



Sheep's Head Way Wanderurlaub — 5 Tage (Mittelschwer)

Bantry nach Durrus – drei Wandertage auf Irlands ruhigster Halbinsel

DAUER

6 Tage

WANDERTAGE

4

GESAMTDISTANZ

73.1 km

SCHWIERIGKEIT

Moderate

Ab

€645

pro Person

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Über diese Tour

Drei Wandertage auf dem Sheep's Head Way — der ruhigsten und unberührtesten Halbinsel am Wild Atlantic Way. Von Bantry nach Kilcrohane, Hin- und Rückweg zur Leuchtturmsspitze, dann entlang der Südküste nach Durrus und in die handwerkliche Genussregion von West Cork.

Tour-Highlights

- **Die ruhigste Halbinsel in West Cork**

Keine Reisebusse, keine Menschenmassen, keine Warteschlangen. Der Sheep's Head Way ist die am wenigsten begangene der drei Halbinseln von West Cork – und gerade deshalb die unberührteste.

- **Der Sheep's Head Lighthouse Tip Walk**

Die Sternwanderung von Tag 3 – entlang des dramatischen Grats von Kilcrohane zum napoleonischen Signalturm, dem Blowhole und dem kleinen weißen Leuchtturm an der äußersten Spitze. 360-Grad-Atlantikblicke, beide Buchten in Sicht.

- **Durrus und echtes West Cork Essen**

Zwei Besuche in Durrus auf dieser Reise — Heimat von Durrus Cheese, Good Things Café (eines der großartigen irischen Café-Restaurants) und dem handwerklichen Lebensmittelgürtel, der West Cork zu dem macht, was es ist.

- **Bantry — Stadt, Bucht, Haus, Markt**

Sie kommen in einer der freundlichsten Marktstädte Irlands an — Bantry House mit seinen italienischen Gärten, der Freitagsmarkt, Fish Kitchen und Brick Oven zum Abendessen, und die weite Bucht von Bantry Bay direkt vor der Tür.

Für wen ist diese Tour?

Wanderer, die West Cork ohne Menschenmassen erleben möchten.

Die Halbinseln Beara und Mizen ziehen die Besucher an; Sheep's Head bietet die Ruhe. Drei Wandertage mit 14–22 km auf einem klaren, gut markierten Weg. Das Tempo ist moderat, die Gesellschaft ist spärlich, die Aussichten sind ehrlich.

Paare und Freunde, denen gutes Essen wichtig ist.

Zwei Besuche in Durrus und im Good Things Café, Abendessen in Kilcrohane und Bantry – das Rückgrat der handwerklichen Esskultur von West Cork zieht sich durch die gesamte Reise.

Tagesetappen



Arrival in Bantry

Übernachtung: Bantry

Arrive in Bantry and settle into your first accommodation — the gentle market town at the head of Bantry Bay. Bantry has a Friday market, the Italianate Bantry House and Gardens (well worth a visit if you arrive early enough), Fish Kitchen and the Brick Oven for dinner, and the long sweep of the bay outside the door.

We will provide you with information on how to get here using public transport in your pre-departure pack — Cork is the closest rail and bus hub, with regular onward services to Bantry — or talk to us about private transfer options from Cork Airport.

Tonight, rest. Tomorrow you walk west onto the Sheep's Head.



Bantry to Glanlough — north coast

Wanderung: SHW Stage 1: Bantry to Glanlough (14.06 km) · Übernachtung: Kilcrohane

ROUTE 14.06 km · Moderate · Bantry to Glanlough

Your Sheep's Head Way begins. West out of Bantry along quiet coastal lanes onto the peninsula proper, with Bantry Bay opening out to your right and the Caha Mountains rising across the water. The trail leaves the road for green lanes and old farm tracks, climbing gently as it threads between pasture, hedgerow and the occasional sheep dog appearing from a gate.

About 14 km of rolling north-coast country, finishing at Glanlough. Bridge View House have arranged a transfer to bring you the short distance south to your accommodation in Kilcrohane. Tonight is dinner at Bridge View House — the on-site restaurant, with packed lunch already booked for tomorrow.

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Glanlough to Kilcrohane — north coast

Wanderung: SHW Stage 2: Glanlough to Cahergal (17.46 km) · Übernachtung: Kilcrohane

ROUTE 17.46 km · Moderate · Glanlough to Cahergal

After breakfast, a short transfer brings you back to Glanlough where the trail picks up. The path follows the north coast of the peninsula, now genuinely committed to the Sheep's Head with views opening west toward the lighthouse you'll visit tomorrow.

The route traces the slopes above Bantry Bay, threading between heather and gorse, with the occasional ruined stone cottage and the bones of an old copper-mining heritage. About 17.5 km later you finish near Kilcrohane village and walk the last short section to Bridge View House for your second night here.

O'Callaghan's pub for a celebratory pint is the obvious finish, or sit in the Bridge View House garden and watch the light change over the bay.

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Sheep's Head Lighthouse Tip Return

Wanderung: SHW Stage 3: Cahergal to Kilcrohane via Sheep's Head Lighthouse (23.01 km) · Übernachtung: Kilcrohane

ROUTE 23.01 km · Moderate · Cahergal to Kilcrohane

The star day. Out from Kilcrohane along the dramatic ridge to the very tip of the peninsula — the Napoleonic signal tower, the famous blowhole, and the small white lighthouse at the end of the world. 360-degree Atlantic views the whole way: Bantry Bay to your right, Dunmanus Bay to your left, the open ocean ahead.

The return route brings you back along the lower coastal path — different terrain, different views — to the same Kilcrohane B&B. Your bag is already there, no packing required. Tonight is a seafood dinner and an early bed.

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Kilcrohane to Durrus (via Ahakista)

Wanderung: SHW Stage 4: Kilcrohane to Durrus (south coast via Ahakista) (18.56 km) · Übernachtung: Durrus

ROUTE 18.56 km · Moderate · Kilcrohane to Durrus

The south coast return. East out of Kilcrohane along the quieter southern shore of the peninsula, with Dunmanus Bay on your right hand and the Mizen Head visible across the water. The trail passes stone circles, standing stones and a copper-mining heritage stretching back to the Bronze Age.

Lunch in Ahakista — a tiny harbour with Arundel's by the Pier for seafood — then on through pastoral country to Durrus. Tonight, Good Things Café for the celebration dinner.

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Departure

A leisurely morning. A last full Irish breakfast.

Durrus is roughly 90 minutes by road from Cork Airport / Cork Kent station, or 15 minutes back to Bantry if you'd like to spend the morning at Bantry House before heading on. We can arrange a private transfer for the morning if you'd prefer.



Bereit für Irland?

Alle Touren sind individuelle Wanderreisen mit handverlesenen Unterkünften, täglichem Gepäcktransfer, detaillierten Routenbeschreibungen und GPX-Dateien — dazu unsere persönliche Betreuung während Ihrer gesamten Wanderung. Termine und Gruppengrößen sind flexibel — fragen Sie einfach.

Inklusive

- ✓ Accommodation: Welcoming en-suite B&B rooms
- ✓ Breakfast: Full Irish breakfast every morning
- ✓ Luggage Transfer: Daily transfer of your main bag between accommodations
- ✓ Personalised Itinerary and route app for your smart phone that keeps you on the trail at all times.
- ✓ Support: 24/7 emergency support throughout your holiday
- ✓ Pre-Departure Pack: Information pack sent before you travel, so you know exactly what to expect

Nicht inklusive

- ✗ Flights: Travel to Ireland is not included
- ✗ Insurance: You'll need travel and walking holiday insurance
- ✗ Meals: Lunches and dinners are not included (though we'll recommend great local spots)



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