

Mallorca

AUTUMN IN THE BALEARICS

LIMOSA HOLIDAYS | TOUR INFO PACK



An adult Eleonora's Falcon against the crystal clear waters of the Mediterranean © Stephen Daly/Daly Wildlife

2019 **Thursday 3rd - Thursday 10th October (8 days)** **Single-centre, small group tour with Fernando Enrique**

RETURNING! *Mallorca is both an ideal destination for an autumn birding getaway and the perfect introduction to birdwatching in the Med. Its mountains and marshes, woodlands and spectacular cliff coasts are attractive to a host of resident and migratory birds. October is the best time for great views of Eleonora's Falcons, the adults now busily feeding their young on migrant passerines; 'black-bag' Cinereous Vultures hulk over the limestone hills, where Sardinian, Spectacled and the endemic Balearic Warblers can all be found. The island's extensive wetlands secrete other of Europe's scarcest breeding birds - furtive Moustached Warblers, chunky Western Swamphens, and rare Marbled Ducks and Red-knobbed Coots. Lying across a major migration route, there's the added thrill of autumn passage, too!*

- Easy autumn birding on the Mediterranean island of Mallorca
- Rakish Eleonora's Falcons chasing down migrants coming in off the sea
- Cinereous, Egyptian and Griffon Vultures, plus Booted and Bonelli's Eagles in the hills
- S'Albufera Marsh - the largest and most important wetland in the Balearics
- Moustached Warbler, Western Swamphen, Red-knobbed Coot, Marbled Duck, Audouin's Gull
- Rugged limestone landscape holds Thekla Lark, Spectacled and the endemic Balearic Warbler
- Migrants include shorebirds, Wryneck, Icterine Warbler, Pied and Mediterranean Flycatchers
- Small group tour based near Puerto Pollensa, on the island's bird-rich northeast coast
- Expertly led by Limosa's own English-speaking, Spanish specialist Fernando Enrique

What's Included?

- Limosa Tour Leader
- Return flights - London Heathrow to Palma (Mallorca), nonstop with British Airways
- 7 nights accommodation at a comfortable hotel near Puerto Pollensa, on the island's north coast
- All main meals included - with drinking water provided during the day
- Minibus transport
- All excursions, entry fees, airport taxes and tour based tips

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Outline Itinerary

- Day 1:** We fly London Heathrow-Palma and transfer to our hotel at Puerto Pollensa, on the island's bird-rich northeast coast. Night Puerto Pollensa
- Days 2-7:** Our base at Puerto Pollensa is well placed to visit all the key birding sites: S'Albufera, Boquer Valley, Salinas de Levante, Cabo de Salinas, the Artà & Formentor Peninsulas, Tramuntanas Mountains and Cuber Reservoir. Six further nights at Puerto Pollensa
- Day 8:** We should have time to enjoy some final birding today before returning to Palma. Fly Palma-London

Tour Overview

Mallorca is the largest of the Balearic Islands, flanked by Menorca to the east and Ibiza to the west, and situated 200 kms from the nearest mainland coast in Spain. It is classically 'Mediterranean' in its limestone landscape, with a range of high mountains along the north coast, which drop sharply into the sea creating some magnificent cliffs, and a wealth of the *garrigue* and *maquis* habitats typical of the region. In s'Albufera, it has one of the largest marshes anywhere in the western Mediterranean, and there's an area of productive salt pans near the island's southernmost tip.

Although many visitors head to Mallorca in spring, in autumn the weather is warm and the southbound bird migration is an exciting time. Thousands of birds pass over and through the island, resting and feeding before continuing to their winter quarters in Africa: anything can turn up here!

The elegant Eleonora's Falcon times its breeding to hit the peak of autumn bird migration through the island, picking off tired passerines as they come in off the sea! In early October, it is superb to watch both the dark and light morph adults and their recently fledged young as they sear across the cerulean skies and azure seas.

Mallorca's comparative isolation from mainland Europe has resulted in a number of rare species making the varied habitats of the north their home: Cinereous (Black) and Egyptian Vultures, Audouin's Gull and the endemic Balearic Warbler await!

Taking a lesson from Eleonora's Falcon, our October tour is planned to coincide with the likely peak of autumn migration. And by staying beside the northeast coast at Puerto Pollensa, we shall be within easy reach of most of the island's best birding locations. We'll take a walk along the famous Boquer Valley watching for migrants and birds of prey; explore the island's two key wetlands - Albufereta marsh and S'Albufera de Mallorca - in search of Moustached Warbler and Marbled Duck; drive up into the Tramuntanas Mountains seeking the immense Black Vulture; and pay a visit to the coast at Cala San Vicente, where migrants arrive in the trees and Balearic Warblers skulk in the *maquis*.

To the east, the Formentor Peninsula is spectacular and, from the tip, Balearic and Scopoli's Shearwaters may be seen passing offshore. At the opposite end of the island we'll visit the Salinas de Levante, where passage waders stop to refuel, and Cabo de Salinas, where the fields are good for Stone-curlew and the headland offers another chance of Balearic Warbler. Small clumps of pine can hold Pied, Spotted and Mediterranean Flycatchers, Icterine Warbler, Wryneck and the sentinel Woodchat Shrike.

Making a long overdue return to the Limosa programme, our autumn tour to Mallorca is ideal for those that are new to birding in southern Europe and wanting to enjoy some of the best and most exciting Mediterranean species. It's also a great destination for anyone wishing to experience the thrill of autumn migration - or simply looking for a short autumn break packed with good birds. The pace is gentle, with warm autumn sun and rewarding birdwatching under the excellent tutelage of our top rated, English-speaking Spanish specialist, Fernando Enrique, who knows the island well.

Daily Itinerary

Day 1

FLY PALMA, TRANSFER TO PUERTO POLLENSA

Our autumn birdwatching tour to Mallorca begins with morning departure from London Heathrow to Palma, where Fernando will be waiting to welcome us. The drive northeast along the island's new motorway will whisk us away to the coast at Puerto Pollensa in good time to settle into our hotel for the week.

Having freshened up at the hotel, we will take a first walk nearby to get a feel for the area and some of the birds of Mallorca. The Albufereta Marsh is a wonderful wetland area close to our hotel and here we could well be treated to our first Zitting Cisticolas, Marsh Harriers or even Audouin's Gulls on the beach. In places, we might find flowering Autumn Narcissus and the twisting spikes of Autumn Lady's Tresses. *Night Puerto Pollensa*

DAYS 2-7

BIRDWATCHING ON MALLORCA

Puerto Pollensa is perfectly situated for an autumn birdwatching tour, being right on the island's bird-rich northeast coast. With fresh migrants arriving daily and a wide variety of habitats to choose from, we shall never be short of places to go - although we may make more than one visit to some sites as, in autumn, the island's birdlife changes every day. Throughout the island we may come across the likes of Black Kite, Pallid and Alpine Swifts, Bee-eater, Hoopoe, Short-toed Lark, Red-rumped Swallow, Crag Martin, Cetti's, Fan-tailed and Sardinian Warblers, Serin and Cirl Bunting... well, just about anywhere!

BOQUER VALLEY

The Boquer Valley is a beautiful place to stroll as well as being an area well known for migrant birds as they arrive from the north and funnel along the valley. Highlights here might include the attractive Hoopoe, smart Cirl Buntings and Serins, perhaps a 'real' Rock Dove, Wryneck, Crag Martin and Common Redstart. Keeping one eye on the sky, we'll also be looking out for Booted Eagle, Egyptian Vulture and the dashing Eleonora's Falcon high above the peaks.

PARC NATURAL DE S'ALBUFERA & ALBUFERETA MARSH

Just to the south near Alcudia is the most important wetland habitat on Mallorca: the Parc Natural de S'Albufera, a 2200-hectare freshwater marsh with extensive reedbeds that provide a wealth of insect life (notably dragonflies) - fuel for passing migrants such as terns, Bee-eaters, hirundines and warblers. Among resident species, Marsh Harrier and Moustached Warbler are key - the latter has up to 1,000 pairs, but they are a very secretive species that typically feed very low in the reeds, close to the water's edge, and can be tricky to find.

Having taken the main track along the canal and checked the trees for roosting Night Herons, we will call at the reserve headquarters before exploring some of the numerous tracks that give access to the reedbeds and open areas of water. In autumn, there is usually an excellent selection of herons, egrets, waterfowl and waders as well as localised specialities such as Marbled Duck, Western Swamphen and Red-knobbed Coot. Each of the places we visit has its own special attractions. S'Albufera is home to around 50% of the critically endangered Spanish subspecies of Reed Bunting *Emberiza schoeniclus witherbyi*; notable for their thicker bills typical of southern European subspecies, there are now fewer than 100 pairs in the whole country.

Here, and at the smaller Albufereta marsh (on the other side of town), we'll seek a variety of other wetland birds. Little Egret, Purple Heron, Little Bittern, Garganey, Osprey and Great Reed Warbler are often about, while October brings the possibility of rarities such as Squacco Heron, Marsh Sandpiper, Slender-billed Gull and Red-throated Pipit.

TRAMUNTANAS MOUNTAINS, CUBER RESERVOIR & CALA SAN VICENTE

Driving east from Puerto Pollensa, we head up into the picturesque and rugged limestone mountains of the Tramuntanas. Watching for raptors as we go, we visit the Cuber Reservoir. A small patch of pines could produce the local Balearic race of Red Crossbill and Tawny Pipits are sometimes calling here or a little down the path to the reservoir.

Scanning the surrounding limestone peaks we hope to spot the huge Black Vulture coasting over one of its few remaining European haunts, and we may be lucky with Egyptian Vulture, a declining species which has become very scarce in recent years. This can be a great spot for Booted Eagle and Peregrine, and the reservoir edges are well worth checking for Eleonora's Falcon (which regularly comes down to bathe) and Osprey. In autumn, migrants often frequent the track and streamside vegetation. Chiffchaff, Reed Warbler and Blackcap are usually about and we'll listen for the wren-like call of the secretive Spectacled Warbler from the scrubby slopes.

Along the island's north coast, small secluded valleys head down to the sea. Cala San Vicente is one such place, where we will search the autumnal trees for migrants and take a track into the coastal *maquis* for a chance of seeing the diminutive and endemic Balearic Warbler.

CASAS VELLAS & MIRADORS, FORMENTOR & ARTA PENINSULAS

The Formentor Peninsula is an extension of the Tramuntanas range - and another area not to be missed! in autumn, this immensely scenic and northeasternmost corner of the island is a good spot for southbound migrants. Just as we wind up the hills north of Puerto Pollensa, the Mirador viewpoints at the start of the peninsula provide views back to the town as well as into the mouth of the Boquer Valley. We may be treated here to eye-to-eye views of Blue Rock Thrush, Raven, Crag Martin, Peregrine and - best of all - rakish Eleonora's Falcons as they enjoy the breeze and search for tired migrant birds on the way south.

The road to the lighthouse is interesting and arriving at the eastern tip of the peninsula we could well see more Eleonora's Falcons plus shearwaters as they coast by offshore. We will spend some time at Casas Vellas, an area of fields harbouring fig and olive groves as well as grape vines in the middle of this otherwise pine-covered peninsula. The varied vegetation attracts many southbound migrants in autumn and amidst the many Chiffchaffs and Blackcaps we will look for flycatchers, Serin, Red Crossbill and the diminutive Firecrest.

The Artà Peninsula lies south of Formentor and is a scenic although not very high mountainous area, rising to around 500m (1600 feet). The habitat here is very similar to the Tramuntana area, with valleys covered in Mediterranean scrub and patches of pine woodland. Mallorca's last breeding pair of Egyptian Vultures is to be found here, as are Balearic and Sardinian Warblers, and Artà is a good spot for Thekla Lark, Blue Rock Thrush and Tawny Pipit, too.

SALINAS DE LEVANTE AND CABO DE SALINAS

On one day will drive south to the saltpans at Salinas de Levante - the best site on the island for shorebirds. Access is best on the southern pans and by stopping frequently we should find Kentish Plover and Black-winged Stilt. In the autumn, the salt pans are attractive to migrant waders and by following the road that skirts the southeastern edge, we will gain good views of Bar-tailed Godwit, Greenshank and Ruff, plus numerous Little Stints. Numbers of Greater Flamingo have risen over the years and they can be seen here in autumn as they gather to spend the winter feeding on the pans. Osprey put in regular appearances and autumn butterflies to watch for include Two-tailed Pasha, Plain Tiger (African Monarch) and Swallowtail.

To the south of the salt pans, the Cabo de Salinas lighthouse marks the southernmost tip of the island. Getting there involves crossing rough sheep pasture and a marvellous area of undisturbed *garrigue*, which is home to Eurasian Stone-curlew and Thekla Lark. Migrants such as Turtle Dove, Whinchat, Northern Wheatear and Woodchat Shrike may be found sheltering amidst the low stone walls and scattered bushes.

From the beach and headland we should see the blood-billed Audouin's Gull - one of the rarest gulls in the world - and if the winds are right, Scopoli's and Balearic Shearwaters may also be passing by offshore. Balearic Warblers occur in the scrub - but there are Sardinian Warblers, too so we shall need to look (and listen) carefully!

Day 8 PUERTO POLLENSA, FLY LONDON

Depending on airline flight schedules, we should have time to enjoy some further birdwatching on

Mallorca today. Leaving Puerto Pollensa, we travel back to Palma, the island's capital, and check-in for our return flight to London, where our autumn birding tour to Mallorca concludes.

Trip Information

Group Limit Max of 7 participants & 1 leader

Birds: 90-120 species

What To Expect

Our daily routine on Mallorca will be to take a pre-breakfast walk (optional) - perhaps visiting Albufereta Marsh or the beginning of the Boquer Valley. After returning for breakfast, we'll travel out by minibus to one of the island's many excellent sites for our main birding of the day. The majority of Mallorca's best birding locations lie within an easy drive of our hotel and we will then spend a full morning watching birds and other wildlife before thinking about lunch.

Lunches may be taken at a local restaurant or as tasty picnics comprising fresh bread, local cheeses and hams, fruit and drinks, bought from a store. After lunch on some days (particularly if the weather is hot), we may take the opportunity of a short break - if possible back at the hotel - before heading out mid afternoon to another prime birding spot. We return to our hotel in good time to get ready for dinner and to call the day's checklist.

Accommodation 7 nights accommodation at a good quality hotel close to the coast near Puerto Pollensa. All rooms have private facilities.

Meals All main meals are included in the tour price, commencing with dinner at our hotel on Day 1 and concluding with either breakfast or lunch (according to flight schedules) on Day 8. Breakfasts and evening meals will be taken in the hotel. Our lunches may variously be taken at a local restaurant or as picnics in the field.

Walking Easy. Short walks (up to 3 km or so) over predominantly level terrain. Being on limestone, some tracks can be rough at times

- a walking pole can be useful here, and some participants might like to carry a lightweight collapsible stool. We recommend comfortable walking shoes or lightweight boots, with sturdy corrugated soles for grip.

Weather The weather in early October is often warm and sunny, with daytime temperatures at Puerto Pollensa in the range of 13-23C/55-73F (average 18C/64F). It can be cool first thing, however (ground frost is possible at this season). Being near the coast, it can be breezy at times - notably on the cliffs at Formentor - and you should expect some rain or showers in autumn (30% chance)... but these bring the birds!

Flights We fly London Heathrow-Palma, nonstop with British Airways.

*** Flights from Gatwick and some UK regional airports may also be possible for the benefit of participants wishing to avoid London. Please ask our office for details and flight supplement at time of booking. ***

Ground Transport By minibus.

Tour Cost

2019 (8 days): £1795 (inc flights from London)
Land only: £1645
Deposit: £300
Single Supp: £195

Cost includes

- Limosa Tour Leader
- Return flights - London Heathrow-Palma
- 7 nights hotel accommodation on Mallorca
- All main meals (with drinking water provided)
- Minibus transport
- All excursions, entry fees, tour based tips and taxes
- Map & Limosa checklist of birds

Cost excludes

Insurance, drinks, airport/in-flight meals and snacks & other items of a personal nature.

About Your Guides

Fernando Enrique Fernando is our resident Spanish expert, a bird tour guide, all-round naturalist and biologist whose home is at Algeciras overlooking the Strait of Gibraltar. As a child, he was fascinated by the kettles of raptors that formed above his home and being born in the Strait, Europe's most important bird migration route, helped shape his love of birds and nature. At 18, Fernando became one of the youngest bird-ringers in Spain, while his eagerness to learn about more and more species led him to travel widely in Europe, Africa, Asia and Central America. Despite his relatively young age (he's now 32), he has already worked on projects with a number of species - some facing serious conservation problems - including Montagu's Harrier, Lesser Kestrel, Griffon Vulture and White Stork, as well as studying the effects of wind farms on birds. Spanish is Fernando's first language but his command of English is excellent and he is a delight to travel with, earning rave reviews from participants. He leads our tours to Guatemala and northern Morocco as well as those across Spain, including Mallorca - a destination he knows well.

Financial Security

Limosa Holidays is a fully bonded Tour Operator and a member of the Association of Independent Tour Operators (AITO). We hold an ATOL (Air Tour Operators Licence) granted by the CAA, providing for your protection in the event of Limosa Holidays' insolvency. Our ATOL licence number is ATOL 2950.

For tours not including the cost of a flight from the UK or for holidays booked by you as 'Land Only', all payments made to us are fully bonded through the Association of Bonded Travel Organisers Trust Limited (ABTOT). Our ABTOT membership number is 5230. For details please see our brochure or website: <http://www.limosaholidays.co.uk/financial-protection>

Limosa Loyalty Discount

We are proud of the number of loyal customers who travel regularly with us. As our way of

saying 'thank you', we offer a **Frequent Travel Discount**. Under the scheme, everyone who takes four trips with us is entitled to claim a 5% discount on their 5th trip. ^{*1}

^{*1} **Conditions:** *This offer applies to the basic tour cost only and excludes certain commission-based trips, extra costs such as additional flights or accommodation, private extensions and cancellations.* • Discounts cannot be given in lieu of tour deposits or off the cost of single room supplements. • **Please note discount must be requested at time of booking!**

How To Book

Check availability on our website or with our office. We are happy to hold Provisional Reservations for up to 7 days. After this, we do require a Booking Form and deposit to confirm your place on tour. Any unconfirmed space will be released.

Book Online, by Phone or by Post

You can book and pay the deposit simply and securely **Online** via our website, using the '**Book This Tour**' button on the relevant tour page or the **Booking** tab at the top of the page.

Telephone bookings must be confirmed in writing by completion of a Booking Form (there's one tucked inside every brochure or as a PDF download from our website), which can be mailed to us in the time honoured way.

Be sure to read our **Booking Conditions** and **General Information** (found at the back of our brochure, on our website or available from our office on request) prior to booking.

When to Book

Early booking is advised since flights and accommodation are much more easily secured well in advance. To encourage early booking, we are pleased to offer an **Early Bird Discount** - see our current brochure or website for details.

All our tours are limited to small group sizes. So they can fill up quickly - sometimes even before our new brochure comes out! Single rooms in

particular can often be in short supply and among the first to go, so do try to plan well ahead if you definitely require one of these.

Last-minute Bookings: We inevitably receive a few unexpected cancellations over the course of a season so it is always worth enquiring about vacancies on any tour - even for those departing in just a few weeks!

Payments

Deposit: The amount of **booking deposit** per person is shown alongside every tour. We accept deposit payments by **electronic bank transfer** (please ask for our bank details), **UK debit card** and **cheque** (made payable to *Limosa Holidays* and drawn on a UK bank in GBPounds Sterling).

For payment of **booking deposits** only we also accept Visa and MasterCard credit cards.

Balance: Full payment of the **tour balance** is due not later than 12 weeks prior to departure (20 weeks in the case of certain tours such as cruises or those involving rail travel). We will send you an invoice before the balance is due.

We accept balance payments and any additional payments (e.g. interim flight deposits, flight upgrades, extra hotels etc) by **electronic bank transfer (BACS)**, **UK debit card** or **cheque**.

Payment by overseas customers must be in GB Pounds Sterling and may be made by electronic transfer direct to our bank (please ask for our bank details).

We do **not** accept cheques on US Banks in US Dollars, or cheques in Euros or Eurocheques.

Credit cards - please note:

(i) We do **NOT** accept credit cards or overseas debit cards for balance payments (including any additional or interim payments) from customers living within the UK or European Economic Area (the EEA is the EU countries plus Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway).

(ii) For customers living in North America, Australia and all other areas outside of the UK and the European Economic Area we are able

to accept payment by Visa and MasterCard credit cards or overseas debit card but with a charge of 2.5% of the transaction amount to help offset card company charges.

Late Booking Payments: In order for us to guarantee your airline seats, hotels etc., full payment is required at time of booking for all late bookings (i.e. bookings made within 12 weeks of departure).

Other Things You Need To Know

Passports & Visas

For UK passport holders, for stays of up to three months, your **passport must be valid for the proposed duration of your stay**.

No additional period of validity beyond this is required, but when travelling anywhere overseas we **always recommend** that your passport has a minimum of 6 months left to run after your intended date of return home in case of unforeseen delay.

• **VISA NOT REQUIRED** by UK passport holders for this tour.

Holders of non-UK passports should contact the nearest Spanish embassy or consulate to enquire whether or not they require a visa. If a visa is required, you need to apply locally. If the embassy or consulate requires you to provide a letter confirming that you are booked on an all-inclusive tour, please contact our office and we will be happy to provide one.

Health & Vaccinations

Compulsory vaccinations: None.

Recommended vaccinations: For travel everywhere (even within the UK) however, we recommend you check you are up-to-date with protection against tetanus, polio and hepatitis A.

The above information, together with that contained within our Travel Information sheets (sent to everyone who books), outlines health requirements for this tour. **Please note that**

these details are given for guidance only - and are only for certain diseases - and you must consult your doctor in good time prior to travel as to what immunisations (if any) are needed for your chosen holiday.

For full and up-to-date health information we **urge everyone to consult The National Travel Health Network and Centre (NaTHNaC) website www.fitfortravel.nhs.uk prior to booking any overseas holiday.**

NaTHNaC is funded by the UK Government's Health Protection Agency and provides health information for both health professionals and travellers, with information compiled by its own clinical and scientific team. You can search for individual country requirements, which are updated regularly.

Your Safety & Travel Advice

An unavoidable aspect of travelling abroad nowadays is the risk it may pose to your safety and security. The best advice on current risks is provided by the UK Foreign & Commonwealth Office (FCO). In order to assess and protect against any risks in your chosen destination we **strongly recommended** that you refer to the relevant FCO Travel Advice - both prior to booking and regularly before you travel. See www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice

It is standard Limosa policy for our office to send a copy of the relevant FCO Travel Advice about the tour to all participants along with their Final Letter (ca. 2-3 weeks prior to the trip).

'**Travel Aware**' - staying safe and healthy abroad - is a travel safety campaign run by the FCO, and another useful resource. Go to: <https://www.gov.uk/travelaware>

Travel Insurance

Good travel insurance is **essential** before setting off on any overseas trip. In common with all responsible tour operators, **it is a condition of booking** that all clients are fully and adequately insured before travelling overseas with us. Be aware that some destinations may require

you to produce proof of comprehensive travel insurance (e.g. valid insurance certificate) at immigration on arrival in the country, so you should carry your documentation with you.

Your travel insurance should cover against cancellation, curtailment, missed departure, delay, personal accident, death, loss of baggage and valuables (see note below), personal liability and legal expenses. Most importantly, your insurance must cover you fully in respect of medical care and repatriation should you become too ill to continue with the tour, including the cost of emergency evacuation by helicopter or air ambulance should this be necessary. Note that passenger liability insurance covering the transportation that we hire may be inadequate; it is therefore important that your insurance cover includes sufficient provision for your dependents in the event of an accident.

We recommend that you obtain travel insurance as soon as possible after booking your holiday to ensure you are protected right from the word go in the event of unexpected cancellation prior to departure due to accident or illness. You must inform your insurers of any pre-existing medical conditions (including those of persons not necessarily travelling but upon whom your holiday may depend) that may require treatment during a period of overseas travel or might cause you to cancel the trip.

Once you have arranged your insurance, please be sure to send us the following essential details: name and contact details of your insurance provider, your policy number, expiry date and your insurers 24hr Emergency Assistance number.

Important Things to Note about Insurance

- Travel Insurance does **not** normally provide sufficient cover for valuable optical equipment, which is often best protected under your own household insurance policy. If in doubt ask your insurers for advice prior to travel.
- Most travel insurance policies limit the amount of cover, typically up to a maximum tour cost of £5000 per person.

If the tour you are booking exceeds this amount, additional cover can usually be provided upon payment of additional premium. **We recommend all travellers** check their individual policy limit to ensure the full cost of their holiday is covered.

Arranging Your Insurance: due to UK Government legislation, under Financial Services Authority (FSA) regulations, we are not allowed to offer or recommend travel related insurance to customers. Premiums can vary widely according to your age, needs, health, choice of destination and other factors, while many people nowadays have Annual Travel Insurance cover. For these reasons, we leave you free to shop around and pick your own policy, one best suited to your own individual needs.

Our office is open 09.00-17.00 hrs Mon-Fri, and can also be reached by email. In the event we are unable to take your call, please leave a message on our answerphone (24 hrs) and our office will contact you as soon as we can.

***Thank you for your interest in our tours.
We do hope that you will be able to join us
- and we look forward to hearing from you
again!***

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General Information

www.limosaholidays.co.uk

Our website gives easy access to detailed tour itineraries (Tour Info Packs), trip reports, trip photos and the latest Limosa News.

Special Diets & Other Requests

We pass on all such requests to the airlines, hotels and other suppliers, and do our best to ensure (but of course cannot guarantee) that your needs will be met. Please be sure to tell us about these (in as much detail as possible) at the time of booking, to allow good time to make the necessary arrangements.

Smoking

Almost all of our clients prefer a smoke-free environment. For the enjoyment and comfort of all, we ask that smokers refrain from smoking in proximity to the group and respect our NO SMOKING policy in the vehicle, at meal times and when watching wildlife.

Any Questions?

If you have any questions at any time, you'll find our office staff friendly, efficient, approachable - and just a phone call away, eager to assist you in every way.