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Itinerary

2011 Womens Soccer World Cup Finals Tour

North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany and Rome, Italy June 26-July 8, 2011.

- June 26: Depart San Diego for an overnight flight to Frankfurt, Germany. After making one connection, arrival in Frankfurt will be in the morning of the next day.
- June 27: Upon arrival in Frankfurt, and after clearing German Customs and Immigration, your group will be met by a local representative and a privately chartered bus and driver.

After loading the bus, you will transfer to the area known as [North Rhine-Westphalia](#). On the way you will stop for lunch in [Rudesheim](#).

North Rhine-Westphalia is the largest federal state within Germany; it is situated in the western part of Germany and shares borders with Belgium to the southwest and the Netherlands to the west and northwest. It also borders the German states of Lower Saxony to the north and northeast, Rhineland-Palatinate to the south and Hesse to the southeast.

The FC Bratz group will be staying at a high quality sports center, the [Sportschule Hennef](#) (Sports School Hennef), located in the village of [Hennef](#), about ten miles to the east of Bonn. You might be interested to know that many European professional teams, in addition to the National Soccer teams of Germany and Argentina, have spent time at this facility while preparing for either their professional seasons or important tournaments such as the World Cup. The facility is equipped with all of the amenities required for high level sports groups, including 3 grass soccer fields, 3 artificial turf fields, a large gymnasium, indoor and outdoor swimming pools, a sauna and jacuzzi. The rooms on campus are either single or double, with private shower and bathroom facilities.

After checking in at the sports center, you can have a practice at the facility if desired.

Your group will be in Germany during the 2011 Women's World Cup Finals. Your accommodations are within a short commute (approximately one hour or less by bus) of three venues for the Women's World Cup, [Bochum](#), [Leverkusen](#) and [Monchengladbach](#). There are matches in group play each day in one of these three venues from June 27 through July 1. The draw for the tournament takes

place in November of 2011, after which time we will know the specific teams assigned to each venue. We will have access to match tickets, details will be available after December 1, 2010.

For additional information about the 2011 Women's World Cup finals to be held in Germany, please click [here](#).

Women's World Cup Match in Bochum: Group B1 v. B2, time TBA.

June 28: This morning will be free. The team can have a practice at the sports center if desired.

In the early afternoon the group will have a walking tour of [Cologne](#), the largest city in the state of North Rhine-Westphalia. The most famous site in the city is the [Cologne Cathedral](#), an enormous gothic structure which dates back to the 13th century. It is a truly awe inspiring site, but surely not all that this city has to offer. Cologne is also a major cultural center of the Rhineland and has a vibrant arts scene. It is home to more than 30 museums and hundreds of galleries.

Later, you will gain a different perspective, from the Rhine River, aboard a sightseeing cruise.

Women's World Cup Match in Leverkusen: Group C3 v. C4, time TBA.

June 29: In the morning your group will transfer to the city center of [Bonn](#), where you will have the chance to do some informal sightseeing on your own and perhaps have some lunch at a local café.

In the afternoon the FC Bratz teams will play a friendly match against a local team at the sports center in Hennef.

Women's World Cup Match in Monchengladbach: Group D1 v. D2, time TBA.

June 30: In the late morning you will transfer to the nearby city of [Düsseldorf](#), another interesting and modern cultural center of the region.

The afternoon will be free for a training at the sports center, if desired.

This evening, the group will have a "Knight's Dinner" in an ancient castle in the area. You will surely enjoy the chance to dine as medieval knights, maybe even using your fingers if you want to be truly authentic.

Women's World Cup Match in Bochum: Group A2 v. A4, time TBA.

July 1: This morning those with a sweet tooth will enjoy a trip to the [Chocolate Museum](#) in Cologne. Here you can enjoy and expedition through 3000 years of chocolate history and maybe even try a sample or two.

The afternoon and evening will be free to enjoy at your leisure.

Women's World Cup Match in Leverkusen: Group B1 v.B3, time TBA.

July 2: The morning will be free.

This afternoon each team will play another friendly match against a local team.

In the evening your group will go on a dinner cruise on the Rhine River which will add a nice touch to the day. The cruise will feature live music and a dinner buffet.

July 3: After spending a week in Germany for the Women's World Cup, the next stop on the tour will be Rome, Italy. The group will check out of the sports school in Hennef and transfer to the airport in Frankfurt, where you will catch a mid morning flight to Rome.

[Rome](#) is one of the world's most famous and lively cities, full of interesting sights and fascinating things to do. It has a history that dates back more than two thousand years, and a present that is vibrant and fun. The FC Bratz group will spend the next five days here.

Upon arrival, your group will be met by another privately chartered bus and a local representative. You will then be transported to your accommodations, a tourist class hotel located near the city center of Rome. Players will be accommodated in triple rooms while here, with breakfasts and dinners included daily.

The remainder of the day will be free for some informal sightseeing and shopping on your own.

July 4: After breakfast at the hotel, the group will have a half day guided tour of Rome, You will see the famous Roman [Colosseum](#), the [Roman Forum](#), and many other sights that make Rome so interesting.

Although the formal part of the sightseeing tour will take only a half day, the remainder of the day will be spent in the city so that you may enjoy walking the streets and enjoying the incredible atmosphere of this great city.

The remainder of the afternoon and evening will be free to enjoy at your leisure.

July 5: This morning the group will have a tour of the famous [Vatican City](#), home to the Pope and an incredible array of art, architecture and history. The Vatican is a sovereign state whose territory consists of a walled enclave within the city of Rome. It has an area of approximately 110 acres, and a population of barely over 800.

July 6: The morning is free to enjoy at your leisure.

In the afternoon, the FC Bratz teams will transfer to a local club where each team will play a friendly match against a local team.

Following the games, you will return to the hotel where you will have dinner and a free evening.

July 7: This day is free, and you can decide as a group or individually what activities you may wish to undertake. In consultation with your local representative, you may wish to spend the day at the beach, exploring Rome on your own, or perhaps take a day trip. Among the possibilities for an all day excursion are a trip to [Naples](#) and [Pompeii](#), or perhaps [Assisi](#) and [Perugia](#) (*Note: the cost of these day trips is not included in the tour price*).

July 8: After five days in Rome, it will be time to return home. You will transfer to Rome's Fiumicino Airport, where you will catch a return flight to the USA. Arrival in San Diego will be in the evening of the same day, local time.

Prices per person:

- Land Only: \$3,050.00
- Air Fare: TBA, available after August 8, 2010. *Note: the cost for the flights noted in this itinerary for 2010 is approximately \$1,720.00*

*This price reflects double occupancy in Germany and triple occupancy in Italy. For double occupancy in Italy add \$85.00 per person. For single occupancy add \$55.00 per person, per night.

The prices noted for the above outline itinerary includes the following:

- Air fare via regularly scheduled carrier, San Diego-Frankfurt, Frankfurt-Rome, Rome-San Diego.
- Privately chartered motor coach available on a full time basis from June 27-July 3 in Germany, and from July 3-July 8 in Italy.
- Accommodations as noted, for seven nights at the Sportschule Hennef in Germany and in a tourist class (3 star minimum) hotel in Italy. All accommodations will have private bathrooms and shower facilities.
- Breakfasts and dinners daily for all tour participants.
- Full sports program to include 2 friendly matches for each team in Germany, 1 friendly match in Rome for each team, and access to soccer training facilities as needed.
- Sightseeing excursions as noted, to include walking tour of Cologne, Chocolate Museum tour in Cologne, Rhine River sightseeing cruise, dinner party cruise, City tour of Rome, tour of Vatican City.
- Services of a local representative for your group at each location throughout your stay.
- Pre-trip assistance and administration from FC Bratz Travel.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Tour Cost: The price per traveler for the FC Bratz soccer tour of Germany and Italy as outlined is \$3,050.00 for the land portion and TBA for the air fare. In order to make this as manageable as possible for you, and also to enable us to make financial commitments on your behalf to our various overseas suppliers, we have devised a schedule of payments which divides this amount equally over the next several months.

Deposit: A deposit of \$600.00 per traveler will be required to hold and confirm a place on tour. The deposit is due no later than June 1, 2010, and is 100% non refundable should you decide to cancel your participation at a later date. Of course, this deposit will be credited fully towards the cost of your trip.

Suggested Payment Schedule: Once the deposit has been received, the remaining balance due will be split into five equal payments, with the final payment being due by May 10, 2011. A summary of the payment schedule is as follows:

	Land Portion	Air Fare*
Due with registration (by June 1st, 2010):	\$600.00	
Due November 15, 2010:	\$490.00	1/5 of air fare
Due January 1, 2011:	\$490.00	1/5 of air fare
Due February 15, 2011:	\$490.00	1/5 of air fare
Due April 1, 2011:	\$490.00	1/5 of air fare
Due May 10, 2011:	\$490.00	1/5 of air fare

*Air fare to be available after August 8, 2010.

Note: Please make checks payable to FC Bratz Travel.

Cancellation and Refund Policy: As a general rule, please note that we will always endeavor to refund to any player as much money as is retrievable at the time of cancellation. However, because we are bound by the restrictions imposed upon us by suppliers such as airlines, ground operators, etc., we need to make sure that you also are aware of the cancellation fees involved. If a player withdraws from the tour after money has been paid to FC Bratz Travel, the following fees will apply:

If cancellation is between June 1st, 2010 and Feb 1st, 2011, there will be no penalty other than the forfeit of the deposit, which is non-refundable after June 1st, 2010.

If cancellation is between Feb 1st and May 10, 2011, all monies paid to FC Bratz Travel will be refunded, less the deposit and a \$300.00 cancellation fee (\$900.00 total per person).

If cancellation is after May 10, 2011, no refunds will be available.

Deviation Charges: Deviations from the main (group) itinerary are welcome and normally easily accomplished if reasonable prior notice is given. Until February 15, 2011, any and all requests for deviations will be dealt with at no charge (other than the actual difference in whatever plans are to be made). After this date, there will be a charge of \$150.00 per person for any deviation from the main itinerary, in addition to the normal charges incurred.

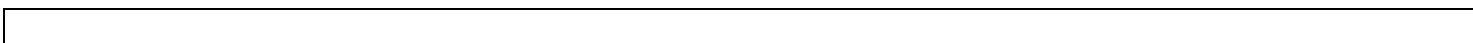
Trip Cancellation Insurance: In order to protect yourself against the penalties outlined above, in addition to any unforeseen circumstances that might cause you to withdraw from the tour, we recommend trip cancellation insurance. If you would like more information about this, please contact the FC Bratz Travel office.

Responsibility and Liability: The responsibility of FC Bratz Travel, the foreign ground operators, tournament organizers, and host organizations is limited. FC Bratz Travel acts in the capacity of an agent for the participants in all matters pertaining to the tour, such as (but not limited to) the arrangement of transportation, accommodations, meals, sightseeing, social and cultural activities, and the sports program. FC Bratz Travel, its suppliers, foreign tournament organizers and hosting organizations including host clubs are not responsible for any personal injury, illness or death, nor any loss, damage or theft of belongings, nor for any error, accident, delay, deviation or curtailment of any kind caused directly by any actions, omissions, acts of failure by:

- a) Any person or company retained for the benefit of the participant, including, but not limited to transportation, housing, and tour guides;
- b) Acts of God, public enemy, arrest or restraint by any government, seizure under legal process, quarantine restrictions, riots of civil commotions, strikes, lockouts or labor stoppages, war hazards or dangers incident to the state of war;
- c) Any defect or failure to comply with any part of local rules or regulations of any airplane, automobile, motor coach, ship, train, or other vehicle.
- d) Improper or insufficient passports or other documents.

Additional expense incurred under any of these circumstances will be the sole responsibility of the tour participants.

General: FC Bratz Travel will assume that the responsible tour leader, participants and their parents or legal guardians, are in agreement with the conditions mentioned above, and that all engagements with FC Bratz Travel have been undertaken by an authorized person. These conditions are applicable to all agreements between FC Bratz Travel and any party.



FC BRATZ SOCCER
Tour Registration Form

Player Information:

Player's Name (*as it will appear on the passport*): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Telephone Number: _____
(area code)

Date of Birth: _____
month/day/year

E-Mail Address: _____
(*We will use this e-mail address to send periodic tour-related updates and newsletters*)

Please list the names of any other family members, if any, who will be traveling with the group:

Parents' Information:

Father's Name: _____

Father's Daytime Phone Number: _____
(area code)

Mother's Name: _____

Mother's Daytime Phone Number: _____
(area code)

Please fill out and return this form, along with a deposit of \$600.00 per traveler to:

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