

INTERNATIONAL SOCCER TOUR 2026

SF ELITE



MADRID AND DONOSTI CUP



July 3-13, 2026



Spain – Madrid & the Donosti Cup



ITINERARY JULY 3-13, 2026

- July 3 Departure from San Francisco airport.
- July 4 Arrival Madrid airport. After arrival sight-seeing Madrid.
- July 5 Sightseeing Madrid; Puerta del Sol, the Plaza Mayor, the Royal Palace, and the Bernabéu stadium, home of Real Madrid. Evening game vs. a local team.
- July 6 Transfer to San Sebastian for the Donosti Cup. Accreditation, age control, official team pictures, and check-in.
- July 7 Start of the tournament – 1st group game. Evening opening ceremony at Anoeta Stadium, home of Spanish pro club Real Sociedad. Leisure time option: Walk around Parte Vieja, also known as the Old Town, in the center of San Sebastian.
- July 8 Continuation tournament. Leisure time option: Visit the coastal town of Hondarribia, located on the French-Spanish border.
- July 9 Continuation tournament. Live music at the Fan Zone. Coaches' match.
Leisure time option: Head to the top of Monte Igueldo for the spectacular views of La Concha Bay and then head to La Concha beach after.
- July 10 Play-offs, and Live music at the Fan Zone. Leisure time option: Enjoy free time exploring the city of San Sebastian more or visit one of the beach resorts in France (Saint-Jean-de-Luz) or Spain (Zarautz).
- July 11 Donosti Cup Final round matches and finals, Donosti Cup party for all participants, and Closing gala for coaches and managers. Leisure time option: Spend free time at the beach and an optional surfing lesson.
- July 12 Tournament Finals and farewell. Leisure time option: Visit Biarritz, France, an elegant seaside town on southwestern France's Basque coast, which has been a popular resort since European royalty began visiting in the 1800s.
- July 13 Transfer to Bilbao, San Sebastian, Pamplona, or Madrid airport. Return flight.



* The above itinerary is a provisional/suggested itinerary and can/will change depending on your group's specific wishes, the final game schedule for your team(s), and any pro game visit(s) incorporated for your group. Sightseeing admission fees are not included in the prices but can be added and pre-booked based on your group's specific wishes. Consult us for more information.

Price estimate per person*:

| Number of people traveling | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 |
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| Participant prices | \$4,999 | \$4,735 | \$4,571 | \$4,452 | \$4,359 | \$4,292 |

* Prices are based on contracted airline group fares for 2025. We can confirm pricing approx. 11 months prior to the departure date, when airlines publish group flights and fares for 2026.



PRICE INCLUSIONS:



ROUND TRIP AIRFARE INCLUDED

Round trip airfare, including airport taxes and fuel surcharges. Prices are always subject to availability of flights and fares at the time of tour booking.



SPORT PROGRAM INCLUDED:

1 game per team in the Barcelona area and participation in the Donosti Cup.



ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS INCLUDED:

Madrid: 3-star plus/4-star hotel accommodation on the outskirts of Madrid.

- Daily breakfast and dinner included.
- Hotel in Madrid just outside the city center.
- The hotel has a restaurant and bar/lounge.
- Accommodation in triple rooms (3 people – 1 double bed + 1 sofa bed). All rooms have a TV, telephone, and private bathroom. Double rooms are available as well at a supplement of \$35.00 per person per night and single rooms are available at a supplement of \$145.00 per person per night.

San Sebastian/Donosti Cup:

Schools/Full board - daily breakfast will be served at the school, with daily lunch and dinner served at the tournament meal center. The first meal is dinner on Monday and the last meal is breakfast on Sunday. Accommodation in schools in San Sebastian. Each team will receive one classroom for its own use. The Donosti Cup will arrange bedding for all participants.



GROUND TRANSPORTATION INCLUDED:

A private bus will be available exclusively for your group – available 12 hours a day and 150 kilometers per day driving distance limitation. A trip to Biarritz, France is also included as well as airport transfers.



LOCAL GUIDE SERVICES INCLUDED:

A local tour assistant will be with your group full-time each day during your stay to provide assistance and help plan/amend your daily schedule as needed.

NOT INCLUDED ARE:

- Beverages (soda) with meals.
- Gratuities for representatives and bus drivers.
- Admission fees to attractions.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE

(not included in prices)

SPORT PROGRAM OPTIONS

Visit and tour a pro team stadium or museum– approx. \$ 35.00 per person for the Real Madrid Stadium.

A 2-hour training session with your own coaching staff – costs approx. \$300.00 per 2 hours.

Training sessions with coaches from a Barcelona area pro club – cost approx. \$1,050.00 total per 2 hours, including field hire. Consult us for more information.

MEAL OPTIONS DONOSTI CUP

The hotel options include daily breakfast only. The Donosti Cup offers a meal plan as well; self-service, cafeteria-type meals are served at the tournament center. Costs are approx. \$154.00 per person for 11 meals or \$14.00 per meal (lunch or dinner), starting with dinner July 5 and ending with dinner July 10.



TRAVEL INSURANCE OPTION:

Your participants have the option to purchase accident, illness and trip cancellation/interruption insurance, including Cancel for Any Reason Coverage (CFAR) – more information about this insurance is included on your team website page.

SIGHTSEEING IN MADRID

Madrid is the capital city of Spain and the largest city in Spain. The city has a population of almost 3.2 million with a metropolitan area population of approximately 6.5 million. It is the third-largest city in the European Union, after London and Berlin, and its metropolitan area is the third largest in the European Union after those of London and Paris.

BERNABEU FOOTBALL STADIUM

The Estadio Santiago Bernabéu is an all-seater football stadium in Madrid, Spain. It was inaugurated on 14 December 1947 and is owned by Real Madrid Club de Fútbol. It has a current capacity of 85454 spectators. El Bernabéu, renamed in honor of their former chairman Santiago Bernabéu Yeste, is one of the world's most famous and prestigious football venues. It has hosted the European Cup final on four occasions: in 1957, 1969, 1980, and the UEFA Champions League Final in 2010. The Bernabéu is both the second-largest stadium in Spain and the second-largest stadium home to a top-flight European club, behind only Camp Nou, home to rival Barcelona.

ROYAL PALACE

The Palacio Real de Madrid is the official residence of the Spanish Royal Family in the city of Madrid but is only used for state ceremonies. King Felipe VI and the Royal Family do not reside in the palace, choosing instead the more modest Palacio de la Zarzuela on the outskirts of Madrid.



The palace is owned by the Spanish State and administered by the Patrimonio Nacional, a public agency of the Ministry of the Presidency. The palace is located on Calle de Bailén (Bailén Street), in the Western part of downtown Madrid, East of the Manzanares River. Several rooms in the palace are regularly open to the public except during state functions.

PRADO MUSEUM

The Museo del Prado is one of the most popular tourist attractions in Madrid. The 18th-century structure designed by architect Juan de Villanueva houses one of the world's finest art collections. A 2007 expansion has made the famed museum easier to navigate. With more than 7,000 works of art representing culture and history from the 12th century to the early 19th century, however, it's impossible to see everything in a single visit. Visitors may wish to focus on the museum's collection of Spanish artists, including Goya, El Greco, da Ribera, and Velázquez, which is inarguably the best collection of Spanish paintings in the world.



PLAZA DE LA VILLA

The Plaza de la Villa is a picturesque small square in the heart of Madrid, not far from the much larger Plaza Mayor. In contrast to the latter, the buildings at the Plaza de la Villa all have contrasting styles. The largest building in the square is the former Town Hall or Casa de la Villa (ayuntamiento). Construction started in 1644 by Juan Gómez de Mora, the architect of the Plaza Mayor.

Prices and availability for these excursions may change at the time of booking.

SPAIN | SAN SEBASTIAN

DONOSTI CUP

IN 2025, APPROXIMATELY 900 TEAMS WILL PARTICIPATE. THAT MAKES THIS TOURNAMENT ONE OF THE BIGGEST TOURNAMENTS IN SOUTHERN EUROPE.

The Donosti Cup tournament headquarters are in and around the Estadio Anoeta, the stadium of Real Sociedad. Many of the games are played at the official training complex for Real Sociedad with 4 grass fields, a small stadium and 1 artificial grass field. San Sebastian is a beautiful city in the Northern part of Spain located at the Bay of Biscay.

DONOSTI CUP FACTS:

- 800+ international youth soccer teams
- Guaranteed minimum of 4 matches per team.
- The Opening Ceremony of the tournament takes place in Estadio Anoeta, the home stadium of La Liga team Real Sociedad.

IMPORTANT AGE DISPENSATION INFORMATION:

Due to different age category cut-off dates, automatic dispensation will be granted to players on U.S. teams born on or after September 1 of the previous age category year. For example, if the tournament age category is players born on/after January 1, 2012, automatic dispensation will be given to players born between September 1 and December 31 of 2011.

TOURISTIC INFORMATION:

- **San Sebastian:** On the banks of the Bay of Biscay and surrounded by green mountains, San Sebastian is a delightful city that provides a feast for the senses.
- The best-known image of San Sebastián is its almost perfectly shell-shaped bay, widely considered to be one of the most beautiful in the world. The city is home to 180,000 people and is the cultural and tourist capital of the Basque Country. The city has beautiful constructions, such as the Grand Casino (present Town Hall), the Miramar Palace, the summer residence of the Court, and the bridges over the Urumea River. The houses of the Old Quarter, full of bars and restaurants, date from previous times. In the Old Quarter, the local passion for gastronomy is palpable. From the miniature cuisine of the 'pintxos' to the restaurants of the creative cuisine masters, good eating is one of Donostia's commandments.
- **Biarritz – France:** Make a trip to this popular and lively beach resort town on the Atlantic coast in southwest France which is about a 45-minute drive from San Sebastian.



For more information about the tournament including age groups, rules and regulations and more touristic information please visit the tournament website:
www.donosticup.com/en

