

TULIP TIME TOUR

Sample Itinerary

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.Board your overnight flight.

Day 1 – Arrival in Amsterdam

Welcome to Amsterdam! A group transfer will be provided to the hotel. Later this evening meet your Tour Director for a stroll through some of Amsterdam's oldest streets and view historical 17th century buildings, monuments and the Olde Church. A typical dinner in a cozy restaurant is included. (D)

Day 2 – Amsterdam

Guided sightseeing features the ANNE FRANK MUSEUM and a CANAL CRUISE aboard a glass-roofed launch, which is the best way to get a good impression of how this city was built and how much still remains from the Golden Age. Next, visit a major DIAMOND CENTER. Return to the hotel and enjoy the evening at leisure. (B)

Day 3 – Amsterdam at Leisure. Round-Trip Transfer to Convention

Enjoy your day at leisure. A round-trip transfer will be provided to the convention in the town of Veldhoven for those interested in attending. Optional excursions will be available to the Van Gogh Museum, the Rijksmuseum or the Grand Palace for those passengers remaining in Amsterdam. (B)

Day 4 - Amsterdam. Excursion to Keukenhof

Drive past outstanding flower fields to KEUKENHOF PARK where you will have time to admire some of the most beautiful spring flowers in the world. Celebrate spring when the 32-acre park will be a feast for the eyes with 7 million bulbs in full bloom. Amateur and professional photographers, as well as art devotees, will also appreciate the pieces by famous Dutch and foreign artists around the park. Enjoy plenty of time to explore the garden and lunch at your own pace. Return to the hotel and enjoy the evening at leisure. Dinner is included. (B,D)

Day - Amsterdam. Excursion to Volendam

Visit a Dutch cheese farm and windmill, before enjoying a typical Dutch dinner with drinks in a local restaurant in the quaint fishing village of Volendam, where many inhabitants still wear traditional costumes. (B,D)

Day 6 – **Amsterdam. Excursion to Antwerp, Belgium** Depart today for Antwerp, Belgium, second largest city and one of the world's most ancient seaports. Included sightseeing with a Local Guide shows you its superb architecture; the central GROTE MARKT, lined with 16th-century houses; the beautiful city hall, completed in 1566; and the CHURCH OF OUR LADY, started in 1352 and featuring paintings by Rubens.(B)

Day 7 – Amsterdam, Excursion to Zaanse Schans Join our local expert for a journey through times when Dutch sailing ships crossed the seven seas and goods from all corners of the world traded in Holland. A short coach ride gives you picturesque views of the Dutch "polder" landscape, reclaimed land with the endless horizons and cattle grazing on the green grasslands. The open air village of ZAANSE SCHANS is a collection of typical Dutch houses, windmills & craft stores which all have preserved their original character. We will have an inside visit of a functioning windmill showing you how they function. Highly interesting is the clog making demonstration and the cheese factory. In the little stores you can easily find all the Dutch souvenirs you want to take home. Zaanse Schans is a pleasant half day excursion which includes an array of typical sights for which Holland is famous. Join your friends tonight for a special farewell dinner. (B,D)

Day 8 – Departure from Amsterdam

A group transfer is provided to the airport for your flight home. (B)



*Cost includes hotel, all breakfasts, 4 dinners, land transportation and all sight seeing in CAPITAL letters

*Hotel is NH Amsterdam, centrally located downtown in Amsterdam.



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