

WALES GOLF ITINERARIES

The Best of Wales Golf Tour

You will experience breathtaking scenery from the rugged landscape of the North, to Tenby and the small fishing villages on the south west coast combined with the modern cosmopolitan atmosphere of Cardiff, Wales, Capital city in the South.

Day 1

Arrive and transfer to north Wales and your first round of golf at: Conwy (Caernarvonshire) Golf Club. Following your golf head west along the north Wales coast to your accommodation at the Celtic Royal Hotel in Caernarvon.

Day 2

Golf at Nefyn & District Golf Club. Overnight at the Celtic Royal Hotel

Day 3

Golf at Royal St David's Golf Club, Harlech. Overnight at the Celtic Royal

Day 4

Check out of the Celtic Royal Hotel and begin your north-south journey through Wales. Golf at Aberdovey. Following your golf, continue South to Swansea, and the Dragon Hotel. Overnight at the Dragon Hotel

Day 5

Golf at Pennard. Overnight at the Dragon Hotel

Day 6

Your final days golf at Wales' number one course: Royal Porthcawl. Overnight at the Dragon Hotel

Day 7

Depart

HOTELS & GOLF COURSES



The Celtic Royal Hotel (North Wales)

Located just outside Caernarvon, where Charles Prince of Wales Investiture took place in 1969. The Celtic-Royal Hotel, is approx 5 mins walk from the castle, and has recently been restored by the present owners. This pleasant hotel, offers well appointed rooms, a lively bar and brasserie, and also excellent leisure facilities. A great location for all your golf on the North Wales coast, Anglessey and the Llyn peninsula.



The Dragon Hotel (South West Wales)

Recently refurbished to the tune of £3million the Dragon Hotel is located in the heart of this vibrant coastal city. Dining options include a chic brasserie as well as more formal dining, the hotel has an excellent leisure club, pool and sauna. This is the perfect location to enjoy the Swansea cafe culture, and golf on and around the Gower peninsula and South Wales.



Royal Porthcawl (South East Wales *Championship Links*)

Wales' finest championship links course. 15th in the Golf Digest Rankings. The status of the course is sustained by the many prestigious professional and amateur events held at the club over the years. Michael Williams of the Daily Telegraph summed it all up with; "Royal Porthcawl epitomizes all that is best about the game, as it once was, even down to a creaking clubhouse that is as unchanging as the magnificent links and unrivalled hospitality."



Pennard (South West Wales *Links*)

Pennard Golf Club, located 8 miles west of Swansea in the Gower Peninsula, an area of outstanding natural beauty. Golf has been played there since 1896, although the course owes most of its appeal today first to James Braid and then to C.K. Cotton. The holes are routed over classically undulating and tumbling linksland, full of hummocks, hillocks and hollows and pocked with dunes large and small; in sum, exactly what we might hope to find beside the shore. Yet this exceptional terrain is not beside the shore - It is two hundred feet above it. No wonder Pennard has been called "the links in the sky."



Conwy (North Wales *Links*)

This famous links course, renowned throughout the area as one of the most challenging of its kind is situated at the mouth of the estuary of the River Conwy. Several of the holes of the front nine skirt the estuary itself giving views to enjoy over the bay to Llandudno, Anglesey and beyond. As the course turns to the back nine many of the holes are played beneath the splendid backdrop of the Conwy Mountains. When players reach the 15th Tee the course enters into gorse country for what many have described as one of the most testing finishes in golf, but once overcome, the hospitality of the club beckons at the clubhouse situated behind the 18th green were tales of "if only" I had taken this or that can be debated in the 19th.



Aberdovey (Mid Wales *Links*)

Set amongst the beautiful scenery of Snowdonia National Park you will find the most superb championship links course. Golf was first played at Aberdovey in 1886 and the links have been developed into one of the finest courses in Wales. The club is situated at the mouth of the Dovey Estuary and nestles between the Cambrian Mountain range and the coastal dunes of Aberdovey Beach.



Nefyn (North Wales *Cliff-top*)

Nefyn and District Golf Club was formed in 1907. The course was converted from 9 holes to 18 holes in 1912 and after many minor transformations, a further 9 holes were added in 1933 (only 26 holes are now being played). This quirky course now consists of a front 10 holes and two distinctly different back 8 holes. It is a proud boast of the club and its members that you can see the sea from every tee on the course. The epithet "This is the most beautiful course I have ever played" has come both from visitors from all over the world and from many critical reviews in books and magazines.



Harlech-Royal St Davids (North Wales *Links*)

This is the Nationally and Internationally renowned Royal St Davids Golf Club, the home of one of the finest traditional championship links courses in the world. It has been established for over 100 years and is steeped in history. It is set in the most beautiful and scenic part of Wales. It has frequently hosted and continues to host world class Amateur and Professional events.