



ITINERARY for BTC JAPAN LA RUTA DEL SAMURAI EN JAPON <<YEAR 2009-2010>> - Page 1 With Spanish speaking guides

DAY	DATE	TIME	SCHEDULE	ACCOMMODATION	MEALS
01	(Tue.)		<p>Arrive at Narita Airport. After entry procedures, the clients will be met and assisted by Our ENGLISH-speaking Staff. Our ENGLISH Speaking Staff will escort to the Regular Operating Airport Limousine Bus. Airport Limousine Bus to the hotel in Tokyo will be on seat-sharing basis. Hotel room is available from regular check-in time. (Sunrise Transfer Plan FA1) ***Hospitality Desk at Keio Plaza Hotel Lobby*** Open Hours: 16:00 – 20:00 Spanish-speaking Guide will be assigned at the Hospitality Desk for any Information needed during your stay in Japan.</p>	<p>KEIO PLAZA HOTEL (Standard room) <Upgrade Plan> KEIO PLAZA HOTEL (Plaza Premier Rooms) (For 3 nights)</p> <p>Add: 2-2-1, Nishi-Shinjuku Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo Tel: +81-3-3344-0111 Fax: +81-3-3345-8269</p>	<p>ABF: - LCH: - DNR: -</p>
02	(Wed.)	<p>09:00 12:30 17:30</p>	<p>American Breakfast at the Hotel. Join <u>Tokyo 1-Day sightseeing tour</u> by sedan, van or coach (*) with Spanish-speaking guide, visiting, - Tokyo Tower - Imperial Palace Plaza - Asakusa Kannon Temple - Omotesando - Oriental Bazaar & Harajuku Area Lunch provided en route. Return to the Hotel (*)JR Train from Harajuku Station to Shinjuku Station may be used instead of sedan, Van or coach. In this case walk back to the hotel from the station with guide.</p>	<p>DITTO</p>	<p>ABF: Hotel LCH: Local Restaurant DNR: -</p>

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03	(Thu.)	8:45 19:00 -20:00	<p>American Breakfast at the Hotel. All day, free at leisure.</p> <p><Optional: One-Day NIKKO Tour with Spanish-speaking guide> **Keio Plaza Hotel Pick Up time = 08:45a.m. at Sunrise Tours Counter</p> <p>Itinerary as follows: Full day sightseeing in Nikko visiting - Toshogu Shrine - Lake Chuzenji Lunch provided en route - Kegon Waterfall Transfer back to the Hotel</p>	DITTO	ABF: Hotel LCH: - DNR: -
04	(Fri.)	8:45 18:10 19:22 19:48 22:00 22:15	<p>American Breakfast at the Hotel. Assemble at the Hotel lobby. Transfer to Hakone with Spanish-speaking Guide, by exclusive transportation(*) for this tour from Keio Plaza Hotel, visiting - Lake Ashi with cruise - Mt. Komagatake by cableway and Owakudai Valley (Lunch will be provide en route) Transfer to the Atami or Mishima or Odawara Station. *Odakyu limited-express train may be used from Tokyo to Hakone instead of sedan, van or coach.</p> <p>18:10 Leave Atami or Mishima or Odawara Station by JR Bullet Train. 19:22 Arrive at Nagoya Station 19:48 Change train to Limited-express "Hida" bound for Takayama Station. (Box Dinner will be provided on the train) 22:00 Arrive at Takayama Station and walk to the Hotel. 22:15 Arrive at the Hotel. **Luggage will be delivered from Tokyo to Takayama and the luggage will arrive the next day. One night bag will be needed.</p>	<p>HIDA HOTEL PLAZA TAKAYAMA (For 2 nights)</p> <p>Add: 2 - 60, Hanaoka-cho, Takayama-city, Gifu, Japan. Tel: +81-577-33-4600 Fax: +81-577-33-4602</p>	ABF: Hotel LCH: Local Restaurant DNR: Box Dinner

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DAY	DATE	TIME	SCHEDULE	ACCOMMODATION	MEALS
05	(Sat.)	8:00 16:00	American Breakfast at the Hotel. Morning stroll in Takayama Morning Market followed by Full-day walking tour in Takayama, visiting Festival Floats Exhibition Hall, Kami-Sannomachi, Takayama Jinya, Kusakabe Folkcraft Museum. Lunch will be provided en route Return to the Hotel in Takayama	DITTO	ABF: Hotel LCH: Hotel DNR: -
06	(Sun.)	09:00 17:00	<i>*Baggage will be transported by Takkyu-bin Delivery Service from Takayama to Kyoto, skipping one night in Kanazawa. Therefore an overnight bag is necessary for the stay in Kanazawa.</i> American Breakfast at the Hotel. Drive to Shirakawago and sightseeing, visiting Myozenji Temple Museum, Old Residence of Toyama Family Lunch will be provided en route. Transfer to the hotel in Kanazawa	HOTEL NIKKO KANAZAWA (For 1 night) Add: 2-15-1, Hon-cho, Kanazawa-City, Ishikawa Tel: +81- 76-234-1111 Fax: +81- 76-234-8802	ABF: Hotel LCH: Local Restaurant DNR: -
07	(Mon.)	15:14 17:39	American Breakfast at the Hotel. Half-day sightseeing of Kanazawa by exclusive transportation for this tour, visiting Kenroku-en Garden, Nagamachi Samurai Residence After lunch at local restaurant, transfer to Kanazawa station. Leave Kanazawa for Kyoto by JR limited-express train. Arrive at Kyoto Station Walk to the hotel in Kyoto	NEW MIYAKO HOTEL KYOTO (Standard Rooms/Main Building) Add: 17,Nishi-Kujo, Inmachi, Minami-ku, Kyoto Tel: +81-75-661-7111 Fax: +81-75-661-7135 Or RHIGA ROYAL HOTEL KYOTO (Standard Rooms) Add: 1 Shomyocho, Siokoji-kudaru, Higashi-Horikawa dori, Shimogyo-ku, Kyoto Tel: +81-75-341-1121 Fax: +81-75-341-3073 <Upgrade Plan> KYOTO HOTEL OKURA (Standard Room) Add: Oike, Kawaramachi, Nakagyo-ku, Kyoto Tel: -81-75-211-5111 FAX: +81-75-221-7770	ABF: Hotel LCH: Hotel DNR: -

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08	(Tue.)	8:30	American Breakfast at the Hotel. Full Day sightseeing in Kyoto with Spanish-speaking Guide by exclusive transportation for this tour, visiting, - Kinkakuji Temple - Nijo Castle - Kiyomizu Temple - Heian Shrine - Handicraft Center Lunch will be provided en route. Transfer back to the hotel.	DITTO	ABF: Hotel LCH: Hotel DNR: -
09	(Wed.)	08:30 14:00 15:00	American Breakfast at the Hotel. Morning excursion to Nara with Spanish-speaking Guide by exclusive transportation for this tour (*), visiting - Todaiji Temple - Kasuga Shrine - Deer Park (* Kintetsu limited-express train may be used from/to between Kyoto and Nara instead of sedan, van or coach. Transfer back to hotel in Kyoto. Afternoon, free at leisure.	DITTO	ABF: Hotel LCH: Local Restaurant - DNR: -
10	(Thu.)		American Breakfast at the Hotel. Rooms are available until regular checkout time. Our English-speaking Staff will meet at the Lobby of the Hotel and escort to Kyoto Station. Leave by Regular Operating Airport Limousine Bus from Kyoto Station to Kansai International Airport. (Seat Sharing Basis) Arrive at the airport. Leave Osaka.	/	ABF: Hotel LCH: - DNR: -

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DAY	DATE	TIME	SCHEDULE	ACCOMMODATION	MEALS
01	2009 (Thu.)		<p>American Breakfast at the Hotel. Assemble at the Hotel lobby. Walk to Kyoto Station with Spanish-speaking Guide. Leave Kyoto Station by JR Bullet Super Express Train. Arrive at Hiroshima Station. <u>Hiroshima city tour</u> by taxi, sedan, van or coach, visiting, - Hiroshima Atomic Bomb Memorial Dome - Hiroshima Memorial Peace Museum Lunch provided en route. Transfer to Miyajima Pier by taxi, sedan, van or coach (*). (*) Local train from Hiroshima station to Miyajimaguchi station may be used instead of taxi, sedan, van or coach. In this case walk to Miyajima pier from the station. Take the Ferry to Miyajima Island. Arrive at Miyajima Island and visit - Miyajima Itsukushima Shrine</p> <p>Check-in at the accommodation in or around Miyajima. Japanese Dinner will be arranged for this evening. * **Luggage will be delivered directly to Osaka by separate truck. Therefore, over night bag will be needed for Hiroshima Accommodation.</p>	<p>Kinsuikan- Bekkan or similar in or around MIYAJIMA - Japanese style room – (For 1 nights)</p>	<p>ABF: - LCH: Local Restaurant DNR: Ryokan</p>

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DAY	DATE	TIME	SCHEDULE	ACCOMMODATIONS	MEALS
02	2009 (Fri.)		<p>Japanese Breakfast at the accommodation. Leave Miyajima Island by ferry with our Spanish-speaking Guide Arrive at Miyajimaguchi station and take local train for Hiroshima. Arrive at Hiroshima Station and change trains to JR Bullet Super Express. Leave Hiroshima Station by JR Bullet Super Express train. Arrive at Shin-Osaka Station. Half Day tour of Umeda area with sedan, van or coach visiting - Umeda Sky Buidling and Umeda Area - Dotonbori Area (Free time to have lunch) - Osakajo Ko-en - Osaka Castle</p> <p>Transfer to the hotel and check in individually at the Front Reception.</p>	<p>Hotel New Otani Osaka (For 1 Night)</p> <p>Add: 1-4-1, Shiromi, Chuo-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka Tel: +81-6-6941-1111 Fax: +81-6-6941-9769</p>	<p>ABF: Ryokan LCH: - DNR: -</p>
03	2009 (Sat.)		<p>American Breakfast at the Hotel. Rooms are available until regular check-out time. Our English-speaking Staff will meet at the Lobby of the Hotel and escort to Osaka Station. Board the Regular Airport Limousine Bus. Regular Airport Limousine Bus. (Seat Sharing Basis) Arrive at the airport. Leave Osaka.</p>	/	<p>ABF: Hotel LCH: - DNR: -</p>

“LA RUTA DEL SAMURAI EN JAPON” is a **package tour especially arranged for individual travelers from Spanish-speaking countries. Spanish-speaking guide will be arranged for the main part of the trip! (See Conditions for details.)**

** **Guaranteed Departure Dates... 28 FIXED DATES** (see the operation calendar below)

** **Minimum Operation from 2 persons**

OPERATION DATES:

“LA RUTA DEL SAMURAI EN JAPON” 2009-2010 (Schedule)				
Year	Narita (Tokyo) Arrival Date	Arrival Day	Kansai (Osaka) Departure Date	Departure Day
2009	January 27	Tuesday	February 05	Thursday
	February 24	Tuesday	March 05	Thursday
	March 24	Tuesday	April 02	Thursday
	March 31	Tuesday	April 09	Thursday
	April 07	Tuesday	April 16	Thursday
	April 14	Tuesday	April 23	Thursday
	May 12	Tuesday	May 21	Thursday
	May 26	Tuesday	June 04	Thursday
	June 9	Tuesday	June 18	Thursday
	June 23	Tuesday	July 2	Thursday
	July 14	Tuesday	July 23	Thursday
	July 21	Tuesday	July 30	Thursday
	July 28	Tuesday	August 06	Thursday
	August 04	Tuesday	August 13	Thursday
	August 18	Tuesday	August 27	Thursday
	August 25	Tuesday	September 03	Thursday
	September 15	Tuesday	September 24	Thursday
	September 29	Tuesday	October 08	Thursday
	October 13	Tuesday	October 22	Thursday
October 27	Tuesday	November 05	Thursday	

	November 10	Tuesday	November 19	Thursday
Year	Narita (Tokyo) Arrival Date	Arrival Day	Kansai (Osaka) Departure Date	Departure Day
2009	November 24	Tuesday	December 03	Thursday
	December 01	Tuesday	December 10	Thursday
	December 22	Tuesday	December 31	Thursday
2010	January 26	Tuesday	February 04	Thursday
	February 23	Tuesday	March 04	Thursday
	March 23	Tuesday	April 01	Thursday
	March 30	Tuesday	April 08	Thursday

**Tour Code will be announced soon.*

******Above Dates does not include the Extension Program to Hiroshima/Osaka.***

1. TOUR FARE: **Per Person, Japanese Yen** on 1/2 twin room basis valid for 2009-2010

Full-Paying:	2	Single Extra
Plus Free:	0	0
TOUR FARE	<u>400,000</u>	112,700
Extension Hiroshima & Osaka	<u>143,200</u>	26,400
Optional 1 Day Tour Nikko&Kegon Waterfall With Spanish-speaking guide	<u>17,900</u>	---
Room price in Tokyo for the stay beforehand (Per Person / night)(*2)	<u>18,950</u>	17,900
Room price in Kyoto for extension stay (Per Person / night)(*2)	<u>16,900</u>	14,800

Room Upgrade supplement in Tokyo (for 3 nights) (Per Person / night)(*1,*2)	<u>25,300</u>	31,600
Hotel Upgrade supplement in Kyoto (for 3 nights) (Per Person / night)(*1,*2)	<u>22,200</u>	22,200

***1 /Room/Hotel Upgrade is on request basis.**

***2 /Breakfast is included in the price.**

2. ITINERARY: As per the attached.

3. CONDITIONS:

HOTELS:

Hotels used in this series are as follows.

Tokyo/ Keio Plaza Hotel

Takayama/ Hida Hotel Plaza

Kanazawa/ Hotel Nikko Kanazawa

Kyoto/ New Miyako Hotel or Rhiga Royal Hotel Kyoto

Miyajima or around (for Extension Plan) /

Either of Kinsui-kan Bekkan, Miyajima Hotel Makoto,

Itsukushima Ryokan, Miyajima Seaside Hotel and

Aki Grand Hotel will be arranged

(Specification of the hotel is not available.)

Osaka (for Extension Plan)/ Hotel New Otani Osaka

UP GRADE HOTEL) Tokyo / Keio Plaza Hotel (Plaza Premier)

Kyoto/ Kyoto Hotel Okura

**If the Hotels can not be confirmed with the ones mentioned above, similar category Hotels will be arranged as an alternative.

Rooms by standard category. All Hotel spaces are subject to confirmation.

MEALS:

**Main Tour: Daily breakfasts + 7 Lunch + 1 Box Dinner Included.

**Extension Hiroshima Osaka Tour: 1 Japanese Breakfast + 1 Dinner (at the accommodation in or around Miyajima), Western Breakfast and 1 Lunch Included.

Optional 1-Day Nikko Tour with **Spanish-speaking guide: 1 lunch included.

BEVERAGES:

Beverages are not included during Lunch arrangements.

TRANSFER & S/S: GUIDE:	By Seat Sharing basis on taxi, sedan, mini-van or motorcoach. Otherwise, as mentioned in the itinerary. Basic Tour : Spanish -speaking local guide for Day 2, 4-9. For Day 1, our Spanish-speaking local guide will be arranged at the Hospitality Desk at Keio Plaza Hotel Tokyo during the hours of 16:00-20:00. Please inform all your clients, for any inquiries or information of the tour, the clients may come to the Hospitality Desk.
ASSISTANT:	Extension Hiroshima Tour: Spanish -speaking local guide for Day 1 and 2. English-speaking local assistant for Day 1 (At Narita Airport) and 10 (Hotel in Kyoto to the airport). Extension Hiroshima Tour: Day 3.
JR TRAINS:	Tourist class reserved seat on JR Super Express and limited-express. Train Schedule may slightly change due to the monthly timetable of JR.
ADMISSIONS:	Entrance fee mentioned as visiting places in the itinerary are included unless specified “NOT included in the itinerary”.
BAGGAGE HANDLING:	1 piece per person included. Please see the itinerary about the dates and sections which your luggage is transported. For extra baggage, ¥2,600 per piece will be charged.

4. IMPORTANT NOTICES:

****All Airport transfers:** All Airport transfers will be arranged with English-speaking assistant.

****Minimum Number of clients:**

“LA RUTA DEL SAMURAI EN JAPON ” will be operated with the minimum number of **2 participants**. Should there be a request of 1 client for any of the tour, we determine the acceptance upon the number of request that we receive for each tour.

****Deadline for Tour Operation:**

All requests must be finalized **3 WEEKS** before the Operation Date with the following information:

- Full Name of the clients
- Number of requested Rooms / Types of Rooms
- Arrival and Departure Flight Details

As for the Extension program, all requests must be finalized 2 WEEKS before the Operation Date of basic program.

****Cancellation Policy**

If notice of cancellation is received by BTC 21 days or more (working days) prior to the Arrival date of the tour = No Charge.

If notice of cancellation is received by BTC 20-14 days (working days) prior to the Arrival date of the tour = 30% of the Tour Fare.

If notice of cancellation is received by BTC 13-7 days (working days) prior to the Arrival date of the tour = 40% of the Tour Fare.

If notice of cancellation is received by BTC 6-3 prior to the starting time of the tour = 50% of the Tour Fare

If notice of cancellation is received by BTC 2 days to after starting time of the tour or no notification is given = 100% of the Tour Fare