

## **Themed Group Itinerary Suggestions**

### **English Gardens**

The first of our England's Gardens tour takes in the most stunning and beautiful gardens in England. Focussing on the South East of England, destinations include Britain's most visited paid gardens – Kew and Wisley Gardens as well as a sculpture garden and the city of Canterbury. This packed 12 day tour is a horticulturists dream and a chance to relax and enjoy some truly beautiful gardens.



### **Steam Railways**

Our incredible Steam Railways tour will take passengers on a unique journey throughout Britain and Wales and allow them to experience the UK in a way that can only be done by steam travel. Tour highlights include the Ffestiniog – the oldest railway in the world and the Jacobite Express in Scotland which is best known as the 'Hogwarts Express' route in the Harry Potter movies. There's also plenty of time to visit historic sites, cities and railway museums.



### **Love and Romance**

Designed specifically for couples who want to see some of Britain's more romantic spot, this laid back itinerary allows for plenty of free time to relax and enjoy the scenery and beauty of Britain without being interrupted or rushed around. The 10 day tour is based in Scotland and the north and gives group members a chance to visit incredible cities such as York and Edinburgh as well as relax on a Lake District cruise.



### **Historic Castles**

Britain is quite simply packed with historic castles and palaces. This 10 day tour takes in the best of these beginning in London as Kensington, Eltham and Hampton Court Palaces and moving out of London to the largest inhabited castles in the world Windsor and Arundel. A tour of Blenheim – one of our finest palaces is also included as well as visits to 'classic' moated castles such as Leeds and Bodiam.



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### **Kent homes and gardens**

The second of our garden tours, this Kent based tour is a short 4 day tour and a perfect 'add on' to other destinations. This tour is focussed on the House and Garden's of Kent which is known as the Garden County of England. It takes in some simply stunning natural and landscaped lesser-known garden gems as well as the incredible Leeds Castle landscapes.



### **Football Focus**

This 6 day tour is all about the beautiful game and a must for football lovers across the globe. The tour includes tours of all of Britain's top Premiership team grounds and Museums as well as England's Wembley Stadium itself. The new National Football Museum is also included as well as some free time to enjoy the sights of Liverpool, Manchester and London.



### **Families and Fun**

Designed for those who wish to travel with extended family groups, this tour has something for everyone both young and old. It includes both historic towns such as Stratford and towns that were built exclusively for fun like that of Blackpool. There's time to explore the sites of London and Manchester so shopping can be included as well as plenty of attractions which are sure to be a hit with absolutely everyone.



### **Literary Britain**

This tour has been created for special interest groups and takes in all the British sites which hold special interest for literary lovers. It takes in the homes and museums of our poets such as Welsh Dylan Thomas, Scottish Robert Burns and childrens writers such as Beatrix Potter and Charles Dickens. Not to be forgotten are the novelists and playwrights such as Shakespeare and the Bronte sisters. This 13 day tour is simply a book lovers dream.



## *Regional Group Itinerary Suggestions*

### Natural North

Northern Britain is probably most well known for being home to the most stunning scenery we have to offer and easily rivals many regions across the world that are known for their outstanding natural beauty. This tour takes in the Scottish Highlands and our largest mountain ranges as well as the beautiful Lake country and best national parks. Ideal for the adventurous walkers and outdoor activity types as well as those who simply appreciate relaxing and taking in the view, this tour is a true break from our busy day to day lives.

### Highland Highlights

This short 5 day tour of Scotland is ideal for incentive groups looking for something a little different. It includes a boat ride on Loch Ness, great views of Britain's tallest mountains, castle visits, a woollen mill tour and of course plenty of visits to Whisky Distilleries! There's chance to extend the tour slightly and spend a few extra days visiting Edinburgh or Glasgow and take in some golf at courses such as St Andrews world famous golf course.

### Stunning South East

The South East of England offers a huge range of attractions which include beautiful beaches, pre-historic landmarks, breathtaking castles and cathedrals and of course the UK capital city – London. The South East truly has something to offer everyone and this fun 7 day tour takes in the best that the area has to offer. Highlights include Portsmouth's Historic Dockyard, Stonehenge and the vibrant metropolitan seaside resort of Brighton.

### Wonderful Wales

This 8 day tour of Wales is a fantastic opportunity to see the best that Wales has to offer. It begins in the cosmopolitan capital of Cardiff and takes you on a journey through history, stunning natural beauty and includes an incredible steam train journey through the mountain region of Snowdonia. The tour includes Welsh castles such as the incredible Caernarfon Castle and the beautiful National Park of the Brecon Beacons.



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### **Best of England**

This fast paced tour doesn't allow for time to sit around in pubs but does allow your group to see just about everything their friends will ask them about upon return home! The tour includes everywhere from Portsmouth to Oxford to Stonehenge to Bath to Liverpool, York, Manchester and much much more! Ideal for those who have limited time and want to take in as much as they possibly can, this 8 day tour can be extended to include some time to visit London as well.



### **London Incentive**

This 4 day tour is ideal for incentive travel groups who want to visit London. It takes in all the major sites and tourist spots and will leave the guests feeling like they've really had chance to see London properly. The tour can include a fun all inclusive Medieval Banquet for your group to let their hair down, a cruise or dinner cruise on the River Thames and a West End show. For those looking for a truly special incentive tour at a great price, this is just perfect.



## **Great British Trips Group Tours Information**

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### **What are these tours?**

These tours are itinerary suggestions for agents. They are not regular scheduled tours but for private and special interest groups who wish to book a tour as a group. They are completely flexible but help agents to create a suitable tour for their clients. These tours are ideal for small groups but can also be adapted for large groups and the FIT market using alternative transport.

### **What is the cost?**

The cost of each tour is dependent on travel dates, passenger numbers, comfort rating and how much the group would like including in terms of attractions tickets, meals packages, guides etc. Please enquire with specific dates and requirement.

### **Can I adapt the tour?**

Yes. You are free to add, remove or change destinations as much as you wish. These itineraries are fully flexible and provide a good starting point when planning a regional or themed tour.

### **Do you have more information?**

Yes, each of these itineraries are available as individual downloadable PDF's from our website. A complete tour brochure including further information, Terms and Conditions is available upon request. Please email for a copy.

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