



HOLLAND

Dutch Bulbfields & The Foralies at Ghent

The province to the north of Amsterdam is often said still to represent traditional Holland. Volendam is here. It's the prettiest and most popular village on the IJsselmeer. Lively and vibrant, it always offers us something to see and do. Attractive and typically Dutch houses line the waterfront. Many residents still wear the national costume as a matter of course. The harbour is always busy. There's the fish auction, for example, and pleasure craft come and go all the time.

Depart	Coach	Days	Price	Single Supp
22 Apr	Exec	6HB	£435	£110
BULBFIELDS				

ITINERARY:

Day One We head to Hull via York for our overnight crossing to Zeebrugge, we hope to included outside cabins, dinner and breakfast not included, but can be prebooked at £40 per person return

Day Two We leave the ship and head to THE FLORALIES at Ghent, on arrival we will take tea and cakes at the Holiday Inn, then we spend approx 4 hours in THE FLORALIES. We depart at 2.30 and head to Holland and the Spaander Hotel set on the waters edge in the centre of the attractive town of VOLENDAM, we have 3 nights dinner bed and breakfast here at this great old world setting.

Day Three Today we visit KUEKENHOF GARDENS and admire the displays, also today is the day of the FLOWER PARADE which starts in Noordwijk and tours the area and ends at Haarlem we will have chance to watch the flower floats go by, a truly wonderful sight, admission to the garden is included, we return to hotel late afternoon via the buldfields.

Day Four A day of leisure in Volendam should you wish we can arrange a cruise for you, but there always something going on in the town, and all the shops will be open.

Day Five We leave the hotel today and head to The Hague and the seaside town of Scheveningen for lunch(not included). In the afternoon we visit Maduaradam the smallest town in holland, why it's a model village - great to just stroll around or sit and relax. entrance is included. About 16.30 we head of to the port of Rotterdam for our overnight crossing to Hull, outside low berth cabins are included, but dinner and breakfast are not. Meals on both journeys can be prebooked at £40 return.

Day Six We leave the ship about 8.30am and head to Harrogate where we visit Harlow Carr Gardens for Lunch (not included) and a look around admission included.

PRICE INCLUDES:

- 3 nights half-board accommodation in the Spaander 4☆ Hotel
- 2 nights on ship
- Luxury Coach Travel
- Excursions and admissions (see below for details)
- Home Pick-up Service



HOTEL:

- Lift
- En suite rooms
- Colour TV
- Leisure facilities

SPAANDER HOTEL ★★ ★★

A visit to Best Western Hotel Spaander is more than just sleeping, eating, drinking experience. It is an experience! In itself!

An experience that starts the moment you enter the hotel premises, dated from 1881. Come and experience in person why famous painters like Paul Sigma, Henry Cassiers and Austin Hanicotte came to this hotel seeking inspiration. Many of these old masters paid for their stay with paintings. The result: a unique collection of works of art (over 1,200) prompting associations with times long past.

Each room its own story, Hotel Spaander has 79 luxurious bedrooms, each of them unique in its own way.

These generously proportioned and attractive rooms all have en suite bath or shower, toilet, radio, TV, telephone and trouser press. If required we can also provide rooms with internet access, or luxury suites. If you open the doors of your room you look out over Lake IJssel or Volendam's world-famous dike-top boulevard. It will be a view that lingers long in your memory.