

# Liverpool, the Terracotta Warriors & Port Sunlight Village

3 Days • 2 Nights - from £220.00\* per person  
Departing Saturday 1st September 2018

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**Don't miss a once in a lifetime opportunity to see China's greatest national treasure - the First Emperor and Terracotta Warrior's Exhibition. This world famous exhibition of China's Terracotta Army is ready to thrill and enthral at the World Museum in Liverpool.**

#### **Your Itinerary:**

**Day 1** - Depart from Shifnal (approx. 10.00 hrs) and travel north, making an appropriate comfort stop en-route to Speke Hall near Liverpool which is a National Trust (NT) property. NT members are entitled to free admission, however anyone who isn't a National Trust member will be required to pre-book and pay £10.00 per person. Our expected arrival time means, the garden, catering and retail will be open, with the Hall opening at 12.30 hrs. The coach will depart during the mid-afternoon for the journey onto our hotel, the 4\* Park Royal Hotel near Warrington where our group stayed in 2017 with great reviews. Accommodation is reserved for two nights on a dinner, bed & breakfast basis. The hotel itself blends a beautiful mix of modern facilities with elegant grandeur. Part of the hotel was built in 1831 as a vicarage to the nearby St Matthew's Church. Hotel facilities include a restaurant, lounge bar, indoor swimming pool, steam room, whirlpool and sauna. All ensuite guest rooms include bath and shower, tea & coffee making facilities, hairdryer, remote control TV, direct dial telephone and free internet access.

**Day 2** - After breakfast, the coach will depart for central Liverpool, where a local guide will join the coach for a guided tour of the city. For those members who decide not to participate in the guided tour, you will have free time in Liverpool. After the guided tour, there will be time at leisure prior to our pre-booked group entrance to the Terracotta Warriors Exhibition at the World Museum, arriving 13.45 hrs for 14.00 hrs timed entrance. Afterwards there will be further time at leisure prior to the coach departing during the late afternoon for the journey back to the hotel.

**Day 3** - After breakfast, we must check out of the hotel and load the coach prior to departing back to Pier Head in Liverpool, where we will board a Mersey Ferry for an excursion across the River Mersey to Woodside on the Wirral. On arrival at Woodside, there will be free time



to perhaps visit the Home Café Woodside which is set directly on the waterfront in the stunning surroundings of the historic Woodside Ferry Terminal, Birkenhead. The Grade II listed booking hall has unparalleled views overlooking the River Mersey and the famous Liverpool skyline. In addition, our ticket also allows access to the U-boat Story, where you can view the amazing life on board a real German U-boat, with original film archive and interactive displays. The visitor centre has fascinating displays of well-preserved artefacts found on board the salvaged vessel. During the early afternoon, the coach will depart for the short journey to Port Sunlight Village, where group entrance and a guided tour on board the coach are included. The coach will depart during the late afternoon for the journey back to Shropshire, arriving during the early evening.

#### **Price Includes:**

- Return coach travel
- Two night's accommodation at the Park Royal Hotel near Warrington on a dinner, bed & breakfast basis.
- Guided tour of Liverpool
- Group entrance to the Terracotta Warriors Exhibition at the World Museum, Liverpool
- Ferry across the Mersey & entrance to the U-boat Story.
- Group entrance and guided coach tour of Port Sunlight Village
- Full ABTA financial protection

#### **Not Included:**

- Personal expenditure, gratuities or any admission charges other than stated
- Optional Travel Insurance
- Single Room Supplement (limited availability)

*\* The price shown is based on a minimum of 35 paying passengers, however should we not reach the minimum number of members required to operate the tour, the price may increase.*