

#### Jewish National Fund of Canada

An unforgettable experience to enjoy Israel @70 and a Jewish Heritage tour in Portugal October 7 – October 23, 2018

# Tour Outline



SUBJECT TO CHANGE FOR THE BETTER

## Monday October 8, 2018

Arrive Lisbon

Travel to **Evora** 

Walking tour including:

Historical centre

Roman Temple

Rebublica's Square

Cathedral

Aqueduct

Overnight: Hotel M'Ar de Ar Muralhas - Evora

#### Tuesday, October 9, 2018

Breakfast

Depart Evora and head north for the following visits:

# Castelo de Vide

Synagogue (Beit-Ha-Midrash-Sefardin)

Jewish Quarter (located on eastern slope of village)

Judiaria and Fonte Streets

Arcario house

16<sup>th</sup> century fountain

#### Marvao

Walking tour of breathtaking village

Visit to the castle

#### **Belmonte**

Town represents Jewish presence in Portugal from the 16<sup>th</sup> century until present day.

After expulsion of Jews a small community of Crypto Jews remained and live here ever since.

Visit new synagogue (Bet Eliahu) and meet members of the local community

Jewish Museum

# **Trancoso**

Walking tour of village following the symbols of Jewish culture carved in the walls

Overnight: Hotel de Trancoso - Trancoso

#### Wednesday, October 10, 2018

Breakfast

#### Gouveia

Museum of Sacred Art

#### Linhares de Beira

Jewish Quarter visit

Passadico Street (formerly Jewish Street)

Casa do Judeu (House of the Jew)

#### Cabanas do Viriato

Birthplace of famous Portuguese Consul Aristides de Sousa Mendes (who saved thousands of Jews during WWII)

Overnight: Hotel Infante Sagres - Oporto

## Thursday, October 11, 2018

Breakfast

#### Tour **Oporto**

Visit historical centre of Oporto

Special focus on Kadoorie Mekor Haim Synagogue & its Jewish Museum

Overnight: Hotel Infante Sagres - Oporto

#### Friday, October 12, 2018

Breakfast

Return to Lisbon

Sintra and Pena Palace

Free afternoon

**Shabbat Dinner** 

Overnight: Hotel Altis Grand Lisbon

#### Saturday, October 13, 2018

Breakfast

Walking tour of Lisbon including:

Alfama Quarter (Jewish, Moorish & Christian Heritage)

Comercia Square

Augusta Street

Rossio Square

St. Domingos Square (memorial of the Pogroms of Lisbon)

City Centre including:

Belvedere S. Pedro de Alcantara

Bairro Alto

Chiado Quarter

Camoes Square

Fernando Pessoa's monument

Restauradores Square

Overnight: Hotel Altis Grand Lisbon

#### Sunday, October 14, 2018

Breakfast

Hotel check out

Half day tour

Belem Quarter

Monastery of Jeronimos

Belem Tower

Monument to the Discoveries

Belem Pastry Shop

Afternoon free to wonder, shop and explore

Depart for airport for overnight flight to Israel

#### Monday, October 15, 2018

Arrive early in Tel Aviv

Breakfast

70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary/Independence Hall

Urbanism tour of Old Jaffa with emphasis on art and gallery visits

Carmel Market to shop for dinner

Cooking class

Dinner

Overnight: Dan Tel Aviv – Executive Sea View Rooms

#### Tuesday, October 16, 2018

Breakfast

Follow the Peace Path at Netiv Ha'asara

Beerot BaNegev

Lunch

Beer Sheva – Nahal Beer Sheva – Israel Tennis Centre

Shaar Lanegev

Overnight: Dan Tel Aviv – Executive Sea View Rooms

# Wednesday, October 17, 2018

Breakfast

Migdal Ohr

Prison Museum

Lunch

Akko Park

Tornado Ride

Keshet Caves/nature walk – visit the Regev/Goldwasser Memorial

Hotel check in

Dinner at hotel

Overnight: Hotel Galilion

## Thursday, October 18, 2018

Breakfast

Research & Development Centre

Memorial site of Helicopter crash

Park Avital (Volcanic Park in the Golan)

Odem Winery

Lite lunch

Olive Oil visitor center

Mount Bental

Dinner in a restaurant

Overnight: Galilion

# Friday, October 19, 2018

Breakfast

Hula

Kishor Winery – wine tasting and lunch

Drive to Tel Aviv

Shabbat dinner at the hotel

Overnight: Dan Tel Aviv Executive Sea View Rooms

## Saturday, October 20, 2018

Breakfast

Free day

Overnight: Dan Tel Aviv Executive Sea View Rooms

#### Sunday, October 21, 2018

Breakfast

Tree planting

Jeep ride on Burma Road

Yvel Workshop

Geo Political Tour – along Urban Line (48-67)

Dinner

Overnight: King David Jerusalem

# Monday, October 22, 2018

Breakfast

Police Station

Western Wall Tunnels

Hurba Synagogue

Private house tour visit

Tasting tour in Machane Yehuda Overnight: King David Jerusalem

# Tuesday, October 23, 2018

Breakfast

Yad Vashem or Friends of Zion

Challah baking workshop

Lunch

Return to Jerusalem

Teddy Park

Free time

Farewell dinner

Overnight: King David Jerusalem

# Wednesday, October 24, 2018

Breakfast

Hotel check out

Transfer to Ben Gurion airport for return flight to Canada

# **Please note:**

Meals are included only where indicated on the itinerary.