

The Fairytale Black Forest

**4 Star
Hotel**

Only £789

Single supplement £99
All single rooms are
double or twin for sole use

Departs: Saturday 12th June

Returns: Saturday 19th June

Our fantastic 8 day tour takes us into the beautiful Black Forest, the setting for many a Grimm Brothers' fairytale, where picturesque villages full of half-timbered houses dot the landscape and cuckoo clocks keep an eye on the time.

Day 1 Departing our local area we travel to Hull and board the P&O overnight ferry to Rotterdam with dinner, bed & breakfast provided. Sit back, relax and enjoy the excellent entertainment on board as we set sail for the continent.

Day 2 After breakfast on board the ferry we travel through the Netherland's into Germany and on to our hotel in The Black Forest, the 4 star Waldeck Spa Resort, our base for the next 5 nights with dinner, bed and breakfast provided.

Day 3 Today we head south into the most northerly region of Switzerland. Here we will experience the drama and beauty of the magnificent Rhine Falls, one of the largest waterfalls in Europe. We enjoy a 30 minute boat trip that sails close to the central rock for which the Falls are also famous. After, we make our way to the nearby medieval town of Schaffhausen, known as the prettiest town in Switzerland, where the houses of the pedestrianised Old Town are richly decorated with oriel windows and lavishly painted facades.

Day 4 After breakfast today we head for Lake Constance and visit Mainau Island, known for its botanical gardens, the Castle of the Teutonic Order, its Butterfly House and Palm House. We enjoy a 90 minute guided walking tour of Mainau's botanical treasures before we travel the short distance to Constance, a town of great historical relevance and the most important on Lake Constance.

Day 5 Today we have a free day to take it easy and relax in our fabulous spa resort.

Day 6 This morning we visit Lake Titisee, one of Germany's prettiest lakes, and join 'The Titus' (built as a replica of a Roman galley) for an enjoyable 25 minute cruise before exploring the town of Titisee- Neustadt itself. We then continue our circular drive to Triberg, known for its traditional wood carving shops and cuckoo clocks. This vibrant town also boasts an informative Black Forest Museum and a picturesque 17th century church, both of which are worth visiting.

Day 7 Sadly we must depart the Black Forest today and travel back through Germany and the Netherlands to our overnight ferry. Our crossing includes dinner, bed, breakfast & entertainment whilst on board the ship.

Day 8 After breakfast on board we depart the ferry and rejoin our coach for the journey back home with a suitable comfort stop provided.

*Itineraries can be subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances

Look what's included

- Executive coach travel
- North Sea Ferries with dinner, bed & breakfast provided on board
- Dinner, bed & breakfast
- Porterage
- Tea & Coffee after dinner
- Free use of leisure facilities
- Rhine Falls & Schaffhausen visit
- Rhine Falls Boat Trip
- Lake Constance & Mainau Island
- Mainau Island Guided walking Tour
- Lake Titisee & Triberg
- Lake Titisee Boat Trip