

2022 Norway & Iceland Trip

Iceland Land Tour Details

Sunday, June 26 – Reykjavik: our tour begins with a panoramic tour in the capital city, experiencing its charming architecture and beautiful, brightly colored rooftops. We visit the Perlan Observation Deck to see magnificent views of the city and its surrounding of mountain, glacier, and volcano vistas on the horizon. Return to our hotel to enjoy a welcome drink and canapes with our tour group, followed by free time for dining independently. (no meals included on our tour today)

Monday, June 27 – Leaving Reykjavik after breakfast we head out on the famed Golden Circle, starting with the spectacular Thingvellir National Park, a meeting place of old Icelandic clans. It is also where the Eurasian and North American tectonic plates meet above ground. Journey to the Secret Lagoon: smaller and more intimate than the Blue Lagoon, it's where savvy travelers go to enjoy the Icelandic spa experience. Don't forget your swimsuit! Savor lunch in the greenhouse of Fridheimar Tomato Farm. Then it's on to the Strokkur Geyser, which erupts every 10 minutes. Stop at Gullfoss Waterfall, one of Iceland's most popular sights; with two separate drops, it is one of the most spectacular waterfalls in the world. Move on to your simple but beautifully-situated rural hotel below the Hekla volcano where you will have dinner. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included)

Tuesday, June 28 - Visit the LAVA Center to learn about Iceland's volcanoes, and how their eruptions and lava flows have shaped the country over time. Visit the Skogar Folk Museum to explore Iceland's cultural heritage and learn about the lives of Iceland's early settlers through an array of tools, books, and handicrafts. Visit the nearby Skogafoss Waterfall, where on sunny days a double rainbow is often visible. Discover Reynisfjara's black sand beach and rock formations along with the legends of its history. Dine at your hotel tonight. (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Wednesday, June 29 - Travel to Jokulsarlon Glacier Lagoon, a glacial lake dotted with blue and white icebergs. Marvel as you witness small icebergs flowing into the Atlantic or breaking up along the black sands of Diamond Beach. Enjoy lunch with a view of the surrounding countryside. Spend the afternoon in Skaftafell Wilderness Area to view its enormous glaciers. Filled with natural wonders, Skaftafell also boasts a snow-capped volcano and nearby lava fields. Return to your hotel, where you will dine independently this evening. (Breakfast and Lunch included)

Thursday, June 30 - Journey to the beautiful Seljalandsfoss Waterfall where, weather permitting, the sure-footed can walk the trail that takes you behind the 60-meter falls. Travel back to Reykjavik, possibly visiting any itinerary sights you might have missed due to weather. Spend the rest of the afternoon independently exploring the city. In the evening visit the Blue Lagoon, a geothermal spa in a man-made lake surrounded by a lava field; share in a farewell dinner and enjoy a soak in the mineral-rich waters (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Friday, July 1 - Return home to USA (Breakfast included)

- Our flight from Amsterdam to Reykjavik may not be able to meet the timing on our panoramic Reykjavik tour departure time. Details will come to light once flight options are announced.
- All of our flight times will be announced later in August (2021)
- Sightseeing costs are included on this Iceland Tour. Details as listed above.
- This Iceland Tour can be purchased independently from the Cruise. You don't have to do both the cruise and the Iceland tour, but that is our plan with Ken's family.
- If you elect to only take the Iceland tour, your flight would depart USA on Saturday, June 25th.
- Additional nights of stay in Iceland can be arranged if desired.

Iceland Tour only cost (with no cruise) would cost \$4345 per person (double) \$5230 (single). This cost would include airfare from USA, transfers, and the Iceland Tour. June 25 – July 1st are the dates if taking this part without the cruise.