

# Isle of Bute Scottish Special



**Departs: Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March**

**Returns: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> March**

**Only £379**

**Single supplement £68**  
**All singles are double or twin for sole use**

## **Updated Tour** **New Hotel-The South Beach Hotel at Troon**

### **Itinerary\***

**Day 1** Departing our local area we travel north with a comfort stop at Houghton Hall for refreshments and free time before crossing into Scotland and to the South Beach Hotel at Troon.

**Day 2** After a leisurely breakfast we make the short journey to Wemyss Bay to board the ferry to Rothesay on the Isle of Bute. Here we visit Mount Stuart House where we have arranged for a guided tour. Built in the flamboyant Gothic Revival style its main features include the colonnaded Marble Hall at the centre of the main block and the Marble Chapel which has an elaborate spired tower.

**Day 3** Today we travel north along Loch Lomond and around Loch Fyne to the ancestral home of the Dukes of Argyll, Inverary. Here we have free time and you may wish to visit the Inverary Jail which is now a living museum or the tea rooms of the local woollen mill.

**Day 4** After breakfast today we take a short drive to the Birthplace of Scotlands National Poet, Robert Burns. Here you can follow in Tam o' Shanter's footsteps to Alloway's Atmospheric Auld Kirk and over the Brig o' Doon.

**Day 5** After breakfast today we return home to the North East with suitable comfort stops En-route.

\*Itineraries can be subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances

### **Look what's included**

- Executive coach travel
- Welcome Tea/Coffee & scones
- Dinner, bed & full cooked breakfast
- Portorage
- Tea/Coffee after dinner
- Live Musical entertainment 1 night
- Bingo/quiz 1 night
- Mount Stuart entrance & guided tour
- Inverary excursion
- Rothesay visit
- Brig o' Doon excursion

