



The Wanderer Tour

with Ryan Cross

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TOUR: WANDERER

Fri 13 – Sun 29 Oct 2023
17 Days/16 Nights

Our Wanderer Tour, hosted by Ryan Cross, starts in Aix-en-Provence for the quarter-finals then heads to the towns of Avignon, Carcassonne and Bordeaux for some incredible southern France sightseeing. The tour then moves on to Paris for the semi-finals.

Following the semi-finals we travel down to Dijon and France's incredible Burgundy heartland. Finally we visit Reims and the world-famous Champagne region before concluding in Paris for the final.

RYAN CROSS

After playing nine seasons with the Sydney Roosters in the NRL Ryan joined the Western Force in 2007 from where he played 19 tests for Australia. After playing the 2011 season with the Waratahs, Ryan moved to France where he played with Perpignan and Racing Metro 92.

CITIES VISITED

- Aix-en-Provence
- Marseille
- Avignon
- Carcassonne
- Saint-Emilion
- Bordeaux
- Paris
- Dijon
- Burgundy
- Champagne
- Reims
- Versailles

TOUR INCLUSIONS

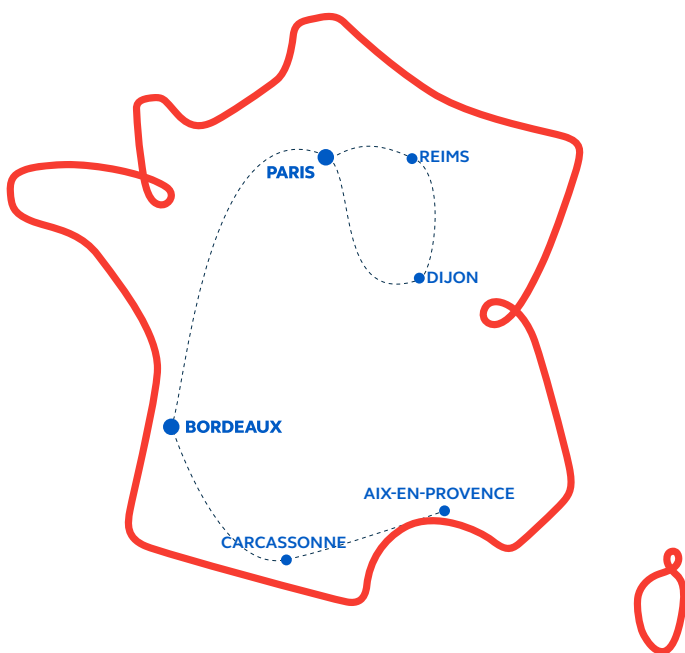
- Quality accommodation
- Travel throughout
- Official Category 2 match tickets
- Australian rugby celebrity host
- Local French speaking guide
- Sightseeing tours
- Commemorative merchandise & more.

A full list of inclusions is available online at wloverugby.com

International flights are not included. Flights can be purchased or frequent flyer flights booked 365 days out from your tour start date.

\$16,890

per person
twin share





KNOCKOUT PHASE TOUR

MATCHES INCLUDED

quarter-final 1

14 Oct, Stade
Vélodrome, Marseille

semi-final 2

21 Oct, Stade de
France, Saint-Denis

quarter-final 3

15 Oct, Stade
Vélodrome, Marseille

final

28 Oct, Stade de
France, Saint-Denis

semi-final 1

20 Oct, Stade de
France, Saint-Denis

**Plus optional bronze
final, 27 Oct**

"We were part of the WLR Explorers Tour to the RWC in 2015. We were impressed with every aspect of the tour. The organisation, the quality of our tour staff, the access to special events, the mid-tour options and the rugby experience were all first class. WLR is obviously a very experienced tour operator and their focus on service and quality shone through. We would unreservedly recommend WLR for a first class rugby touring experience."

Peter and Bez Graham - RWC 2019



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Fri 13 Oct: Welcome to Aix!

After check-in, we'll head to the Cours Mirabeau to sample the local fare.

Overnight: Aix-en-Provence

Sat 14 Oct: City Tour & Quarter-final 1

This morning we visit some of Aix's incredible sights before heading out to quarter-final 1.

Overnight: Aix-en-Provence

Sun 15 Oct: Quarter-final 3

We return to Marseille's Stade Vélodrome for quarter-final 3.

Overnight: Aix-en-Provence

Mon 16 Oct: Avignon & Carcassonne

Today we travel to southwestern France via the magnificent Avignon. After lunch we move on to Carcassonne.

Overnight: Carcassonne

Tue 17 Oct: Carcassonne City Tour

Today we tour the medieval fortress city soaking up the town's atmosphere.

Overnight: Carcassonne

Wed 18 Oct: Winery Tour & Bordeaux

Saint-Emilion is a medieval town dating back to the 11th century. This afternoon we take a winery tour before heading to Bordeaux.

Overnight: Bordeaux

Thu 19 Oct: Bordeaux City Tour

Today's tour will showcase Bordeaux's bold architecture and public spaces.

Overnight: Bordeaux

Fri 20 Oct: Paris transfer & semi-final 1

This morning, we head to Paris ready for semi-final 1.

Overnight: Paris

Sat 21 Oct: Semi-final 2

Today we explore the French capital before semi-final 2.

Overnight: Paris

Sun 22 Oct: Paris City Tour

Today we visit some of Paris's many sightseeing highlights such as the Eiffel Tower, Notre Dame Cathedral, the Arch de Triomphe and Champs Elysees.

Overnight: Paris

Mon 23 Oct: Dijon City Tour

We head to France's historic Burgundy region and will embark on a walking tour the UNESCO-listed old town centre.

Overnight: Dijon

Tue 24 Oct: Burgundy Winery Tour

Today we tour one of the region's top wineries to sample the famous pinot noir and chardonnay varieties!

Overnight: Dijon

Wed 25 Oct: Champagne Wine House

First stop today is a winery in France's famed Champagne region where we will learn and sample the famous product. Next, we head to Reims where we sample the best oysters and steak tartare in the fashionable Boulingrin brasseries.

Overnight: Reims

Thu 26 Oct: Reims City Tour

Today we will tour Reims city centre before returning to Paris.

Overnight: Paris

Fri 27 Oct: Palace of Versailles Tour

Today we visit the Palace of Versailles. This evening we get together for the bronze final.

Overnight: Paris

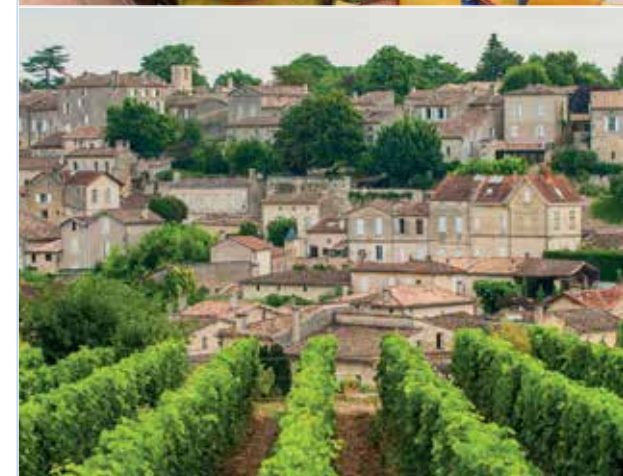
Sat 28 Oct: Function & RWC final

Join us at the tour pre-final function before heading to the tournament's showpiece event at Stade de France!

Overnight: Paris

Sun 29 Oct: Tour Concludes

Today we bid you adieu and thank you for travelling with We Love Rugby.



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