

EXCURSIONS

Seine Experience Normandy – 7 Nights



Day	Arr	Dep	City
Day 1	-	8.30 pm	Paris
Day 2	11.00 am	6.00 pm	Les Andelys
Day 3	4.00 am	-	Caudebec-en-Caux
Day 4	-	8.00 am	Caudebec-en-Caux
Day 4	12.00 pm	-	Rouen
Day 5	-	8.00 pm	Rouen
Day 6	4.30 am	2.00 pm	Vernon
Day 7	2.00 am	-	Paris
Day 8	Disembarkation	-	Paris

Create your very own personal holiday programme with our numerous excursions! Each excursion is a highlight itself: from tours through metropolises, trips through impressive landscape to action and fun-filled excursions.

In order to provide you with a better overview of the various offers, we have divided our excursions into four categories: bike tours, discovery tours, adventure tours and gourmet tours. Each tour is assigned the corresponding symbol. Please note that most excursions can only take place if the minimum number of participants of 20 is reached (except bike tours).

We have compiled the excursion programme together with well-known, local agencies especially for your cruise. We arrange the excursion and they are implemented by the local agencies, which are the excursion organisers, and thus also your contractual partners.

You can book the excursion directly on board. Your international host will happily provide you with more information and assist you with booking the excursions.

We wish you an unforgettable holiday on board! Your A-ROSA Team.

A-ROSA CATEGORIES



DISCOVERY TOURS

Do you like to go on discovery trips? Then these tours are the perfect fit for you. Whether it's a city tour, a city walk or a sightseeing tour, there is plenty to explore. A must for all culture lovers.



A-ROSA BIKE TOURS

Discover the land and people in a unique way - "fit and active" on the saddle of a first-class bicycle. We only select the most beautiful scenery for our tours, and we have made it our quest to let you experience and feel the unique and unspoilt nature of these places first hand.



ADVENTURE TOURS

On these excursions, you will find pure excitement. Here you can experience the world from completely new angles. Be it during a flight in the air, with unusual means of transport or an activity with an extra thrill. Look forward to experiences that you will never forget.



GOURMET TOURS

As the name suggests, indulgence is the focus here: sample regional products and specialities directly from the manufacturers. And if you like what you try, you might just have found the perfect souvenir for your loved ones at home.

LES ANDELYS

BIKE TOUR THROUGH THE HEART OF NORMANDY



Cycle with us through the heart of Normandy. Discover the enchanting scenery on the way to Boismont. The highlight: a cider tasting at Le Pressoir d'Or.

Price: € 49 | Duration: approx. 3.5 h | Distance: 23 km

CHÂTEAU VASCŒUIL



This excursion takes us through the typical landscape of Normandy with apple orchards and small castles along many avenues to the famous Château de Vascoeuil, which is about 20 km east of Rouen. In the large palace garden you can find more than 50 sculptures of famous artists and every year there is a special exhibition of a great artist like Dali and Buffet. During a walk through the garden you will discover art in every corner.

Look forward to an interesting tour!

Price: € 47 | Duration: approx. 4 h



CAUDEBEX-EN-CAUX

EXPERIENCE NORMANDY UP CLOSE



Seine, monasteries and nature - you can experience all of these aspects while cycling through Normandy. An athletic bike tour through wonderful nature and endless open spaces of Normandy.

Price: € 54 | Duration: approx. 3.5 h | Distance: 32 km

ALONG THE CÔTE FLEURIE TO HONFLEUR, DEUTVILLE AND A CALVADOS DISTILLERY



Situated directly on the mouth of the Seine in the English Channel, Honfleur has become one of the most charming towns in Normandy. After a stroll through the cosy alleyways and along the harbour, you will visit a Calvados distillery and of course enjoy a little tasting. Afterwards you will continue on the "Flowery Coast" to Deauville. This prestigious seaside resort dates back to Charles de Morny - a half-brother of Napoleon III, who in just four years in the mid-19th century created a seaside resort with neoRoman villas, a race course and railway connections to Paris. In the beginning of the 20th century, luxury hotels and casinos were added and the international reputation grew. During a little bus tour along the Atlantic you can marvel at these stately buildings.

Price: € 79 | Duration: approx. 6 h

ROUEN

CITY WALK OF ROUEN



Although Rouen was heavily damaged in the Second World War, most of its old half-timbered buildings, paved streets and churches could be rebuilt. Today, Rouen reminds one of an openair museum rather than a city. The city of the 100 church spires - as it was called by Victor Hugo - sadly gained notoriety in 1431 when Joan of Arc was burned at the stake in the middle of the market square. Experience the entire history of the harbour city during this guided walking tour.
Price: € 19 | Duration: approx. 2 h



IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF JEANNE D'ARC



An exciting cycling tour through the historic city of Rouen. Impressive cathedrals, medieval half-timbered houses and a picturesque old town await you. This truly is a very special city tour.
Price: € 49 | Duration: approx. 3.5 h | Distance: 15 km

CÔTE D'ALBÂTRE, ÉTRETAT & LE HAVRE



One of the most beautiful coasts in France - the Alabaster Coast - is located west of Rouen and can be reached by bus in an hour. This excursion will first take us to Le Havre, famous for its architectural city centre, the only one from the 20th century that has been awarded the UNESCO World Heritage status. We will continue along the coast to one of the most beautiful seaside resorts on this most beautiful coast is the small village of Etretat, which is surrounded by high chalk cliffs on both sides. These also provide natural protection for the city from the dominant winds. Small castles, manor houses - and of course the outstanding chalk cliffs, which have been captured in countless paintings by well-known painters, determine the cityscape. On the way back, we will drive through Normandy to Caudebec-en-Caux, where the A-ROSA VIVA awaits us.
Price: € 59 | Duration: approx. 5 h

VERNON

MONET'S GARDEN AT GIVERNY



The village Giverny has gained worldwide fame thanks to a man who lived here for over 40 years of his life - Claude Monet. The paintings of the famous water lilies in his own pond, as well as the flower meadow behind his house, have become impressionistic masterpieces. Today, his former residential building is home to a museum. Giverny is still the Mecca of the Impressionists, many of whom at least partly lived here at the end of the 19th century and the museum displays many Impressionist masterpieces from all parts of the world. You will visit Monet's garden and residential house and have plenty of time to let the spirit of the little town sink in.
Price: € 36 | Duration: approx. 3.5 h

BIKE TOUR TO GIVERNY AND CLAUDE MONET'S GARDEN



Discover the picturesque countryside of Normandy with us during this cycling tour and learn about the beautiful garden of Claude Monet, the master of Impressionism.

Price: € 49 incl. entrance fee for Monet's garden | Duration: approx. 3.5 h | Distance: 22 km

KAYAK TOUR ON THE EURE RIVER



The Eure river flows from the south of France towards the Seine. The calm water invites you to a kayak tour through the green landscapes of Normandy and the Eure valley. After an instruction the kayak tour starts through the winding river landscape.

Price: Depends on group size and season. Your cruise manager will gladly provide you with additional information | Duration: approx. 3 h | Excursion available on request only.

GIVERNY PRIVATE TOUR



Would you like to find out more about the life and work of the impressionist in Monet's garden? With your private city guide, you can experience the garden even more intensively and admire further impressionist masterpieces in the Musée des Impressionnismes in Giverny. This tour will be a special experience in the footsteps of Monet.

Price: € 449 (per 6 persons) | Duration: approx. 3 h | Excursion available on request only

WORKSHOP ABOUT IMPRESSIONIST PAINTERS



Have you been inspired during your tour through Monet's garden? Then bring your own impressionistic masterpiece to the canvas! Our art expert and artist from Vernon will show you how.

Price: Depends on group size and season. Your cruise manager will gladly provide you with additional information | Duration: approx. 3.5 h | Workshop available on request only.

PARIS

CITY TOUR OF PARIS



Paris has far too many sights and highlights to see all in just one day. Nevertheless, we want to show you all of the mustsees during this fantastic city tour. You will see the Eiffel Tower, the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs-Élysées, the Tuileries Garden, the Louvre, the Palais de Justice, Les Invalides, the Notre Dame Cathedral, the Sacré-Cœur and many more. Sit back and enjoy Paris!

Price: € 45 | Duration: approx. 4 h | Note: Due to traffic situations we may not reach every highlight.

THE HIGHLIGHTS OF PARIS



Let us explore one of the most interesting metropolises in Europe during a cycling tour. This tour takes us past the most famous sights of the French capital of fashion and love. Experience Paris' unique flair on the saddle of an A-ROSA bike.

Price: € 49 | Duration: approx. 4 h | Distance: 28 km

DISCOVER PARIS INDIVIDUALLY



Paris offers so much to discover that you don't even know where to start. You have the choice! Choose your favourite sights or museums and your driver will take you there. If you wish, your personal guide will accompany you and give you all the necessary and worth knowing information during your private city tour.

Price: Minivan (5 seats) 4 h with driver for € 399. Guide 4 h for € 399 | Duration: approx. 4 h
Excursion available on request only.

KIDS-SPECIAL: DISNEYLAND PARIS



Even for kids, Paris has a lot to offer. One day is hardly enough to explore the whole of Disneyland in Paris. But Mickey Mouse, Goofy and Donald Duck wait at every corner and enchant not only the young visitors, but the whole family.

Price: € 139 | Duration: approx. 10 h | Only bus transfer and ticket. Available on request only.

PARISIAN CABARET



A typical Parisian cabaret evening is the end of your journey. Enjoy a generous, cheerful and musical evening in Paradis Latin. The unique theatre was built by Gustave Eiffel, the builder of

the Eiffel Tower. On stage, swinging petticoats, dance and circus performances create a colourful spectacle. Love and the art of seduction are celebrated in the stage play "Paradis à la folie".

Price: € 75 | Duration: approx. 2.5 h | Note: Only ticket. Your cruise manager will gladly provide you with additional information. Available on request only.



DISCOVER PARIS ON YOUR OWN



Would you like to explore the city centre of Paris on your own? Then let's go! By bus we will take you comfortably to the centre near the Champs-Élysées and will pick you up again in the afternoon.

Price: € 19 | Duration: approx. 5.5 h

EVERYTHING YOU SHOULD KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

EXCURSION AGENCY

GLOBUS Tours GmbH, Untere Paulistrasse 16, CH-8834 Schindellegi, Switzerland

PAYMENT

The excursions will be charged directly to your onboard account.

BOOKING DEADLINES AND CANCELLATIONS

There are booking deadlines for every port. These deadlines are announced in the daily programme on board. Cancellations or rebookings after the deadline are not possible. In case of illness, the excursion for the affected person will be cancelled free of charge.

CLIMATE AND CLOTHING

For shore excursions, we recommend stable and comfortable footwear with nonslip grip soles. In the summer months, you should be prepared for a very hot and humid climate. We recommend to bring insect repellent, sunscreen and headwear. Please also dress appropriately when visiting churches and monasteries.

GUESTS WITH LIMITED MOBILITY

We kindly ask you to get in touch with your Cruise Manager or International Host as soon as possible. This allows us to advise you individually or to make the appropriate preparations on location if required.

GOLF

It is possible to play golf in many destinations. The golf courses are very different in terms of quality and condition. Information about the location and costs can be obtained from your Cruise Manager or International Host on board.

INCLUDED SERVICES

Included in the excursion price: Guided excursions, transport and admission charges. Drinks and meals are only included if mentioned in the excursion description. We always give preference to typical local specialities where meals are included, giving you the opportunity to get to know and enjoy something new. Please be aware that the meals and drinks on the excursions will not always be up to the standard of the varied range of meals you are used to aboard A-ROSA.

LEGAL MATTERS

The excursions generally take place as described. As your contractual partner, the agencies, however, reserve the right, even without prior notice, to adapt the order or times of the excursions depending on current conditions in order to guarantee your safety. The organiser also reserves the right to exclude a participant from the trip without reimbursement of costs if her/his behaviour is not conducive to the safety, well-being or harmony of the group. The insurance policies taken out by the agencies conform to local legislation and vary widely. We therefore recommend that you take out our comprehensive river cruise insurance (please contact us for further information) before the beginning of your cruise.

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

Most excursions can only take place if the minimum number of participants of 20 is reached. We will inform you as soon as possible if a trip cannot take place. In this case, your booking will be cancelled and the excursion price will of course be credited to your onboard cabin account. We will also suggest an alternative excursion. For some excursions, the number of participants is limited. Registrations are always considered in the order they were made. We kindly ask for your understanding that we might not be able to accept your registration any longer if the maximum number has already been reached. Of course, we also offer alternatives in this case.

TOUR GUIDE AND LOCAL CUSTOMS

The excursion programme gives you the opportunity to get to know interesting towns, historic places, impressive scenery, as well as different cultures, nations, customs and traditions. Tourism is still at an early stage in some of the excursion ports. The level of the local tour guides, which accompany the excursions, corresponds to the top standard of the respective country. This also applies to all coaches.

PRICES AND DISCOUNTS FOR CHILDREN

Prices are indicated - equivalent to the onboard currency - in Euro. For many of the excursions there are discounts for children up to the age of 11. Children under the age of four can take part for free, but are not entitled a seat. More precise information can be obtained from your Cruise Manager or International Host.

TICKETS

After booking, you will receive your shore excursion ticket. Please do not forget to bring it with you for the shore excursion. The excursion ticket entitles you to participate and is collected by the agency at the start of the excursion.

TIPPING

It is a common practice to reward good service with a tip. The local tour guides will be pleased if you show your acknowledgement.

AND FINALLY ...

Objects of value, jewellery, large sums of cash and credit cards should be left in your cabin safe, so that you can enjoy the excursions in a relaxed and carefree frame of mind. Enjoy your excursion on shore!

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