

Thank you for volunteering to test my Walking Kilkenny tour. Your feedback is vital to improving the tour, so jump right in...and don't hesitate to use a separate sheet of paper if necessary.

Some things to note about the tour:

- This tour is still in draft form, so there is still some copy and photos that are not placed.
- Many of the photos are drafts as well. I will be replacing them with new photos this fall.
- I am currently doing a round of fact-checking; so if you find any inaccuracies, please let me know.
- Feel free to suggest any "finds" you discover while eating, drinking, shopping and exploring in Kilkenny. Be sure to make a note or pick up business cards of any B&Bs, pubs, restaurants or stores you would recommend.
- Take a peek at your watch and note the time you begin the tour.
- You may want to carry a pen so you can jot down notes while participating in the tour. The more feedback you provide, the better the final tour will be.
- Please do not copy and/or distribute this tour. If you know someone who would be interested in the tour, have them contact me.
- Please complete the feedback form and return it in the envelope provided (the tour book is yours to keep).

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WALKING KILKENNY FEEDBACK FORM

Name _____

Address _____

Email Address _____

Date you tested this tour _____

KILKENNY

How much time did you spend in Kilkenny on this visit?

How many times had you been to Kilkenny before?

How much did you read Walking Kilkenny before taking the tour?

I did not do any pre-reading.

I skimmed it.

I read a majority of it.

I read it cover to cover.

Estimate how much time you spent using this tour book in Kilkenny? If possible, try to subtract time spent doing activities at various stops (touring the castle, stopping for a meal, etc.)

MAPS

Did you refer to the map on pages 1 & 2 during your tour?

Did you use the "close-up" maps that appear throughout the tour?

The maps were:

very helpful somewhat helpful

not helpful confusing

The type on the maps was:

easy to read difficult to read

Please note any inaccuracies you found in the maps and any suggestions you have to improve them.

TOUR STOPS

On the list below, please circle any of the stops that you would consider "must see" sites. Please put a line through any stops you did not include in your tour of Kilkenny.

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|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 Kilkenny Design Centre | 17 New Building |
| 2 Kilkenny Castle | 18 James Stevens Home |
| 3 The Parade | 19 St. Mary's Cathedral |
| 4 Shee Alms House | 20 Capuchin Friary |
| 5 St. Mary's Church | 21 IRA Monument |
| 6 The Thostle | 22 Talbot's Bastion |
| 7 The Butter Slip | 23 St. Patrick's Church |
| 8 Kyteller's Inn | - St. Kieran's College |
| 9 St. Cainneach Statue | 24 Club House |
| 10 Grace's Castle | 25 Butler House |
| 11 Rothe House | A Tynan's Bridge House Bar |
| 12 St. Francis Abbey Brewery | B John's Bridge |
| 13 St. Francis Abbey | C Kilkenny College |
| 14 St. Canice's Cathedral | D Maudlin Castle |
| - Bishop's Palace | E Wind Gap |
| - Kenny's Well | F Lacken Walk |
| 15 The Black Abbey | G St. John's Church |
| 16 Medieval Gate and Wall | H St. John's Priory |

The information about the tour stops was:

not very informative informative

very informative

The information about the tour stops was:

not very interesting interesting

very informative

The type for the tour stops was:

easy to read difficult to read

Please note any inaccuracies you found in the tour stop and any suggestions you have to improve them.

FEATURE STORIES (Butler Legacy, Witch of Kilkenny, Kilkenny Marble, etc)

The information for the feature stories was:

not very informative informative

very informative

The information for the feature stories was:

not very interesting interesting

very informative

The type for the feature stories was:

easy to read difficult to read

Please note any inaccuracies you found in the feature stories and any suggestions you have to improve them.

What would you like to see improved or changed in this tour?

How would you describe this tour to friends?

SPECIFIC FEEDBACK

In the tour book, Stop 2 (pg 6) and Stop F (pg 20) include a photo of the interior of the building rather than the exterior. Please provide your reaction:

- I would have preferred an exterior photo
- It makes no difference to me
- I like the use of the interior photo
- Other/Comments:

List any restaurants or pubs in Kilkenny you patronized and would recommend to a visitor? Any you would not (if possible please include full name, address and a brief description)

In the tour book, Stop 18 (page 15) and Stop E (page 20) include an illustration of a person associated with the stop rather than a photo of the exterior of the site. Please provide your reaction:

- I would have preferred an exterior photo
- It makes no difference to me
- I like the use of the illustration
- Other/Comments:

List any shops in Kilkenny you found particularly interesting (if possible please include full name, address and a brief description)

GENERAL FEEDBACK

What do feel are the strengths of this tour?

List any "finds" you discovered in Kilkenny that you think might make good additions to this tour. (Provide as much information as possible)

What do you feel are the weaknesses of this tour?

What other Irish towns would you like to see a walking tour like this created for?

What was your favorite part of this tour?

Please add any additional comments: