HIROSHIMA & IWAKUNI OVERNIGHT



TOUR DATE:Friday thru Monday, October 9 thru 12 (2200 ~ 2345)** September 25 is last day for sign-up and full payment **

TOUR COST:

SINGLE	(25152821)	\$631 Adult		
TWIN	(25152822)	\$534 Adult	\$481 Junior (12 ~ 14)	\$448 Youth (6 ~ 11)
TRIPLE	(25152823)	\$534 Adult	\$481 Junior (12 ~ 14)	\$448 Youth (6 ~ 11)
QUAD	(25152824)	\$534 Adult	\$481 Junior (12 ~ 14)	\$448 Youth (6 ~ 11)
		\$135 Child (4 ~ 5; sharing bed with parents)\$99 Infant (0 ~ 3; sharing bed with parents)		

Cost for Bluejacket E1-E4 Eligible Only (No Mileage Point)

SINGLE	\$316 per person
TWIN	\$267 per person
TRIPLE	\$267 per person
QUAD	\$267 per person

MILEAGE: 2000 km

DESCRIPTION:

Due to its particular place in history, Hiroshima has grown to become a symbol of peace that is recognized throughout the world. Join us for a memorable trip to western Honshu. We will travel to Historical castle town lwakuni and the world-famous City of Peace Hiroshima. This tour promises to be a fun learning experience for all.

<u>Day 1:</u>

Akiyoshido Cave - experience to step into mysterious Under-world and you will be surprised for bizarre formation of limestone which creates amazing scenery. The cave is one of the biggest in Japan and it had been formed with over 300,000 year's result of groundwater discharges. A highlight in it is HYAKUMAIZARA which shaped as hundred big saucers lined up in tiers. 50 feet tall limestone pillar called KOGANE-BASHIRA is also welcome you (http://bit.ly/CavAki).

Kintaikyo (Kintai Bridge) & Kintai Castle - literary means Brocade Sash Bridge and is in Iwakuni city. The bridge was originally constructed in 1673 over the Nishiki River with its uncommonly beautiful shape of five continuous wooden arches. Take a cable car ride nearby Kintai-kyo, we could visit Iwakuni Castle. The original one was destroyed seven years after its construction (in 1615) by Tokugawa government enforcement. After WW II, the castle reconstructed at atop Mt. Shiroyama, with much donation from public and their strong wishes that it would be the symbol of Iwakuni, to take advantage of the spectacular view (<u>http://bit.ly/IWAKUNI</u>). Day 2:

Mlyajima Island - take a ferry to the island and it is welcome us by giant/sacred floating Torii Gate and beautiful back ground of the island which are ranked as one of Japan's three best views.

Itsukushima Shrine, designated as World cultural heritage, is unique for being built over water. The original shrine was built during the 6th century; the existing structure dates back to the 12th century. You will have ample time to explore, browse in the numerous shops and even feed the friendly sacred deer (<u>http://www.miyajima.or.jp/english/</u>).

Hiroshima Peace Park - the park is one of the most prominent features of the city. Four years after the bomb was dropped, it was decided that the area would not be redeveloped but instead devoted to peace memorial facilities. The park contains Peace Memorial Museum which surveys the history of Hiroshima and the advent of the nuclear bomb, Bomb Dome, Cenotaph for the A-Bomb Victims

(http://www.pcf.city.hiroshima.jp/index_e2.html).

Day 3:

Himeji Castle - This castle is extremely beautiful and well preserved. It is often called the "Castle of the White Heron" because the span of its white walls resembles the wings of a heron in flight. The castle's architectural beauty is absolutely breathtaking. This tour promises to be a fun learning experience for all. The 50 years preservation repair construction was done in March 2015 (<u>http://www.himeji-kanko.jp/en/sightseeing/himeji_castle.html</u>).

CANCELLATION POLICY:

Cancellations can be made by phone or walk-in during ITT Office hours of operation.

If guest cancellation is made by September 25 -If guest cancellation is made September 26 ~ October 6 -If guest cancellation is made October 7 ~ 9 -All other cancellations or failure to show for tour - 100% Refund 10% deductible is assessed 30% deductible is assessed No Refund

MEALS:

2 buffet-style breakfasts & 1 buffet-style dinner are included (except Infant). It is recommended that you bring enough yen to cover the cost of additional meals and snacks.

HOTEL:

Grand Prince Hotel Hiroshima Tel: 082-256-1111 http://www.princehotels.com/en/hiroshima/

SPECIAL NOTES:

ITT will pre-assign bus seats for this tour.

This tour is not recommended for children below 4 years old due to the extremely long drive.

Wear layered clothing and comfortable shoes for maximum comfort.

FOR DETAILS, CONTACT ITT AT 241-5056.