

### **Scoil Mhuire Gan Smal**

# Thursday 29th September 2022 - Monday 3rd October 2022

**Group Leader:** Tom Villiers

Group Breakdown: 100 Passengers (90 Students 10 Teachers)
Teachers Travelling: CD/TV/JOS/SB/GNR/MVK/ROS/SS/AD/RC
Baggage Allowance: 1 small cabin bag – max 40x20x25cm

1 cabin bag/checked in bag – max 10kg (see accompanying list)







### Flights:

Ryanair Tel: +353 158 259 32

### **Coach and guide services:**

Lake Garda Coach

Tel: +39 335 685 4535

Cooperativa Guide Turistiche Autorizzate CGTA

Vox Mundi

Tel: +39 347 174 1304

Tel: +39 639 720 822

### **Accommodation:**

 Hotel Smart San Vito
 Tel: +39 045 750 1333

 Hotel Veronello
 Tel: +39 045 824 0710

### **Activities and other:**

Juliet's House	Tel: +39 045 800 8017
Verona Arena	Tel: +39 045 800 3204
Vaporetto	Tel: +39 041 272 2678
Bertoldi Boats	Tel: +39 030 777 8527
Bowling Playcenter	Tel: +39 045 609 0296
Gardaland	Tel: +39 045 644 9777



Whilst on tour, if you are running late or wish to cancel any attraction that has been pre-booked for your group, please inform them directly thus avoiding any potential cancellation charges. Please note however that a supplier is within their rights to charge cancellation fees for their respective services for late cancellations as many visits will have been prepaid in advance of arrival.

#### RYANAIR BOARDING CARDS

Your inbound Ryanair boarding cards will be emailed to the hotel on DATE. These will be printed and ready for you to collect from reception. Please note that Ryanair will charge a minimum of €25 per person to reprint these at the airport. It is the responsibility of the group leader to check there is a boarding card for each person travelling.

### STUDENTS UNDER 18 YEARS TRAVELLING

Group leaders should bring relevant documentation (i.e. letters of consent, copies of parent's identification, etc.) for travelling with minors out of the state. Please see this government website <a href="www.inis.gov.ie/en/INIS/Pages/travel-with-children">www.inis.gov.ie/en/INIS/Pages/travel-with-children</a> for up to date details on what is expected. This will ensure that your group's experience through Immigration Control will be as fast and efficient as possible.



### Day 1 – Thursday 29th September 2022

### 10:30 Assemble in Cork Airport (ORK).

Your group have a mixture of Priority Boarding with 10kg carry on and 10kg checked in bag. Priority could not be purchased for all passengers as there was limited availability. Please refer to the attached list of passengers for the names of those with priority and those who will have to check in their bag.

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Airline: Ryanair

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YHF34K; I7THGL; WKZPWX; GIGUYK; R9ZNUL; DG25RA; WBRU7P;

Destination: Milan Bergamo (Orio al Serio) Airport

Flight Number: FR 9051

Baggage Allowance: ALL PASSENGERS: 1 small cabin bag – max 40x20x25cm

39 Passengers: 1x checked in bag – max 10kg 61 Passengers: 1x cabin bag – max 10kg

- 13:00 Depart from Cork Airport to Milan Bergamo (Orio al Serio) Airport (BGY) on Ryanair flight, FR9051.
- 16:25 Arrive Milan Bergamo (Orio al Serio) Airport (BGY) Terminal.
- 16:45 You will be met by your coach (c/o Blu Welcome Travel Tel: +39 335 685 4535) at coach parking and transfer to Verona.

Reservation and payment made by BluWelcome Travel on behalf of The School Tour Company - Voucher enclosed.

The coach will be parked in the coach park and cannot go to the exit gate until called. Please telephone your driver (details to be confirmed 24 hours before travel) when you are ready to meet the coach and the driver will move to the front of the exit gate.

Driver:

Tel: +39 335 685 4535



Please ensure that the students keep the coach in a clean state at all times. This is the responsibility of the group leaders. Please note the school will be liable for any damages that incur additional charges.

#### 18:30 Free time in Verona

Your group may wish to visit Juliet's House, where the famous balcony can be seen.

Via Cappello, 23, Verona 37121

Tel: +39 045 800 8017

Opening Hours: Tuesday-Sunday 8:30-19:30 - Monday 13:30-19:30

Your group may wish to visit the **Verona Arena**. Originally built in 30 AD, it is world famous for holding large scale opera shows and is one of the best preserved ancient structures of its kind.

Piazza Bra, 1, Verona 37121

Tel: +39 045 800 3204

Opening Hours: Tuesday-Sunday 8:30-19:30 – Monday 13:30-19:30

Evening meal made under own supervision

# **Group 1**

**22:00** Approximate arrival time at your accommodation. Check in to **Smart San Vito Hotel** for your stay.

Reservation and payment made by BluWelcome Travel on behalf of The School Tour Company - Voucher enclosed.

Via Giovanni Battista Pighi, 1, 37024 Negrar di Valpolicella



Tel: +39 045 750 1333

Room breakdown: 51 People (45 Students + 5 Teachers + 1 Driver)

The tourism tax for 2020 is to be confirmed.

A security deposit of €10 per person must be paid to the hotel on arrival. This will be refunded at the end of your stay subject to there being no damage to the property, excessive cleaning or complaints from other guests.

# **Group 2**

22:00 Approximate arrival time at your accommodation. Check in to Hotel Veronello for your stay. Reservation and payment made by The School Tour Company - Voucher enclosed.

Via Veronello, 2, 37011 Calmasino VR, Italy

Tel: +39 045 824 0710

Room Breakdown: 51 People (45 Students + 5 Teachers + 1 Driver)

A security deposit of €10 per person must be paid to the hotel on arrival. This will be refunded at the end of your stay subject to there being no damage to the property, excessive cleaning or complaints from other guests.

Overnight at your accommodation



### Day 2 - Friday 30th September 2022

**08:00** Breakfast at your accommodation

**09:30** Meet your coach and transfer to **Tronchetto** 

**11:30** Take the Vaporetto from the **Tronchetto** to the centre of Venice. The Vaporetto will take approx. 45 minutes to get to St. Mark's Square.

Reservation and payment made by The School Tour Company - Tickets enclosed.

Isola Nova del Tronchetto 32, Venice

Tel: +39 041 272 2678

A copy of the Italian School Letter will need to be presented in conjunction with the enclosed confirmation.

Please note: From 1 July 2020, there will be a tax charged to all people visiting Venice. It will be  $\[ \in \] 3 - \[ \in \] 10$  per person depending on the time of year. This may change without notice. The payment method of this tax is to be confirmed.

#### PLEASE RECONFIRM EXACT PICK UP POINT WITH YOUR DRIVER FOR PICK UP THIS EVENING

**12:30** Meet your guide and enjoy your scheduled **2-hour walking tour of Venice.** 

The guided tour will include an historical and artistic outline of St. Mark's Square, St. Mark's Basilica (exterior), the Doge's Palace (exterior) and the bridge of Sighs.

Reservation and payment made by The School Tour Company - Voucher enclosed.

Guide service booked through Cooperative Guide Turistiche Autorizzate (+39 347 174 1304)

Please note: Due to the narrow alleyways and the lack of space in some areas of the guided tour, it is recommended the group book headsets for the tour. These can be booked for €1.70 per person. Please confirm if you would like me to book these.

Calle Seconda de la Fava, 5786a, 30122 Venezia VE

Tel: +39 041 520 9038

Meeting Point: St. Mark's Square in front of the Exit of the Doge's Palace (Porta della Carta) Guide:

Phone:

Headsets/Whispers have been booked for your group.

Reservation and payment made by The School Tour Company - Voucher enclosed. A rep from Media Vox (+39 041 523 9279) will meet the group at St Mark's Square.

Via Pievaiola 21 06126, Perugia

Tel: +39 639 720 822



- **14:30** Evening meal Under group's own arrangement.
- 15:30 A reservation can be made for your group to visit the Vecchia Murano Glass Making Factory. Free of charge.

  Please call Alessandro (Tel: +39 340 523 2964) when you arrive in Venice to confirm your visit.
- 17:30 The group are free to sightsee and take in the historical and artistic outline of St Mark's Square, St Marks Basilica, the Doges Palace, the Bridge of Sighs and the Prisons.
- **18:15** Meet your coach and transfer to your accommodation
- **20:15** Evening meal at your Accommodation.

Walk to ice cream parlour and Lidl as shown in walking trail file

Overnight at your accommodation



### Day 3 – Saturday 1st October 2022

**08:00** Breakfast at your accommodation

09:00 Meet your coach and transfer to Bertoldi Boats

10:00 A reservation has been confirmed for your group to take a scenic boat trip on the lake with Bertoldi Boats. This tour takes approximately 25 minutes and takes in such sights as the new spa, the house of Maria Callas, the opera singer, the Grotte of Catullo, the biggest Roman building in the north of Italy, which is 2000 years old, the hot springs for the spa that are on the lake and then come back through the channel of the Scaligeri castle which is 700 years old.

Reservation and payment made by The School Tour Company - Voucher enclosed.

Lungolago Armando Diaz, 25019 Sirmione BS

Tel: +39 030 777 8527

Meeting point: LUNGOLAGO ARMANDO DIAZ (SIRMIONE)

Please note: On occasion the boat tour is not possible due to unsuitable weather.

Lifejackets are available on board

- **11:00** Meet your coach and transfer to Malcesine
- 13:00 Your group may take the Monte Baldo Cable Car for a spectacular view over Lake Garda. There is nothing to beat a ride on the Malcesine cableway which rises to 1600m in just ten minutes and reaches an altitude of 1760 m at the top of Monte Baldo. On a clear day you can see the whole of the lake. The group will take a return journey on the cable car today.

Funivia Malcesine - Monte Baldo Via Navene Vecchia, 12 37018 Malcesine Tel: +39 045 7400206

Upon arrival in Malcesine, your group can explore the cobbled streets through the wonderful piazzas and take in the beauty of the old buildings which offer a very unique atmosphere. Be sure to visit the 13th century castle standing proudly at the end of the lake.

- **15:00** Meet your coach and transfer to Bowling Verona
- **17:30** A reservation has been made for your group to go **bowling** at Bowling Verona.

Reservation and payment made by The School Tour Company - Voucher enclosed.

Viale della Fiera, 10/A, 37136 Verona VR

Tel: +39 045 581 724
Confirmation number:
Number of lanes confirmed:

- **19:30** Meet your coach and transfer to your accommodation.
- **20:00** Evening meal at your hotel.



Walk to ice cream parlour and Lidl as shown in walking trail file

Overnight at your accommodation

Breakfast at your accommodation

### Day 4 – Sunday 2nd October 2022

08:00

09:30	Meet your coach and transfer to Gardaland
10:00	Today the group will enjoy the exhilarating, thrilling and exciting <b>Gardaland</b> . With 6 roller coasters and a total of 32 rides you will be spoilt for choice! There are also many shows in Gardaland, one of its most popular being the wonderful dolphin show. Shops and restaurants are also to be found, all immersed in a fantastic green area surrounded by gardens and flowerbeds.

Reservation and payment made by The School Tour Company - Voucher enclosed.

Via Derna 4, 37014 Castelnuovo del Garda

Tel: +39 045 644 9777 Confirmation number:

Opening Hours: 10:00-20:00

Collection of Tickets: Please present voucher as provided in your travel pack at the cash desk Gruppi Prenotati in order to obtain your tickets.

Note: Entry is included to Gardaland Park only. A copy of the Italian School Letter will need to be presented in conjunction with the enclosed voucher in order to receive your tickets.

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

### STAGGERED ENTRANCES ARE NOT ALLOWED.

20:00	Coach and transfer to Parking lot, Unnamed Road, 37019 Peschiera del Garda VR, Italy
20:15	Walk to ice cream area as shown in walking trail file
22:00	Coach and transfer to accommodation
22:30	Overnight at your accommodation



## Day 5 – Monday 3rd October 2022

**08:00** Breakfast at your accommodation

Op:30 Check out of your hotel and load luggage on to the coach. Please ensure you have all your belongings as you will not return to the hotel before departing for the airport. Do not leave your accommodation without your Ryanair Boarding Passes.

Travel by coach to Oriocenter Shopping Center.

**11:30** Enjoy some free time for shopping at **Orio Center**. With more than 200 stores and restaurants, this is one of the main shopping destinations in Milan!

Via Portico 71, 24050 - Orio al Serio (BG)

Tel: +39 035 4596201

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**19:30** Arrive Cork Airport (ORK) Terminal.

Your tour has been operated by Benjamin Mohan.



Benjamin and The School Tour Company wish you an enjoyable and successful tour.