

# WIN A TRIP TO TURKEY

Jet off to the weirdly wonderful fairytale land of Cappadocia



**F**airy chimneys, houses inside caves, villages built on, in and under soft-rock hills – Cappadocia is like something out of a children’s story, a land like no other on the planet.

Bang in the centre of the Anatolian plateau, this geologically gorgeous landscape, split by rivers and valleys, and dominated by high, eroded peaks, is an outdoor playground for the adventurous traveller. With time to explore the region, you can do it all: get amid the tuff pinnacles on horseback, trek out along lush streams, delve into brilliantly frescoed underground churches or float above it all in the basket of a hot-air balloon.

### EASY ACCESS

Though Cappadocia feels like a hidden, secret land, it is actually a short, easy hop from the UK. Low-cost airline Pegasus flies to hub town Kayseri five times a week from just £81 (including taxes and 20kg of free check-in baggage) – leaving you plenty of time

(and cash) to delve properly into the region. Once there, it’s easy to get around – the hardest thing is choosing which mode of transport (moped? Horse? Balloon?) to pick first.

### SWEET, SUBTERRANEAN DREAMS

To truly experience Cappadocia you need to sleep like a local – in a cave. And cave hotels don’t come much finer than the lovingly renovated and stylishly designed Serinn House (pictured, top right). Nestled in the heart of Ürgüp, one of the regions most atmospheric towns, Serinn House has been restored with no structural additions, ensuring it blends seamlessly into its surroundings and offers visitors an authentic – and luxurious – stay.

Pick from one of just five beautiful guest rooms – all with plush furnishings, fine cotton linens and custom-made toiletries – then head out into Ürgüp: the sweeping views from your room will have you itching to step out into the bustling town’s historic centre. ■

**The Turkish Tourist Board, Pegasus Airlines and Serinn House are offering one lucky reader and a companion a seven-night trip to Cappadocia, including a tour of the region and a magnificent hot air balloon ride. To be in with a chance of winning, simply answer the following:**

**Q: WHAT IS THE CAPITAL OF TURKEY?**

### HOW TO ENTER

Visit [www.wanderlust.co.uk](http://www.wanderlust.co.uk) and select ‘competitions’, or send your answer on a postcard to Wanderlust (Turkey), PO Box 1832, Windsor SL4 1YT by 2 September, with your name, address, daytime phone number and email.

Please state ‘no offers’ if you’d prefer not to receive information from any of the sponsors or Wanderlust by post or email.

### TERMS & CONDITIONS

The prize includes two return tickets with Pegasus Airlines (Kayseri via Istanbul), a seven-night stay at Serinn House on a B&B basis, return transfers, a tour of the Cappadocia region and a hot-air balloon trip. The trip must be taken within 12 months, but not during Turkish national and religious holidays. All flights and accommodation are subject to availability. The prize is non-transferable and no cash alternative is available. This offer cannot be combined with any other Turkish Tourist Board, Pegasus Airlines or Serinn House offer.

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Argeus Tourism & Travel runs professional and expert tours in Cappadocia  
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