

Rugby World Cup France 2023 Captains Tour with Mick Galwey



Ireland's Last Pool match,
Quarter Final 2 and 4 Tour
Provisional Itinerary.

11 Day /10 Nights

Friday 6th October

Depart Ireland for Paris. On arrival coach transfer to your hotel. This evening we have booked dinner in a local restaurant, making it an ideal opportunity to meet Mick Galwey and the rest of the group.

Saturday 7th October

Free day to enjoy Paris. In the evening we will take a private coach transfer to Saint-Denis's stadium for the Ireland V Scotland game. Kick off at 21:00.

Optional: Round Of Golf in Golf National (Ryder Cup 2018 Venue) or Seine Cruise with Lunch or Pre match event (details cost TBA)



Sunday 8th October

Free day to relax and explore the beautiful city of Paris. Optional Extra: Dinner and Show Moulin Rouge.



Monday 9th October

Today we will leave Paris and head to Tours in the heart of the Loire Valley. On the way we will stop in Orleans, an important location during the Hundred Years War and of course infamous for Joan of Arc. After some free time, we will have lunch before heading onto Tours. Overnight in Tours



Tuesday 10th October

Today is dedicated to Loire Valley Castles. You will visit the famous castles of Chenonceau and Chambord. Exceptional by their design, wonderful antiques collections, and their history, both Chenonceau and Chambord castles will amaze you. They were once Crown property and a Royal residence they are symbol of the power and richness of French kings during this period. A true legacy of French History listed on UNESCO's world heritage list! Lunch break during the day. Overnight in Tours.



Wednesday 11th October

After checking out of your hotel we will head to Mont Saint-Michel, one of the most visited places in France that is located outside of Paris. During your visit, you can admire the unique geography. Depending on the tide, Mont Saint-Michel alternates between island and mainland. You will also visit the abbey, a great example of medieval architecture in the area perched atop the mount that gives spectacular views of the bay that surrounds the mount. Enjoy some free time for lunch before we head to Caen. Overnight in Caen.



Thursday 12th October

We will spend the day visiting the Mémorial de Caen Museum and the D-Day Landing Beaches. These sites are an incredible opportunity to see first-hand the locations that played a key role in ending World War II. You will learn about the events of D-Day as well as how they fit into the larger historical context, the details of the arrival of the Allied troops, including thousands of Irish, the sacrifices made by the Norman people, and much more. There will be a lunch break during the visit before returning to your hotel in Caen. Overnight in Caen.



Friday 13th October

We will return to Paris today. On the way, you will stop at Giverny, the little town that inspired Claude Monet. The village and its landscape kept him in residence until his death and it is now a museum dedicated to his home and gardens. Enjoy an included lunch on your way. Tonight, we will head out for our farewell dinner with the group, before two busy days of matches. Overnight in Paris



Saturday 14th October

Today you are free to enjoy Paris before taking our private coach transfer to Saint-Denis's stadium for the first of the two Quarter Finals. Quarter Final 2 - Kick off at 21:00. Options day excursions TBA Overnight in Paris.

Sunday 15th October

Free day to explore more of what Paris has to offer and take in some last minute shopping. In the evening we will take our private transfer back to Saint-Denis's for Quarter Final 4 - Kick off at 21:00.



Monday 16th October

After checking out we will transfer by private coach to Paris airport for our return flight to Ireland.

PACKAGE INCLUDES

Return Flights Ireland to Paris

Official RWC match tickets to all three games

- **Cat 2 for Scotland V Ireland and Cat 3 for both Quarter Finals**
(Upgrades available on request only)

10 Nights Hotel B&B

Airport and match transfers

Excursions listed in itinerary including 1 wine tasting

2 Dinners

4 Lunches

RWC Souvenir

Services of Killester Travel Tour Leader and Local Guide

Not Included:

Travel Insurance (quote on request).

Ticket Upgrades: On request

Other meals not mentioned

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