



QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

WHAT IS THE ROAD TO LEBANON ?

1. Send for Application Form (or download it from the website)
2. Return your Application Form with €500
3. Complete the sponsorship Cards and raise the remaining €2500
4. Get your Passport in order (See Terms)
5. Make your way to Dublin Airport
6. Depart Ireland and arrive in Beirut
7. You will be collected at Beirut International Airport and taken to your Hotel in Byblos. 3/4 hour drive

WHAT IS OUR PROGRAMME ?

“This will vary from Trip to Trip”

WHAT IS COVERED ?

1. Return Flights and taxes
2. Visas for Lebanon
3. Transportation on the ground
4. Hotel Accommodation with Breakfast while in Lebanon
5. Lunch while in Lebanon
6. Evening Meal while in Lebanon
7. Medical and travel Insurance
8. Entry fees for Tours

WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING WITH ME ?

1. Yourself
2. Warm weather holiday clothes (Keep the party in mind)
3. Gear for warm weather / hat
4. Mosquitto Cream
5. Torch
6. Personal Medication
7. Paddy's Day bunting, hats, etc
8. Wet Wipes
9. US Dollars as spending money
10. About €100.00 worth of Czech Crowns for Prague (Outward and return)
11. Passport

WHEN WILL THE PROJECTS TAKE PLACE ?

The Hospital Building Project will have commenced in August 2007. By the time we arrive in March 2009 the Project will be well underway.

WILL WE GET SOME TIME OFF ?

Yes, you will have time off in the week to enjoy the sun, sea and sand. We will arrange for you to see some of the touristy sites and to do some shopping. We will spend 4 nights in Byblos, 2 nights in Tyre and 2 nights in Beirut.

HOW OLD DO YOU NEED TO BE ?

You need to be over 18 years on the date of travel.

ARE BOTH MEN AND LADIES ALLOWED TO APPLY ?

Yes.



IRISH LEBANON PROJECT



WHO ARE YOU LOOKING FOR ?

Anyone who is willing to make the effort to raise some money to help us build the Hospital and kit it out.

HOW HOT WILL IT BE ?

Not as hot as mid summer in Lebanon, but hot enough to need sun protection. It will be like the height of summer in Ireland.

DO I NEED ANY INJECTIONS ?

No. No immunisations are needed for Lebanon.

WHAT IS THE LANGUAGE ?

The Lebanese speak Arabic as a first language, French as a second language and English as a third language. When we go to the South you will even hear them speak Irish.

WHAT IS THE CURRENCY ?

The Lebanese have their own currency which is called the Livre. \$1.00 US = Livres 1500.00. US Dollars are widely used which makes it easy for the Irish to understand. Before you leave Lebanon they will change all your outstanding Lebanese Livres to US Dollars.

WHAT LEBANESE CUSTOMS SHOULD WE BE AWARE OF ?

Before we fly out we will brief the group on the protocols of greeting and meeting the varies Sects of the Lebanese People.

WHAT KIND OF TRANSPORT WILL WE HAVE ?

We will travel in a modern air conditioned bus on all of our travels in Lebanon.

WHAT IS BYBLOS LIKE ?

The best way to answer this one is for you to see for yourself. Words would NOT do Byblos justice. Byblos is a Christian Community. You will be able to attend Mass.

WILL WE RETURN AGAIN ?

Everyone of our Volunteers who joined us in March 2008 have already signed up for the Trips in both October 2008 and March 2009.