

Boon's Calibre Travel

Travel Insurance for holidays & short breaks – 2017/18 Season

From 1st January 2009 the FSA (Financial Services Authority) regulated the sale of Travel Insurance sold alongside coach holidays. As a result of this regulation, for a variety of reasons, we decided not to continue to sell travel insurance alongside our tours.

This decision does not affect our many customers who normally purchase their own annual travel insurance policy, however, those who would normally purchase single-trip travel insurance from us, will now be required to make their own arrangements. We apologise if this causes any inconvenience.

Although we **strongly recommend** that you are adequately insured when you travel on any of our holidays, it is not a condition of travel for our UK mainland tours that you have insurance cover. However, for all other tours (Continental, Channel Isles etc) insurance cover is compulsory*. **Please remember that Travel Insurance covers you for cancellation charges and other losses, not just medical treatment. Please refer to our cancellation terms on page 25 of our brochure.**

Travel Insurance may be purchased directly from the following sources:

Towergate Chapman Stevens, www.towergate.co.uk/coach-travel Tel: 0844-892 1478

Payment by credit & debit cards (telephone/on-line service only). Single-trip cover only.

Age UK, in person at Age UK, Springfield Rd, Chelmsford or Tel: 01245-264 499 or on-line at www.ageuk.org.uk/travel.

Payment by cash, cheque, credit & debit cards. Annual cover & single-trip cover available.

The Post Office (from your local branch, online at www.postoffice.co.uk or tel: 0800-169 9999)

Most major supermarkets, insurance brokers etc

This list is for your information only, Boon's Calibre Travel is not in a position to recommend one company above another, however, Towergate Chapman Stevens are travel insurance specialists in the coaching industry.

Depending on your circumstances, you may wish to purchase either yearly cover or single-trip cover. Whichever you choose, we will require details of your policy (see below), either when you pay the final balance for your tour, or at least 10 days before travel. Regardless of whether you purchase travel insurance or decide to travel uninsured (UK mainland only), we will require you to sign a disclaimer, which you will find at the bottom of this page.

SUMMARY & NOTES (please read):

For Boon's Calibre Travel UK mainland tours:

Travel Insurance is strongly recommended, but not compulsory.

For all other Boon's Calibre Travel tours:

Travel Insurance is compulsory*.

**If, for some reason, you are unable to obtain travel insurance cover for non-UK tours please call us to discuss the matter*

Please be aware, that once purchased, single-trip travel insurance premiums are often non-refundable, except for the statutory cooling-off period. This means that should we have to cancel a tour for any reason, you may not receive a refund of your insurance premium from your insurers, however, you may be able to transfer your insurance cover to another tour. We suggest that you clarify this when purchasing single-trip travel insurance.

Towergate Chapman Stevens have agreed that if we have to cancel a tour or alter a tour departure date for any reason, they will transfer single-trip policies purchased from them to another of our tours of a similar period, duration and cost. We are unable to comment on the procedure of other providers in this regard.

IMPORTANT: Please read our Fair Trading Agreement "Our Promise to You" sections 3 & 4 (page 26 of our current brochure) before purchasing single-trip travel insurance.

YOUR TRAVEL INSURANCE ARRANGEMENTS (please complete and return with your final payment)

Please advise us of your travel insurance arrangements where indicated below and then tick the appropriate disclaimer and sign the bottom of the form (please continue on a separate sheet if necessary).

Passenger name(s):

Tour Title:

Tour Date:

Name of Travel Insurance Company:

Insurance Policy Number:

Emergency contact number of insurance company:

Disclaimer 1: I/we have made my/our own travel insurance arrangements (details above) and I/we agree to indemnify Boon's Calibre Travel against any expense which anyone in my/our party may incur as a result of having inadequate Insurance protection.

OR

Disclaimer 2: I/we have not made any travel insurance arrangements and I/we agree to indemnify Boon's Calibre Travel against any expense which anyone in my/our party may incur as a result of having no Insurance protection.

Signed _____ Date : _____ (Final travel information will not be released without a signature)