

FLY TO THE EDGE OF THE WORLD



Escape to the Aran Islands with Spectacular Aerial Views of the Wild Atlantic Coastline

Daily Flights | 8 minutes Flying Time | Scenic Flights | Aran Islands | Breath-taking Views | Customer Service

Established in 1970, Aer Arann Islands has provided a vital link between island communities and the mainland for over 52 years. Just over 40 minutes by road from Galway city, Connemara airport provides the base for daily flights to the three Aran islands of Inis Mór, Inis Meáin and Inis Óirr. With up to 30 departures per day, there is every opportunity to hop on an 8 minute flight and escape to the beautifully unspoilt Aran Islands.

Fly over the wild western waters of the Atlantic with simply spectacular views of the islands and the iconic Cliffs of Moher. Steeped in culture, traditions, folklore and heritage, the Islands offer a real insight into the Ireland of old. Meet Irish speaking locals and immerse yourself in the slower pace of life associated with these beautiful islands. Take time to explore the unique culture of each of the islands with clear blue waters, sandy beaches, flora and fauna, ancient forts, great food, friendly people and more.

In addition to scheduled flights, Aer Arann also offers Scenic Flights with spectacular aerial views of Galway Bay, the Burren, the Cliffs of Moher, the rugged Connemara coastline and of course the Aran islands. So, enjoy breakfast in Galway city, hop on one of our air-conditioned buses, charge your device on board, relax and take in the stunning views over Galway Bay and the Burren as you travel through picturesque Salthill, Barna, Furbo and Spiddal. Bus departure from Galway city are from the Victoria Hotel, Eyre Square which is in the centre of the city. Alternatively, by arrangement, passengers can be collected anywhere along the route. All in one day, passengers can avail of the morning bus service, fly to their Island of choice, enjoy time on the island, take an evening flight back to the mainland and arrive refreshed back in Galway City in time for dinner and evening entertainment.

Highlights include:

- **Location** | Connemara airport | 40-minute drive from Galway city | Aran Islands | Wild Atlantic Way.
- **Scheduled Flights** | 8-minute flights | Daily Flights to all three Aran Islands | Year-round service.
- **Scenic Flights** | Private Flights | 35 minutes | Aerial Views | Drop off at any of the islands.
- **Private Bus** | Galway City to Connemara Airport | Scenic views of Galway Bay and the Burren.
- **The Team** | Small customer-focused team | Personal service | Friendly and helpful | Irish speaking.
- **The Fleet** | Three aircraft | Excellent safety record | 52 years in business.
- **The Aran Islands** | Inis Mór, Inis Meáin and Inis Óirr | Traditional Ireland | Each island is unique.
- **Scenery** | Rugged landscapes | Rugged coastal seascapes | White sandy beaches | Unique flora & fauna.



Aer Arann Islands | Experiences

General Experiences:

Experience	Short Description	Min-Max Numbers	Duration Approx	Price/Person Public Price
Flights to the Aran Islands	Scheduled, daily flights from Connemara Airport to the Aran Islands all year-round.	Up to 9	8 Minutes	€63 Return. See website for various categories.
Inis Mór Inis Meáin Inis Oírr	Note: Connecting Bus Service available from Galway City. Air conditioned comfort along the Wild Atlantic Way with scenic views of Galway Bay and the Burren.		40 minutes	€10



Premium Experiences:

Experience	Short Description	Min-Max Numbers	Duration Approx	Price/Person Public Price
Scenic Flights	See the west coast of Ireland from a new perspective on a Scenic Flight with spectacular aerial views of Galway Bay, the Burren, the Cliffs of Moher, the rugged Connemara coastline and of course the Aran islands.	1 - 9	Minimum 35 minutes	Minimum €750 per flight
Scenic Flight with a drop off on one of the islands	See the west coast of Ireland from a new perspective on a Scenic Flight with spectacular aerial views of Galway Bay, the Burren, the Cliffs of Moher, the rugged Connemara coastline and of course the Aran islands. Stop off at the island of your choice.	1 - 9	Up to 6 hours	Minimum €750 + €35 per passenger.



Aer Arann | General Experience Descriptions

Fly to Inis Mór

During this eight-minute flight, enjoy spectacular views of the islands and the iconic Cliffs of Moher. Steeped in culture, tradition, folklore and heritage, Inis Mór also boasts spectacular beaches and some of the most important geological and archaeological sites in Europe. Visitors can avail of pony and trap tours, walking tours and cycling tours. While enjoying the uniqueness of the island, take a break and relax in one of the many restaurants and pubs for exceptionally high-quality food and music. For those staying a bit longer Inis Mór offers top quality accommodation.



Aer Arann | General Experience Descriptions

Fly to Inis Meáin

Fly to Inis Meáin in less than ten minutes. This beautiful, serene island where the old customs are still alive, has many attractions including pristine beaches, breath-taking cliffs, looped walks and friendly local people who speak the Irish language. Inis Meáin was once a retreat for the great John Millington Synge, one of the most famous Irish playwrights. Most recently, the island has become a centre for diving with its beautiful marine life and clear waters. The Inis Meáin Knitting Company is integral to the long-standing tradition of knitting on Inis Meáin and their products are exported worldwide.



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Fly to Inis Oírr

Fly to Inis Oírr in less than ten minutes and prepare yourself for the warm welcome unique to this part of the world. The beach is popular for swimming, walking, water sports or just hanging around. Relax and enjoy this beautiful island of ever-changing skies and shimmering seas. The island boasts the best in traditional music, art and craft. Regular music sessions and lively dances continue to lure legions of visitors to the island. Restaurants, accommodation and pubs are all located close to the airport, beach, and harbour.



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Scenic Flight

Come aboard for an unforgettable flying experience. The most popular route includes the spectacular Cliffs of Moher, the Burren, Galway Bay, the Connemara coastline, the three Aran Islands including Dún Aonghasa on Inis Mór. Prior to departure, pilots provide a briefing on the upcoming breath-taking aerial adventure. A scenic flight with Aer Arann Islands will undoubtedly be the highlight of your visit to the Wild Atlantic Way and leave everlasting memories of one of the greatest tourist attractions in Ireland.



Aer Arann | General Information

- **Bookings:** Through our website at www.aerarannislands.ie
- **Parking:** Free
- **Location:** Eir Code (Post Code) H91 DC80.
- **Coordinates:** Lat 53.23042 Long -9.468466
- <https://maps.windows.com/?form=WNAMSH&lvl=14.523493&cp=53.22098~-9.490636&sty=r&trfc=0>
- **Accessibility:** Facilities for Wheelchair passengers. Please phone in advance.
- **Bus Connection from Galway City:**
 - Departure is from the Victoria Hotel, Eyre Square in Galway city centre.
 - Alternatively, by arrangement, passengers can be collected anywhere along the route.
 - Travel time is approx. 40 minutes.
 - Modern air-conditioned buses with USB ports.
 - Relax and take in the stunning views over Galway Bay and the Burren.



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