

**KFA Delegation to North Korea**  
**-August 2012-**  
**Mass Games ARIRANG**



**Dates:**

**From 11th to 21st August 2012**

**Maximum of 20 people**

<http://www.korea-dpr.com/travel.htm>

The Korean Friendship Association (KFA) organizes a trip to the DPR of Korea (North Korea) from 11th August to 21st August 2012 with the special show of the Mass Games ARIRANG, where 100,000 artists will participate in the world biggest display (Guinness World Records).

The KFA gives the chance to know about the country, its people, society and culture.

All passports are invited to apply except for: U.S.A., Republic of Korea (South Korea) and Japan due to special protocol in bilateral relations.

U.S.A. passports can apply in a separate trip available in: <http://www.korea-dpr.com/travel.htm>

The number of visitors is limited to 20. Participants in the delegation will be accepted according to their order of arrival (pre-subscription) and after clearing all details and conditions.

This isn't a regular tourist trip, but a cultural one where visitors are expected to interact and behave accordingly. A visitor joining the KFA Delegation is not treated as a tourist but as a friend of the DPRK, having access to places, information, insights and events not allowed for regular visitors.

The program was made to suit all ages and doesn't require special abilities or effort.

**DISCLAIMER NOTE**

The KFA doesn't take responsibility for any personal, material damage or other problem related to this trip, but just offers this service as a consultant organization between the DPRK authorities and the 'participant'.

If the 'participant' wants any coverage or insurance, he'll be fully responsible for its contract and implementation.

Filmmakers, journalists or any other media-related person aren't allowed to participate.

## **ITINERARY**

### **10 AUGUST 2012 (FRIDAY)**

At 08.00am, Meeting at designated hotel in Beijing for administrative procedures (preparation of North Korean Visas, Air Koryo flights and organization).

Free day in Beijing

At 20.00pm, Visas and flight tickets will be delivered to each one, and we will then give you advice and the guidelines for the trip.

Night: 3\*\*\* Hotel in city centre of Beijing

### **11 AUGUST 2012 (SATURDAY)**

A bus will bring us from our hotel to Beijing airport.

The delegation departs from Beijing to Pyongyang by Air Koryo, DPRK national airlines.

The delegation will stay 11 days/10 nights in the DPRK.

Visit the main monuments and museums of the capital (Juche Tower, Metro System, Great People's Study House, Korean war museum, Mansude, Arch of Triumph, Mangyongde Children's palace... etc.)

NORTH TO Miohyang mountains, Buddhist temple of Pohyon, International Friendship Exhibition, SOUTH TO traditional city of Kaesong and Panmunjon (38th parallel), Observation post of the Korean People's Army, De-militarized Zone and Joint Security Area.

The delegation will include visits to government buildings, kindergarten, school, hospital, bowling, local restaurant, cooperative farm, Korean home, factories and other centres. In the free time, day or night, we will walk around the streets and parks to learn about the regular life of Korean people.

In some occasions we will have official meetings or visits that will require formal dressing.

## **PRICES:**

Same price for individual or double room:

Non-KFA members: 2170 EURO

KFA cardholders (with membership card older than 1 year): 1970 EURO

For information about KFA member card here:

<http://www.korea-dpr.com/kfacard.htm>

Price Includes:

## **IN CHINA**

- 1 Night and breakfast in 3\*\*\* Hotel

Beijing city centre, next to Tiananmen and central shopping area.

- Bus from hotel to airport

**IN DPR OF KOREA**

- All transports inside DPRK
- 10 nights in 3\*\*\* Hotel, city center.
- Breakfast, lunch, dinner (a-la-carte) and water during meals.
- Entrance to all museums, monuments and anniversary displays.
- Entrance to Arirang Mass Games.
- Guides in English/Spanish/German/French/Russian depending on the final group composition.
- Participation in all activities.

Basically everything while in the DPRK apart of your personal souvenirs or extra drinks.

Inside the DPRK we'll have doctors and hospitals at your disposal 24 hours if you've any problem.

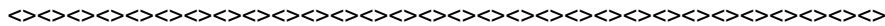
**Other additional expenses you'll need to cover:**

480 EURO  
for the flight Beijing-Pyongyang-Beijing, the DPRK VISA and Airport Taxes.

The total amount of the trip will be paid in Beijing on 10 AUGUST.  
(Only accepted cash and EURO currency).

To be arranged and paid by the participant himself:

- 1- Flight from your country to Beijing
- 2- Chinese Visa (You must request a double entry Visa).



**STEP-BY-STEP PROCESS (HOW TO APPLY?)**

1.

PRE-INSCRIPTION PROCESS.

Access the webpage <http://www.korea-dpr.com/travel.htm>

and fill the online pre-inscription form.

This pre-inscription form doesn't require any fee and can be cancelled any moment informing the other side of the reasons.

2.

Wait for confirmation. A reference number will be assigned.

3.

BEFORE 1st JULY 2012

After receiving the reference number, access the webpage:

<http://www.korea-dpr.com/shop/?product=booking-fee-for-kfa-delegation>

and pay 450 euro per person with any major credit card by using the online system. This amount will be discounted from the total price specified before.

You can also send the payment directly by paypal to: [korea@korea-dpr.com](mailto:korea@korea-dpr.com)

At this point your air ticket and hotel room will be reserved and the DPRK visa processed.

If you decide to cancel the trip, the 450 euro won't be returned since they'll be used to cover all the cancellations and administrative expenses.

If for any reason your DPRK visa is denied or a major problem force us to cancel the trip, the 450 euro will be returned by using PAYPAL system  
<http://www.paypal.com>

THIS TRIP HAS LIMITED SEATS THAT WILL BE STRICTLY GIVEN TO THE FIRST 20 CONFIRMED RESERVATIONS.

4.

We'll send an acknowledgment of the receipt of your money.

Then, book by yourself the flight tickets from your country to Beijing.

Also approach your nearest Chinese Embassy or Consulate and request a DOUBLE-ENTRY Visa for the dates that you'll be travelling.

5.

You'll receive details and timing of our hotel and meeting place in Beijing, where we'll all gather. An introduction to basic Korean culture and hints/tips will be explained before departure.

#### **NOTES:**

Any participant that won't follow the regulations of the DPRK will be treated accordingly to its national law.

Any participant that won't follow the KFA advices and indications will be expelled from the delegation without possibility of refund.

Credit Cards (Visa, AMEX, Master Card) are widely accepted in China for shopping, but cannot be used in the DPRK.

Chinese ATM only dispenses YUAN RENMIMBI Currency. It's not possible to withdraw EURO.

You should bring along two colour passport-sized pictures for the DPRK Visa.

#### **Articles not allowed in the DPRK:**

Video-Camera, Plants, animals, drugs, explosives, weapons, any kind of pornography, mass printed propaganda, radio, wireless or satellite communicator (GPS), mobile phone (can be left at airport locker).

#### **Articles allowed in the DPRK:**

Photo-camera (analog or digital), laptop (without wireless/radio communication devices), PDA, CD Player, MP3.

Other articles may be inspected by the immigration authorities.

FAST REMINDER OF DEADLINES:

PRE-INSCRIPTION ENDS ON 1st JULY 2012.

People that didn't pre-inscribe aren't eligible to participate.

1st JULY 2012 also ends the FULL inscription process. People that haven't provided all the data/requirements or the 450 euro inscription fee won't be able to participate.

Presentation, information and pre-inscription form can be found in the following Internet page:

<http://www.korea-dpr.com/travel.htm>

Gallery of previous visits available in:

<http://www.korea-dpr.com/users/thai/trip.htm>

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