

International Soccer Tour 2025 Itinerary Mandeville Soccer Club Spain – Barcelona, Donosti Cup, and Madrid

Travel dates:

July 4-14, 2025

•	
Itinerary:	
July 4	Departure from New Orleans airport.
July 5	Arrival Barcelona airport and transfer to your accommodation. Arrival, check-in at hotel, and leisure time sightseeing in Barcelona or Costa Brava region.
July 6	Sightseeing Barcelona. Options include visiting Barcelona by bus, covering the Bullring, the Gaudi buildings, Casa Battlló and the Pedrera, Plaza Francesc Masia, the Nou Camp - home of FC Barcelona, followed by Gaudi's unfinished Sagrada Familia Cathedral, and lastly Parque Guell. Also visit the places the bus cannot reach. Drop off and pick up point in the central Plaza Catalunya. Recommended are: the Ramblas with its human statues and street artists, Barrio Gotico with its maze of narrow streets and Plaza Real. Evening game with a local team.
July 7	Transfer from Barcelona to San Sebastian for the Donosti Cup. Accreditations, age control, official team picture, and check-in.
July 8	Start of the tournament – 1st group game. Evening opening ceremony at Anoeta Stadium, home of Spanish pro club Real Sociedad. Leisure time option: Walk around Parte Vieja, also known as the Old Town, in the center of San Sebastian.
July 9	Continuation tournament. Leisure time option: Visit the coastal town of Hondarribia, located on the French-Spanish border.
July 10	Continuation tournament. Live music at the Fan Zone. Coaches' match. Leisure time option: Head to the top of Monte Igueldo and enjoy the spectacular views of La Concha Bay and then head to La Concha beach after.
July 11	Play-offs, and Live music at the Fan Zone. Leisure time option: Enjoy free time exploring the city of San Sebastian more or visit one of the beach resorts in France (Saint-Jean-de-Luz) or Spain (Zarautz).
July 12	Donosti Cup Final round matches and finals, Donosti Cup party for all participants, and Closing gala for coaches and managers. Leisure time option: Spend free time at the beach and an optional surfing lesson.
July 13	Tournament Finals and farewell. Morning or early afternoon transfer to Madrid. Arrival, check-in at hotel and leisure time sightseeing in Madrid.
July 14	Transfer to Madrid airport. Return flight.



Click here to see a recap of the 2024 Donosti Cup with more pictures.

<u>Click here</u> to see the Donosti Cup 2024 highlight video.

Price estimate per person*:

Number of people traveling	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49
Participant prices	\$4,556	\$4,369	\$4,239	\$4,150	\$4,086	\$4,040

^{*} Prices are based on contracted group airline fares for 2024. We will know more about fares for 2025 approx. 10-11 months prior to the departure date when airlines publish group fares and can confirm pricing then.

Price inclusions:

- Round trip airfare, including airport taxes and fuel surcharges. Prices are always subject to the availability of flights and fares at the time of booking.
- Accommodation and meals as specified in this proposal see below. Hotel
 options and room types (triples, doubles, etc.) are subject to availability at the time
 of tour booking.
- Ground transportation see below.
- Costs for arranging the sport program see below.
- Services of a local tour assistant see below.

Sport program included:

Barcelona: We will arrange one friendly game per team.

San Sebastian: Participation in the Donosti Cup.

Accommodation and meals included:

Barcelona (July 5-7): 4-star Hotel accommodation in the Costa Brava region in a seaside town like Santa Susanna, Calella, etc.

- Daily breakfast and dinner included.
- The accommodation is situated near the town center and/or beach. The distance to Barcelona is approx. 30-35 miles.
- Accommodation in rooms for 3 people (3 twin beds or a double bed and twin bed typically) and all rooms have a private bathroom, TV, phone, Wi-Fi access, and air conditioning.
- The hotel has a restaurant, bar, lounge, reception, and often a swimming pool.
- Double rooms (2 people per room) are available at a supplement of \$15.00 per person per night and single rooms (1 person per room) are available at a supplement of \$55.00 per person per night.



Donosti Cup/San Sebastian (July 7-13): 3-star hotel - daily breakfast included.

- Hotel accommodation located in or maximum 10 miles from, the city center of San Sebastian.
- Includes accommodation in rooms for 3-4 people all with private bathroom.
- The hotel has a reception area, lobby, and breakfast room.
- Supplement for a double room is \$33.00 per person per night and \$65.00 per person per night for a single room.

Madrid (July 13-14): 4-star hotel in Madrid – daily breakfast included.

- Hotel accommodation in Madrid not far from the city center.
- Includes accommodation in rooms for 2-3 people all with private bathroom.
- The hotel has a reception area, lobby, and breakfast room.
- Single rooms are available at a supplement of \$120.00 per person per night.

Ground transportation included:

Airport transfers are included and during your entire stay in Barcelona and the Donosti Cup a private bus will be available exclusively for your group – available 12 hours a day and 150 kilometers per day driving distance limitation. A trip to Biarritz, France is also included. We have included a bus transfer to Madrid on July 13. The hotel in Madrid is located within walking distance of many sights and close to public transportation.

Local guide services included:

A local tour assistant will be assigned to be exclusively with your group full-time each day during your stay to provide you with any assistance when necessary and help plan or amend your daily schedule as needed.

Options available (not included in prices)

Accommodation options Donosti Cup:

Four-star hotel - daily breakfast included. Hotel accommodation located in or a maximum 10-15 miles from, the city center of San Sebastian. Rooms for 1-3 people all with private bathrooms. The hotel has a reception area, lobby, restaurant, bar, and a seasonal outdoor swimming pool. Supplements are \$45.00 per person per night sharing a room for 3 people, \$80.00 per person per night sharing a room for 2 people, and \$180.00 per person per night for a single room.

Please note all hotel accommodation options are subject to availability upon tour booking.

Travel insurance option:

Your participants have the option to purchase accident, illness, and trip cancellation/interruption insurance, including Cancel for Any Reason Coverage (CFAR) – more information about this insurance is included on your team website page.



- Not included in prices:

 Beverages (soda) with meals.
 - Gratuities for representatives and bus drivers.
 - Admission fees to attractions.



Tournament Information DONOSTI CUP - SAN SEBASTIAN/SPAIN

In 2025, approximately 900 teams will participate, making this one of the biggest tournaments in Southern Europe. The Donosti Cup tournament headquarters are in and around the Estadio Anoeta, the stadium of Real Sociedad. Many of the



games are played at the official training complex for Real Sociedad with 4 grass fields, a small stadium, and 1 artificial grass field. San Sebastian is a beautiful city in the Northern part of Spain located at the Bay of Biscay.

Donosti Cup facts:

- 800+ international youth soccer teams.
- Guaranteed minimum of 4 matches per team.
- The Opening Ceremony of the tournament takes place in Estadio Anoeta, the home stadium of La Liga team Real Sociedad.

Touristic information:

- San Sebastian: On the banks of the Bay of Biscay and surrounded by green mountains, San Sebastian is a delightful city that provides a feast for the senses. The best-known image of San Sebastián is its almost perfectly shell-shaped bay, widely considered to be one of the most beautiful in the world. The city is home to 180,000 people and is the cultural and tourist capital of the Basque Country. The city has beautiful constructions, such as the Grand Casino (present Town Hall), the Miramar Palace, the summer residence of the Court, and the bridges over the Urumea River. The houses of the Old Quarter, full of bars and restaurants, date from previous times. In the Old Quarter, the local passion for gastronomy is palpable. From the miniature cuisine of the 'pintxos' to the restaurants of the creative cuisine masters, good eating is one of Donostia's commandments.
- Biarritz France: Make a trip to this popular and lively beach resort town on the Atlantic coast in southwest France which is about a 45-minute drive from San Sebastian.

For more information about the tournament including age groups, rules and regulations, and more touristic information please visit the tournament website: http://www.donosticup.com/en





International Soccer Tour 2025 Itinerary Mandeville Soccer Club Spain – Donosti Cup and Madrid

Travel dates:

July 6-14, 2025

Iti	n		r		M	
		ᆮ		ч	ı,	<i>.</i>

Itinerary:	
July 6	Departure from New Orleans airport.
July 7	Arrival Madrid airport and transfer to San Sebastian for the Donosti Cup. Accreditations, age control, official team picture, and check-in.
July 8	Start of the tournament – 1st group game. Evening opening ceremony at Anoeta Stadium, home of Spanish pro club Real Sociedad. Leisure time option: Walk around Parte Vieja, also known as the Old Town, in the center of San Sebastian.
July 9	Continuation tournament.
	Leisure time option: Visit the coastal town of Hondarribia, located on the French-Spanish border.
July 10	Continuation tournament. Live music at the Fan Zone. Coaches' match. Leisure time option: Head to the top of Monte Igueldo and enjoy the spectacular views of La Concha Bay and then head to La Concha beach after.
July 11	Play-offs, and Live music at the Fan Zone.
	Leisure time option: Enjoy free time exploring the city of San Sebastian more or visit one of the beach resorts in France (Saint-Jean-de-Luz) or Spain (Zarautz).
July 12	Donosti Cup Final round matches and finals, Donosti Cup party for all
	participants, and Closing gala for coaches and managers. Leisure time option: Spend free time at the beach and an optional surfing lesson.
July 13	Tournament Finals and farewell.
	Morning or early afternoon transfer to Madrid. Arrival, check-in at hotel and leisure time sightseeing in Madrid.

<u>Click here</u> to see a recap of the 2024 Donosti Cup with more pictures.

Transfer to Madrid airport. Return flight.

<u>Click here</u> to see the Donosti Cup 2024 highlight video.

Price estimate per person*:

July 14

Number of people traveling	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49
real fiber of people traveling	20 21	25 25	30 31	33 33	10 11	13 13
Participant prices	\$4,101	\$3,969	\$3,882	\$3,819	\$3,772	\$3,735

^{*} Prices are based on contracted group airline fares for 2024. We will know more about fares for 2025 approx. 10-11 months prior to the departure date when airlines publish group fares and can confirm pricing then.



Price inclusions:

- Round trip airfare, including airport taxes and fuel surcharges. Prices are always subject to the availability of flights and fares at the time of booking.
- Accommodation and meals as specified in this proposal see below. Hotel
 options and room types (triples, doubles, etc.) are subject to availability at the time
 of tour booking.
- Ground transportation see below.
- Costs for arranging the sport program see below.
- Services of a local tour assistant see below.

Sport program included:

San Sebastian: Participation in the Donosti Cup.

Accommodation and meals included:

Donosti Cup/San Sebastian (July 7-13):): 3-star hotel - daily breakfast included.

- Hotel accommodation located in or maximum 10 miles from, the city center of San Sebastian.
- Includes accommodation in rooms for 3-4 people all with private bathroom.
- The hotel has a reception area, lobby, and breakfast room.
- Supplement for a double room is \$33.00 per person per night and \$65.00 per person per night for a single room.

Madrid (July 13-14): 4-star hotel in Madrid – daily breakfast included.

- Hotel accommodation in Madrid not far from the city center.
- Includes accommodation in rooms for 2 people all with private bathroom.
- The hotel has a reception area, lobby, and breakfast room.
- Single rooms are available at a supplement of \$120.00 per person per night.

Ground transportation included:

Airport transfers are included and during your entire stay at the Donosti Cup (July 1-6) a private bus will be available exclusively for your group – available 12 hours a day and 150 kilometers per day driving distance limitation. A trip to Biarritz, France is also included. We have also included a bus transfer to Madrid on July 7. The hotel in Madrid is located within walking distance of many sights and close to public transportation in Madrid.

Local guide services included:

A local tour assistant will be assigned to be exclusively with your group full-time each day during your stay to provide you with any assistance when necessary and help plan or amend your daily schedule as needed.



Options available (not included in prices)

Accommodation options Donosti Cup:

• Four-star hotel - daily breakfast included. Hotel accommodation located in or a maximum 10-15 miles from, the city center of San Sebastian. Rooms for 1-3 people all with private bathrooms. The hotel has a reception area, lobby, restaurant, bar, and a seasonal outdoor swimming pool. Supplements are \$45.00 per person per night sharing a room for 3 people, \$80.00 per person per night sharing a room for 2 people, and \$180.00 per person per night for a single room.

Please note all hotel accommodation options are subject to availability upon tour booking.

Travel insurance option:

Your participants have the option to purchase accident, illness, and trip cancellation/interruption insurance, including Cancel for Any Reason Coverage (CFAR) – more information about this insurance is included on your team website page.

Not included in prices:

- Beverages (soda) with meals.
- Gratuities for representatives and bus drivers.
- Admission fees to attractions.



Tournament Information DONOSTI CUP - SAN SEBASTIAN/SPAIN

In 2025, approximately 900 teams will participate, making this one of the biggest tournaments in Southern Europe. The Donosti Cup tournament headquarters are in and around the Estadio Anoeta, the stadium of Real Sociedad. Many of the



games are played at the official training complex for Real Sociedad with 4 grass fields, a small stadium, and 1 artificial grass field. San Sebastian is a beautiful city in the Northern part of Spain located at the Bay of Biscay.

Donosti Cup facts:

- 800+ international youth soccer teams.
- Guaranteed minimum of 4 matches per team.
- The Opening Ceremony of the tournament takes place in Estadio Anoeta, the home stadium of La Liga team Real Sociedad.

Touristic information:

- San Sebastian: On the banks of the Bay of Biscay and surrounded by green mountains, San Sebastian is a delightful city that provides a feast for the senses. The best-known image of San Sebastián is its almost perfectly shell-shaped bay, widely considered to be one of the most beautiful in the world. The city is home to 180,000 people and is the cultural and tourist capital of the Basque Country. The city has beautiful constructions, such as the Grand Casino (present Town Hall), the Miramar Palace, the summer residence of the Court, and the bridges over the Urumea River. The houses of the Old Quarter, full of bars and restaurants, date from previous times. In the Old Quarter, the local passion for gastronomy is palpable. From the miniature cuisine of the 'pintxos' to the restaurants of the creative cuisine masters, good eating is one of Donostia's commandments.
- Biarritz France: Make a trip to this popular and lively beach resort town on the Atlantic coast in southwest France which is about a 45-minute drive from San Sebastian.

For more information about the tournament including age groups, rules and regulations, and more touristic information please visit the tournament website: http://www.donosticup.com/en

