



Alba Travel & Events

## Elegant Scotland

Edinburgh – Perthshire – Inverness – West Coast – Loch Lomond

«This luxurious 8-day car tour provides visitors the opportunity to experience the very best in Scottish accommodation»

Day	Hotel	Location	Category
Day 1	Balmoral Hotel	Edinburgh	5*
Day 2	Balmoral Hotel	Edinburgh	5*
Day 3	Ballathie House	Perthshire	4*
Day 4	Culloden House	Inverness	4*
Day 5	Culloden House	Inverness	4*
Day 6	Inverlochy Castle	Near Fort William	5*
Day 7	Cameron House	Loch Lomond	5*
Day 8	Departure		

Package Price 2011	Twin or Double	Single
April	£1026.00	£1719.00
May	£1158.00	£1837.00
June - September	£1172.00	£1867.00
October	£1057.00	£1756.00

### Price includes

- 7 nights in the above accommodation including Scottish breakfast.
- Welcome Pack.
- Service and VAT.

### Price does not include

- Car Hire (can be arranged through Alba Travel & Events).
- Lunches, dinners and drinks.
- Personal expenses.

### Chauffeur Drive Service

We would be delighted to arrange a chauffeur driven vehicle for you during the Elegant Scotland Tour please contact us directly regarding this at [sales@alba-travel.co.uk](mailto:sales@alba-travel.co.uk).

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## Itinerary

### Day 1 & 2 Arrive Edinburgh – Balmoral Hotel 5\*



The prestigious **Balmoral Hotel** combines the noble character of a Scottish baronial home with the classic sophistication of an International hotel. Located in the heart of Edinburgh overlooking Princes Street Gardens and Edinburgh Castle you are ideally located for enjoying all that Edinburgh can offer. All the bedrooms and suites are of the highest standard making your stay as comfortable as possible. Whilst the public areas include The Bar at Palm Court where you can relax enjoying a morning coffee, afternoon tea, or cocktails. NB's Pub is an ideal venue to meet friends and enjoy a pint of ale, enjoy local fayre and be entertained with live music. The hotel's two restaurants offer the best of cuisine; Number One offers award-winning meals in elegant surrounds whilst Hadrian's offers cosmopolitan dining in a relaxed atmosphere.

**Afternoon Tea experience:** Palm Court is known for offering guests a sample of the finer things in life, including its world-famous Afternoon Tea experience. Harpists and musicians perform regularly under the sparkling glass dome and stunning Venetian glass chandelier.

### Day 3 Edinburgh – Perthshire – Ballathie House 4\*

**Ballathie House Hotel** is one of the UK's leading country house hotels. Situated on its own Perthshire estate overlooking the River Tay, gateway to the Scottish Highlands.



Ballathie Country House and Estate date back to the 17th Century and great care has been taken to retain the original beauty of the house. Many original features remain giving Ballathie an air of classical elegance matched with a warm and welcoming ambience.

The beautiful Scottish country house hotel offers spacious and warm naturally lit reception rooms, 42 beautiful bedrooms each decorated to an individual style (including 3 suites), and one of the finest restaurants in Scotland. The relaxed and charming character of Ballathie provides the perfect location for a luxurious stay home-from-home.

The Scottish Highlands and Perthshire offer some of the finest salmon fishing and scenery in Scotland. Tay salmon fishing is renowned world over and Ballathie's riverside location is ideal for a fishing break in the Scottish Highlands.

### Day 4 & 5 Perthshire – Inverness – Culloden House 4\*

At the time of the Jacobite rising in 1745-46, **Culloden House** was requisitioned by Bonnie Prince Charlie and used



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as his lodging and battle headquarters prior to that fateful and final battle on Culloden Moor on the 16th April 1746.

Today, this handsome Palladian country house stands in nearly 40 acres where guests are free to wander about the elegant lawns and parkland to enjoy the exceptional peace, tranquility and majesty of the grounds. The interior features a wonderfully comfortable drawing room with magnificent Adamesque plasterwork, many fine antiques and a large open fire. Culloden House has two Rosettes for food and is a member of 'Taste of Scotland'.

#### Day 6 Inverness – Fort William–Inverlochy Castle 5\*



**Inverlochy** is Scotland's finest luxury hotel and restaurant uniquely located amongst the glens, lochs and mountains of the West Scottish Highlands. Here, you will experience one of the most relaxing and exciting holidays of a lifetime, where every detail for your comfort and enjoyment has been carefully considered.

Dinner at Inverlochy is an experience to savour in any of the three dining rooms, each decorated with period and elaborate furniture presented as gifts to Inverlochy Castle from the King of Norway. The menu features modern British cuisine that is internationally recognised by all major guides. The restaurant has been awarded AA 3 red Rosettes and 1 Michelin Star.

#### Day 7 Fort William – Loch Lomond – DeVere Cameron House 5\*

Located on the peaceful shores of Loch Lomond, **Cameron House Hotel** occupies over 100 acres of magnificent wooded parkland, providing an inspirational setting for a memorable visit. With deluxe accommodation,



excellent restaurants and superb sport and leisure facilities ensure Cameron House has the reputation of being one of the finest leisure resorts in the UK.



**Motor yacht:** a unique feature of Cameron House is its 46ft motor yacht "Celtic Warrior" which is the ideal way to discover the delights and mysteries of beautiful Loch Lomond, its coves and islands.

#### Day 8 Departure

Unfortunately it is time to leave Scotland. Return to the airport and leave your car.