

# CALIFORNIA

















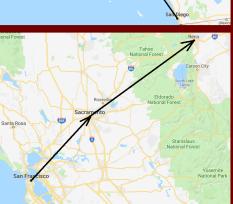
# 9 DAYS IN CALIFORNIA TOUR INCLUDES:

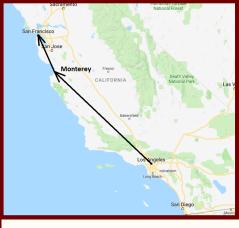
- Round trip airfare.
- Trip insurance.
- All bus transfers between airports, hotels, sightseeing.
- 3\*\*\*hotels. 2 persons per room.
- 2 meals per day. Lunch on own.
- Professional tour guides and interpreters.
- Outstanding sightseeing in the most interesting places of California.
- Minimum 5 matches or tournament combo.
- Visit the Arena of the Golden State Warriors (under construction). Newest in the NBA.
- All participants receive ABN practice and travel clothing.

# **INFO ABOUT LOCATIONS:**

Known as 'The Golden State' for many reasons including the home of the Golden Gate Bridge and miles of pristine golden sand beaches, *California* is understandably one of the most popular states to be visited across the USA. It offers you not only an amazing international basketball experience as the home of the NBA Champion Golden state Warriors, the Los Angeles Lakers and Clippers, but also an outstanding sightseeing, including Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego, Yosemite Valley, Hollywood, Disneyland e.t.c. You have a chance to experience this great mix of cultures, traditions, cuisines and create an unforgettable memory for all your life.







# **EXAMPLE ITINERARY**

DAY 1: FLIGHT TO **SAN DIEGO**. AFTERNOON TOUR TO THE HARBOR, NAVY SEAL LOOKOUT, CRUISE SHIP HOTELS AND FINALLY AN EVENING IN OLD TOWN.

DAY 2: VISIT SAN DIEGO ZOO. EVENING RETURN TO A SUNSET. DINNER NEAR LAJOLLA BEACH.

DAY 3: MORNING BUS TO THE DISNEYLAND. ENJOY THE WORLDS FAMOUS ICONIC RESORT. EVENING BASKETBALL MATCH.

DAY 4: MORNING AND AFTERNOON HOLLYWOOD AND DOWNTOWN *LOS ANGELES* TOUR. EVENING BASKETBALL MATCH.

DAY 5: MORNING VISIT AND GROUP BIKE RIDE FROM SANTA MONICA TO VENICE BEACH. TODAY IS A BECH DAY. ENJOY EVENING BUS TRANSFER TO **SAN FRANCISCO**.

DAY 6: LATE SLEEP. LATE MORNING EXPLORE SAN FRANCISCO. GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE, LOMBARD STREET. ENJOY SAN FRANCISCO'S FAMOUS CUISINE.

DAY 7: MORNING/AFTERNOON VISIT EXPLORATOREUM, SHARK AQUARIUM, PIER 39 AND SEA LION HARBOR. EVENING BASKETBALL MATCH.

DAY 8: CONTINUE EXPLORING SAN FRANCISCO AND ITS SKYSCRAPERS, DIEGO RIVERA FRESCOS. AFTERNOON FOOD TOUR. EVENING BASKETBALL MATCH.

DAY 9: MORNING TOUR TO THE WARRIORS NEWEST ARENA UNDER CONSTRUCTION. AFTERNOON WALK TO GHIRARDELLI SQUARE, EVENING BASKETBALL MATCH.

DAY 10: MORNING FLIGHT HOME.



#### WHAT IS ABN?

Assist Basketball Network is a camp management and professional scouting firm which has built Supercamps in Europe since 1989. In 1994, ABN brought its first USA teams to play at one of their Supercamps. The result was instant success! ABN has been sending teams to Europe since. The philosophy of ABN is to educate young men and women in history, culture, international politics, and global awareness by immersing them in new cultures. Our tours go much beyond playing basketball; our tours shape minds and attitudes.

#### SIGHTSEEING

We offer the best of each destination with professional guides and luxury air conditioned buses to keep you safe and comfortable. There will be guided supervision at all times by an ABN Tour Leader to insure safety of the participants. Our goal is to bring history books to life.



THE BEST OF CALIFORNIA AND TEX/MEX CUISINE

- 2 meals daily included
- Buffet breakfasts
- Tex/Mex Fajita and chili cookout meals
- Lunches and street food are not included in tour price



# **BASKETBALL ACTIVITIES**

ABN Tours are centered around basketball. You will be see the outsides of the Los Angeles Forum as well as the current Oracle Arena for the Warriors. You will have a special sneak view of the newest arena in the NBA being built for the Warriors in San Francisco.

Your group will have a minimum 5 full length basketball contests against outstanding competitions, unless you have registered for one of our tournaments. On most tours, an IHC (International Hoops Challenge) Tournament is created with multiple countries represented. What is the best about competition? Not just the international games, but the post-game meals which are developed to create an atmosphere of goodwill between the players. A truly international experience in which new friends for life are created!

#### **INSURANCE**

All ABN Tours require that obligatory insurance is bought and insurance coverage provided to ABN before a participant may participate in any activity.



#### **TRANSPORTATION**

SAFETY IS OUR PRIORITY! We know you are putting your children's lives in our hands. Teams will use 50 passenger motor coaches from 5star bus companies when traveling. These buses are luxurious with Airconditioning and video play. Most modern buses are providing WI-FI service but we cannot guarantee this. Teams are sometimes shuttled in small shuttles at the campsites and matches, but only in insured vehicles from 5star Bus companies.



## **AIR TRAVEL**

ABN uses a variety of secure bonded travel agencies to secure group flight tickets and insurance.

EF Tours, Anthony Travel, CTMStravel, Globus, etc... among others. These agencies are used for moving sports teams.

Your group booking will require a 20% down payment to secure tickets within 10 days of receiving your firm quote.

Your entire **flight** must be paid in full by agreed date or penalties / forfeitures will become effective.

#### **PAYMENT SCHEDULES**

Using large travel agencies requires immediate non-refundable registration deposits before group pricing is determined. These large travel agencies can also offer financing for you.

Using smaller travel agencies can save you from extra corporate costs; however, you will be required to make payments to ABN directly. ABN is licensed and bonded to secure your money.

ABN understands many teams fundraise and count on future sponsors. We also understand that parents bear the greatest amount of the amount due, and as a result we also honor holiday time with payments.

## TYPICAL PRICING

(This proposal should not be considered as a reservation or price guarantee)

Paying	Paying	Paying	Paying
participants	participants	participants	participants
12-19	20-29	30-39	40-49
Non-paying	Non-paying	Non-paying	Non-paying
Free 2	Free 3	Free 4	Free 4
10 days/9 nights	10 days/9 nights	10 days/9 nights	10 days/9 nights
\$2700*	\$2400*	\$2100*	\$1900*

<sup>\*</sup>plus airfare

# An example ABN Payment Plan looks like this:

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Month	Amount (example \$3400 trip)			
Deposit and Registration. As soon as possible to	\$600 each person			
lock in airfare	(this will not be cashed or used			
Deposit and registration with ABN are fully re-	unless you make an initial pay-			
fundable.	ment)			
This allows the group to know exactly how many				
will be participating on the tour so group price can				
be calculated.				
June 1 Initial Payment. You have now made a de-	\$600 (from above payment)			
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This amount must be collected within 10 days to	Now the check is cashed and not			
guarantee group price and ticket reservation. At	refundable			
this time your money is <b>not 100% refundable.</b> (\$300 not refundable)				
	4400			
July 31(Use the summer for fundraisers, jobs, etc)	\$400 \$900			
August 31	\$400 \$1300			
September 30	\$400 \$1700			
October 31	\$300 \$2000			
November 30	\$200 \$2200			
December 31	\$0 \$2200			
January 31	\$300 \$2500			
February 28	\$300 \$2800			
March 30	\$300 \$3100			
April 15 Final Payment	\$200 \$3400			
July	Take off for an unforgettable			
	experience!			