



## NOTTINGHAM CUP \*PROPOSED ITINERARY – ENGLAND

### Sunday, July 23rd, 2017

- Depart on an overnight flight to Manchester International Airport.

### Monday, July 24th, 2017

- Arrive at Manchester International Airport where you are met by your Excel Sports Representative.
- Transfer by deluxe coach to your Nottingham University accommodations where you will be staying for the following seven nights.
- Welcome meeting and orientation.
- Visit to the National Football Museum ([www.nationalfootballmuseum.com](http://www.nationalfootballmuseum.com)). Players can test their football skills with Football Plus+.
- Dinner at university dining hall.
- Optional evening training session.

### Tuesday, July 25th, 2017

- Breakfast at hotel.
- Free morning of sightseeing in Manchester. Sights to see in Manchester: the Central Library (inspired by the Pantheon in Rome), the Royal Exchange Theatre, Manchester Art Gallery, Heaton Park, Manchester Cathedral, People's History Museum, and much more!
- This afternoon, enjoy a guided tour and visit to Old Trafford Stadium, home of the world's largest soccer club, Manchester United. When you step into the Theater of Dreams you're walking into more than just a football stadium. It's been the focus for the passion of millions of fans around the world for nearly a century. All the hopes and dreams of the club have been played out there and every blade of grass on the pitch could tell a story.
- Dinner at university dining hall.
- Evening free for social activities.



### Wednesday, July 26th, 2017

- Breakfast at university dining hall.
- Today you will participate in your first Nottingham Cup game at Nottingham University.
- Optional day trips available to Liverpool, Manchester, and Chester. Or visit Alton Towers (a famous theme park in England), or the Barton Arcade (a restored Victorian glass arcade with shops). There is plenty more to see and do in the area!
- Dinner at university dining hall.
- Evening free for social activities.



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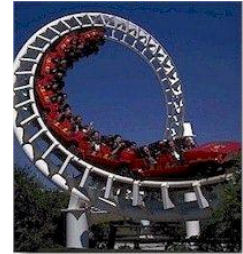
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## Thursday, July 27th, 2017

- Breakfast at university dining hall.
- Today Nottingham Cup games continue at Nottingham University.
- Optional visit to Water World, the UK's number one Tropical Indoor Aqua Park. The Facility is built around a wave pool with slides, rides, flumes and features available. There is plenty to do for all ages, weak and strong swimmers. Only 15 minutes from the university.
- Dinner at university dining hall.
- Evening free for social activities.

## Friday, July 28th, 2017

- Breakfast at university dining hall.
- The Nottingham Cup games continue throughout the day today.
- Optional visit to Alton Towers, just 20 minutes from Nottingham. Alton Towers is Britain's biggest Theme Park. If you are looking for a day packed full of excitement and fun, you will find it here. In 2010 Alton Park introduced a fantastic new ultimate thriller ride 'Th13teen Roller Coaster Ride'.
- Dinner at university dining hall.
- Evening free for social activities.



## Saturday, July 29th, 2017

- Breakfast at university dining hall.
- Finals Day at the Nottingham Cup. Come and support all the teams as they compete for the Cup!
- Presentation of awards this afternoon.
- Dinner at university dining hall.
- There will be a players and parents disco tonight on the campus of Nottingham University.

## Sunday, July 30th, 2017

- Breakfast at university dining hall.
- Free morning for sightseeing in the area, relax in Nottingham or visit nearby Manchester and Liverpool.
- Possible afternoon visit to professional game, local teams include Manchester United, Manchester City, Liverpool FC, Bolton Wanderers and many more!
- Dinner at university dining hall.
- Evening free for social activities.

## Monday, July 31st, 2017

- Breakfast at university dining hall.
- Transfer by private deluxe coach to Manchester Airport for your return flight home.



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