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BOY CHOIR



PERFORMANCE TOUR OF
NORWAY



June 8 – 16, 2024





Performance Schedule

June 10

Planned Concert
Performance at Akershus
Slotskirke

June 11

Planned concert
performance at Borgund
Stave Church

June 15

Planned Performance at
Trolsdalen

08, Saturday Depart Appleton

The day has finally come!
Today we head to the airport
to check in for our overnight
transatlantic flights to Norway!

09, Sunday Oslo

After arriving at Oslo
Gardermoen Airport, we collect
our baggage and meet our tour
manager. Next, we transfer
into the city and check into
our hotel before freshening up
and enjoying a group welcome
dinner tonight (D)

10, Monday Oslo

This morning, we have a
guided tour through Norway's
capital, Oslo, taking in
national landmarks such as
the Parliament building, the
National Theatre, and the
Royal Palace. Our tour then
takes us outside of the city
through charming suburban
areas. We will enjoy a guided
walk through the extraordinary
Vigeland Sculpture Park. This
vast park covers 80 acres and
was designed by renowned
Norwegian sculptor Gustav
Vigeland. Vigeland designed
impressive lawns and straight
avenues flanked by maple
trees. Following, we visit
Holmenkollen, a mountain
that soars 1,600 feet above

Tour Cost

\$4,895 per person, based on triple occupancy
via motocoach from Appleton and flights from Chicago

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sea level and is widely known for skiing competitions. After a guided tour of the ski jump tower, museum, and the Blakollen; we will jump in “Kollen” and experience what it feels like to head down the world’s toughest downhill slopes. With technology that formerly was only available to pilots and astronauts, the simulation will create a unique and realistic adrenaline rush. Once back in the city center of Oslo, we have time to grab lunch independently in smaller groups before we give our first performance of the tour tonight. Our group dinner will be served tonight following the performance. (B, D)

11, Tuesday **Oslo, Lærdal, Sogndal**

After having breakfast at the hotel, we depart from Oslo and travel west to Hemsedal, a mountain ski resort where we take in picturesque views of the mountains. We continue our way, stopping at Borgund Stave Church which was built around 1180 and dedicated to the Apostle Andrew. It is well preserved and one of the most distinctive churches in Norway with lavishly carved portals and carvings of dragon’s heads. Once back on the road, we continue to the fjords and Lærdal. Here, we experience the Sognefjord, Norway’s longest and deepest fjord. A ferry takes us from Fodnes to Mannheller and delivers us to Sogndal, where we stay for the night. Tonight, we plan on giving a performance at Borgund Stave Church and having a group dinner. (B, D)

12 Wednesday **Sogndal, Jostedal**

Our travels today take us through a magically scenic part of Norway. First, we drive through a scenic mountain pass and tunnel to arrive at the Fjærlandsfjord, an arm of the larger Sognefjord. We stop in the quaint village of Fjærland before continuing to Bøyabreen Glacier. Here, we marvel at the impressive views. After time to experience the natural beauty in the area, we travel back to Sogndal before heading north to Nigardsbreen glacier. After a stop in the National Parks center, we experience the Jostendalen valley and the perfect view of Nigardsbreen glacier. Next, a guided hike to Nigardsbreen viewpoint, before boarding a local boat for a roundtrip on the emerald green glacial lake. Afterward, we proceed to the ice-free landscape in front of the glacier for a different perspective, paired with a tasting of local lamb, an important food, sourced directly from the valley. Tonight, we’ll arrive back in Sogndal late afternoon before having a group dinner. (B, D)

13, Thursday **Sogndal, Flåm, Stalheim**

Today, we drive 45 minutes along the Sognefjord to Hella, where we board a ferry to cross the Sognefjord. After traveling down to Flåm, we immerse in a unique adventure in the UNESCO-listed fjord landscape. After, we’ll partake in a fjord safari in RIB boats to intimately experience the mountains before boarding the Flåmsbana train for an exciting rail excursion. Traveling 2,850 feet up a steep mountain gorge, we travel through 20 tunnels. Once in Myrdal, we board a high-speed train for a trip to Voss. After taking in the vast mountainous landscape, we embark on our last leg of travel via coach, through the mountain pass and the village of Myrkdalen, arriving in Stalheim for the night. Here our adventures are rewarded with stunning views of the Gudvangen valley! Tonight, a group dinner will be served. (B, D)

① Akershus Castle and Fortress, Oslo

② Nigardsbreen glacier

③ Borgund Stave Church

④ Flåmsbana train

Cover: fjord Naeroyfjord in Gudvangen



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14, Friday Stalheim, Gudvangen, Bergen

We start the day driving from Stalheim down to the Viking Valley, Gudvangen. In the heart of the UNESCO-listed Norwegian fjord landscape, we experience the real history and culture of the Viking age. We learn how Vikings lived, worked, and influenced the wider world. We'll walk the streets of a "living town" community of international Viking enthusiasts. With the option of engaging in Viking games, archery, and axe throwing, we have the full experience of Norwegian Viking lifestyles. In the afternoon, we travel to Bergen on the west coast. Called the "gateway to the fjords," Bergen is a captivating city with brightly colored houses nestled between the harbor and the mountains. We visit the 1,047-foot Fløyfjell with our guide, taking the Fløibanen funicular to the top to take in the marvelous surroundings of Bergen from above. (B, D)

15, Saturday Bergen

In the company of a local guide, we begin our exploration of Bergen with its wooden houses dating back to 1702. In the Bergenhus Fortress with Rosenkrantz Tower and Håkonshallen, we see the outside of the 12th-century St. Mary's Church. Following, we visit the Bergen Aquarium which has one of the most extensive collections of marine fauna in Europe. With over 60 aquariums of varying sizes, we see different perspectives beneath the water's surface and enjoy seeing the seals and penguins play in pools. In the afternoon, we drive to Edward Grieg Museum, Troidhaugen. This home of the composer and his wife was built in 1885 and includes the concert hall Troltsalen, a chamber music hall seating over 200 people. Troltsalen is the center of the museum's concert activities with renowned acoustics. We plan to end our visit with a concert before having our farewell group dinner this evening in Bergen. (B, D)

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16, Sunday Depart Bergen

After breakfast at the hotel, we transfer to Bergen's Flesland airport to check in for our flights and head back across the Atlantic. (B)

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The cost of your tour includes:

Airport transfers roundtrip from Appleton WI to Chicago O'Hare will be provided by motorcoach.

Air transportation from Chicago to Oslo and returning from Bergen to Chicago with any regularly scheduled air carrier, based on a nonrefundable/nonchangeable fare, which requires a minimum of 10 passengers traveling round trip together. The identity of the carrier, which may include the carrier's code-share partner, will be assigned and disclosed in your final documents. Tickets are issued 45 days prior to departure. All current airlines taxes, security fees and fuel surcharges are included. Note that these items cannot be guaranteed until tickets are issued.

Secure flight information. The requirement to collect date of birth, gender, and full name are federally mandated by the Transportation Security Administration's (TSA) Secure Flight Program. While disclosure of this information is voluntary, if it is not provided, participants may be denied boarding. TSA's privacy policy, as well as additional details, can be found at tsa.gov using the keywords Secure Flight. Witte takes all reasonable steps to safeguard the privacy of all information collected from its clients.

Frequent flyer points are not guaranteed in connection with group airfares. Some airlines may limit group airfare credits to 25% to 50% of the frequent flyer points that apply to individuals while others do not offer any credits for group airfares.

Hazardous Materials. Federal law forbids the carriage of hazardous materials aboard aircraft in your luggage or on your person. A violation can result in five years' imprisonment and penalties of \$250,000 or more (49 U.S.C. 5124). Hazardous materials include explosives, compressed gases, flammable liquids and solids, oxidizers, poisons, corrosives and radioactive materials. For more information, examples and special exceptions, visit: <http://www.tsa.gov/traveler-information/prohibited-items>.

Land transportation. A deluxe air-conditioned motorcoach is used for transfers, excursions, and travel between cities. Because motorcoach travel is restricted in many European cities, sightseeing is often done on foot or via public transportation. Additional transportation by ferry and train is arranged prior and in accordance to the itinerary.

Accommodations in moderate first-class to standard first-class hotels based on three students sharing a room with private facilities. When hotels in these categories are not available, top-quality superior tourist-class properties are selected. Adult directors and chaperons will be accommodated in twin-bedded rooms. **The supplement for double accommodations is \$425. The single supplement is \$955.** If you register alone but want a roommate, we will do our best to assign one. If a single room must be assigned to any member of the group for any reason, even if it is at the last minute or while on tour, we will need to charge the single supplement. Changes in rooming arrangements requested by the participant 45 or fewer days prior to departure may result in additional charges.

Meals. Breakfast daily and dinners as indicated in the itinerary. Dinners do not include beverages.

Tour Personnel. An English-speaking tour manager to accompany the group from arrival in Oslo until departure from Bergen. The tour manager may be assisted by local guides as needed.

Sightseeing and admission fees in accordance with the itinerary.

Tipping and taxes are included for all services, including the tip for the tour manager and motorcoach driver.

The tour cost does not include passports, airline luggage fees if charged, portage of luggage, optional travel protection plan including luggage and trip cancellation coverage, optional excursions, independent meals, and any other items not mentioned as included.

Insecticide Disclosure. Some countries require that aircraft be treated with insecticides prior to flight or while occupied. For a list of the countries with insecticide requirements, go to <http://airconsumer.dot.gov/spray.htm>.

Optional travel protection. For your convenience, Witte Travel offers the Travel Select protection plan through Travel Insurance Services. Full trip cost must be insured, trip length must be 30 days or less and max trip cost is \$10,000. To be eligible for the pre-existing medical condition exclusion waiver, the protection plan must be purchased within 15 days from the time you make your initial trip payment, provided you are medically fit to travel at the time of purchase and full trip cost is insured. The pre-existing medical exclusion applies to you, your traveling companion, business partner and traveling or non-traveling family member. For all traveling companions to benefit from the pre-existing condition waiver, each must enroll in travel protection within 15 days of initial payment and meet the qualifications for the pre-existing condition waiver. Please contact Witte for a plan quote and to enroll. This travel protection plan is refundable during the 15-day (30 day for IN residents) review period following the purchase of the plan; as long as you have not departed on your trip or filed a claim.

Schedule of Coverages	Maximum Coverage Amount (up to the limits shown below)
Trip Cancellation	100% of Insured Trip Cost
Trip Interruption	150% of Insured Trip Cost
Trip Delay	\$2,000 (\$250/day)
Missed Connection	\$750
Baggage & Personal Effects	\$1,000
Baggage Delay	\$200
Emergency Medical & Dental Expense	\$50,000(\$500 dental sublimit)
Emergency Evacuation and Repatriation	\$500,000
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	\$250,000
24 Hour Travel Assistance & Concierge Services*	Included

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Documentation: Passports, Visas, and Travel Consent for Minors. All U.S. citizens are required to have a valid passport book to travel internationally. If you already have a passport book, check its expiration date now since the country visited on this tour requires passports to be valid for at least six months beyond the traveler's intended return date. If your passport is due to expire earlier, you will need to obtain a new one. If you do not have a passport book or need a new one, apply as soon as possible. If you plan to visit other countries on your own, contact Witte for any special requirements. All non-U.S. citizens should contact Witte for their special requirements. We will check the requirements for non-U.S. citizens at the time they register and again approximately 45 days prior to departure. Witte is not responsible for any changes in requirements for non-U.S. citizens that occur after our final check.

When travelling domestically or internationally, the U.S. Transportation Security Administration (TSA) and U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) advise that everyone carry at least two forms of acceptable identification in order to board a flight found <http://www.tsa.gov/traveler-information/acceptable-ids>. Examples: DHS-designated enhanced driver's license, U.S. Passport, a foreign government passport. The name, date of birth and gender that appears on the identification card must exactly match the same data listed on airline ticket(s) and booking records

Minor children traveling internationally without both parents are strongly encouraged to carry a notarized note signed by both parents stating that they have permission to travel without one or both of them. It has become increasingly necessary to possess such a note, and will save time if questions arise departing from the U.S. or to exit a foreign country. In order to download a sample minor consent form go to: <https://www.us-passport-service-guide.com/minor-travel-consent-form.html> The sample form is a guide only. Parents who share custody of their children should carry copies of the legal custody documents. Important note: Parents are responsible to contact the embassy of the country or countries the minor child will be visiting to confirm all travel entry and exit requirements, which may include obtaining additional notarized documentation.

HEALTH DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS. You are responsible to make absolutely certain to have the proper immunizations and required documentation of such immunizations before travel. Witte shall not assume responsibility for the accuracy of health requirements or vaccination documentation prior to departure or upon landing at the final destination. See your health practitioner for advice. Prior to travel, required inoculations, if any, must be recorded by your health practitioner on a valid vaccination certificate, and you must carry for proof of inoculation where required. If you are concerned about taking any medications or receiving certain inoculations, and adequate timing of such inoculations relative to your travel booking, consult your health practitioner BEFORE booking. Check the U.S. State Department websites <http://travel.state.gov> for relevant information relating to travel to specific destinations, the USA Centers for Disease Control <http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/destinations/list/> and the World Health Organization <http://www.who.int/en/> relating to health issues.

Luggage allowance. You may take one suitcase with a maximum size of 62 linear inches (height plus width plus depth) and weight of 50 lbs. You may also carry a purse, a camera and one piece of hand luggage with a maximum size of 45 linear inches and weight of 15 lbs. These size and weight restrictions conform to most airlines' requirements. Hand luggage does not fit in the overhead bins on the motorcoach. There may be room for it in the storage compartment under the coach or by an empty seat on board. If not, it will need to be placed on the floor in front of your feet. You will be responsible for your own luggage throughout the tour so don't bring more than you can comfortably lift and carry. Backpack-style and over-the-shoulder luggage is recommended.

Tour cost. The tour cost is based on a group of 40 passengers and current tariffs for air and land arrangements. Tour pricing is based on 2023 costs and will be repriced 11 months prior to departure.

Please note that these travel arrangements are subject to possible price increases due to additional charges imposed by a supplier or government. You may be charged additional sums by Witte to offset increased fees, fuel surcharges, taxes, fluctuations in foreign exchange markets, and/or changes in group size. Before passing on an increase, Witte will use its best efforts to minimize the amount. If it is necessary to increase the tour cost, participants will be advised at final billing and provided with a summary of the contributing factors. Your signature on the registration form indicates consent to any post-purchase price increases.

Reservations and payments. To make reservations on this tour, complete the Registration Form and return it as indicated. Registration by July 31, 2023 is encouraged. Reservations cannot be accepted over the telephone. Payments are due as follows:
Deposit of \$500 per person with Registration Form.
Payment of \$1,500 per person by January 1, 2024.
Payment of \$1,500 per person by March 1, 2024.
Balance due on receipt of final invoice sent approximately 30 to 45 days prior to departure
If you are registering for the tour after one of the above payment dates, increase your deposit amount accordingly so your account will be up to date. Please note that checks returned due to insufficient funds are subject to a \$30 service fee.

Credit card payments. Visa, MasterCard, Discover or American Express credit cards are accepted for the deposit. The deposit charge is processed shortly after receipt of your registration form.

Cancellations and refunds. Witte must receive notice of cancellation in writing. Penalties are per person and will be based on the date of receipt, as follows:
More than 90 days before departure \$300
Between 90 and 46 days before departure \$1,875
45 or fewer days before departure No refund

The service fee noted under "Special Flight Arrangements" and the nonrefundable portion of any special arrangements, or any other non-refundable arrangements made on behalf of the canceling participant, are also added to the above penalties. Allow two to four weeks for processing of refunds. Depending on volume, refunds may take up to eight to 12 weeks to process. Note that payments made by check are refunded by check to the person or organization that made the payments, and payments charged to a credit card are credited back to the same credit card.

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community health concern. If you refuse to comply with these rules of conduct, you understand that Witte Travel & Tours reserves the right to remove you from the trip and you are responsible for any associated expenses. Witte reserves the right to accept or reject any person as a member of the tour and to expel from the tour any participant whose conduct or condition is incompatible with the interest of the group.

Land-only participants. If you wish to make your own flight arrangements, contact Witte for the land-only cost at least 90 days prior to departure. Participants who make their own flight arrangements are strongly encouraged to coordinate their flight schedules with the group's flight schedule and to use the same airports. The group's airport transfers on the arrival and return days will be timed to the group's flight schedule. Land-only participants may need to arrange for their own airport transfers. Contact Witte for information and costs on options for private transfers. Witte cannot be responsible for any inconveniences to land-only participants resulting from changes in the group's flight schedule. Participants who change their status to land-only less than 90 days prior to departure may be subject to penalties imposed by the airlines.

Domestic flight connections. Note on your registration form if you would like to fly to and from the international departure city. You will be contacted with schedule options and costs. Witte must receive requests for connecting flights at least 45 days prior to departure.

Special meal requests and food allergies. Note special meal requests and food allergies on your registration form. Witte cannot be responsible if special requests are not met but we will pass them on to the airlines, hotels and restaurants. If you have dietary restrictions or food allergies, be sure to carry your medications with you at all times. Also, discuss your special needs with your tour personnel and ask the wait staff about the foods you are served.

Mobility Concerns. Sightseeing on Witte tours almost always includes walking. Visits to historical places often mean climbing stairs and walking on uneven surfaces or cobblestones. The Americans with Disabilities Act ("ADA") is only applicable within the U.S., and facilities for disabled individuals are limited outside its borders. A qualified and physically able companion must accompany travelers who need such assistance. Motorized scooters and wheelchairs are unsuitable for many trips. Transportation services, including many tour motor coaches, are not equipped with wheelchair ramps. Handicap accessibility is not always available. Witte tour personnel are not able to provide attendant services.

Consult your physician if you have any concerns about your ability to participate.

Time away from the tour. Advise Witte in writing at least 45 days before departure if you plan to spend some time away from the tour. Wherever possible, you will be credited for missed hotel nights.

Final tour documents—including itinerary, hotel list, passenger list, flight schedules with departure instructions, and luggage tags—are sent about 10 days prior to departure. Flight tickets are usually made available at the airport at check-in.

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Dietary Needs:

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Food allergies: _____

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Medical _____

Mailing Address

Home
Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Emergency Contact

NOT TRAVELING
WITH YOU _____ Phone (____) _____

Accommodations

Triple occupancy. Roommate preference:

1. _____

2. _____

If you do not specify a roommate, you will be assigned one. **Final roommate assignments are made at the discretion of your group leader.**

Double occupancy (+ \$425 per person = \$5,320) Single occupancy (+ \$955 per person = \$5,850)

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Optional Travel Protection

For your convenience, Witte Travel offers the Travel Select protection plan through Travelex Insurance Services. **Please contact Witte for a plan quote and to enroll.**

- I/we wish to purchase the offered travel protection plan and will contact Witte to enroll.
- I/we wish to decline the travel protection at this time. I/we understand that travel protection can be purchased later.

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- Comprehensive plan including coverage for Trip Cancellation/Interruption, Trip Delay, Medical Expense, Evacuation, and more. Policy can be purchased at any time prior to 5 days from scheduled departure date. **Within 5 days of scheduled departure, the policy is no longer available for purchase.**
- **The pre-existing medical condition exclusion is waived if you purchase within 15 days of your initial trip payment, provided all insureds are medically able to travel and all prepaid nonrefundable trip costs are insured. This exclusion applies to You and Traveling Companions as well as Business Partners and Family Members, whether traveling or not.**
- The premium for the travel protection plan is based on trip cost per person and age of Traveler at the time of purchase. For those travelers who purchase additional services and/or upgrade their arrangements, it may be necessary to upgrade insurance to be eligible for coverage.
- Children age 17 and under are covered under a parent's policy at no additional cost, when the child is accompanied by a covered adult/parent on the trip. Number of children is unlimited subject to maximum insured limits of policy. If child's trip cost exceeds adult's trip cost, the child will be charged the corresponding plan cost.
- Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison. Please visit www.travelexinsurance.com/company/fraud-warning to view the state specific fraud warnings or call 844.858.9910.

Signature

I/we have read, understand and accept the terms and conditions as outlined in the tour brochure. I/we acknowledge receipt of information about Witte's Travel Protection Plan as well as the Price Increase Rules.

Signature of participant _____ Date _____

Signature of parent or guardian _____ Date _____
(required for travelers under 18)

Payment reminders will be e-mailed. If no e-mail is provided, payment reminders will be sent via U.S. Mail.

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Email _____

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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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Deposit of \$500 per person with Registration Form by July 31, 2023

Payment of \$1,500 per person by January 1, 2024

Payment of \$1,500 per person by March 1, 2024

Balance due approximately 30 to 45 days prior to departure