

DISCOVER LEBANON Daily tours



REGULAR DAILY TOURS

| FULL DAYS | Days of Operations | Departure | Regions | Rate |
|-----------|--------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|------|
| | Monday | 08:30 am | Sidon, Tyr & Echmoun | \$85 |
| | Tuesday | 08:30 am | Cedars, Bcharreh & Qozhaya | \$85 |
| | | 08:30 am | Jeita, Harissa & Byblos | \$82 |
| | Wednesday | 08:30 am | Baalbeck, Ksara & Anjar | \$92 |
| | Thursday | 08:30 am | Cedars, Bcharreh & Qozhaya | \$85 |
| | Friday | 08:30 am | Baalbeck, Ksara & Anjar | \$82 |
| | | 08:30 am | Beirut, Beiteddine & Deir el Kamar | \$85 |
| | Saturday | 08:30 am | Jeita, Harissa & Byblos | \$92 |
| | Sunday | 08:30 am | Beirut, Beiteddine & Deir el Kamar | \$85 |

O Special rate for selected days

| HALF DAYS | Days of Operations | Departure | Regions | Rate |
|-----------|--------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|------|
| | Tuesday | 08:30 am | Jeita & Byblos | \$70 |
| | Wednesday | 08:30 am | Beirut & its Authentic Museums | \$75 |
| | Thursday | 08:30 am | Tripoli | \$60 |
| | Saturday | 08:30 am | Jeita & Byblos | \$70 |
| | Sunday | 08:30 am | Deir el Kamar & Beiteddine | \$50 |
| | | 01:30 pm | Beirut | \$40 |





HALF DAYS

JEITA & BYBLOS

Tuesday & Saturday at 08:30 am

The upper and lower grottoes will dazzle your eyes whilst the magnificent limestone crystallized forms carved by time and water. Continue to Byblos and visit the Crusaders Citadel, the roman theatre, St. John Cathedral, the harbor, the fossil museum and the souks.

BEIRUT & ITS AUTHENTIC MUSEUMS

Wednesday at 08:30 am (6 hours)

Start with BDL Lebanon's currency museum. Visit the National Museum, Continue to MIM museum of minerals. Visit of Downtown passing by the Grand Serail, the Roman Baths, the Parliament, etc... Visit of the crypt museum in "St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral".

TRIPOLI

Thursday at 08:30 am

In ancient times, Tripoli was the center of a Phoenician confederation which included Tyre, Sidon and Arados, hence its name, meaning "triple city" in Greek. Visit the citadel of St. Gilles, the Medina, the Caravanserail of Soap, and the souks.

DEIR EL KAMAR & BEITEDDINE

Sunday at 08:30 am

Visit Deir El Kamar, the typical Lebanese village with its red roofs declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO. Proceed to Beiteddine to visit the Palace of Emir Beshir built in 1788. Visit the Midan Square, the Salamlak & the stables.

BEIRUT

Sunday at 01:30pm

Visit the National Museum then admire the Corniche where lies the Pigeons Rock since the eternity. The tour ends on foot with the down town passing by the Grand Serail, the Roman Baths, the Parliament, the ancient mosques and Churches, Nejmeh Square & Martyrs Squar

FULL DAYS



SIDON, TYRE & ECHMOUN

Monday at 08:30 am

Visit the landmarks of Sidon including the Crusaders Castle, the Souks, the Caravanserail, the Soap Museum, etc..Continue to Tyre for lunch. Visit the ancient Phoenician city: the Necropolis, the Triumph arches, the Hippodrome, and the "Maritime Site". On the way back, stop for the temple of Echmoun.

CEDARS, BCHARREH & QOZHAYA

Tuesday & Thursday at 08:30 am

Visit the forest of the Cedars of God. Continue to Bsharreh, native town of the Lebanese poet, writer and painter Gibran Khalil Gibran. Visit its museum. Lunch. In the afternoon, visit the Monastery of Saint Anthony the Great lying at the edge of Qadisha Valley and house of the oldest printer in the Arab world.

JEITA, HARISSA & BYBLOS

Tuesday & Saturday at 08:30 am

The upper and lower grottoes will dazzle your eyes whilst the magnificent limestone crystallized forms carved by time and water. Continue to Harissato visit the statue of "Our Lady of Lebanon". Take the cable car down to Jounieh. Lunch then visit Byblos: the Crusaders Citadel, the roman theatre, St. John Cathedral, the harbor, the fossil museum and the souks.

BAALBECK, KSARA & ANJAR

Wednesday & Friday at 08:30 am

Departure to the Beqaa Valley. Visit Baalbeck, the largest Roman temples ever built: Jupiter, Bacchus and Venus temples. Continue to Ksara to taste the Lebanese Wine and visit the caves dated back to the Roman era. Lunch in a local restaurant. Then proceed to Anjar to visit the unique Umayyad site in Lebanon.

BEIRUT, BEITEDDINE & DEIR EL KAMAR

Friday & Sunday at 08:30 am

Departure to the Chouf. Visit Beiteddine, a palace of Emir Beshir, built in 1800. Quick stop at Deir el Kamar, the Lebanese typical village. Lunch in a local restaurant. Visit the National Museum of Beirut then admire the Corniche & the Pigeons Rock. The tour continues on foot with the down town passing by the Grand Serail, the Roman Baths, the ancient mosques and churches, Martyrs Square.

WINE TOURS

Lebanon is among the oldest sites of wine production in the world. Although many of the famous vineyards are located in the Bekaa, there is a significant wine-making presence in the North.

Wild Discovery offers you a variety of tours. You can chose from the below menu or contact us for your tailor made tour.

| Days | Regions | |
|-----------------------|--|-------|
| Sunday 15 July 18 | BATROUN CITY TOUR AND IXSIR WINERY | \$145 |
| Saturday 11 August 18 | JREBTA - ADYAR WINERY - KFIFANE | \$95 |
| Saturday 25 August 18 | CHATEAU KSARA - CHATEAU KEFRAYA - CHATEAU BELLE VUE | \$110 |

Rates are per person, valid for a minimum of 5 persons and include:

- Transportation by a minivan. Pick up & drop off from our office in Gemmayze. Pick up at 08h30.
- Services of our local guide (Arabic/French/English speaking)
- Entrance fees to the visited sites where applicable
- · Lunch including one soft drink & water
- · All local taxes (VAT Currently 11%)

Tips for guide & driver not included

BATROUN CITY TOUR AND IXSIR WINERY

Our first stop is the charming coastal town of Batroun; boasting tens of historic churches. The "Phoenician Wall" built in ancient times by the Phoenicians to protect the city from the wild ocean storms is still found today. Wander in the old stone souk of Batroun.

Continue to Basbina, where IXSIR, a Lebanese wine established in 2008, welcomes you to visit their winery. Wine tasting tour followed by the Buffet Lunch by Nicolas Audi, one of the best Lebanese chefs.

JREBTA - ADYAR WINERY - KFIFANE

Departure to visit the Convent of St. Joseph at Jrebta (The blessed Rafka), this convent was built in 1897; it belongs to the order of the Lebanese nuns. The Blessed Rafka was one of the six nuns who marked the beginning of the cloistered life in this convent, on the 3rd of November 1897. She lived there until she died on the 23rd of March 1914, confined to her bed by great sufferings. On the 27th of November 1985, His Holiness the Pope John-Paul II declared the Beatification of Rafka. Proceed to Adyar Winery for lunch followed by wine tasting. It's not simply a Lebanese Wine, it is a great "Vin de terroir". Visit the Monastery of Saint Cyprien and Justinian in Kfifane Village. Today it becomes a pilgrimage site thanks to Saint Nematallah Kassab Al-Hardini, who is buried in the modest place. Built well before the 17th century, in 1766 the Lebanese Maronite Order transformed the monastery into a seminary for study of theology, philosophy, literature and law.



CHATEAU KSARA - CHATEAU KEFRAYA - CHATEAU BELLE-VUE

Start your visit with Chateau Ksara, The country's oldest winery. It has been making wine since 1857, a tradition started by the Jesuit brothers. It is home to the first observatory in the Middle East and has two kilometers of Roman passages now used as the winery's cellars. Proceed to Château Kefraya located on the foothills of Mount Barouk. Both the vineyard planted in a series of terraces and slopes often steep at an altitude of 950 to 1100 meters, associated with exceptional sunshine - together with the winery, allowing manually harvested grapes to be led, stemmed, fermented and pressed with great care, have enabled the development of a wine with character to Château Kefraya. Lunch at Tawlet Ammiq, located amongst the Wetlands and the Mountains. On the way back to Beirut, visit Chateau Belle-Vue, situated at the edge of Bhamdoun village. Belle-Vue itself was originally a beautiful hotel owned and run by Naji Boutros' maternal grandparents. Hotel Belle-Vue no longer exists, but symbolically, this was the first vineyard planted with vines in April 2000. Years later, they now cultivated 30,000 vines on dozens of plots in and around the village. After decades of disuse and neglect, the valley is again green and bountiful.



PRIVATE WINE TOURS

Wild Discovery can get you access to Chateau Marsyas' estate for a private wine tour & tasting experience. Visits are available by appointment only.

CHATEAU MARSYAS

Discover the philosophy of the Johnny R.Saadé family, enjoy a walk through the vineyard and a visit of the cellar followed by a tasting of Château Marsyas' stunning wines. The estate is located near the village of Kefraya in the Bekaa Valley.



PRIVATE TOURS

BY REGULAR CAR (Honda Civic, Toyota Corolla or similar)



1-2 pax capacity without guide

BY 7 - SEATER (Toyota Innova, Kia Carnival or similar)



3-4 pax capacity without guide

BY 12 - SEATER (Hyundai H1, Mercedes MB or similar)



up to 8 pax capacity without guide

* Rates for regular cars will vary depending on the itinerary chosen

Supplement guide (full day 8 hours for less than 8 persons)

USD **150**

Supplement guide

(half day 4 hours for less than 8 persons)

USD100

Guides can only be booked through us if the vehicle is provided by our company VAT included (currently at 11%)

GENERAL CONDITIONS

Regular Daily Tours

- Departures are guaranteed starting 2 persons
- All tours depart from our office in Gemayzeh as per the schedule
- All prices are per person & include:
- Transportation in a deluxe modern A/C vehicle
- Services of our accompanying guide (English, Arabic and French)
- Entrance fees to the visited sites
- Lunch in the finest local restaurants with one soft drink (only for full day tours)
- VAT (currently at 11 %)
- Children under 12 years old are entitled to a discount of 25% (Not valid on half day tours and on discounted rates)
- Free pick-ups are arranged from hotels in Beirut (45 minutes prior to departure time depending on the hotel location). Free drop-offs are arranged to same guests at the closest point to their hotel
- Guests are requested to be ready at the reception desk of their hotel.
- For pick-ups from hotels outside Beirut, please refer to our office to provide you with our special prices
- * Tips for guide and driver are not included

Private Tours

- Prices of private tours include:
- Car rental, Driver services & Fuel expenses Insurance Limited mileage per day (150 Km) / 8 hrs rental - VAT (currently at 11%)
- · Prices are valid within Lebanon only

IMPORTANT TO NOTE

- The National Museum of Beirut, The Gibran Museum in Bcharre and The Beiteddine Palace are closed on Mondays & National Holidays
- The Jeita Grottoes are closed on Mondays
- The Ksara Caves are closed on National Holidays
- The Crusaders Castle in Sidon is closed on Mondays
- The souks in Sidon, Tyre & Tripoli are closed on Fridays and National Holidays



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