

International Soccer Tour 2024 Itinerary Glendora Soccer Club Portugal – Lisbon and the Challenge Cup

Travel dates:

June 20-28, 2024.

Itinerary:

June 20	Departure from Los Angeles airport.
June 21	Arrival at Lisbon airport. Transfer to your accommodation.
June 22	Sightseeing in Lisbon. Visit Old Town Lisbon, the historic heart of Lisbon, and see the Tower of Belem, Monument to the Discoveries, and Geronimo Monastery.
June 23	Transfer to your accommodation in the Algarve region for the Challenge Cup. Evening opening ceremony.
June 24	Start of Challenge Cup with group stage.
June 25	Challenge Cup: Group stage and Playoffs.
June 26	Challenge Cup: Playoffs. If eliminated, free day to visit the beach or local sightseeing or visit Aquatic (Water) Park.
June 27	Challenge Cup Finals and awards ceremony.
June 28	Transfer to Lisbon airport. Return flight.

Price estimate per person:

\$3,635.00

Price inclusions:

- Round trip airfare, including airport taxes and fuel surcharges. Prices are subject to the availability of flights and fares at the time of booking.
- Accommodations and meals as specified in this proposal – see below. Accommodations 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:

Challenge Cup: Participation in the Challenge Cup.

For more information about the tournament rules, age categories, and regulations [click here](#).



Accommodation and meals included:

Lisbon: 4-star apartment hotel in the Lisbon area. Daily breakfast and dinner included.

- Hotel located on the outskirts of Lisbon approx. 10 miles from the airport.
- Accommodation in rooms for 3 people with private bathroom TV, phone, and Wi-Fi.
- The hotel has a reception area, restaurant and lounge, fitness center, and sometimes an outdoor pool.
- Double room supplements are available at a supplement of \$35.00 per person per night and single rooms are available at a supplement of \$65.00 per person per night.

Challenge Cup: 4-star apartment hotel in/near Lagos in the Algarve region. Daily breakfast, lunch, and dinner included.

- Apartment hotel located in/near Lagos and typically within walking distance of the beach.
- Accommodation in apartment style “studios” with 1-2 bedrooms for 3-4 people with a shared living area with a sofa/sofa bed, TV, and fully equipped kitchen. All studios/apartments have private bathrooms, phones, and Wi-Fi.
- The hotel has a reception area, restaurant and lounge, fitness center, outdoor terrace/garden, and outdoor pool.
- Double room supplements are available at a supplement of \$35.00 per person per night and single rooms are available at a supplement of \$65.00 per person per night.

Ground transportation included:

During your entire stay, a private bus will be available exclusively for your group – 10 hours a day and 250 kilometers max. driving distance per day.

Local guide services included:

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

Options available (not included in prices)

Sport program options:

Visit and tour of a pro team stadium – approx. \$30.00 per person.

Travel insurance option:

Your participants have the option to purchase accident, illness, and trip cancellation/interruption insurance, including a 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

Challenge Cup – Algarve, Portugal

The Challenge Cup invites you to take on teams from all over the world in one of Europe's most stunning destinations. Set to be the largest multisport tournament in Portugal in 2024, the Challenge Cup takes place in the Algarve.



The Algarve, Portugal's southernmost region, is famous for its Atlantic beaches and resorts. Its fishing villages were transformed in the 1960s, and now the coast between Lagos and Faro is lined with villas, hotels, and restaurants. The Challenge Cup is the perfect tournament to experience international soccer while visiting some of the most unique locations Europe has to offer.

Challenge Cup facts:

- 200 or so teams from all over the world.
- All the playing fields are grass or artificial turf. The fields are located in 10 different complexes in the Algarve region.
- Guaranteed minimum 4 matches per team.
- Evening opening ceremony with team parade through the town of Lagoa.
- Trophy + medals for the Playoff A champions and runner-up.

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Touristic information:

Soaring cliffs, sea caves, golden beaches, scalloped bays and sandy islands draw over four million visitors to the Algarve each year. Surrounded on two sides by the Atlantic, it's a paradise for surfers, especially along the refreshingly undeveloped west coast. The Algarve is wonderfully varied; there are pristine beaches for families, waterparks for thrill-seekers or historic towns for a cultural trip. The four largest resort towns of this region are Albufeira, Lagos, Praia da Rocha and Vilamoura. Top attractions in Algarve include Ponta da Piedade, Praia da Falesia (beach), Praia da Rocha (beach) and Cape Saint Vincent.

