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## Dunoon and the Isle of Bute

A four night holiday in Dunoon with excursion(s) in the Argyll area. The cost of the holiday and any additional charges will be stated on your confirmation invoice. All sums include taxes where applicable.

**Price Includes** (all details are subject to change):

- four nights dinner, bed and breakfast
- ferry travel to the island of Bute
- cruise on Loch Lomond
- two excursions
- coach travel and ferry fare (from N Ireland)

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**Day One:** Depart from your selected joining point and travel to the Esplanade Hotel, Dunoon. Comfort stops will be made en-route.

**Day Two:** Enjoy the short ferry crossing to the Isle of Bute, with some free time in the traditional Victorian town of Rothesay. Immerse yourself in the town's rich heritage, evident in the magnificent Victorian facades embracing the picturesque Rothesay Bay. Along the stunning esplanade gardens, you'll find the renovated Isle of Bute Discovery Centre; a distinctive 1920s circular structure crafted from cast iron and glass. This centre, now a hub of entertainment with a cinema, theatre, and interactive exhibits, also serves as a showcase for the best of Bute. Consider exploring the remarkable Rothesay Castle, where dungeons, sturdy outer walls, and a grand hall have been meticulously restored. Adjacent to the castle lies the intriguing Bute Museum, offering a fascinating glimpse into the island's history. Follow the main roads for a scenic drive around Bute before returning to Dunoon.

**Day Three:** Travel to Tarbet and embark on a scenic cruise across the tranquil waters of Loch Lomond. Take a break in the charming village of Luss, which served as a film location for the TV show 'Take the High Road'. End the day by visiting Loch Lomond Shores, a shopping destination that offers a mix of department stores, boutique shops and nationwide retailers. Enjoy some shopping and a cup of coffee or a well-deserved snack, or take a leisurely stroll outside, find a bench and take in the breathtaking views of Ben Lomond across the loch.

**Day Four:** Spend a day discovering Dunoon, which has an impressive town centre with craft shops, gallery, museum and cafes.

**Day Five:** After breakfast you leave Dunoon and start the journey home. Comfort stops will be made en-route.

*It may be necessary under certain circumstances for these excursions to be operated on different days to those shown.*

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**Accommodation:** Esplanade Hotel, Victoria Parade, Dunoon, PA23 7HU | 01369 704070 | [sgehotelgroup.com/esplanade](http://sgehotelgroup.com/esplanade)

This charming hotel is located on Dunoon's West Bay Promenade, offering an ideal retreat for those seeking to escape the hustle and bustle. With the beach just steps away, it's the perfect spot to relax and unwind while watching the world go by. The Garden Lounge boasts lovely views of the River Clyde, and the cosy Malt Cellar Bar offers a delightful selection of whiskies to enjoy.

**Facilities:** 3-star | en-suite | TV | refreshment facilities | lift (not to sea view rooms) | 2 steps to reception | 5 steps down to restaurant and bar | 10-minute walk to town centre | portage included

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**Not every holiday will suit your mobility needs and some are not suitable for persons using walking aids/wheelchairs etc. Please ask a member of staff for details should you have any concerns regarding suitability.**

The deposit required at the time of booking for all holidays is £30 per person, payable on acceptance of the booking and full payment is required 42 days prior to departure (exact date is stated on your confirmation invoice). We do not send out a reminder, it is your responsibility to make payment on time. You may terminate the contract at any time before the start of the holiday, please see our Trading Charter and Booking Conditions overleaf for details.

Joining and set-down times are stated on your confirmation, these are subject to change. This holiday will be operated using a 51-seat coach, however this may change. Where tourist services are provided orally, these will be done in English.

We trust you have an enjoyable time and look forward to welcoming you again.



**Financial Security Statement** The combination of travel services offered to you is a package within the meaning of the Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018. Therefore, you will benefit from all rights applying to packages; Dodds of Troon will be fully responsible for the proper performance of the package as a whole. Additionally, as required by law, Dodds of Troon have protection in place to refund your payments and, where transport is included in the package, to ensure your repatriation in the event that they become insolvent. Dodds of Troon are members of the Bonded Coach Holiday Group, overseen by The Association of Bonded Travel Organisers Trust Limited. This is a government approved consumer protection scheme. This ensures that in relation to the coach package holidays described in this brochure (or website) that a Bond, which may be called upon in the unlikely event of the members Insolvency, protects the clients' monies. Clients are recommended to inspect the current membership certificate at our registered office or alternatively go to [www.abtot.com/bch-abtot-members-directory/](http://www.abtot.com/bch-abtot-members-directory/) or telephone 0207 065 5316 to confirm current membership.

Your attention is also drawn to the Bonded Coach Holiday Group Trading Charter that will apply to these coach package holidays. Details of the Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018 can be found at [The Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018 \(legislation.gov.uk\)](http://The Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018 (legislation.gov.uk))