



The Beat Goes On Marching Band Liverpool & London

Final Itinerary

Trip Dates	30 th June – 9 th July 2026
Trip Reference	BU26207
Participants	74 pax
Pathfinders Office Contact	Hollie-Mae Webb
IMPORTANT NOTE	For all UK telephone numbers if called from abroad or on an international mobile it will be +44 and then drop the '0' before dialling the rest of the number
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Liverpool Waves Contact	John Perry Tel: +44 (0)7731317736
Pathfinders – General office number (9am – 5pm Mon - Fri)	+44 (0)1242 515712
Pathfinders Out of Hours Emergency contact number	+44 (0)7897276223 or +44 (0)7779263593
Coaching Services for Liverpool: Atlantic Executive (30 th June, 2 nd & 6 th July)	Tel: +44 (0)1706 622515 Out of hours emergency number: +44 (0)7311594232

	Coach Driver: Details will be provided 24 hours before each transfer
Coaching services for London: Westbus (7 th , 8 th & 9 th July)	Tel: +44 (0)20 8756 4099 This number is used for both the main office and out-of-hours emergencies, and it will be redirected to whoever is on duty at the time. Please stay on hold until the end of the recorded message. Coach Driver: Details will be provided 24 hours before each transfer
Liverpool Hotel Atlantic Tower Hotel Liverpool By Sunday	Address: Chapel St, Liverpool L3 9AG Tel: +44 (0)151 227 4444 Check-in time: 3:00 pm onwards Breakfast times: 6.30 AM -10 AM Monday- Friday & 7.00 AM-10.30 AM Saturday & Sunday
London Hotel Holiday Inn Kensington	Address: Wrights Lane, London W8 5SP Tel: +44 (0)20 7368 4023 Check-in time: 3:00 pm onwards Breakfast times: 6:30 AM - 10:30 AM on weekdays and 7:00 AM - 11:00 AM on weekends.
Local guides Lake District (2nd July):	Phil Hughes - +44 (0)7961511223 Gary Friday - +44 (0)7730874020
Local guides London (7th & 8th July):	Sue Hyde – +44 (0) 7967341157 Linda Dyke - +44 (0) 7947731039

Flights:

Departure Airport	Departure Date & Time	Arrival Airport	Arrival Date & Time	Flight #	Airline
LHR London Heathrow	29 th June 2026 15:00	MAN Manchester	29 th June 2026 16:05	BA 1368	British Airways – 2 pax
AMS Amsterdam	30 th June 2026 09:45	MAN Manchester	30 th June 2026 10:10	KL 1031	KLM – 23 Pax
BRU Brussels	30 th June 2026 10:00	MAN Manchester	30 th June 2026 10:25	SN 2173	Brussels Airlines – 2 pax
LHR London Heathrow	30 th June 2026 18:15	MAN Manchester	30 th June 2026 19:15	BA 1370	British Airways – 42 pax

Itinerary:

Day 1 – Tuesday 30th June

Upon arrival at Manchester Airport, you will be met by a representative and transferred by private coach to Liverpool (approximately 45 minutes).

When you enter the arrivals hall, please look out for a representative holding a sign reading "**The Beat Goes On – Liverpool Waves**".

After check-in, enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure to begin exploring the city.

Rehearsal late afternoon / early evening TBC.

Day 2 – Wednesday 1st July

Breakfast at the hotel.

The group will need to divide into two groups for today's Beatles-themed sightseeing programme.

Please note that no coach transportation will be provided between the hotel and the venues, as all venues are within walking distance of the hotel.

Beatles Story Museum Address: Britannia Vaults, Royal Albert Dock, Liverpool L3 4AD

Magical Myster Tour meeting point: Anchor Courtyard, 32 Gower Street. Liverpool, L3 4AS. The tour starts at the Magical Mystery Tour office at Liverpool's magnificent Royal Albert Dock where you should meet your guide. (Tel: +44 (0)151 7039100)

Please note the magical mystery tour will end at a different location to the starting point: The tour ends on North John Street in Liverpool city centre.

Group One (37 pax)

09:00 – Visit to The Beatles Story Museum

11:00 – Free time for lunch at leisure

12:00 – Meet your guide for the Magical Mystery Tour. Please arrive at the meeting point by 12:00, 30 minutes before the scheduled tour departure.

12:30 - Private Magical Mystery Tour begins, visiting iconic Beatles locations including Strawberry Field, Penny Lane, and the childhood homes of The Beatles (exterior visits only).

14:30 – Tour concludes. Enjoy free time for the remainder of the afternoon and evening.

Group Two (37 pax)

10:00 – Visit to The Beatles Story Museum

12:00 – Free time for lunch at leisure

13:00 – Meet your guide for the Magical Mystery Tour. Please arrive at the meeting point by 13:00, 30 minutes before the scheduled tour departure.

13:30 - Private Magical Mystery Tour begins, visiting iconic Beatles locations including Strawberry Field, Penny Lane, and the childhood homes of The Beatles (exterior visits only).

15:30 – Tour finishes. Enjoy free time for the remainder of the afternoon and evening.

Day 3 – Thursday 2nd July

Breakfast at the hotel.

The group will need to be divided into two groups of 37 passengers each, as there will be two coaches and two tour guides.

09:30 – Meet your local guides, Phil & Gary in the hotel reception, and depart by private coach for the Lake District.

11:30 – Arrive in Ambleside

12:00 – Enjoy a scenic cruise on Lake Windermere from Ambleside to Bowness

13:00 – Lunch at the Macdonald Old England Hotel (2 course meal – main + dessert. Please note drinks are not included)

14:30 – Free time to explore Bowness

15:45 – Meet coach back at Macdonald Old England Hotel & depart for Liverpool

18:00 – Approximate arrival back at the hotel

Day 4 – Friday 3rd July

Breakfast at the hotel.

10:00 – Enjoy the famous “Ferry Across the Mersey” River Explorer Cruise. 50-minute River Explorer Cruise to take in breathtaking views of Liverpool’s striking skyline and the historic River Mersey - all while experiencing the charm and nostalgia of travelling on our much-loved heritage ferries.

Please arrive at the Pierhead at **09:45 AM** ready to board the cruise.

Address: Pier Head, George Parade, Liverpool L3 1DP. (This is approximately a 5 minute walk from the hotel).

After the cruise there will be free time for shopping and sightseeing.

13:00 - You are invited to watch the performance of Kitami Fuji High school in the Concert Room, St Georges Hall: St George's Place, Liverpool L1 1JJ

17:00 - you will be met at your hotel by a Liverpool Waves representative to walk the short distance (approximately 10 minutes) to One Mann Island where you form up before your parade. Please bring instruments with you.

17:30 - Parade to the waterfront to the Pierhead in front of the 3 graces where you perform your music set chosen for Liverpool. Performance due to finish approximately 17:45 then return to your hotel.

Please note you will be escorted from when you leave the hotel until you arrive back at the hotel.

20:00 - A rehearsal (1 hour max) for those that are joining the international band made up of Showstoppers band Liverpool, Kitami Fuji High School, and The Beat Goes On.

The rehearsal will be at the Nordic Church and Cultural Centre, Park Lane, Liverpool L1 8HG

Day 5 – Saturday 4th July

Breakfast at the hotel.

Full day participating in the Liverpool WaVeS Festival.
(Performance schedule to be advised closer to the event.)

Enjoy evening at leisure.

Day 6 – Sunday 5th July

Breakfast at the hotel.

Further performances at the Liverpool WaVeS Festival.
(Performance schedule to be advised closer to the event.)

Social night details TBC. Dinner will be included. John to confirm final details.

Day 7 – Monday 6th July

Breakfast at the hotel.

07:45 – Check out and prepare for departure
08:00 – Depart Liverpool by private coach for London
11:15 – 12:30 – Stop in Stratford-upon-Avon for lunch at leisure. This historic market town is world-renowned as the birthplace of William Shakespeare. The coach will park in the designated coach park, just a short walk from the town centre. Enjoy some free time to have lunch and stretch your legs before rejoining the coach for the onward journey to London.
15:15 – 16:15 – Free time in Covent Garden upon arrival in London
16:30 – Transfer to the hotel
17:15 – Check-in and enjoy the evening at leisure

Day 8 – Tuesday 7th July

Breakfast at the hotel.

The group will need to be divided into two groups of 37 passengers each, as there will be two coaches and two tour guides.

Your tour guides Sue & Linda will meet you at the hotel reception.

09:30 – Meet your London guides, Sue & Linda, for a panoramic sightseeing tour of London
11:00 – Visit St Paul's Cathedral
12:30 – Free time for lunch
13:15 – Transfer to the Tower of London
13:30 – Entrance to the Tower of London
13:45 – Guided visit of the Tower of London
15:40 – Thames sightseeing cruise from Tower Pier to Westminster Pier
16:25 – Coach transfer back to the hotel
17:00 – Approx arrival back at hotel

Enjoy the evening at leisure.

Day 9 – Wednesday 8th July

Breakfast at the hotel.

The group will need to be divided into two groups of 37 passengers each, as there will be two coaches and two tour guides.

Your tour guides Sue & Linda will meet you at the hotel reception.

10:00 – Meet your guides, Sue & Linda, for a Beatles-themed panoramic tour of London, including Abbey Road and other famous music landmarks.

Afternoon free for shopping, sightseeing, or personal exploration.

Day 10 – Thursday 9th July

Breakfast boxes have been arranged for those departing at 07:00.

06:50 – Please be ready and waiting for departure.

When loading your luggage onto the coach, please inform the driver which terminal you are travelling from so that luggage can be organised accordingly.

07:00 – Coaches depart for London Heathrow Airport.

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LHR London Heathrow Terminal 5	9 th July 2026 10:40	BHD Belfast	9 th July 2026 12:00	BA 1394	British Airways – 27 pax
LHR London Heathrow Terminal 5	9 th July 2026 15:40	PDX Portland	9 th July 2026 17:40	BA 267	British Airways – 18 pax
LHR London Heathrow Terminal 3	9 th July 2026 10:55	SLC Salt Lake City	9 th July 2026 14:20	DL 51	Delta – 16 pax