



*Special offer for hockey teams of
The World U 18 Championship Ukraine
Division II, Group B
Donetsk, 2011*

Excursion programme:

Option 1:

Donetsk City Tour «Heart of Donetsk» (3 hrs) with lunch at the national restaurant



This excursion will give you a chance to see how much the appearance of Donetsk city has changed for the last years. The city became stylish and modern, got features of a European megalopolis, though not so long ago it was called "All-Union Stokehold". The trade and business centres, hotels are built, the building of the airport is being reconstructed, the cathedrals are being built, much attention is given to the landscape design. The city is adorned by new fountains, parks and squares. Donetsk again changes into a city of million roses!

While going on this excursion you will get to know how the city lives and what new and interesting things has appeared here.

Excursion programme:

A group gathers in the lobby. The landmark is the Regional Sport Complex "Olimpiyskyi".

Preface excursion. Review acquaintance with the sights of the downtown of Donetsk. Transfer to Chelyuskintsev street.

Acquaintance with the symbol of Donbass – Mertsalov's Palm as well as with the Donbass Arena Stadium and its landscape Park. Transfer from Mira avenue to Artema street.

A walk about the Park of Forged Figures, story about the appearance of forged masterpieces in the city as well as the gifts of twin-cities – the Bakhmut Bell and the Tsar-Cannon.

Visiting Saint-Transfiguration Cathedral during the excursion.

A walk along Pushkin boulevard. Along the central alley you will see remarkable and unique sculpt compositions "Lukomorie", "Ukrainian step", compositions embodied regional main industrial branches, forged fountain "Donbass Rivers". Landscape design of the Park will amuse you greatly by its bright colours and flower fragrance. Review of: the Donetsk National Academic Theatre of Opera and Ballet named after A.Solovyanenko, the Donetsk National Academic Ukrainian Musical-Dramatic Theatre, the Donbass Palace Hotel and others

Excursion is over in the central square – Lenin square.

Remark: excursion participants should wear comfortable shoes, during the visiting of Cathedral women's clothes must respond to the rules of the visiting of Christian orthodox cathedrals, churches, temples and monasteries (they must have shawl and wear dress or skirt)

After the tour - lunch at the national restaurant.



Excursion programme:

Option 2:

«Sportive Donetsk plus the Donbass Arena Stadium» with lunch at the national restaurant



Nowadays Donetsk surely can boast of not only its highly-developed industry but also sport achievements. The sport complexes of different countries applauded our athletes and boxers, football players and runners, gymnasts and basketball players numerous times. The recognized masters of many countries are proud of participating in the International tournaments "Pole Vault Stars" and "Golden Lily" which take part namely in Donetsk.

We invite you to get acquainted with the history of the emergence of sport spirit in our land as well as modern sport city. During the excursion we propose you to visit the Donbass Arena Stadium which was designed and built to meet UEFA regulations for elite stadiums.

This excursion will open for you Sport Donetsk, give new expressions and emotions!

Excursion programme:

A group gathers at the front door of Saint-Transfiguration Cathedral. The landmark is the Ukraine Hotel.

Pedestrian review acquaintance with the sights of the downtown. A walk about the Park of Forged Figures, story about the appearance of forged masterpieces in the city as well as the gifts of twin-cities – the Bakhmut Bell and the Tsar-Cannon. Transfer to the monument to S.Bubka.

Pedestrian review acquaintance with some sport city sights. Transfer to Chelyuskintsev street.

Excursion about the Donbass Arena Stadium, acquaintance with unique specifications and features of the Stadium, visiting rooms, attended by football players, and finally – shopping at the FC Shakhtar souvenirs shop.

Excursion about the Park of the Donbass Arena Stadium which is famous for its unique due to its landscape design. Then FC Shakhtar Museum located on the territory of the Stadium.

Excursion is over in the Park of the Donbass Arena Stadium.

Remark: ordering excursion on foot it's desirable for you to wear comfortable shoes.

After the tour- lunch at the national restaurant.



Excursion programme:

Option 3:

"Salt casket (visiting the salt mine)" with lunch



This excursion will displace you to the past, 270 million years back, to the bottom of the ancient sea. On finding yourselves at a depth of 300 metres underground you will see that the walls, ceiling, floors, figures and trees – everything is made of salt! The salt sculptures made by craftsmen will amuse you by its sophisticated fulfilment. While going on this excursion you will not only get to know many interesting facts but treat your body by salt air.

The salt mine is famous for the event when an air balloon was launched here. This unusual event was registered in the Ukrainian Guinness Book of Records. The mine is also famous for the magnificent symphonic concert "Salt Symphony" which was held here not once. Underground there is the speleo sanatorium, a small museum and church, mini football pitch, billiard hall and café. Video and photography aren't prohibited



Excursion programme:

A group gathers in the lobby, then way to the front door of Saint-Transfiguration Cathedral. The landmark is the Ukraine Hotel. Departure from Donetsk. Trip reportage during the tour. Arrival to Soledar. Descent to the mine.

Review excursion about the adits of the mine.

Free time. Lunch.

Departure to Donetsk.

Excursion duration: excursion about the salt mine – 1,5 hours; the programme "Health" – 3 hours; total duration of the tour - 8 hours

Remark: excursion participants should wear comfortable shoes, in summer – clothes with long sleeves (stationary temperature in the mine is 10-12 degrees above zero); descent to the mine of children under 10

years old, drunken people, pregnant women is prohibited; video and photography aren't prohibited

Excursion programme:

Option 4:

«Svyatogorye – Pearl of Donbass» with lunch



Svyatogorye is a unique wonderful piece of nature which is situated in the North of Donetsk region. It's called Pearl of Donbass or Donetsk Switzerland. It's a city with revived spirituality, unique monuments and charming nature. An ancient monastic abode – Svyatogorskaya Svyato-Uspenskaya Lavra is situated on the picturesque bank of the Severskiy Donets River, on chalk hills, covered by the dense forest. The first notes about Svyatogorskiy Monastery appeared in chronicles in the XVIth century.

Nowadays a unique architectural reserve is created in Svyatogorsk. It includes 40 buildings and constructions, 29 of them are the monuments of history, culture and architecture. The masterpiece of Ukrainian folk architecture – Nickolaevskaya church situated on the chalk rock, nearly 1 000

metres of labyrinths – entrances inside the chalk rock which have been famous since the beginning of the XVIth century as well as Svyatogorskiy Male Monastery are preserved here.

During hundreds of years this place has been attracting people by its picturesque natural landscapes and exceptional treating-climatic conditions. Everything in this place contributes to clearness and openness, to the treatment of a body and soul.

Excursion programme:

A group gathers in the lobby, then way to the front door of Saint-Transfiguration Cathedral. The landmark is the Ukraine Hotel. Departure is from Donetsk

Trip reportage during the tour. Arrival to Svyatogorsk.

Review excursion about the territory of Svyatogorskaya Svyato-Uspenskaya Lavra. Visiting Uspenskiy Cathedral (it considered to be the most monumental cathedral building which harmoniously combines elements of Russian and Byzantine architectural styles). You will be acquainted with Guest House of the middle of the XIXth century – it includes rooms for pilgrims, refectory, museum, Saint Kiril's and Mephodiy's outbuildings, chapel.

You will have a chance to attend the church shop and buy souvenirs. If you wish to taste Lenten Meals, you can join the monk's breakfast in the refectory.

Free time for lunch.

Excursion to the first tier of Svyatogorskiy complex.

Acquaintance with the sights of the National Natural Park "Svyatye Gory": the monument to Artem, Kamishev's oak, the Memorial of the Great Patriotic War, Skeet of Russian All Saints

Free time.

Departure to Donetsk.

Excursion duration: Svyatogorskaya Lavra - 3 hours; free time – 1,5 hour; total duration of the tour - 9 hours

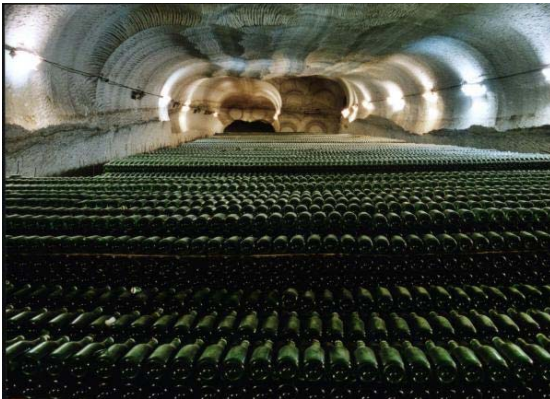
Distance: 300 km in both sides

Remark: excursion participants should wear comfortable shoes, in summer – hats, during the visiting of Svyatogorskaya Lavra women's clothes must respond to the rules of the visiting of Christian orthodox cathedrals, churches, temples and monasteries (they must have shawl and wear dress or skirt) additional places for visiting are to be reserved beforehand

Excursion programme:

Option 5:

" Artyomovsk Winery (with tasting)"



We propose you to visit the biggest Eastern European enterprise producing sparkling wine in a traditional bottle technology. Champagne – an obstinate and disobedient beverage – is known to have been created in France. Connoisseurs assert that the aroma of the classical Champagne is elusively like the tender smell of yellow fur chrysanthemums. There is nothing like the taste of Artyomovsk Champagne. During this excursion you will have the possibility to taste this wonderful beverage. Besides, the experienced guides will tell you no one legend concerning the creation and stocking of sparkling wine.

Excursion programme:

A group gathers in the lobby, then way to the front door of Saint-Transfiguration Cathedral. The landmark is the Ukraine Hotel. Departure is from Donetsk

Trip reportage during the tour. Arrival to Artemovsk

Review excursion about the area of Artyomovsk Winery Plant. On walking about the gypseous adits you will go down to the depth of 72 metres, see the whole cycle of champagne production, hear touching and tragic story about the emergency of "Wailing Wall" in the area of the plant.

Tasting of sparkling wine (5-7 types).

Departure to Donetsk

Recommended to visit additionally: trade shop "Artyomovsk Winery"

Excursion duration: excursion about Artyomovsk Winery – 2,5 hours; total duration - 6 hours

Distance: 200 km in both sides

Remark: excursion participants should wear comfortable shoes, in summer – clothes with long sleeves (stationary temperature in the adits is 13-14 degrees above zero); excursion about the Plant for children and teenagers under 18 years old isn't conducted; video and photography are prohibited.

Excursion programmes. Rates.

Date	Tour	per 1 person (in EURO) * upon condition of group up 17 pax	per 1person (in EURO) * upon condition of group up 30 pax	per 1 person (in EURO) * upon condition of group up 50 pax
Option #1	Donetsk City Tour (3 hrs) with lunch at the national restaurant *	43,00	42,00	40,00
Option #2	Sportive Donetsk plus the Donbass Arena Stadium	48,00	45,00	44,00
Option #3	Salt casket (visiting the salt mine)	64,00	59,00	57,00
Option #4	Svyatogorye – Pearl of Donbass	57,00	50,00	47,00
Option #5	Artyomovsk Winery (with tasting)	59,00	53,00	50,00

*You can order your private tour any time.

** all rates include: entrance permission to the exclusion zone, transportation, guide/escort service on the route, group insurance, entrance fees, lunch



Thanks for attention!