



The Pilgrimage Tour

Follow New Zealand

**WE LOVE
RUGBY**

TOUR: PILGRIMAGE

Thu 28 Sep – Sun 29 Oct 2023
32 Days/31 Nights

Our Follow New Zealand Pilgrimage tour includes 31 nights touring the best France has to offer plus eight matches of incredible rugby action! The tour begins in Lyon and includes New Zealand's final two pool matches against Italy and Uruguay before taking in the quarter-finals, semi-finals and final.

We take in classic countryside, wineries, castles, churches, rugby towns, the beauty of the southwest with the incredible French Riviera.

CITIES VISITED

- Lyon
- Aix-en-Provence
- Cannes
- Nice
- Monaco
- Biarritz
- San Sebastian
- Bordeaux
- Saint-Emilion
- Paris
- Dijon
- Burgundy
- Normandy
- Caen
- Amiens
- Villers-Bretonneux
- Reims
- Champagne
- Versailles

TOUR INCLUSIONS

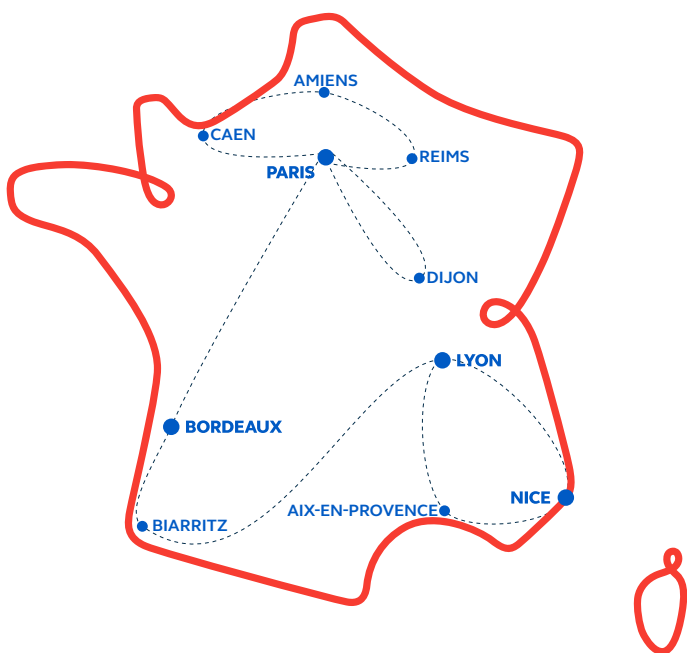
- Quality accommodation
- Travel throughout
- Official Category 2 match tickets
- Local French speaking guide
- Sightseeing tours
- Commemorative merchandise & more.

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

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

\$24,990

per person
twin share



“Well done to We Love Rugby. It was our second tour and we are already thinking about the next Rugby World Cup. Thank you for a delightful experience, one to cherish.”
John Barbagallo - RWC 2015

POOL & KNOCKOUT PHASE TOUR

MATCHES INCLUDED

New Zealand v Italy
29 Sep, OL Stadium,
Lyon

semi-final 1
20 Oct, Stade de
France, Saint-Denis

**New Zealand v
Uruguay**
5 Oct, OL Stadium,
Lyon

semi-final 2
21 Oct, Stade de
France, Saint-Denis

France v Italy
6 Oct, OL Stadium,
Lyon

final
28 Oct, Stade de
France, Saint-Denis

quarter-final 2
14 Oct, Stade de
France, Saint-Denis

**Plus optional bronze
final, 27 Oct**

quarter-final 4
15 Oct, Stade de
France, Saint-Denis

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Thu 28 Sep: Welcome to Lyon

Tonight we'll watch Japan verse Samoa.
Overnight: Lyon

Fri 29 Sep: New Zealand v Italy

Soak up the atmosphere before we head to Parc Olympic Lyonnaise.
Overnight: Lyon

Sat 30 Sep: Aix-en-Provence

This morning we travel to Aix.
Overnight: Aix-en-Provence

Sun 1 Oct: City Tour

Today we enjoy a city tour of Aix.
Overnight: Aix-en-Provence

Mon 2 Oct: Cannes & Nice City Tour

Today we tour Nice and Cannes.
Overnight: Nice

Tue 3 Oct: Monaco & French Riviera

Today we tour Monaco and Nice.
Overnight: Nice

Wed 4 Oct: Lyon Transfer

Today we return to Lyon.
Overnight: Lyon

Thu 5 Oct: New Zealand v Uruguay

We tour Lyon before the AB's match!
Overnight: Lyon

Fri 6 Oct: France v Italy

This morning we visit Fougere's Basilica of Notre-Dame before tonight's match.
Overnight: Lyon

Sat 7 Oct: Biarritz

Today we head to Biarritz.
Overnight: Biarritz

Sun 8 Oct: Biarritz City Tour

Today's tour will start at the beach and end with Miremont Teahouse's pastries.
Overnight: Biarritz

Mon 9 Oct: San Sebastian Tour

Today we cross the Spanish border into Basque country and tour San Sebastian.
Overnight: Biarritz

Tue 10 Oct: Bordeaux

Today we head to Bordeaux.
Overnight: Bordeaux

Wed 11 Oct: Bordeaux City Tour

Today we enjoy a city tour of Bordeaux.
Overnight: Bordeaux

Thu 12 Oct: Saint-Emilion Winery Tour

Today we head to one of wineries and sample the best the area has to offer.
Overnight: Bordeaux

Fri 13 Oct: Paris

Today we return to Paris.
Overnight: Paris

Sat 14 Oct: Tour & quarter-final 2

We'll tour Paris before tonight's match.
Overnight: Paris

Sun 15 Oct: quarter-final 4

There's time to explore before we head out for the last quarter-final.
Overnight: Paris

Mon 16 Oct: Dijon

We head to France's Burgundy region.
Overnight: Dijon

Tue 17 Oct: Dijon City Tour

We embark on a walking tour of Dijon's

UNESCO-listed old town.

Overnight: Dijon

Wed 18 Oct: Burgundy Winery Tour

Today we tour one of the top wineries to sample the famous pinot noir!
Overnight: Dijon

Thu 19 Oct: Paris Transfer

This morning we return to Paris.
Overnight: Paris

Fri 20 Oct: semi-final 1

Tonight is the first of our for semi-finals.
Overnight: Paris

Sat 21 Oct: semi-final 2

Explore Paris ahead of semi-final 2.
Overnight: Paris

Sun 22 Oct: Normandy

This morning we begin our tour of the French battlefields and memorials.
Overnight: Caen

Mon 23 Oct: Bayeux

Today we visit more WW2 memorials.
Overnight: Caen

Tue 24 Oct: Amiens & the Somme

Today we head to the city of Amiens via the WW1 battlefields of the Somme.
Overnight: Amiens

Wed 25 Oct: Villers-Bretonneux

Today we explore to Villers-Bretonneux.
Overnight: Reims

Thu 26 Oct: Champagne Winery Tour

First stop today is a winery in France's famed region to sample a glass.
Overnight: Paris



Fri 27 Oct: Palace of Versailles Tour

Today we visit the world heritage palace before watching the bronze final.
Overnight: Paris

Sat 28 Oct: Function & World Cup Final

Enjoy our pre-final function before tonight's final.
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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