

# BALLINACURRA HOUSE

## KINSALE

*'Ireland's Premier Private Estate for Exclusive Hire'*



Ballinacurra House is an award winning exclusive use estate, 5 minutes from Ireland's culinary capital Kinsale, a short drive to the world class Old Head Golf links and a number of other great courses close by.

The themed Georgian estate offers golfers the benefit of 40 acres of privacy, with personalised service, private chefs and service staff, but still keenly priced against today's economic climate.

Ballinacurra House was voted the Best Exclusive Hire Property in the World in 2007 by the Luxury Travel Awards in Cannes.

We work closely with a large number of both Irish-based and international golf tour operators, and we are well versed in looking after your needs as the owners have 20+ years experience in the event management market. They find that our style, size and event management background is perfect for those seeking a 'Destination Golf' venue and we have organised events for companies from Ireland, the UK, the USA, Europe, Middle East and Asia – and only ever "Exclusively Yours"

[www.ballinacurra.com](http://www.ballinacurra.com)



### Numbers to Remember

- ✓ 8 = Minimum number of rooms (Sun to Thurs nights) that must be booked
- ✓ 12 = Minimum number of rooms (Fri/Sat nights) that must be booked
- ✓ 22 = Total number of ensuite bedrooms on the whole property
- ✓ 24 = Maximum number of singles sharing single/twin rooms in Main House
- ✓ 36 = Maximum number of singles sharing single/twin rooms in the Whole Property
- ✓ 40 = Maximum number of singles we are able to sleep in a combination of single, twin and triple sharing
- ✓ 44 = Maximum number of people if all rooms are doubles or twin occupancy
- ✓ 52 = Maximum number staying if all rooms are occupied to their full capacity
- ✓ 50 = Maximum number who can dine in the Ballroom
- ✓ 96 = Maximum number who can dine in the Garden Room
- ✓ 120+ = Maximum number for formal or casual dining (barbecues and buffets).

## 2010 Rates at Ballinacurra House

Number of People In Your Group and Possible Sleeping Configurations		Rack Rate Per person per night
From 8 to 22 people - All Single Occupancy	€ 230 pp single € 150 pp twin share € 125 pp triple share  <b>Tour Operator Rates Available on Request</b>	
From 16 to 28 people – All Twin Share		
From 23 to 36 people – Up to 8 Single Rooms and 14 Twin Rooms		
From 37 to 40 people – Up to 8 Singles, 10 Twins and 4 Triple Share Rooms		
<b>What's Included and the Benefits of a Private Estate</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Full Private and Exclusive use of the entire property – both house and extensive grounds</li> <li>✓ You must take at least 8 bedrooms – and we do not ever rent out any other rooms to any other group – and the whole property is yours</li> <li>✓ Full cooked to order breakfast at a time that suits your group</li> <li>✓ Fully staffed with butler, housekeepers and waitresses</li> <li>✓ Private chef who can meet any of your dietary wishes or requirements</li> <li>✓ All government charges, taxes and VAT on accommodation, food and beverages are included</li> <li>✓ House setup to your specific requirements</li> <li>✓ All timing and scheduling plans</li> <li>✓ Seasonal menus to choose from</li> <li>✓ Vegetarian and special dietary requests catered for (prior notice essential)</li> <li>✓ Complimentary Tea and coffee for all residents on arrival</li> </ul>	
<b>Service Charge</b>	12.5% on food, beverages and any suppliers or activities organized on your behalf.	

## Golf Options

Within a 45 minute drive of Ballinacurra House, there are 5 golf courses which would suit all levels of players from novice to professional.

- **Old Head Golf Course of Kinsale** - One of the most notable world-class golf courses in the world (20 minutes by car). *The most spectacular golf course in the world* - (Links Magazine)
- **Cork Golf Club (40 minutes by car)** is a private club which will allow a small number of visitors to play each day. It was designed by Allister McKenzie, the designer of the Augusta Master's course.
- **Fota Island Golf Club (45 minutes)** was home to the 2001 and 2002 Murphy's Irish Open, joining the august company of Ballybunion, Portmarnock, Druids Glen, Killarney and Mount Juliet as an Irish Open venue. It is very much a traditional course and is maintained to the very highest of standards.
- **Farrangalway, Kinsale (5 minutes)** This is the local golf course which is home to the Kinsale Golf Club, which is a relatively new 18-hole parkland course. The 9-hole sister course, Ringenane is suited to the novice and intermediate alike.
- **Lisselan Golf Club (40 minutes)**. This course was opened to the public in 1994 by Christy O'Connor Senior who said "Probably one of the most unique golf courses in the world".

There are a host of links and inland courses within 2 hours drive of Ballinacurra House. For full details of golf in the South-West and West Cork area, go to:

<http://www.discoverireland.ie/Golf/Regions/Golf-in-the-South-West-of-Ireland.aspx>

## Private Dining Options at Ballinacurra House

We specialize in catering to the tailor-made requirements of many different types of groups – both in style and budget. We have a variety of menus on request from simple 'One-Pot' menus, Pizza from our Tuscan Ovens, Morning and Afternoon Tea – right up to Set 3 Course Dinners and 6 course Chef's Tasting Menus and BBQ's on our spacious grounds. And as you have your own private Chef at the house, he can help you create your own menu if you want something different.

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## **Golf Tour Operators – How We Can Help You**

We can help golf tour operators by advising them on the best local suppliers for services other than golf – such as transfers, dining options and other entertainment and sports options for golfers and non-golfers. We regularly host groups of couples where the golfers head off for the day, and we look after the non-golfing partners by organising day trips, courses, shopping trips, and other sports activities to keep them happy and occupied. We organise these in advance in consultation with your clients.

## **Heli-Golf and Private Jets**

Ballinacurra House has landed up to 4 helicopters at once. This option is ideal for those who wish to enjoy the best golf which Ireland has to offer but only have a limited time frame. Your helicopter will collect you and take you to the golf course of your choice and then return later that day back to the estate. For those who arrive in private or corporate jets, we can arrange to go directly onto the tarmac in the private jet area of Cork Airport and collect you direct from the plane.

## **Corporate Golf Days**

With many years experience in both the events and golf sponsorship business, the owners of Ballinacurra House are perfectly placed to organise your own Corporate Golf Day.

We can develop a detailed programme rundown and costing based on your requirements which we can send to you, upon request, including all arrangements such as organisation, tee times, transfers, accommodation, food, entertainment, prizes etc.

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