

# MUSICAL ODYSSEYS

TOURS EXPLORING MUSIC AND THE ARTS

## OPERA AT GLYNDEBOURNE

A musical tour to Sussex to see Glyndebourne's productions of  
Massenet's *Cendrillon* (Cinderella) & Verdi's *La Traviata*

with Peter Medhurst & friends

5 days from £2,099 • Departing 18th October 2018



*Cendrillon* (Cinderella) by Jules Massenet

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### INTRODUCTION

From the moment that John Christie put on *The Marriage of Figaro* in his newly built opera house in Sussex in 1934, the name Glyndebourne has become synonymous with musical excellence in the field of opera, not just in England but the world over. Every year opera enthusiasts clamour for tickets to attend Glyndebourne's latest and forward looking productions, and attending the Sussex opera house is one of the high points in English cultural life.

Using the magnificent Grand Hotel in Eastbourne as a base, Peter Medhurst's latest musical odyssey centres on two operas that are being presented at Glyndebourne in October 2018: *Cendrillon* (Cinderella) by Jules Massenet and *La Traviata* by Giuseppe Verdi. As well as attending the operas at Glyndebourne followed by dinner in its Leith run restaurants, Peter introduces and discusses the operas in his morning talks, preparing everyone for the evening performances. Surrounding these events, are excursions to towns and country houses, exclusive guided tours, lectures and private concerts. Lunches and dinners with wine are also included.

### FEATURES

- Front stall seats at two Glyndebourne operas: *Cendrillon* (Cinderella) by Jules Massenet and *La Traviata* by Giuseppe Verdi
- Lectures by Peter Medhurst every morning
- Organ recital by Peter in St Dunstan's church
- Organ recital by Peter at the church of King Charles the Martyr in Tunbridge Wells
- Private concert with Peter & friends
- Two pre or post-opera dinners at Glyndebourne
- Drinks reception on day 1
- Two dinners at our hotel
- Included lunch every day
- 5\* Grand Hotel in Eastbourne
- All excursions, entrance fees, guided tours & gratuities included
- Executive coach throughout

### YOUR ACCOMMODATION

We stay four nights at the 5\* Grand Hotel in Eastbourne ([www.grandeastbourne.com](http://www.grandeastbourne.com)). The hotel commands breathtaking views of the sea and the dramatic cliffs at Beachy Head. It is only a short walk from the pier in one direction and the glorious Sussex Downs in the other and is ideally located for our itinerary. Dinner in the hotel is included on our first and third evenings, with pre or post-opera dinners at Glyndebourne's Leith run restaurant on the other two nights. Our rooms are standard Deluxe Inland Rooms (Deluxe Side Seaview rooms and Executive Inland rooms are available at a supplement - see below). All the bedrooms have private en suite facilities and are equipped with colour satellite television, complimentary mineral water, Nespresso machine, Molton Brown toiletries, bathrobes and slippers.

### EXTRAS TO YOUR TOUR

- Insurance £24
- Standard Deluxe Inside single room supplement £259
- Deluxe Side Seaview or Executive Inland single room supplement £419
- Deluxe Side Seaview or Executive Inland twin/double room supplement £100 per person

Price based on twin share. Minimum numbers required. Normal booking conditions apply.



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**Day 1 Meet the coach in London, visit Penshurst Place, check-in at the Grand Hotel Eastbourne, private drinks reception, dinner**  
Our Glyndebourne odyssey begins in London at 10.30am when we meet our executive coach. En route to Eastbourne we visit Penshurst Place in Kent, one of the finest fortified manors in England and home to the Sidney family for over 450 years. The 14th century Great Hall is the architectural gem of the building and this - as well as other important rooms - will be seen on our special private tour. We follow this with an included lunch in the restaurant at Penshurst Place. We then travel on to the 5\* Grand Hotel in Eastbourne for a four night stay. With its uninterrupted views of the sea and surrounded by ornamental gardens and tennis courts, the Grand Hotel is one of the most magnificent Victorian hotels in the country. Completed in 1875, but totally refurbished and modernised in 1999, the hotel dominates the beautiful shoreline of King Edward's Parade. Over the years, its visitors have included Winston Churchill, Charlie Chaplin, Arthur Conan Doyle and King Constantine of Greece. Also, Claude Debussy completed his three symphonic sketches for orchestra *La Mer* in Suite No 200 at the hotel, in 1905. A private drinks reception in the lobby of the hotel will be followed by dinner in the restaurant.



*Cendrillon (Cinderella)*  
by Jules Massenet

**Day 2 Morning opera lecture, visit to Charleston Farmhouse, lunch, opera performance, dinner**

The morning begins after breakfast with a lecture by Peter on the opera that is being performed at Glyndebourne in the evening. After this, our coach takes us to Charleston Farmhouse, in Firle, which is famous for being the country meeting place of the Bloomsbury Group. The story begins in 1916 when Virginia Woolf suggested that the painters Vanessa Bell and Duncan Grant make the farmhouse their country home. 'It will be an odd life' she wrote 'but . . . it ought to be a good one for painting.' Charleston is an example of Bell's and Grant's decorative style within a domestic context and represents the culmination of 60 or more years of artistic creativity. After lunch, we transfer to nearby Glyndebourne to view this evening's opera performance. We have an included pre or post-opera dinner in one of the excellent restaurants in the opera house complex.



Jules Massenet

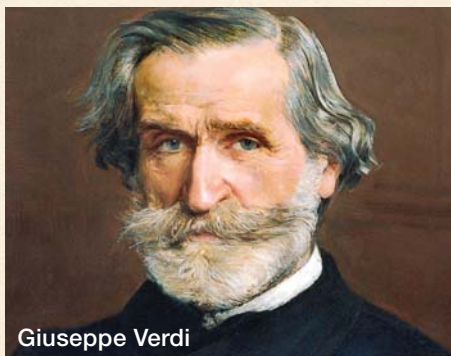
**Day 3 Lecture on the history of Glyndebourne, a day in Lewes, tour of Anne of Cleves House, lunch, free time to explore Lewes, dinner, private concert in the hotel**

After breakfast, Peter presents an illustrated study session on the history of Glyndebourne and its musical associations with composers, performers, designers and directors. We then make our way by coach to spend the day in Lewes, one of the most beautiful and architecturally rich towns on the Sussex coast. Among other things, Lewes is famous for its 15th century bookshop, its Norman castle, and for being home to the townhouse of Anne of Cleves (fourth wife of King Henry VIII). Although Anne never lived in Lewes, the house formed part of



Opera House at Glyndebourne

Anne's divorce settlement from Henry VIII in 1541. It now displays period furnishings, various every day domestic objects and tells the story of Lewes from the 15th century to modern times. We are scheduled for a guided tour here in the late morning, after which we enjoy lunch at a nearby restaurant. In the afternoon there is free time to explore the historic high street and you may wish to visit the famous bookshop, or perhaps explore some of Lewes's many antique stores. Afterwards we return to Eastbourne. This evening we have an included dinner at our hotel, followed by a private concert in one of the function rooms. The music performed will be drawn from - or inspired by - the world of opera. The performers will be announced later in 2017.



Giuseppe Verdi

**Day 4 Morning opera lecture, free time, lunch, visit to the Towner Art Gallery, opera performance, dinner**

Again, after breakfast we start the day with a lecture by Peter on the opera that is being performed at Glyndebourne in the evening. After some free time to wander along the waterfront, visit the pier, or take morning coffee in the hotel lounge, we have lunch together at the hotel. In the afternoon we visit the Towner Art Gallery, an award winning contemporary art museum which has over 4,000 works by historic, modern and contemporary artists including works by Edward Bawden, Paul Nash, and Duncan Grant. We have an introductory guided tour of the collection and then make our way by coach to Glyndebourne for this evening's opera performance. Again, we have pre or post-opera dinner at one of Glyndebourne's Leith run restaurants.



*La Traviata* by Giuseppe Verdi

**Day 5 Morning lecture, visit to Mayfield, organ recital, visit to The Pantiles in Tunbridge Wells, visit to Church of King Charles the Martyr, lunch, return to London**

After breakfast and a summing up lecture by Peter, we make our way to Tunbridge Wells via the historic village of Mayfield. Peter was born in this village and was head chorister in the parish church of St Dunstan's. Mayfield has an interesting history. It rose in importance during the boom of the Wealden iron industry in the 16th and 17th centuries, but before that, it had connections with the Archbishops of Canterbury, including St Dunstan (909-988), who is said to have tweaked the Devil's nose with red hot tongs drawn from his forge in Mayfield Palace. Writhing in agony, the Devil is said to have leapt into the air and cooled his nose nine miles away in the spring water of The Pantiles, Tunbridge Wells. Peter is scheduled to give an organ and song recital in St Dunstan's church. Following on with our theme, we then make our way to The Pantiles in Tunbridge Wells to view the Georgian colonnade, the minstrels gallery, as well the famous drinking well. Perhaps we may even sample some of the health giving waters which are noted for their high iron content. We also visit the church of King Charles the Martyr (founded in 1676 and the first permanent structure erected in Tunbridge Wells) to hear Peter sample the excellent organ. We then have lunch together at Woods, a long established restaurant in The Pantiles, after which we make our return trip to London and end our journey in the late afternoon at our original meeting place.



# Booking Form

Peter Medhurst's Musical Odysseys presents  
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 WITH PETER MEDHURST & FRIENDS  
 Departing 18th October 2018



Title	First Name	Surname	Date of Birth	Twin/Double/ Single Room	Upgrade to Deluxe Side Seaview Room?	Upgrade to Executive Inland Room?	Require Insurance?
			DD/MM/YY		YES/NO	YES/NO	YES/NO
			DD/MM/YY		YES/NO	YES/NO	YES/NO
			DD/MM/YY		YES/NO	YES/NO	YES/NO
			DD/MM/YY		YES/NO	YES/NO	YES/NO

## Special Requests & Dietary Requirements


## Address of First Named Person

Address	
	Postcode
Mobile Telephone	
Telephone	
Email	

## Next of Kin Details

Name	
Relationship (eg son or daughter)	
Telephone Number	

## Alternative Insurance Details

Insurance Company	
Policy Number	
Telephone Number	

## Payment Details

I enclose Non-Refundable Deposit @ £250.00 per person = (payable immediately)	£
I enclose Full Amount @ £2,099.00 per person = (payable 8 weeks before departure)	£
I enclose Standard Deluxe Inside single room supplement @ £259 per person = (payable 8 weeks before departure)	£
I enclose Deluxe Side Seaview or Executive Inland single room supplement @ £419 per person = (payable 8 weeks before departure)	£
I enclose Deluxe Side Seaview or Executive Inland twin/double room supplement @ £100 per person = (payable 8 weeks before departure)	£
I enclose Insurance (including 20% Insurance Premium Tax) @ £24.00 per person (upper age limit 85 years old) = (Payable immediately)	£
I enclose All cheques made payable to Tailored Travel and returned with completed booking form to Tailored Travel, 12 Jamaica Road, London SE1 2RN	£




## Client Declaration

I warrant that I am authorised to make this booking and that I have read, understand and accept for myself and all others named above, the Booking Conditions, and other information set out in any brochure/leaflet relevant to my holiday. I am 18 years old or over (if under 18 years of age, this Booking Form may be signed by your Parent/Guardian)

## For Credit or Debit Card Payments

I wish to pay by (Please Tick)

Credit Card     Debit Card   

Expiry Date    Security No    Last 3 digits on Back Strip

No Fee for Debit Cards  
 There is a Credit/Charge card fee of 2% per transaction.

Name of Card Holder

Signature of Card Holder

I authorise you to deduct the deposit for this holiday now and any outstanding balance eight weeks before departure



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 This holiday is operated by Tailored Travel and is protected under ATOL 5605 issued by the Civil Aviation Authority. Come what may your holiday and your money are perfectly safe when you book with Tailored Travel

Signed:..... Date:...../...../.....

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# BOOKING CONDITIONS

It is important that you read the following conditions together with additional general information contained within the brochure for your holiday. In these Booking Conditions, “we”, “us” and “our” are Tailored Travel Limited.



## 1. HOLIDAY PAYMENT

When you book you must pay the appropriate deposit per person (this amount is shown on the booking form) together with all applicable insurance premiums – see clause 16. The balance of the price of the holiday is due for payment 8 weeks (unless otherwise stated) before departure date. If the balance is not paid in time we reserve the right to treat your booking as cancelled by you and apply the cancellation charges set out in clause 3 below. For bookings made within 8 weeks of departure the full amount is due at the time of booking. If you book a holiday which does not include flights through one of our authorised travel agents all monies you pay to him for that holiday will be held on your behalf until a contract between us comes into existence. After that point all such monies will be held on our behalf. If you book an air holiday with us through one of our authorised travel agents, any monies you pay to your travel agent for that holiday will be held on our behalf until they are paid to us or refunded to you.

## 2. CONFIRMATION OF BOOKING

These booking conditions form the basis of your contract with us. Your contract comes into existence when we despatch our confirmation invoice and will be governed by English law and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Courts of England and Wales. We expect to confirm your booking within 10 days of receiving your booking form and deposit or full payment as applicable. You must check your confirmation invoice, tickets and all other documents you receive from us carefully as soon as you receive them. Please contact us immediately if any information on any document appears to be incorrect as it may not be possible to make changes later. We regret we cannot accept any liability if we are not notified of any inaccuracy in any document within 5 days of our sending it out.

## 3. HOLIDAY CANCELLATION BY YOU

If you have to cancel your holiday you must do so in writing. The cancellation charges you incur depend on when we receive this written notification and are as follows:

Receipt of notice	Cancellation Fee (Per Person)
More than 56 days before departure	Loss of deposit
Between 29 and 56 days before departure	50% or full deposit if greater
Between 8 and 28 days before departure	75% or full deposit if greater
7 days before departure or less	100%

In the event of a cancellation of a booking secured by a low deposit, we reserve the right to levy the full deposit amount.

Percentages refer to the total holiday price excluding any amendment charges and insurance premiums which are non-refundable.

If a room or cabin is booked for multiple occupancy, but, due to cancellation by one or more of the occupants before departure, it becomes occupied by a single passenger then a charge equivalent to any sole occupancy fee charged by our suppliers will be added to the above cancellation charges.

## 4. HOLIDAY ALTERATION BY YOU

Should you wish to make any changes to your holiday, please advise us as soon as possible in writing. We will endeavour to meet requests if we can. A change of holiday where you wish to travel earlier or later than originally booked, will be treated as a cancellation of the original booking and charges will be levied according to clause 3. NB Insurance premiums are not transferable from one person to another.

## 5. ALTERATIONS AND CANCELLATIONS BY US

Occasionally, we have to make changes to and correct errors in the brochure or booklets supplied and other details both before and after bookings have been confirmed and cancel confirmed bookings. Whilst we always endeavour to avoid changes and cancellations, we must reserve the right to do so. Most changes are minor. Occasionally, we have to make a significant change to your holiday. When we refer to a “significant change” in these Booking Conditions, we mean a change of outward departure time of more than 12 hours, a change of departure point to one which is significantly more inconvenient for you, a change of category of destination, a change of accommodation to that of a lower category for the whole or the majority of your holiday. If we have to make a significant change or cancel, we will tell you as soon as possible. Subject to clauses 6 and 12 below, if there is time to do so before departure you will then be given the choice of accepting the changed arrangements or taking a suitable alternative holiday with us if available or receiving a full refund of all monies paid to us. Should the alternative holiday be more expensive than the original one, there will be no further cost to yourself. Should the alternative holiday be less expensive than the original one, we will refund the difference.

Please note, our liability for significant changes and cancellations is limited to offering you the above mentioned choices. Where our liability is limited, we regret we cannot pay any expenses, costs or losses you may incur as a result of any change or cancellation. No compensation is payable for minor changes or where we cancel or make a significant change before the date the balance of your holiday cost falls due. Minor changes do not entitle you to cancel or change to another holiday without paying our normal charges.

## 6. FORCE MAJEURE

We cannot accept liability or pay any compensation where the performance or prompt performance of our contractual obligations is prevented or affected by any event or circumstances beyond our control. Such events may include (but are not limited to) war or threat of war, riot, civil strife, terrorist activity, adverse weather conditions, natural or nuclear disaster, industrial dispute, government action, fire and similar events or circumstances outside our control.

## 7. PRICING POLICY

In limited circumstances the price of your confirmed holiday is subject to a surcharge as set out below. Surcharges can arise if transport costs (including the cost of fuel) increase or our costs otherwise increase as a result of currency exchange rate fluctuation or any new or increased tax, levy or other sum imposed by any government or regulatory

authority/body, (e.g. CAA, ATOL etc.). In the unlikely event that your holiday is surcharged you will be notified in writing not less than 30 days before departure. In any event we will absorb increases up to a total amount equivalent to 2% of the total holiday price which excludes insurance premiums and any amendment/cancellation charges. Only amounts in excess of this 2% will be surcharged. If this means, in extreme circumstances paying more than 10% of the holiday price, excluding insurance premiums and any amendment charges you will be entitled to cancel your holiday with a full refund of all money paid to us except for any premium paid to us for insurance and any amendment/cancellation charges already incurred. You will have 14 days to exercise your right to cancel from the issue date of the surcharge invoice. Should any surcharges be applied and shown on a final invoice any further increases would be borne by you. In return for these promises and the applicable risks to us no refunds will be made for decreases in costs. We reserve the right to correct errors in both advertised and confirmed prices at anytime. We will do so as soon as we become aware of the error.

## 8. PERSONAL LUGGAGE

Whilst every effort will be made by our contractors to ensure your luggage is kept safe throughout the duration of your holiday, customers are respectfully reminded that the ultimate responsibility for all personal luggage remains that of the individual customer.

## 9. LOSS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

For those who have taken out the holiday insurance offer, the holiday insurance company insists that you report any loss or theft to the local police within 24 hours. Keep a note of where you reported the loss or theft and obtain a written report from the local police, this will assist when your insurance company asks for evidence of loss or theft. On your return home contact the holiday insurance company for a claims form (See also clause 18). If you have not taken out the insurance we offer, please check your policy.

## 10. SPECIAL REQUESTS

Although we will endeavour to pass any reasonable requests on to the relevant supplier, we regret we cannot promise that any request will be complied with unless we have specifically confirmed this in writing. Confirmation that a special request has been noted or passed on to the supplier or the inclusion of the special request on your confirmation or any other document is not confirmation that the request will be met. Unless and until specifically confirmed, all special requests are subject to availability.

## 11. OUR BROCHURE DESCRIPTIONS

All descriptions of holidays are advertised by us in good faith and we take care over accuracy. As our brochures are produced many months in advance of your departure, there may be times when an advertised activity, excursion or entertainment is not available during your particular holiday. Travel arrangements are planned very carefully to give you the maximum value while operating under normal circumstances. It may be necessary, sometimes at short notice, to make changes to an itinerary. Such reasons as weather, traffic and road conditions can create changes to an itinerary. Regrettably coaches, trains, ships and aircraft do occasionally break down or certain facilities on board a coach, train, ship or aircraft may become faulty. Every effort will be made to repair breakdowns or faults as quickly as possible. In some instances it may be necessary to replace the vehicle or aircraft which cannot be repaired. We cannot accept any responsibility for delays caused by any form of breakdown. During your stay in a hotel you may have problems with certain aspects of maintenance, generally caused by wear and tear to such items as a shower unit, lock etc. Please be understanding of such matters and report them to the hotel reception in a firm but polite manner. Hot water supplies can be occasionally limited in hotels and we cannot exercise any control over this. You may find that bed linen is not as large as you have at home, and towels which may not always be supplied, can be rather small. Regrettably, the general standards of safety, hygiene, fire precautions etc. vary from country to country and can in some instances be lower than you are used to in the U.K. The monitoring and enforcement of such matters is governed by the authorities of the country and overseas supplier of the services concerned. Please note, the services which make up your holiday comply with the standards and requirements of the country in which those services are provided and not those of the U.K.

## 12. ARTISTS, CONCERTS, ENTERTAINMENTS AND RIDES

We cannot accept responsibility for the non-appearance of any artist or the cancellation / withdrawal / closure of any concert / event / entertainment / ride (e.g. at Oberammergau Passion Play) for whatever reason. Should any such situation arise the holiday arrangements will still proceed. We will not always be in a position to advise you in advance of any such cancellation etc. Such situations will not constitute a significant change to your holiday arrangements entitling you to cancel or change to another holiday without paying our normal charges and no compensation will be payable.

## 13. SUPPLIERS

Whenever you use the services provided by an independent supplier you will be subject to the conditions of that supplier. These conditions form part of the agreement between us and may limit or exclude the liability of the supplier and us to you, often in accordance with international conventions. Copies of these conditions and the International Conventions are available from our office on request and can be inspected at the office of the suppliers concerned. We regret we cannot exercise any control over industrial disputes, port disputes or any similar action outside our control.

## 14. TRAVEL DELAY

Due to circumstances completely beyond our control, a delay may arise to your sea crossing/tunnel crossing/air/air departure. In the event of any delay to your rail/air departure, responsibility for any meals etc. rests with the ferry company, airline or rail operator. In the event of extended overnight delays, depending on circumstances, we will endeavour to provide hotel accommodation.

## 15. HEALTH REGULATIONS

We advise you to check with your Doctor or the Department of Health in good time before travelling whether vaccinations are required for any of our holidays. Information on your health abroad is available from your local main Post Office. For European holidays, you should also obtain a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) prior to departure.

## 16. HOLIDAY INSURANCE

1. It is compulsory that you take holiday insurance at the time of booking. Should you decide on an alternative policy, you must give us the name, address, policy number and details of the emergency medical and repatriation telephone number relating to the alternative arrangements either at the time of booking or within 14 days of confirmation. If you do not take out any holiday insurance or provide the required details in time, we reserve the right to refuse your booking and/or treat your booking as cancelled by you and apply the cancellation charges as set out in clause 3. It is your responsibility to ensure that the insurance cover you purchase is adequate for your particular needs. We do not check alternative policies. Please take your policy with you on holiday.

2. The travel insurance policy offered in the brochure will suit the Demands and Needs of an individual, or group (where applicable) who have no excluded pre-existing medical conditions and who wish to insure themselves against the financial impact of specified unforeseen circumstances/events relating to or occurring during the trip. Full details of these circumstances/events, levels of cover and terms and conditions can be found in the policy booklet.

IMPORTANT – you may already possess alternative insurance(s) for some or all of the features and benefits provided by this product: it is your responsibility to investigate this. We will not provide you with advice about the suitability of this product for your individual needs; we will however be happy to provide you with factual information to aid you in making your own informed buying decision. Tailored Travel Limited is an appointed representative of ITC Compliance Limited which is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (their registration number is 313486) and which is permitted to advise on and arrange general insurance contracts.

## 17. COMPLAINTS PROCEDURE

Should you have a complaint about any aspect of your holiday, you must notify the tour manager, coach driver or a representative of the company, together with the supplier of the services in question immediately so that the problem can be quickly resolved on the spot. If the matter cannot be put right on the spot, on your return from holiday, you must write to us within 28 days with full details. For all complaints and claims which do not involve personal injury, illness or death, we regret we cannot accept any liability if you fail to notify the complaint or claim entirely in accordance with this clause.

## 18. OUR LIABILITY (EVENTS CONNECTED WITH YOUR HOLIDAY PACKAGE)

1. We accept responsibility for ensuring that your holiday is supplied to you as described in the brochure and to a reasonable standard. We also accept responsibility for what our employees, agents, suppliers and subcontractors do or do not do (providing they were at the time carrying out work authorised by us) except where death, personal injury or illness results (dealt with separately below). This acceptance of responsibility is, however, subject to clauses 6 & 12 and the other terms of these Booking Conditions.

2. Subject to these Booking Conditions, we accept responsibility should you or any member of your party suffer death, personal injury or illness as a result of any failure to perform or improper performance of any part of our contract with you by any of our employees, agents, suppliers or subcontractors (providing they were at the time carrying out work authorised by us) except in the following situations. We will not be liable where any failure to perform or improper performance of the whole or any part of our contract was due to:

- (a) the act(s) and/or omission(s) of the person(s) affected or
- (b) those of a third party not connected with the provision of your holiday and which were unforeseeable or unavoidable or
- (c) an event which either ourselves or the supplier of the service(s) in question could not have foreseen or avoided even with all due care.

3. We limit the maximum amount we may have to pay you for any and all claims or parts of claims which do not involve personal injury, illness or death. Except where loss and/or damage to or of luggage or personal possessions is concerned or a lower limitation of liability applies to the claim, the maximum amount we will have to pay you for such non-personal injury claims if we are found liable to you on any basis is twice the price (excluding insurance premiums and amendment charges) paid by or on behalf of the person(s) affected in total.

4. Where we are found liable for loss of and/or damage to any luggage or personal possessions (including money), the maximum amount we will have to pay you is £60 per person affected as you are assumed to have taken out travel insurance which is adequate or your requirements.

5. It is a condition of the acceptance of liability set out in clauses 18(1) and 18(2) of these Booking Conditions that you notify us of any claim you or any member(s) of your party has in accordance with the procedure set out in clause 17, “COMPLAINTS PROCEDURE”. Any person to whom any payment is made must also assign to ourselves or our insurers any rights they may have to pursue any third party in connection with the claim. You must also provide ourselves and our insurers with all assistance we may reasonably require.

6. Except where otherwise expressly stated in these booking conditions, where any claim or part of a claim concerns or is based on any travel arrangements (including the process of getting on or off the transport concerned) provided by any carrier or any stay in a hotel, the maximum we will have to pay you in respect of that claim or part of a claim if we are found liable to you on any basis is the maximum which would be payable by the carrier or hotel keeper concerned under the applicable international conventions (e.g. Warsaw convention as amended for international travel by air and/or for carriers with an operating licence granted by an E.U. country, the E.U. Regulation on air carrier liability for any travel by air) in that situation.

7. Please note, we cannot accept any liability for any damage, loss, expense or other sum(s) of any description which (a) on the basis of the information given to us by you concerning your booking prior to our accepting it, we could not have foreseen you would suffer or incur if we breached our contract with you or (b) did not result from any breach of contract or any other fault by ourselves or our employees or, where we are responsible for them, our suppliers. Additionally, we cannot accept liability for any business losses.

## 19. PASSENGERS WITH A DISABILITY

Please note, our holidays may not be suitable for people with certain disabilities or medical conditions. If you have a disability, coaches can be difficult to get on and off and some of our hotels do not offer ground/lower floor accommodation or lifts/easy access. Should any member of your party suffer from any disability or medical condition which may affect their or other people's holidays you must provide full written details at the time you book the holiday including any specific

requirements that person has. Additionally at the time you book the holiday you must provide written confirmation that all assistance the person concerned requires will be provided by other party members as outside assistance will not be available. In view of the nature of our holidays, we regret we must reserve the right to decline any booking whenever we feel unable to accommodate the needs of any particular client or where, in our opinion, the medical condition or disability of the client concerned is likely to have a significant adverse effect on other clients taking the same holiday. We further reserve the right to cancel any holiday and impose cancellation charges if we are not fully advised of any relevant disability or medical condition at the time the booking is made. This does not affect your statutory rights.

## 20. INDEMNITY

If your actions or those of any member of your party cause damage to the accommodation in which you are staying or to the vehicle, train, ship or aircraft in which you are travelling, or cause delay or diversion to any means of transportation, you agree to fully indemnify us against any claim (including legal costs of all concerned) made against us by or on behalf of the owners of such accommodation or the operator of such means of transportation or by any third party.

## 21. INFORMATION REFERRING TO OUR TOURS

We always endeavour to give precise, accurate information to telephone enquiries. However, we cannot accept liability for information given orally to customers unless it is confirmed by us in writing.

## 22. PASSPORTS, VISAS, ETC.

It is your responsibility to ensure that you and those for whom you are booking are in possession of valid passports and any appropriate visas. Be sure to check passport and visa requirements with the consulates of countries being travelled through well in advance. You are responsible for any charges, fines etc. that may be levied by authorities in the UK or overseas for non compliance with regulations in the area and any such amounts will be recharged to you. You will not be permitted to travel overseas without an appropriate passport and all applicable visas. UK passports should be valid for at least 3 months beyond your planned date of return to the UK.

## 23. FLIGHTS

We are not always in a position to confirm the airline, aircraft type and airport of departure or destination which will be used for your holiday at the time of booking. Where this information is provided at any time, any change will be treated as a “minor change” not entitling you to cancel or change to another holiday without paying our normal charges.

## 24. PERSONAL DETAILS

We may have to pass on certain details to a company or organisation (for example, the airline, hotel or credit card company) in order that your holiday or other service or product can be provided. When you make a booking or enter into a transaction this means you consent to our passing on such details. We may be required to provide information by law as permitted by the Data Protection Act or by a legal authority recognised by the European Union. We will use the information you provide to send you details about our products and services now and in the future. We may also pass your details to third parties working on our behalf. If you do not want us to do this you must write to the Data Controller, at our head office address. We will not sell or pass your details to any individual or company which is not a subsidiary or parent of ours without your prior consent except in the circumstances shown above. Under the Data Protection Act 1998 you are entitled to see a copy of all the data we hold relating to you personally. In line with the Act, we reserve the right to make a nominal charge for this service.

## 25. CONSISTENCY

In the event of any inconsistency between these Terms and Conditions and the additional general information in the brochure, these Terms and Conditions will apply in respect of the inconsistency.

## 26. YOUR FINANCIAL PROTECTION

1. The air holidays and flights in the brochure are ATOL protected, since we hold an Air Travel Organiser's Licence granted by the Civil Aviation Authority. Our ATOL number is ATOL 5605. In the unlikely event of our insolvency, the CAA will ensure that you are not stranded abroad and will arrange to refund any money you have paid for an advance booking. For further information, visit the ATOL website at [www.atol.org.uk](http://www.atol.org.uk).
2. When you buy an ATOL protected flight inclusive holiday from us you will receive an ATOL Certificate. This lists what is financially protected, where you can get information on what this means for you and who to contact if things go wrong. We will provide you with the services listed on the ATOL Certificate. In some cases, where we are unable to do so for reasons of insolvency, an alternative ATOL holder may provide you with the services you have bought or a suitable alternative (at no extra cost to you). You agree to accept that in those circumstances the alternative ATOL holder will perform those obligations and you agree to pay any money outstanding to be paid by you under your contract to that alternative ATOL holder. However, you also agree that in some cases it will not be possible to appoint an alternative ATOL holder, in which case you will be entitled to make a claim under the ATOL scheme (or your credit card issuer where applicable).
3. If we are unable to provide the services listed in your ATOL Certificate (or a suitable alternative, through an alternative ATOL holder or otherwise) for reasons of insolvency, the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust may make a payment to (or confer a benefit on) you under the ATOL scheme. You agree that in return for such a payment or benefit you assign absolutely to those Trustees any claims which you have or may have arising out of or relating to the non-provision of the services, including any claim against us, the travel agent (or your credit card issuer where applicable). You also agree that any such claims may be re-assigned to another body, if that other body has paid sums you have claimed under the ATOL scheme.
4. Your non ATOL financial protection is covered by a separate trust account administered by independent chartered accountants.