VIP Outlander Experience 10 Day Tour June 4-14, 2024

June 4-Day 1: Meet at our hotel, **Dalhousie Castle Hotel**, home of Clan Ramsay, where we will spend our first two nights. In season 2 episode 4 "La Dame Blanche" Jamie suggests naming their child after this castle. Formal welcome reception at 6:30 followed by *dinner in the "Dungeon Restaurant"* at 7 pm. (Included, wine included)



June 5-Day 2: Breakfast in the Orangery. Leave 10 AM. Our first stop will be *Blackness Castle*, used in Outlander, & the movie Outlaw King. We will stop to visit the iconic "Kelpies" in Falkirk before visiting *Linlithgow Palace* which served as "Wentworth Prison" in Outlander, but also where Mary Queen of Scots was born. Our last stop before dinner will be a guided tour at Glencorse House at 3 PM to visit the "Old Kirk" where Jamie and Claire were married. We will finish the day with dinner at Gigi's Italian on the way back to Dalhousie. (Not included)



June 6-Day 3: We will be departing Dalhousie Castle at 9:15 AM. <u>Doune Castle</u> will be the first Outlander stop of the day. This is where "Castle Leoch" is filmed but was also used in Monty Python and the Holy Grail. Then <u>Deanston Distillery</u> for a whisky tasting and tour. This was used in Outlander Season 2 episode 2 "Not in Scotland Anymore" and was the Warehouse at Le Havre. Lunch at the cafe. Check into **Dunkeld House** Hotel, which is the hotel that the actors stayed in whilst filming in the area. Regroup at 3:30 for a presentation by Outlander textile design artist Helen Gallogly followed by an "Introduction to Fabric Painting" workshop with cocktails and hors-d'oeuvres. *Dinner at hotel*. (Included, drinks not included)



June 7-Day 4: Head out around 10 AM to <u>Tibbermore Kirk</u> where Geillis and Claire were put on trial in Outlander season 1 for witchcraft. Visit the <u>Scottish fruit winery "Cairn o'Mhor"</u> for a wee tasting and lunch (included). Back to hotel for a leisurely afternoon, evening. Enjoy the spa or a walk around the property or explore the town of Dunkeld. *Dinner on your own* time at the hotel or in the town of Dunkeld. (Not included)

June 8-Day 5: Check out at 9 AM. Go to the real life "Craigh Na Dun" film location. It's actually an ancient iron age ringfort in Kinloch Rannoch! Stop at the <u>Highland Folk Village & Museum</u> used as a film location in season 1. Check into **Glen Mhor Hotel** on River Ness. Proceed downstairs to their

onsite distillery and brewery for a private tour & tasting with the head distiller. *Dinner at hotel*. (Included, drinks not included)



June 9-Day 6: This morning we will leave the hotel around 10 AM. Visit the <u>Battlefield of Culloden</u> museum and walk the field. Off to nearby <u>Clava</u> <u>Cairns</u>, a real stone circle and cairn. <u>Afternoon tea at Culloden House</u> at 1 PM where Bonnie Prince Charlie stayed before the battle. *Dinner in town*. (Not included)



June 10-Day 7: Check out at 8:30 AM, head towards Aberdeenshire. Stop to pick up lunch along the way. Visit *Castle Fraser*, home of Clan Fraser, what would have been Jamie Fraser's real life Lallybroch. Spend two nights at

Maryculter House Hotel, which is both a Templar preceptory and served as a Jacobite stronghold. *Jacobite themed dinner here*.



June 11-Day 8: Leave at 10 AM. Visit <u>Easter Aquhorthies Stone Circle</u> then head south down to the stunning <u>Dunnottar Castle</u>, one of the most iconic castles of Scotland. <u>Seidear Sparkling Cider tasting with Cider maker</u> <u>Christian Stolte</u>. Dinner at The Silver Darling overlooking the harbor. (Starter and Main included)



June 12-Day 9: Check out 8:45 AM. Stop for lunch at the <u>"Covenanter"</u>

<u>AKA Mrs. Baird's Bed and Breakfast</u> from season 1 in the village of Falkland which stood in for "Inverness." Check into our hotel **The Scotsman**, a historic hotel that used to house the Scotsman Newspaper.

Dinner at "The Kitchin" which was featured on Men In Kilts. (Included, wine pairings included)

June 13-Day 10: Leave the hotel at 9:30 AM stop first at <u>Edinburgh Castle</u>. Onto <u>Hopetoun House</u> then- the Duke of Sandringham's residence in Outlander, the home of the Earls of Hopetoun. The last stop of the day will be at <u>Midhope Castle</u>, AKA Lallybroch, also owned by the Earls of Hopetoun where we will have a drinks reception. Farewell dinner at our hotel at 7:30 PM at the hotel. (Dinner included).



June 14-Day 11: Depart.

Note that some of these dining experiences don't include drinks besides water. Wine is included when indicated in the itinerary.