



**AM Sports Tours**



**LA Premier FC 2003/04's (Boys & Girls) Barcelona Soccer Tour 2017**

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# Your tour starts here

We want you to get the most out of your tour and ensure you have all the info you need upfront. That's why we have created this tour overview. It lists all the fantastic activities we have ready and waiting for you. We have made this document interactive so that you can just click and go to the information you need. See contents opposite for the information that this document contains.

All you have to do is get ready to have a great time. ■

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# Heads for travel, hearts for soccer

Right from the kick off, it's been about the soccer. It's in our blood. We're a passionate team of top-level soccer coaches and players dedicated to sharing our love of the beautiful game with players of every age, from every corner of the earth.

We work at the very highest level, coaching national teams on the international stage, as well as running our own thriving grassroots club. So, when it comes to our tours, we take a completely tailored approach, creating incredible itineraries based on your specific goals.

We take teams on unforgettable journeys, travelling to amazing cities and iconic stadiums, meeting heroes and making friends. Unrivalled on-the-ground knowledge means we can partner you with professional and national clubs for demanding training sessions, challenging games and inspiring behind-the-scenes tours.

We're soccer people doing tours, not tour people doing soccer. We know the game and we know what it's like to be a player, a fan, a coach and a manager. That's why over 1,500 soccer-loving clients from over 36 countries choose AM Sports Tours again and again. ■

## Partners/licenses/tunders:



UEFA



Erasmus +  
European Union



SALT Academy  
(Cambodian Charity)

## Professional Clubs worked with:



FC Barcelona



Chelsea FC



Arsenal FC



Manchester City

**Clubs:** Texans Soccer Club (USA), Charlotte United Soccer Club (USA), LA Premier Football Club (USA), Jeddah City (Saudi Arabia), Redlands United (Australia), Numazu FC (Japan), Pheonix Academy, (England) Ricki Herbert FA (NZ), Asia Pacific Soccer Schools (Hong Kong), San Diego Surf, CDA Slammers, Pateadores, Challenge Soccer (all USA).

**Schools/College/University:** Concordia College (USA), St. Andrews University (Scotland), Boson Sports Institute (Sweden), Perth Schools (Scotland), Glenrothes & Auchmuty High School (Scotland).

# Austin MacPhee

Founder/CEO and International Soccer Coach

**AM Sports Tours are the only sports tour company in the world with a CEO/Founder who works at the highest level of Professional Football – International Level.**

Even though Austin has been coaching since he was a teenager, he has also played professional soccer in Scotland, USA, Romania and Japan. These travels led to a passion for language (Austin speaks fluent Japanese) and learning (Austin holds a degree in Psychology & English).

Upon returning to Scotland, Austin founded his own soccer club therefore can relate to and has direct experience handling issues a Club experiences from the Board Member, DOC, Coach, Player and Parent.

AM Sports Tours started because others realised his passion for football and travel – they asked him to organise a tour and he just kept doing so!

Simultaneously, Austin has also seen success within every coaching role he has been appointed to. Domestically he has a host of accolades from back-to-back promotions to cup final winners medals. This domestic success has been transferred to the international stage. Austin is currently assistant coach to Michael O'Neill at the Northern Ireland national team, leading them to the Euro 2016 finals, their first major international tournament in 29 years. Austin was also recruited as part of the back room staff of the Mexico National Team for the 2014 World Cup and is now a Technical Observer for UEFA.

Austin's drive and passion is mirrored by everyone at AM Sports Tours. ■



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**“The imprint Austin MacPhee has made on the game at all levels (youth, professional, international) is hard to comprehend...**

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John McGarry The Daily Mail

**Read Austin's wiki**



# Hola Barcelona



Barcelona is a fantastic city for parents and players alike.

## Popular attractions include:

- Gaudi Museum
- La Boqueria Catalan Market City Tour
- Sagrada Familia
- Park Guell
- Gothic Quarter
- Camp Nou Tour
- Shopping on Las Ramblas



# Live at the Nou Camp

**Camp Nou...** Enjoy the experience of watching one of the finest teams the game has ever known in action at the Camp Nou, one of the most emblematic stadiums in world football.

You'll be stunned by the amazing skills and unforgettable goals of Messi, Neymar Jr and Suarez.

Your Club will enjoy great seats at Camp Nou to watch the world stars up close.

The La Liga fixtures are released in July. The match you will see will be dependent on the fixtures at that time and will be confirmed in August. ■





# Marc Ventura

**Marc has been with AM Sports Tours for over eight years and brings a wealth of experience and knowledge that allows us to provide an unrivalled experience in Barcelona.**

A native of Barcelona, Marc is Head of RCD Espanyol school and is a UEFA Licensed coach. Marc was also a professional Futsal player with FC Barcelona.

Marc and AM Sports Tours have provided tours to Barcelona for over 1000 people over 8 years and have extensive knowledge of the city. The soccer contacts allow us to present many unique opportunities for your Club.

Marc's knowledge of his home town is second to none and will be on hand throughout the trip to answer any questions and assist the group with getting around the city.

Marc also has a number of English-speaking staff who are on hand throughout the tour to assist the group. ■

# La bienvenida a la Alimara

The 4-star Hotel Alimara is the long standing chosen partner of AM Sports Tours in Barcelona.

The hotel offers excellent rooms and service with twin, triple, double and family rooms available all en-suite with AC, TV and all other standard 4-star hotel features. The hotel also has a bar and fitness room.

The Alimara hotel is situated just 10 minutes from the centre of Barcelona by metro and 5 minutes by foot from one of the training pitches. The location is in a safe, quiet district of Barcelona frequented by students from the University. The hotel is located in the north of the city and access to many of the attractions of this beautiful city are only a metro ride away.

With the service, location and access to the city, the Alimara is a perfect hotel for your Club. ■



[Click here to view hotel](#)



[Click here to view map](#)







# Schedule players

## Morning

## Afternoon

## Evening

Friday 31st  
March 2017

Depart from airport close to you for Barcelona

Saturday 1st  
April 2017

Arrive in Barcelona where you will be greeted by AM Sports Tours staff – transfer via private bus to Hotel Alimara

Check-in at Hotel – enjoy lunch nearby and relax after a long flight

Head to Camp Nou to soak up the pre-match atmosphere!

Enjoy a welcome evening meal in a restaurant close to Camp Nou before **Watching FC Barcelona live** (Fixture dependent)

Sunday 2nd  
April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel then enjoy a training session with professional Spanish coaches (FC Barcelona or Espanyol)

Head into the city for the first time for lunch and spend time exploring before preparing for the first friendly match of the tour

**LA Premier FC vs. Spanish Opposition of similar standard**

Post match evening meal in Barcelona

Monday  
3rd April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel then enjoy a training session with professional Spanish coaches (FC Barcelona or Espanyol)

Lunch in a restaurant before enjoying time visiting some of the famous sights of the city including Sagrada Familia, Las Ramblas and the Gothic Quarter

Enjoy an evening meal in a city restaurant before heading back to the hotel

Tuesday  
4th April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel then enjoy a training session with professional Spanish coaches (FC Barcelona or Espanyol)

Lunch after training then travel into the city to spend time at the beach or shopping at Maramagnum

Prepare to depart for the evening match

**LA Premier FC vs. Spanish Opposition of similar standard**

Post match evening meal in Barcelona



# Schedule players

## Morning

## Afternoon

## Evening

Wednesday 5th  
April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel then enjoy a training session with professional Spanish coaches (FC Barcelona or Espanyol)

Lunch then make the journey to Camp Nou for a stadium tour of the home of FC Barcelona. Visit the museum before seeing behind the scenes at this iconic stadium

Enjoy an evening meal in a city restaurant

Thursday 6th  
April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel then depart for the city of Girona.

Arrive in Girona and enjoy some free time exploring this stunning, historic city.

**LA Premier FC vs. Spanish Opposition of similar standard**

Stop off in one of the beautiful Costa Brava beach towns on the way

Take a stroll through the old town visiting the museums and historic buildings.

Post match evening meal in Girona before heading back to Barcelona

Friday  
7th April 2017

Enjoy a later breakfast at the hotel before the final training session at RCD Espanyol Sports City - the first team and academy facility

Lunch at a traditional Spanish restaurant close to the training complex before spending time exploring the city

**Watch FC Barcelona or RCD Espanyol live (fixture dependent)**

Head to the Stadium to enjoy the pre match atmosphere

Enjoy an evening meal in the city

Saturday  
8th April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel then prepare for the final international friendly match of the tour

**LA Premier FC vs. Spanish Opposition of similar standard**

Enjoy an end of tour party at a private venue with food, music and an end of tour awards presentation.

Head back to the hotel and get ready for the final evening meal

Sunday  
9th April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel before departing by private bus to the airport for the flight home

Arrive home after a fantastic AM Sports Tours Experience!



# Perfect for Parents

**"The best time I have had since College"**

**AM Sports Tours are committed to making every trip a once in a lifetime experience not only for the players but for the parents as well.**

We understand that parents sometimes need time on their own to relax or to visit some of the attractions at their own pace so we create a schedule that allows parents to take time out, knowing that the players are in a safe environment where they are having fun.

Enjoy a drink in one of the many cafés and bars in the city, visit the many attractions including Sagrada Familia, Parc Guell, Monjuic and the Olympic Village – This will be a fantastic trip for you and your family!

**"The staff took care of the kids, we didn't expect to have such a wonderful time seeing the sights and sounds of Barcelona"**

Travis Trask, San Diego Surf Parent





# Schedule parents

## Morning

## Afternoon

## Evening

Friday 31st  
March 2017

Depart from airport close  
to you Barcelona

Saturday 1st  
April 2017

Arrive in Barcelona where you will be  
greeted by AM Sports Tours staff –  
transfer via private bus to Hotel Alimara

Check-in at Hotel and relax  
after a long flight

Head to Camp Nou to soak up  
the pre-match atmosphere!

Enjoy a welcome evening meal  
and drinks in a restaurant close to  
Camp Nou before **Watching FC  
Barcelona live** (Fixture dependent)

Sunday 2nd  
April 2017

Breakfast then relax at the hotel, watch  
training or head into the city for the  
first time with AM Sports Tours Staff

Jump on the city tour bus to explore  
all the sights the city has to offer

Visit some of the famous sights  
such as Sagrada Familia, Parc  
Guell and the Olympic Village on  
the hop on hop off bus tour

Head back to the hotel and depart  
for the first friendly match

**Watch the first international  
fixture of the tour**

Post match evening meal and  
drinks with the group

Monday  
3rd April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel then head into  
the city to spend the day exploring  
many sights of this famous city

Enjoy lunch at leisure before enjoying  
more time Placa Catalunya, Las  
Ramblas and the Gothic Quarter

Enjoy an evening meal and drinks in a  
city restaurant before heading back to  
the hotel after a great day sightseeing

Tuesday  
4th April 2017

Breakfast then relax at the hotel,  
watch training or head into the  
city with AM Sports Tours Staff

Meet with the players and spend time at  
the beach or shopping at Maramagnum

Prepare to depart for the evening match

**Watch the second international  
fixture of the tour**

Post match evening meal and drinks





# Schedule parents

## Morning

## Afternoon

## Evening

Wednesday 5th  
April 2017

Breakfast then relax at the hotel, watch training or head into the city for sightseeing and shopping with AM Sports Tours Staff

Meet with the rest of the group at Camp Nou for a stadium tour of the home of FC Barcelona. Visit the museum and behind the scenes at this iconic stadium

Enjoy an evening meal and drinks in a city restaurant before heading to Mirablau to enjoy the stunning views of the city at night

Thursday 6th  
April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel then depart for the city of Girona.

Arrive in Girona and enjoy some free time exploring this stunning, historic city.

**Watch the third international fixture of the tour**

Stop off in one of the beautiful Costa Brava beach towns on the way

Take a stroll through the old town visiting the museums and historic buildings.

Evening meal and drinks in Girona before heading back to Barcelona

Friday  
7th April 2017

Breakfast then relax at the hotel, travel to the Espanyol Sports City to watch training or head into the city for sightseeing and shopping

Visit the famous Montserrat Mountain or take a trip on the Montjuic Cable car.

**Watch FC Barcelona or RCD Espanyol live (fixture dependent)**

Head to the Stadium to enjoy the pre match atmosphere

Enjoy an evening meal and drinks in the city

Saturday  
8th April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel before heading into the city for the final time to catch up on any sightseeing or shopping

**Watch the final international fixture of the tour**

Enjoy an end of tour party at a private venue with food, music, drinks and an end of tour awards presentation.

Head back to the hotel and get ready for the final evening meal

Sunday  
9th April 2017

Breakfast at the hotel before departing by private bus to the airport for the flight home

Arrive home after a fantastic AM Sports Tours Experience!

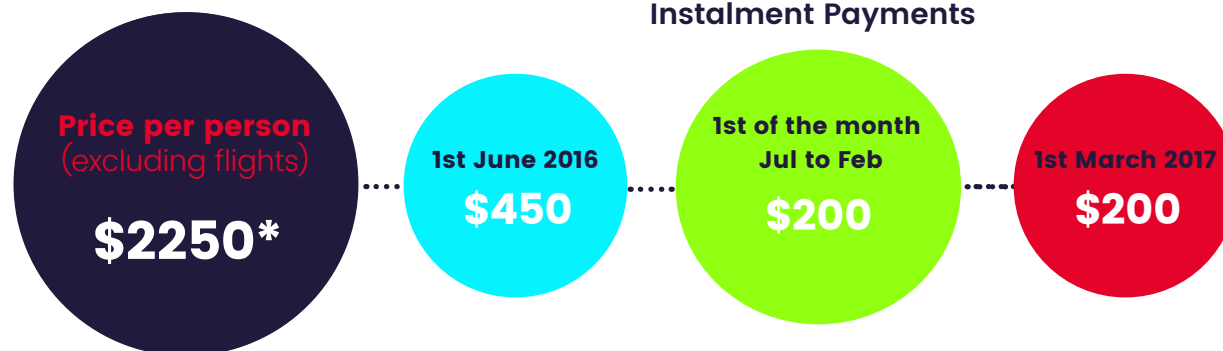
# Inclusions & Price

## AM Sports Tours Barcelona Soccer Tour

- 8 nights' accommodation in Barcelona at the 4 star Alimara Hotel
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner for players and breakfast, main meal (drinks) for parents
- All transport by private bus and local transport
- Stadium Tour of Camp Nou (FC Barcelona)
- Training sessions with Professional Spanish Coaches (FC Barcelona, Espanyol)
- Facilities for training sessions
- Training session at RCD Espanyol first team facility
- International friendly matches with all related fees
- Barcelona City Bus Tour plus one other option (Sagrada Familia, Montserrat etc.)
- Spanish party night – private venue for the group
- Tickets to watch FC Barcelona and RCD Espanyol (Fixture dependent)
- Tour planning and coordination
- Water at training and games
- All laundry of kit
- AMsportstours Guides 24/7 – Spanish and English speaking
- Online registration – no admin for the club
- AMsportstours El Clasico Fundraiser



### Price is Excluding Flights



**\* For registrations after June 1st, the price will increase to \$2500.00 per person.**



# El Clasico Raffle

AM Sports Tours offer a unique fundraising tool that can save up to \$1000.00 per person off the cost of the trip!

Each person who signs up for the trip will receive raffle tickets to sell. The prize is a fantastic trip for two people to Spain to watch El Clasico!

SAVE UP TO  
**\$1000**

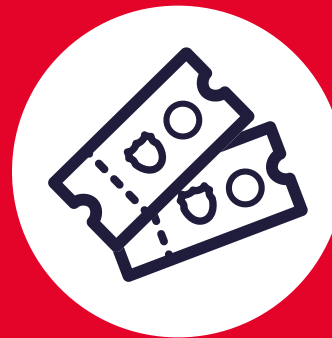
AMsportstours  
El Clasico  
Fundraiser



**2 x round trip flights**



**4 x nights accommodation**  
4 star hotel in either  
Barcelona or Madrid



**2 x tickets to El Clasico**  
Real Madrid vs.  
FC Barcelona Live

Each individual has the opportunity to save up to \$1000 towards the cost of their trip, which they keep! If you believe you can sell more tickets we will provide you with more.

# Registration details

Here are the details of how to register online for the tour.

- Click link opposite.
- Select the option 'Create new user account'. Fill out the details and click 'create new account'
  - 1.1 - Click continue when you arrive at the welcome page
  - 1.2 - Fill out the details requested then click 'save and continue'
  - 1.3 - Click the 'register a participant' button.
- 2.1 - Select a registrant or select 'create new member'. Click 'save and continue'
- 2.2 - Select the following program from the dropdown menu '**LA Premier FC 2003/04's Barcelona Tour 2017**' and 'continue'
- 2.3 to 2.5 - Fill in all the relevant details and review before clicking continue
- 2.6 - Read through the terms and conditions fully before clicking 'I agree' at the bottom of the page.
- 3.1 - If you are registering more than one person, select 'register a participant'. Once you have registered everyone, click 'Proceed to next step'
- 4.1 - Review your order and click pay in full or instalments. You will see a breakdown of the payment dates and amounts.
- 4.2 - Enter the card payment details (amount due is shown) and click 'submit order'
- You will receive a confirmation email with a summary of your payment plan.

Click here to  
**Register  
online**







# World-class service

We believe we create world-class experiences, but don't just take our word for it listen to what our clients have to say...

**"In 20 years of professional football AM Sports Tours have provided my team with the best training camp I have experienced. As Academy Director at a professional club I would trust them to deliver the highest level of customer service and advice on how a training camp should be structured for maximum player development. Their contacts and connections are at the highest level."**

James Clarkson, Academy Director, Houston Dynamo, MLS

**"This was the greatest experience that my family and I ever had. The whole trip was perfectly managed by AM Sports Tours. Thank you for making this trip a once in a lifetime experience!"**

Alex Ramirez, LA Premier FC, Boys Spain Tour



**"Group travel with individual service – a great company with wonderful staff"**

Marie Houle, Pateadores SC Parent



# Get in touch

We are committed to making sure that you have the best tour possible. So if you have queries relating to your tour please feel free to contact us. Your tour representatives details are opposite, you can also follow all things AM Sports Tours via social media on the below links.

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