

## Athens Donor Experience: Witnessing Impact Up Close

Mid-October or late April

Join Blossom Hill founder Shiva Sarram on an intimate journey to witness the transformative power of education for peace. We invite you to experience firsthand the impact of our programs in Greece where you'll meet our dedicated Fellows and the remarkable children they serve. This unique opportunity offers an immersive look at how your support is creating lasting change in communities affected by conflict.

### DAY 1: WELCOME TO ATHENS

#### Arrival & Relaxation

- Check-in at the Electra Metropolis Hotel in downtown Athens
- Enjoy a complimentary breakfast on the rooftop terrace with breathtaking Acropolis views



#### Afternoon Culinary Adventure

- Embark on a guided Athens Food Tour, sampling authentic Greek delicacies while exploring hidden neighborhood gems
- Evening at leisure to settle in and adjust to the time change



## DAY 2: SEEING YOUR IMPACT

### Morning: Youth Programs - Music and Science

- Visit IOM (SPELL IT OUT) UNshelters for unaccompanied minors
- Observe transformative music lessons
- Experience firsthand how our science kits transcend language barriers to foster learning

### Dining Experiences

- Lunch at a seaside restaurant in Piraeus, enjoying Mediterranean cuisine
- Dinner at Klimateria, featuring authentic Greek cuisine and live traditional music



## DAY 3: COMMUNITY CONNECTION

### Morning: Refugee Support

- Visit the Blossom Hill Community Center in Malakasa
- Engage with residents from refugee camps, hearing their stories and witnessing resilience
- Lunch at a family-owned taverna in Malakasa, experiencing local hospitality





## DAY 4: CULTURE & CELEBRATION

### Heritage & BH Concert

- Morning tour of the historic Acropolis
- Lunch with our Fellows at Old Ithaki restaurant
- Free afternoon for personal exploration, shopping, or additional site visits
- Farewell dinner at an authentic Greek taverna
- Special evening performance by our refugee youth orchestra, showcasing the musical talents you've helped nurture



## DAY 5: DEPARTURE

- Return to US with newfound perspectives and stories to share

## COST OF TRIP:

Delta Airlines	\$800 and up round-trip economy
Electra Metropolis	Rooms range from \$200 - \$300/night corporate rate depending on time of year
Food Tour	\$100
Acropolis Tour	\$50
Food Expenses - covered personally by our founder Shiva Sarram	\$100/day
Transportation - uber to and from airport	\$150
TOTAL COSTS	\$2,300 - \$3,000

This journey promises to be both inspiring and enlightening. If you are interested in itinerary details (mid-October and later April dates are available) please email Rosy Nimroody at [nimroody@blossomhill-foundation.org](mailto:nimroody@blossomhill-foundation.org).