

Paris at Christmastime

5th – 11th December 2026



Magical Paris, Christmas markets and Moulin Rouge

Join us in Paris where you will experience that magical Parisian Christmas. Our tour combines the best of the Paris “Christmas Markets” together with its “Night Life”. The city sparkles with a million lights, hundreds of decorated trees line the boulevards, and Christmas markets spring up everywhere and you will have a three-day travel pass which can be used on the Metro-Bus-Tram network in Zone 1-3.

The Moulin Rouge is the most iconic cabaret in the world, and this night-time extravaganza delivers. The furious rhythms and scintillating costumes, along with a champagne-fueled dinner, make the Moulin Rouge a must-visit destination. This is an extraordinary evening you will remember for years to come.

We are also arranging a full day visit to The Palace of Versailles where you will be able to visit the rooms and the garden at your leisure.

After five action packed days in Paris, we make our way back towards Calais and our final overnight stop at Chateau de Cocove where we will have yet another excellent group dinner in the Chateau’s gastronomic restaurant.

Our “Optional Package” will start from the UK for a stay in Bruges before travelling on to Paris. There are two Christmas Markets, stunning lights, and festive decorations that fill the city's historic streets. Famous for its Lace Making, Beer and Chocolates.

'Very explicit itinerary pack. Meticulously planned trips. Expert, friendly tour leaders. Wonderful trip, thank you.' **Angela Price & Will Hopkins – Paris at Christmastime – Dec 2024**

'Very much enjoyed the tour and Sue & Ron looked after us well. Obviously, the highlight was the visit to the Moulin Rouge where the meal was excellent, and the champagne flowed.' **Pauline & Robert Hughes – Paris at Christmastime – Dec 2024**

6 Nights

Day One – Saturday 5th December

We arrive in Paris, at the well-appointed campsite Camping de Paris, located right in the heart of the 16th arrondissement, on the banks of the Seine and surrounded by nature our campsite is the ideal base for exploring this amazing city and the numerous Christmas festivities taking place. This evening, we meet in the campsite bar/restaurant for a Welcome to Paris Reception, and your Tour Directors will provide you with some hints on how best to spend your time in this amazing City.

Day Two – Sunday 6th December

Coach excursion to The Palace of Versailles, a former royal residence commissioned by King Louis XIV. Free time to enjoy the Palace and the Gardens with a group lunch included.



Day Three – Monday 7th December

Opportunity today for you to visit some of the most popular Christmas venues in the city. With over 15 different market options you'll be spoilt for choice, just one prospect is the fabulous *"La Magie de Noel"* market located just a few minutes' walk from the famous "Champs Elysees" festooned with its dazzling array of Christmas lights and trees. With over one hundred traders selling mostly French Produced food, wine and gifts there will be something to suit everybody's taste. Maybe, take a ride on the "Ferris Wheel" and gaze down at the amazing, illuminated Place de la Concorde below – "enjoy the atmosphere".



Day Four – Tuesday 8th December

Enjoy a more relaxing day today and combine some traditional sightseeing interspersed with visits to some of the smaller traditional markets. Early this evening we leave from our campsite by coach for our journey to the famous “**Moulin Rouge**”. The evening will begin with a Champagne Dinner followed by the Glitter and Excitement of the Revue consisting of a troupe of 80 artists including 60 “Doriss Girls”. The theatre lights go down, the curtain goes up, and the entire troupe appears on the stage under the gaze of the audience.... After an amazing evening, we return to our campsite and motorhomes, for a good night's sleep.



Day Five – Wednesday 9th December

Another opportunity today to visit more of the festive markets including the *Marché de Noël sur le Parvis de la Défense*, with over 350 decorated stalls to pass through, you will be amazed at the range of products on offer and become immersed in the “Seasonal Atmosphere”. As an alternative to the traditional Christmas Markets a visit to one of the most prestigious department stores in France – “Galeries Lafayette”, is highly recommended. This store is housed in an amazing galleried building topped with a magnificent domed roof and has a comprehensive range of products. Visit the outstanding food hall and perhaps sample some of the delights on offer. After your visit to the store, you may like to visit the Musée de L’Opéra and the Palais Garnier, which are to be found adjacent to the store.



Day Six – Thursday 10th December

We will start our return journey towards Calais and tonight we have been granted special permission to stay overnight at the eighteenth-century *Chateau de Cocove*, where this evening we will enjoy our farewell dinner in the Chateau's fine gastronomic restaurant. At the end of the evening, it's no more than a few steps back to our motorhome beds. Note, there are no toilet/shower/electric hook-up facilities available.

170 miles

Day Seven – Friday 11th December

Our tour ends this morning. It is only a short drive back to the port at Calais for those returning home and there you will be able to make your final purchases for the festive season. **16 miles**



PRICE

TOUR DEPOSIT £400

Motorhome with 2 people = £1119 per person

Motorhome with 1 person = £1559

INCLUDED IN PRICE

- 5 Campsite nights with electric hook-up
- 1 camping night with no facilities
- Welcome Reception
- Coach Tour to The Palace of Versailles + Lunch
- Three Day Paris Travel Pass
- Moulin Rouge – Champagne Dinner and Show
- Pizza & Wine evening
- Farewell Dinner in *Chateau de Cocove* with wine
- Tour information pack with suggested routes & GPS co-ordinates
- Services of Tour Directors travelling in their own motorhome
- Guidebook & Paris Map

This tour starts in Paris, but if you would like to travel out at the same time as the Tour Directors on the outward journey, please book the optional tour package so that everything can be arranged on your behalf.

OPTIONAL EXTRA PACKAGE

- Meet with Tour Directors at Dover Docks on Thursday 3rd December
- Return Dover/Calais Ferry with a Flexible Ticket + Club Class Lounge, sailing out on Thursday 3rd December, fully flexible return
- Two campsite night with electric hook-up in Bruges
- Group Dinner with drinks at a local restaurant
- Tour information pack with suggested routes & GPS Coordinates
- Services of Tour Directors travelling in their own motorhome

OPTIONAL PACKAGE PRICE

Motorhome with 2 people @ £379 per person

Motorhome with 1 person @ £635

