experience. Please be aware that an administrative or booking fee may be added to any such booking. In the event of such a fee, the Guest will be notified in advance of the fee and have the opportunity to decline the booking confirmation. All Guests agree to provide a valid credit card in advance of the Experience that may be used for payment for any additional tour, activity or additional (non included) round of golf booked during the Experience for the Guest.

# "IF NOT NOW, WHEN?"

