

Early Bird Price: £2550 for motorhome + 2 people (Full Price: £2650) Loyalty Discount: £50 off - Deposit: £350 Additional passengers: £350 This 18-day springtime tour provides a rich and varied itinerary whilst still keeping the driving distances relatively low, with time spent time in Holland, Luxembourg and France. During the tour you will get the chance to visit Amsterdam, Delft, Dordrecht, The Hague, Maastricht, the Kinderdijk Windmills, the Alkmaar Cheese Market and the Keukenhof Gardens, which should be in full bloom during our visit. We then head into Luxembourg, home to forests and fairytale castles with a few nights in the quaint capital, Luxembourg City. On our way home we pass through the Champagne region of France and onto the Opal Coast. Getting around on this tour could not be easier as we are directly connected to cycle paths, train/bus routes and water taxis throughout the trip.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

IN HOLLAND: The cities of Amsterdam, Delft, The Hague, Dordrecht, Rotterdam and Maastricht. The Keukenhof Gardens, Kinderdijk Windmills and Alkmaar Cheese market. The western coastline, polders and dams.

IN LUXEMBOURG: Luxembourg City. The fairytale castle at Vianden. The rolling hills and forests of the Ardennes. IN FRANCE: The Champagne region. The Opal Coast. Multiple historical military sites. The city of Reims.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS/COSTS:

- There are toll charges on French motorways.
- We recommend a low emission zone sticker for France.

DOVER-CALAIS FERRY INCLUDED % LOYALTY DISCOUNT

ITINERARY:

NIGHT BEFORE: We stay on a campsite close to Dover where we provide a full briefing for the tour and advice on motorhoming on the continent in general. This is a complimentary night and you are welcome to join us at no additional cost.

DAYS 1 - 2: We head to Dover for our scheduled morning ferry crossing. We then have a short drive through Belgium before entering the unspoilt Zeeland region where we will spend time on the western coast. The landscape here is characterised by swathes of flat sandy beaches, small resort towns and large-scale polders, spanned by long 'dijk' roads over the archipelago.

DAYS 3 - 5: We have just a short drive today and a complete change of scenery as we head into the more populated areas around Delft. Our well located campsite provides connections across the whole country giving you lots of options for travel further afield. This is a great base to visit The Hague, Rotterdam, the Kinderdijk Windmills and the Keukenhof Gardens. At this time of year the gardens should be in full bloom with up to eight million bulbs.

DAYS 6 - 7: We head north today to our destination close to Alkmaar. This is home to the world- famous cheese market. We are also very close to Amsterdam, which you can visit by train.

DAYS 8 - 9: We head east today with the chance to drive over the 20-mile 'dijk' road spanning Lake IJsselmeer. Our destination is close to the small Medieval city of Zwolle, ideal for boat tours, walks, bicycle rides, or a relaxing day at one of the parks.

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DAYS 10 - 12 : We head into south Holland with our destination close to Maastricht, a city steeped in history dating back to Roman times. You can expect large squares, cobbled streets and fascinating architecture in amongst the cafes and restaurants. We also have chance to visit Valkenburg famed for its ruined castle and network of underground caves.

DAYS 13 - 15: We continue south deep into the Ardennes regions characterised by rolling forest, ridges and meandering rivers. We enter Luxembourg for the first time staying close to the capital, Luxembourg City. Located in a gorge and surrounded by ancient ruins and fortifications, the compact city is easy to navigate and boasts a lively cultural and artistic scene. It is also well-known for its finedining with no shortage of excellent restaurants. En route you have chance to visit the fairy-tale castle at Vianden.

DAY 16: Today we enter France heading for the Champagne region. We are staying close to Reims, famed as the centre of the Champagne district. This whole area is also steeped in military history dating from Napoleon to WW2.

DAY 17: We start our journey back towards Calais with chance to drive to the Opal Coast of Northern France. There is no shortage of pretty little towns and villages stretched along the coastline here. Our destination is in a small village a few miles south of Calais - ideally located for the ferry tomorrow.

DAY 18: We head for the port and our scheduled ferry, or you may choose to extend your stay and take advantage of your flexible return ticket.