## **Shore Excursions**

Athens (Piraeus), Greece to Venice (Trieste), Italy RIVIERA — October 15, 2024

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## BOOK YOUR SHORE EXCURSIONS

# If you purchase a shore excursion package, you also receive priority confirmation of your selections. This added benefit is especially appealing if you wish to ensure that you have a place on the most popular tours in marquee cities such as Santorini, Rome, Bordeaux and Istanbul, to name a few. All excursion packages have the added convenience of being fully refundable until sail date and must be purchased in advance of sailing to enjoy the maximum savings. Packages will be non-refundable thereafter. Á la Carte excursions will remain fully refundable up until 36 hours before the excursion. You may pre-purchase shore excursions up until 7 days prior to your sail date.

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THROUGHOUT THE FOLLOWING PAGES, YOU WILL FIND SYMBOLS WITH EACH DESCRIPTION TO ASSIST YOU IN CHOOSING THE SHORE EXCURSION THAT IS RIGHT FOR YOU:

#### **Minimal activity** Moderate activity **Oceania Exclusive BB** Beyond Blueprints Go Green GG KA Strenuous activity Oceania Select **Culinary Discovery** Go Local Easy activity **O**S C.D GL **Evening excursion** X Meal included 🛓 ADA Accessible Food & Wine Trails FW WT Wellness Tour

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## Mykonos, Greece

## MYK-004 THE ISLAND OF DELOS Date: Oct 16, 2024 Time: 07:45 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$149.00

#### **OVERVIEW**

Visit the famed island of Delos, once the religious center of the Aegean. Board a ferry for a relaxing sail to Delos, where you'll uncover the island's mythology as the birthplace of Apollo, Greek god of light, music, harmony and beauty, and his sister Artemis, goddess of the hunt, protector of young girls and healer of women. As you view ancient ruins under the sun's golden rays, you'll appreciate that uninhabited Delos can only be visited during daylight hours in order to maintain its pristine state. Explore an open-air archaeological site, hallowed ground where pilgrims came to pay their respects to the Greek gods. You'll roam through the remains of a city excavated in the early 19th century, once home to 30,000 souls, and discover three fascinating Hellenic temples, the fabled marble Lions of Naxos and homes with splendid mosaic floors. Gaze up at the craggy silhouette of Mount Kynthos, the island's highest point, where traces of habitation date back to the 3rd millennium BC. Cherish this rare opportunity to explore one of the world's oldest and most revered sites enshrined in Greek mythology.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Explore magical Delos, the uninhabited island-birthplace of the Hellenic gods Apollo and Artemis.

· View enthralling excavations at a pilgrimage site where Greeks journeyed to honor their gods.

· Study archaeological treasures including temple remains and the stunning Lions of Naxos.

· Enjoy dramatic views of craggy Mount Kynthos, Delos' highest point.

HELPFUL HINTS

· Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes

· Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of extensive walking. There will be steps and uneven ground to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. There is limited shade at the site

## MYK-004OE OE-THE ISLAND OF DELOS Date: Oct 16. 2024 Time: 07:45 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$209.00



#### **OVERVIEW**

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#### MYK-010 DELOS IN 3D

Date: Oct 16, 2024	Time: 07:45 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Price: \$149.00

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## OVERVIEW

Cruise to the sacred island of Delos, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and view a wealth of ruins as they appeared in ancient times. After a picturesque sailing, you'll arrive on the storied island of Delos, purportedly the birthplace of Apollo, the Greek god of light, music, harmony and beauty, and his sister Artemis, goddess of the hunt, protector of young girls and healer of women. Explore an open-air archaeological site, the remains of an ancient Greek city excavated in the early 19th century that was once home to 30,000 souls, and discover three fascinating Hellenic temples, the fabled marble Lions of Naxos and homes with splendid mosaic floors. To enhance your understanding and enjoyment of the site, point an electronic tablet augmented with 3D reality software toward a ruin and you'll be able to view the structure as it originally appeared centuries ago. Rejoice at the unique thrill of seeing these age-old wonders come alive before your eyes, thanks to the ingenuity of modern technology.

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· View enthralling excavations at this fascinating UNESCO World Heritage site.

· Study archaeological treasures including temple remains and the stunning Lions of Naxos.

· Behold the sites as they originally stood, seeing them on a tablet using 3D augmented reality software.

## HELPFUL HINTS

· Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves approximately two hours of walking. There will be inclines, some uneven surfaces and a few steps to negotiate. There is limited shade at the archaeological site. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## MYK-003 MYKONOS & MONASTERY Date: Oct 16, 2024 Time: 08:00 AM Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$139.00

OVERVIEW

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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Behold the idyllic, centuries-old beauty of Mykonos on this picturesque island tour and visit to a 16th-century monastery. Settle in for a leisurely drive by coach, relishing views of the nearby island of Delos, luxury hotels, tavernas and yachts anchored off Ornos Beach, before stopping for photos at captivating Agios Ioannis Beach. Pass the beaches of Kalafatis and Agia Anna en route to Ano Mera village, where you'll enjoy a guided walking tour of the stunning 16th-century Panagia Tourliani Monastery, dedicated to the protectress of Mykonos. In the peaceful village square, refresh yourself with some Greek appetizers and ouzo. In Mykonos Town, take a guided walking tour along narrow, whitewashed streets laid out in a labyrinthine pattern to confuse attacking pirates and stop at a traditional 15th-century bakery, one of the few in Greece that still uses a wood-burning oven. As you wander, you'll marvel at vistas of windmills, white houses, churches and the enchanting bay. Following your tour, you may remain in town to further immerse yourself in Mykonos' many charms.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Enjoy a scenic drive along the coast with views of Delos, luxury hotels and yachts at anchor.

• Capture photos at picture-perfect Agios Ioannis Beach.

 Explore the 16th-century Panagia Tourliani Monastery in Ano Mera village on a guided walking tour.

• Savor a repast of traditional Greek appetizers and ouzo.

Stroll Mykonos' charming whitewashed streets with a knowledgeable guide.

• Visit a quaint 15th-century bakery that bakes its fluffy breads in a wood-burning oven.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 75 minutes of moderate walking. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Guests may make arrangements with the guide to avoid participation in some of the guided walking portions of the tour. Travel time to Agios Ioannis Beach is approximately 30 minutes, with another approximately 30-minute drive to the beaches of Kalafatis and Agia Anna. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. Guests who wish to stay in town following the tour are responsible for making their own way back to the ship at their own expense. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

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Date: Oct	16, 2024	Time: 08:15	AM	
Duration:	5.00 Hrs	Price: \$399.	00	



#### OVERVIEW

Enjoy a leisurely cruise in a traditional fishing boat to the sacred island of Delos and on to neighboring Rhenia Island for a refreshing swim in the surrounding waters. Archaeological discoveries on Delos have been so significant that UNESCO has declared the entire island a World Heritage site. As you meander through the ruins of its ancient port, which was first settled in the third millennium BC, you will behold extraordinary temples, detailed mosaic floors and roads such as the Sacred Way, which leads to

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the Sanctuary of Apollo. According to Greek mythology, Apollo and his twin sister Artemis were born on Delos. You may also see the Terrace of Lions, named for the Naxian marble lions that stand guard over it. Natural beauty is the primary allure of nearby Rhenia Island, which like Delos is uninhabited. During a beach break on the immensely peaceful island, you can swim in the crystal-clear waters and lounge about as you see fit.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Cruise to the uninhabited island of Delos and explore the wealth of excavated ruins.

• Peruse the Sanctuary of Apollo, named for the god that was supposedly born on Delos.

• Enjoy the solitude and beauty of uninhabited Rhenia Island during a leisurely beach break.

### HELPFUL HINTS

Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of moderate walking/standing and 1 hour at leisure to swim or relax on the boat. Guests will need to manage some uneven surfaces while in Delos. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## MYK-001 A GUIDED STROLL THROUGH MYKONOS Date: Oct 16, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 2.50 Hrs Price: \$149.00

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#### OVERVIEW

Enjoy a guided walking tour of captivating Mykonos Town that showcases its intriguing way of life, past and present. Begin your exploration of this haven for artists, jet-setters and tourists at the Archaeological Museum of Mykonos, appreciating collections from the prehistoric to the Hellenistic period and artifacts from the nearby sacred island of Delos. You'll stroll along Mykonos Town's narrow, whitewashed streets, laid out in a labyrinthine pattern to confuse attacking pirates, and stop at a traditional 15th-century bakery, one of the few in Greece that still uses a wood-burning oven. Appreciate time on your own to further investigate this delightful town's sites and shops, perhaps visiting the whitewashed 15th-century Church of Panagia Paraportiani in the Little Venice district or marveling at vistas of windmills, white houses and the picturesque bay. You'll be enchanted by lovely Mykonos Town, Greece's glittering jewel.

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#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

 If you wish to visit the church, dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

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## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 ½ hours of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The Archaeological Museum is closed on Mondays. A visit to the Maritime museum will be made when the Archaeological Museum is closed. Both museums will be renovated through end of July 2023 - a visit to the Folklore Museum will be made in their place.

## MYK-005 HALF DAY AT ELIA BEACH

Date: Oct 16, 2024	Time: 08:45 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Price: \$79.00

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### OVERVIEW

Revel in watersports or simply relax on Mykonos' longest sand beach amid other carefree beach goers. Enjoy a short drive to Elia Beach, which offers a wide choice of taverns and bars as well as watersports facilities such as water skiing, parasailing and windsurfing. Spend approximately three hours as you please, strolling the soft sands, people watching, swimming in the crystal-clear turquoise waters or participating in the myriad watersports activities with equipment available for rental. Let the bright Greek sun warm your body and your soul.

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Delight in cosmopolitan Elia Beach, Mykonos' longest sand beach.
- Rent equipment for watersports such as skiing, parasailing or windsurfing.
- Relax with your latest page-turner or swim in the glittering sea.
- · Visit a nearby restaurant or taverna for a cool refreshment.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear a hat, sandals, sunglasses, sunscreen and swim wear under a cover-up.

• Leave electronics and valuables on the ship or store in a sealable, waterproof dry bag.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The cost of watersports rentals is not included and is dependent upon availability. The ship's escort will provide towels. Any loss or damage to electronic devices or other valuables is the guest's responsibility. This excursion will operate in all weather conditions. Guests who participate in any water activities do so at their own risk and responsibility. There is no lifeguard on duty. Guests are asked to be at the appointed pick-up location on time for the return transfer; those not present are responsible for making their own way back to the ship at their own expense. Should your vessel be at anchor during your port call, participants will need to walk an additional ½ mile round trip from the tender station to the coach parking area.

#### MYK-008 KALAFATIS BEACH TRANSFER Date: Oct 16, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$79.00

### OVERVIEW

Treat yourself to a leisurely respite on one of the most inviting beaches in the Cyclades. After a short drive, you'll arrive at family-friendly Kalafatis Beach, where you'll enjoy approximately 3 ½ hours of free time to sunbathe on the wide expanse of sand, swim in the glittering sea or relax

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with your latest page-turner. Avail yourself of a sun-bed and umbrella if you desire, as they are available to rent on a first-come, first-served basis, or if you wish to be more active, perhaps rent equipment for snorkeling, diving, windsurfing or jet skis. Relish your blissful beach adventure in this glorious setting.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Indulge in a getaway to family-friendly Kalafatis Beach.

• Find a comfortable sun-bed and umbrella available for rental to provide shade.

• Relax with a good book, stroll the golden sand or swim in the glittering sea.

• Rent equipment for water sports such as snorkeling, jet-skiing or windsurfing.

• Refresh yourself with a snack or beverage from a nearby beach taverna.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear a hat, sandals, sunglasses, sunscreen and swim wear under a cover-up.

• Leave electronics and valuables on the ship or store in a sealable, waterproof dry bag.

### PLEASE NOTE

The cost of water sports rentals is not included and is dependent upon availability. The ship's escort will provide towels. Any loss or damage to electronic devices or other valuables is the guest's responsibility. This excursion will operate in all weather conditions. Guests are asked to be at the appointed pick-up location on time for the return transfer; those not present are responsible for making their own way back to the ship at their own expense. Guests who participate in any water activities do so at their own risk and responsibility. There is no lifeguard on duty. Please note that this is a family beach and no nude sunbathing is permitted. Should the ship be at anchor during your port call, participants will need to walk an additional ½ mile round trip from the tender station to the coach parking area.

## MYK-013 MYKONIAN SEAFOOD TREASURES

 Date: Oct 16, 2024
 Time: 11:30 AM

 Duration: 4.00 Hrs
 Price: \$289.00

## OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Dine at a waterfront restaurant on Paraga Beach, an ideal setting to savor signature seafood of Mykonos. On the way there, you will pass through the naturally beautiful landscape that is so representative of Mykonos. Upon reaching Paraga, the island's southernmost beach, you will settle in at Tasos Tavern, which overlooks a lengthy stretch of white sand and the turquoise waters of the Aegean Sea. It has become a dining institution of sorts, having opened in 1962. The large islands that you will see on the not too distant horizon are Paros and Naxos. The waters surrounding Mykonos yield an abundance of fish, squid and mussels, some of which may on the lunch menu. A meze of grilled sardines seasoned with olive oil and lemon juice might also be served. To complement the meal, you will enjoy wines that pair perfectly with the dishes.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Dine at a waterfront tavern overlooking the southernmost beach on Mykonos.

Savor classic mezes made with locally sourced ingredients.

• Enjoy dishes that highlight the bounty of seafood in the surrounding Aegean Sea.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

#### · Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. This tour includes a little walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. As this excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time, those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

#### MYK-014 MYKONIAN UNIQUE SAVORS Date: Oct 16, 2024 Time: 11:30 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$489.00



#### OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Savor a traditional lunch at a family-owned farmstead where everything for your meal is grown in the garden and produced on the premises. As you travel inland to this heritage farm, you will pass through a beautiful and fruitful landscape. With each mile, it will seem as if you are going further back in time, to a period when farming was done by hand and everything was grown organically. Such is the setting of the Rizes Folklore Farmstead, where the Zouganeli family farms the land using age-old methods. Chances are, the aromas of fresh-baked bread will be wafting through the air, piquing your senses for the classic Mykonian meal to follow. The menu usually includes delicious mezes and meat pies made from recipes handed down over the generations. You may also be offered local ouzo, wine or tsipouro, a grape-distilled spirit flavored with anise.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit a farmstead that has been producing food using traditional methods for generations.

• Dine on a meal that highlights the ingredients grown on the family-owned farmstead.

· Complement the meal with local wine, ouzo and tsipouro.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

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## Istanbul, Turkey

## IST-001 BEST OF ISTANBUL Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 10:15 AM Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00



### OVERVIEW

Admire Istanbul's must-see landmarks on this fascinating tour that features several sites included in the city's coveted UNESCO World Heritage site designation as well as a delicious lunch. Enjoy a short drive to the early 17th-century Blue Mosque, the world's only mosque featuring six minarets, which was built and named after Sultan Ahmed I and whose colorful moniker derives from the 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles that adorn the interior. Nearby, you'll notice the remains of the city's ancient hippodrome, once a popular circus for entertainment and sporting events, especially

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chariot racing, during the glory days of Constantinople. Experience the remarkable Hagia Sophia and stand in awe of the green and purple columns supporting the massive dome, purple being a sacred color of the Byzantine Empire. Atop the hill where the Acropolis of Byzantium once stood, you'll discover the walled Topkapi Palace, official residence of Ottoman sultans for nearly 400 years and now a museum focused on the imperial era. Following a delightful buffet lunch at an exclusive Istanbul hotel, savor time on your own at the Grand Bazaar, the world's largest and oldest covered market, the perfect way to cap off your marvelous excursion.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Tour key landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation.

• Visit the 17th-century Blue Mosque, which features six minarets and an interior showcasing 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles.

• See the remains of the hippodrome, popular for sporting events during Constantinople's heyday.

• View breathtaking Hagia Sophia, which many historians consider the 8th Wonder of the World.

• Explore gorgeous Topkapi Palace, the long-time residence of Ottoman sultans.

• Relish a tasty buffet lunch at a chic hotel before appreciating free time at the famed Grand Bazaar.

### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.

Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 3 hours of walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Topkapi Palace will be replaced on Tuesdays with the Beylerbeyi Palace. The covered section of the Grand Bazaar is closed on Sundays and will be replaced with an orientation drive along the Golden Horn and city walls. Hagia Sophia Museum is closed on Mondays and will be replaced with the Chora Museum. The Blue Mosque will be closed to all visitors until after 2:30pm on Fridays. Morning tours will have an exterior visit only. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-022 A DAY AT THE PALACES Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 10:15 AM Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$339.00



Discover how the last Ottoman sultan lived by browsing Dolmabahce Palace and the magnificent museum now housed inside. Dolmabahce means "filled garden," a reference to the palace being built atop fill dirt that was added to a shallow bay on the European side of the Bosphorus Strait. You will visit the palace's three main sections: the administrative apartments, the ceremonial hall and the imperial harem. All of them are lavishly decorated, as befitting a 19th-century palace. Portraits created to immortalize the sultans of the Ottoman Empire hang in the National Palaces Painting Museum that now occupies the former crown princes' residence. In keeping with the palatial theme, lunch follows at the former Ciragan Palace, now a hotel with a spectacular restaurant overlooking the Bosphorus. Later, you will cruise this legendary strait that divides Europe to the west from Asia to the east. From the water, you will gain an entirely different perspective of Istanbul.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Explore lavish Dolmabahce Palace, the 19th-century home of the last Ottoman sultan.

- Browse the art museum in the former residence of the crown princes.
- Dine at a restaurant in a former palace overlooking the Bosphorus Strait.
- Cruise the Bosphorus for a unique perspective of Istanbul from the water.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 3 hours of walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-001OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - BEST OF ISTANBUL Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 10:20 AM Duration: 6.50 Hrs Price: \$389.00

#### OVERVIEW

Designed for travelers who prefer an added measure of intimacy and flexibility, our new Oceania Exclusive tours limit group size to just 16 guests maximum. The Oceania Exclusive format is available on specially selected shore excursions in nearly every port we visit, around the world. Admire Istanbul's must-see landmarks on this fascinating tour that features several sites included in the city's coveted UNESCO World Heritage site designation as well as a delicious lunch. Enjoy a short drive to the early 17th-century Blue Mosque, the world's only mosque featuring six minarets, which was built and named after Sultan Ahmed I and whose colorful moniker derives from the 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles that adorn the interior. Nearby, you'll notice the remains of the city's ancient hippodrome, once a popular circus for entertainment and sporting events, especially chariot racing, during the glory days of Constantinople. Experience the remarkable Hagia Sophia and stand in awe of the green and purple columns supporting the massive dome, purple being a sacred color of the Byzantine Empire. Atop the hill where the Acropolis of Byzantium once stood, you'll discover the walled Topkapi Palace, official residence of Ottoman sultans for nearly 400 years and now a museum focused on the imperial era. Following a delightful buffet lunch at an exclusive Istanbul hotel, savor time on your own at the Grand Bazaar, the world's largest and oldest covered market, the perfect way to cap off your marvelous excursion.

### HIGHLIGHTS

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• Tour key landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation.

- Visit the 17th-century Blue Mosque, which features six minarets and an interior showcasing 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles.
- See the remains of the hippodrome, popular for sporting events during Constantinople's heyday.
- View breathtaking Hagia Sophia, which many historians consider the 8th Wonder of the World.

• Explore gorgeous Topkapi Palace, the long-time residence of Ottoman sultans.

• Relish a tasty buffet lunch at a chic hotel before appreciating free time at the famed Grand Bazaar.

· Enjoy a higher level of personal attention and flexibility on this Oceania

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🔥 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	<b>OS</b> Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

Topkapi Palace will be replaced on Tuesdays with the Beylerbeyi Palace. The covered section of the Grand Bazaar is closed on Sundays and will be replaced with an orientation drive along the Golden Horn and city walls. Hagia Sophia Museum is closed on Mondays and will be replaced with the Chora Museum. The Blue Mosque will be closed to all visitors until after 2:30pm on Fridays. Morning tours will have an exterior visit only. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-026 MORE THAN A MEAL, AN EXPERIENCE

 Date: Oct 17, 2024
 Time: 10:30 AM, 11:30 AM

 Date: Oct 18, 2024
 Time: 10:30 AM, 11:30 AM

 Duration: 3.50 Hrs
 Price: \$249.00

### OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Delight in a meal that is as innovative and imaginative as the Karakoy district where you will dine. Although this harborside neighborhood is quite historical, it has taken on new life as one of Istanbul's hippest and trendiest areas. The restaurant Aseka is an ideal fit as its chefs are equally progressive. There, in a handsomely renovated 100-year-old building, you will enjoy an immersive, multi-sensory dining experience that emphasizes fresh, locally sourced ingredients. Head chef Omer Akosman created the inspiring menu of classic dishes with a modern twist. Although the exact dishes will depend on what ingredients are freshest and most readily available, they may include duck prosciutto, salt-roasted beets and lamb pavé. Even the art and music have been carefully chosen to enhance the dining experience. Few meals will be quite so memorable, creative and indulgent as this one at Aseka.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Enjoy traditional dishes that have been creatively prepared with an unconventional twist.

• Savor a multi-sensory dining experience that goes far beyond the meal alone.

• Recognize how Aseka restaurant perfectly reflects the hip and creative Karakoy district.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- · Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

### PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. This tour includes a little walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. As this excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time, those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

IST-GL3 ASIAN ISTANBUL - FROM KADIKOY TO MODA Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 10:30 AM Duration: 6.50 Hrs Price: \$129.00

OVERVIEW

Take the ferry across the Golden Horn to the Asian side of Istanbul and experience local life in two engaging, trend-setting neighborhoods. A short tram ride will then bring you to the Moda district, a gentrified area with a creative edge. While meandering about, you will see Greek and Armenian churches next to mosques and a wonderful mix of people from all nationalities. You will get an even more authentic feel while pausing for a cup of coffee at a café. A downtown walk will bring you to Kadikoy, a once sleepy neighborhood that has become a hip hotspot full of cafés and bars. Along the way, you will pass a variety of antique shops and stores selling merchandise ranging from household goods to the traditional candy lokum. Also called Turkish Delight, lokum is often flavored with coconut, dates, almonds or ginger. Lunch follows, after which you will meander through a market that will be abuzz with activity.

## HIGHLIGHTS

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• Take a ferry across the Golden Horn, one of the primary inlets of the Bosphorus.

• Explore the creative, gentrified neighborhood of Moda and pause for a cup of coffee.

Meander through the hip neighborhood of Kadikoy and enjoy a traditional lunch.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes two to three hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-1CT CHEF LED TOPKAPI KITCHENS & SPICE MARKET Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 11:15 AM Duration: 6.50 Hrs Price: \$349.00

## OVERVIEW

Join your chef instructor in The Culinary Center for an introduction to today's tour and an overview of the wonder of Turkish cuisine. Istanbul spans both Europe and Asia, so a multitude of ethnicities have long influenced its cuisine. Begin your tour at the stunning and historically significant Topkapi Palace. You will explore the origins of Turkish food at the Palace's famed Ottoman imperial kitchens. You can expect to see the original stoves, cooking utensils, pantry and confectionary house, where candies and desserts were made. Next stop is the famed Spice Market where you will browse an aromatic market to view a variety of exotic ingredients. It will be quite the experience to take in the seemingly endless mounds of brightly colored, pungent spices such as sumac and smoky pepper flakes known as isot biber. A traditional Turkish lunch follows at a nearby restaurant, hosted by a famed chef and with a stunning view of the harbor. Before returning to the ship, stop by a multi-generation pastry shop for a taste of Baklava - the most popular Turkish pastries - to finish off this stunning and educational day with your chef and local guide.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• View the 15th-century kitchen complex in Topkapi Palace.

 Browse a market full of aromatic spices, roasted nuts and Turkish Delights.

Savor a traditional, multi-course Turkish lunch at a popular Istanbul restaurant

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🔥 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	<b>OS</b> Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

· Enjoy authentic Turkish Baklava before returning to the ship

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

· Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 3 hours of easy to moderate walking. There may be some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and those with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability. Tour sequence may vary based upon the ship's arrival and/or to avoid congestion. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. This experience is limited, those wishing to participate should book early.

## IST-025 THE KEBAP CULTURE

 Date: Oct 17, 2024
 Time: 11:30 AM, 12:30 PM

 Date: Oct 18, 2024
 Time: 11:00 AM, 12:00 PM

 Duration: 3.00 Hrs
 Price: \$249.00



OVERVIEW Savor a huge variety of small-plate mezes and grilled kepabs that are so representative of Istanbul's cuisine that they have become part of the local culture. The venue for your immersion into the kebap or kebab culture will be Develi, a traditional restaurant in the Sematya neighborhood that borders the sea. You may be surprised by the sheer volume of mezes that you will be served, along with raki, the national drink of Turkish. They may include local favorites such as grilled eggplant, Turkish pizza and bulgur balls stuffed with spiced lamb and pistachios. The chef will drop by your table and happily share how the dishes are prepared, especially the ingredients in the various kebaps for the main course. Hot red peppers are liberally used in the spicier kebaps, while in others the lamb or beef may be kneaded with pomegranate, molasses and yoghurt before being skewered and grilled.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Enjoy a huge selection of mezes and kebaps that have become synonymous with Istanbul.

Delight in the highly social kebap culture that pervades the entire dining experience.

• Ask the chef questions about how the mezes and kebaps are prepared and cooked.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. This tour includes a little walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. As this excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time, those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested

## IST-002 MAGNIFICENT LEGACIES WITH VISIT TO SPICE MARKE1 Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 01:00 PM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$119.00

### OVERVIEW

Cherish revered landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation on this engaging tour, including a 16th-century mosque, a museum housed in a historic church and a massive underground cistern,

and roam an aromatic bazaar. Drive to the mid-16th-century Rustem Pasa Mosque, designed by architect Mimar Sinan and famed for its exquisite red tiles. You'll learn this color was much more difficult to achieve, so the preponderance of red-hued Iznik tiles distinguishes this mosque from all others. Appreciate its intricately carved doors and gilded trim work, which exemplify the small mosque's artistic beauty. You'll discover the 8th-century Byzantine Greek Orthodox Church of the Holy Savior, now the Chora Museum, esteemed for its mosaics and frescoes that depict themes from the Bible. At the Basilica Cistern, the largest of several hundred ancient cisterns lying beneath Istanbul, marvel at the more than 300 beautiful columns of various designs that support its vaulted brick roof. You'll stroll the sprawling and exotically fragranced Spice Market, constructed in 1664 as part of an imperial mosque complex, and experience the sights, sounds and smells of its seemingly endless supply of spices, dried fruits and locally made merchandise such as jewelry and pottery.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

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• Visit the enchanting Rustem Pasa Mosque, renowned for its use of red lznik tiles.

• Survey Bible-themed mosaics and frescoes at the Chora Museum, once a Greek Orthodox church.

• Explore the stunning Basilica Cistern and view its barrel-vaulted brick roof, which is supported by over 300 columns.

• Wander the bustling Spice Market, which brims with spices, dried fruits and myriad locally produced products.

## HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking. There will be numerous steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them, but it is not recommended. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Wheelchairs are not allowed in the Rustem Pasa Mosque and guests who utilize a wheelchair must wait outside in the garden. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary to avoid crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. The Chora Museum is closed on Wednesdays and will be replaced with a visit to Hagia Sophia. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-008 OTTOMAN WONDERS WITH VISIT TO SPICE MARKET Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 01:00 PM Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$129.00

#### OVERVIEW

Rejoice in the stunning architecture and enticing aromas of Istanbul on this alluring tour of the Suleymaniye Mosque and Topkapi Palace, the latter included as jewels of Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation, and roam a fragrant market. Travel to Suleymaniye Mosque, a magnificent monument atop the waterfront skyline of Istanbul. It is a work, which typifies the Ottoman Empire at its peak, and holds the graves of Sultan Suleymaniye, and the greatest imperial architect of the era, Mimar Sinan. Upon the hill where the Acropolis of Byzantium once stood, discover the walled Topkapi Palace, official residence of Ottoman sultans for nearly 400

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

years. Marvel at its mosques and elaborate pavilions, where rich collections of French, Japanese and Chinese porcelain are on display. You'll visit the sprawling and exotically fragranced Spice Market, constructed in 1664 as part of an imperial mosque complex, and experience the sights, sounds and smells of its seemingly endless supply of spices, dried fruits and locally made merchandise such as jewelry and pottery. You'll long remember your immersion into Istanbul's bewitching wonders.

### HIGHLIGHTS

Admire key landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation.

Visit the Suleymaniye Mosque, which symbolizes the Ottoman Empire at its peak

• Explore gorgeous Topkapi Palace, the long-time residence of Ottoman sultans.

• Survey Topkapi Palace's impressive fountains and ornate pavilions.

• Wander the bustling Spice Market, which brims with spices, dried fruits and myriad locally produced products.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately three hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steps to negotiate. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The Topkapi Palace is closed on Tuesdays, so a visit to Beylerbeyi Palace will be substituted. The Blue Mosque will be closed to all visitors until after 2:30 pm on Fridays. Morning tours will have an exterior visit only. The order of the sites viewed or visited may vary to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-012 BEYLERBEYI PALACE & ASIAN ISTANBUL Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 01:00 PM Date: Oct 18, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$89.00

OVERVIEW

Spend time in Asian Istanbul, surveying a massive palace and a stirring modern mosque, then enjoying a relaxing seaside tea. Settle in for a drive across the world's fifth-longest suspension bridge to the Asian side of the city, and arrive at the opulent Beylerbeyi palace. You'll discover that the 19th-century royal residence, built by Sultan Abdul Aziz, contains 26 rooms and several large halls and was designed for use as a summer palace and guest house for foreign dignitaries visiting the Ottoman Empire. View an elaborately decorated reception hall, which features a twisting staircase surrounded by splendid examples of Islamic art and style. Notice the Egyptian hasir, or reed mats, on the floors and examine the solid marble pool and fountain. After your interior tour, admire the royal stables and terraced gardens, which offer sweeping views of the cobalt Bosphorus. On the shores of the glittering Marmara Sea, find the contemporary Sakirin Mosque, a feast of circular design and futuristic arches, and the Salacak neighborhood, where you'll savor tea and marvel at enticing views of

Istanbul's historic Old Town as you review your precious memories of Asian Istanbul's delights.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Journey to the Asian side of Istanbul across the world's fifth-longest suspension bridge.

• Tour the luxurious 19th-century Beylerbeyi Palace, a 26-room royal residence designed by a sultan.

• Take in the palace's elaborate decoration, impressive Islamic artwork, royal stables and panoramic Bosphorus vistas.

• View the modern Sakirin Mosque, featuring numerous arches and circular design.

• Relish delicious tea and absorbing views of Istanbul's Old Town and the Marmara Sea.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves extensive walking and standing. There will be steps negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. The duration of the excursion may be affected by dense traffic congestion. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-005 PANORAMIC ISTANBUL

Date: Oct 17, 2024	Time: 01:15 PM
Date: Oct 18, 2024	Time: 09:00 AM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs	Price: \$79.00

## OVERVIEW

As you journey through this splendid city, you will see the best of both continents, beginning with a motorcoach ride from the pier, across the bridge spanning the lovely Bosphorus, and into Asia. Your guide will point out Dolmabahce Palace, a 19th-century Neo-Classical palace sitting gracefully on the European shore. Heading back across to Europe, you'll pass the ancient city walls and arrive at the Byzantine Hippodrome that once seated 100,000, and from there your guide will give you explanations about the history of Blue Mosque and St. Sophia Museum from outside. Final stop will be at the Grand Bazaar, the legendary covered market, the largest in the world, where you can take a slice of Istanbul home with you.

## HIGHLIGHTS

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• Cross the first suspension bridge built across the glittering Bosphorus, which divides Europe from Asia.

• Marvel at the myriad architectural influences found in the city's churches, synagogues, mosques and houses.

• Take in landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation.

• Discover an astonishing amount of merchandise available at over 4,000 shops in the Grand Bazaar.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is available to

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🔥 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	<b>OS</b> Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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wheelchair guests who are able to make their way on and off the

coach.Comfortable, flat walking shoes are strongly recommended. When Grand Bazaar is closed (on Sundays), the visit will be replaced by Spice Market and the tour duration will be shortened by 30 min. The order of the sites visited may change to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-019 ISTANBUL LANDMARKS Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 01:15 PM Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$109.00

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## OVERVIEW

Visit several iconic landmarks recognized by UNESCO as pearls of Istanbul's World Heritage site designation and roam a bustling bazaar on this arresting tour. Travel to the early 17th-century Blue Mosque, the world's only mosque featuring six minarets, and whose colorful moniker derives from the 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles that adorn the interior. Nearby, you'll notice the remains of the city's ancient hippodrome, once a popular circus for entertainment and sporting events, especially chariot racing, during the glory days of Constantinople. Visit remarkable Hagia Sophia, first erected by Emperor Constantine in AD 325 as a Greek Orthodox Christian basilica, later converted to an Ottoman imperial mosque and now a museum, a storied sanctuary nominated by many historians to be the 8th Wonder of the World. Gaze at the sculptural minarets towering above the dome and learn they were added in 1453 after Istanbul's conquest. You'll enjoy an approximately one-hour stroll through the spectacular Grand Bazaar, Turkey's oldest and largest covered marketplace, and find a staggering wealth of merchandise in its more than 4.000 shops, a delightful end to your illuminating excursion.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Take in several landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation.

• Visit the 17th-century Blue Mosque, which features six minarets and an interior showcasing 21,000 blue-green lznik tiles.

• See the remains of the hippodrome, popular for sporting events during Constantinople's heyday.

• View breathtaking Hagia Sophia, which many historians consider the 8th Wonder of the World.

• Look up at Hagia Sophia's soaring minarets, added in the 15th century after the Ottoman conquest.

• Discover an astonishing amount of merchandise available at over 4,000 shops of the Grand Bazaar.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately just over 2 ½ hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests who utilize a wheelchair but who are not able to climb the steps may wait outside the mosque. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability

and stamina. The order of the sites viewed or visited may vary in order to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. The Blue Mosque will be closed to all visitors until after 2:30 pm on Fridays. Morning tours will have an exterior visit only. On Mondays, the Hagia Sophia Museum will be replaced with the Chora Museum. On Sundays, the Grand Bazaar is replaced with a visit to the Spice Market. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-023 DISCOVER THE HISTORICAL BOSPHORUS Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 01:15 PM Date: Oct 18, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00

## OVERVIEW

Cruise the Bosphorus Strait that divides Europe from Asia and explore a spectacularly historical district on each continent. Along the way, you will pass under iconic bridges and past ornate mansions known as yalis. Commentary will describe key landmarks such as the 19th-century Dolmabahce Palace, a home so lavish its construction nearly bankrupted the imperial family. Your private boat will dock at Ortaköy so you can explore this enticing district on the European side of Istanbul. Highlights include the Esma Sultan mansion, a former yali whose fire-damaged shell now wraps a magnificent event space. You will likely see mosques, churches and synagogues side by side, a testament to the religious harmony within the district. More fascinating sights await you in Kanlica on the Asian side of Istanbul. Despite the many beautiful waterfront villas, Kanlica is known more for its creamy yoghurt traditionally made with castor sugar. A tasting will reveal why it is so celebrated.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Cruise the legendary Bosphorus Strait that forms the boundary between Europe and Asia.

• Walk through Ortaköy, an architecturally rich district on the European side of Istanbul.

• Browse the Kanlica district on the Asian side of Istanbul and sample its famed yoghurt.

### HELPFUL HINTS

· Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. Due to cobbled stone streets and boats are not being wheelchair accessible this tour is not recommended to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

### IST-004 CRUISE ON THE BOSPHORUS

Date: Oct 17, 2024	Time: 01:30 PM
Date: Oct 18, 2024	Time: 08:45 AM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs	Price: \$129.00

### OVERVIEW

Blend an exploration of a renowned private Turkish museum with a scenic Bosphorus cruise for an especially enjoyable and illuminating tour. Take a leisurely drive through Istanbul to the marvelous Sadberk Hanim Museum, which is the first private museum in Turkey and is attractively housed in a restored waterfront villa. You'll examine an impressive collection of Ottoman art and furnishings, beguiling Anatolian antiquities and captivating Islamic art. After your museum visit, board a boat for a cruise along the picturesque Bosphorus, which snakes through Istanbul, dividing its European and Asian portions. Along the strait's heavily populated shores,

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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view spectacular vistas of seaside mansions, mosques, palaces and the imposing Rumelihisari, or Bogazkesen Castle, a 15th-century medieval fortress. Gliding along with sea breezes wafting around you, revel in the idyllic charm of this seagoing excursion filled with postcard-perfect sights.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit the inviting Sadberk Hanim Museum, a private museum located in a restored seaside villa.

- Survey the museum's intriguing displays of Ottoman, Anatolian and Islamic art and antiguities.
- Cruise the glittering Bosphorus, sighting mosques, palaces and mansions on the European and Asian sides.
- Sail past the Rumelihisari, a stately 15th-century medieval fortress.

### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately one hour of walking. There will be a staircase to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The order of the sites viewed or visited may vary to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. The Sadberk Hanim Museum is closed on Wednesdays and will be replaced with a visit to the Spice Market instead. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-GL2 OTTOMAN INNS OF ISTANBUL

 Date: Oct 17, 2024
 Time: 01:30 PM

 Date: Oct 18, 2024
 Time: 08:45 AM

 Duration: 4.00 Hrs
 Price: \$119.00



#### OVERVIEW

Travel through some of the most atmospheric districts in Istanbul, exploring the historical inns where visiting merchants from around the world once stayed. On the way, you will pass the Sirkeci train station, where passengers first boarded the Orient Express in 1883. Upon reaching the nearby Sultanhamam district, you will browse several Ottoman inns as the guide describes how the trade system worked and how it has changed in modern times. You will then walk across the Galata Bridge that spans the Golden Horn and explore a district where Greeks and Jews primarily lived during the Ottoman period. A subway ride follows along a route that was part of an underground railway system that was constructed in the late 1870s. Upon arriving in the Beyoglu district, you will meander down Istiklal Street, which features stunning 19th-century neoclassical and art nouveau architecture. As you will see, the inns here are also impressive.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Wander through historical Ottoman inns where foreign and local merchants stayed.

• Learn how the trade system worked during the Ottoman period and how it has changed.

• Ride the subway along a route that was constructed nearly 150 years ago.

• See the extraordinary neoclassical and art nouveau architecture in the Beyoglu district.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about 2½ hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-024 TOUR GOLDEN HORN & BALAT DISTRICTS

Date: Oct 17, 2024	Time: 01:45 PM
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Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Price: \$199.00

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#### OVERVIEW

Cruise the glorious Golden Horn as a prelude to meandering through Balat, a historical yet trendy neighborhood known for its colorful architecture. A large natural harbor on the European side of Istanbul, the Golden Horn is named for its shape and the shimmering golden color it takes on at sunset. It is magnificent to cruise any time of the day as you will discover on the way to Balat, one of Istanbul's oldest districts. As you walk its lively cobbled streets, the guide will describe the many Jewish, Greek, Turkish and Latin influences that reflect the wonderful diversity within Balat. Architectural treasures include a Bulgarian Orthodox church made with prefabricated cast-iron elements and the oldest surviving Greek Orthodox school, known as the Red Castle for its castellated red-brick façade. In the late 1400s, the sultan welcomed Jews to Balat that were persecuted under the Spanish Inquisition, but many of them left after the devastating 1894 earthquake.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Cruise the famed Golden Horn, a natural harbor named for its golden hue at sunset.

Meander through Balat, one of Istanbul's oldest and most ethnically diverse districts.

• Enjoy Balat's vibrant, fashionable ambiance while admiring its colorful architecture.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

- · Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. Due to cobbled stone streets and boats are not being wheelchair accessible this tour is not recommended to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## IST-013 ISTANBUL BY NIGHT

Date: Oct 17, 2024 Time: 07:30 PM Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$209.00



## OVERVIEW

Enjoy a panoramic drive through the most historical areas of Istanbul at night, when the city will be illuminated and absolutely mesmerizing. To reach the Old Town, you will cross Galata Bridge, which spans the Golden Horn, a waterway named for the shimmering golden color it takes on as the sun sets. You will then pass the so-called new mosque, which was constructed in the 17th century, on the way to expansive Sultanahmet Square. As you will see firsthand, the square offers extraordinary views of the Blue Mosque and the Hagia Sophia, a former cathedral that was converted into a museum. Both iconic buildings will radiate in the

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up-lighting, which casts bold shadows that make features such as the soaring minarets look even more dramatic. Upon reaching the Kumkapi quarter, you will settle in at an atmospheric restaurant for a traditional dinner. Chances are, seafood will be on the menu as Kumkapi is renowned for it.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Drive through Istanbul in the evening, when it will be dramatically illuminated.

• Behold both the Blue Mosque and the Hagia Sophia from Sultanahmet Square.

• Dine on Turkish cuisine at a seafood restaurant in the bustling Kumkapi quarter.

### HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, can both make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## IST-GL1 OLD NEIGHBORHOODS OF ISTANBUL

Date: Oct 18, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$119.00



### OVERVIEW

Explore three distinctly different neighborhoods on the Asian side of the Bosphurus, each enchanting in its own way. A drive through the Eurasia Tunnel will bring you to the Kuzguncuk district, which has long been admired for its history of peaceful coexistence. Jews, Greeks, Armenians and Turks live there in harmony side by side, and you will notice a mosque, church and synagogue right next to each other. Later, you will pass the Kuleili Military High School where Kemal Atatürk, the founder and first president of the Republic of Turkey, studied. It is on the way to Cengelkoy, another area known for its civility. There, in the shade of a 700-year-old plane tree, you will enjoy a beverage and the serenity. The fishing village of Kanlica is known first and foremost for its firm, creamy yoghurt made with castor sugar. You will enjoy a cup of the yoghurt in the village now synonymous with it.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Travel from Europe to Asia on a five-minute drive through the Eurasia Tunnel.

Observe a harmonious neighborhood where different ethnicities live side by side.

• Admire the serenity of Cengelkoy, another well-known highly civil neighborhood.

· Sample a style of Turkish yoghurt in a town synonymous with it.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about two hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## Izmir, Turkey

## IZM-013 EPHESUS & HOUSE OF THE VIRGIN MARY Date: Oct 19, 2024 Time: 10:15 AM Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00

## OVERVIEW

View the home of the Virgin Mary following the death of Christ until her Assumption, or Dormition, and explore Ephesus, one of the best-preserved ancient cities in the world. Journey to the location believed to be where the Virgin Mary spent her last days and which has become a pilgrimage site for both Christians and Muslims. You'll marvel at 3rd-century BC Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site and once the location of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World, Discover countless remains of this once-thriving city, such as the 2nd-century Library of Celsus and the Odeon Theater. You'll marvel at the perfect acoustics of the 24,000-seat Great Theater, which is still used today for musical performances. At a lovely five-star hotel, enjoy a bountiful buffet lunch before you travel to the nearby resort town of Kusadasi to shop for souvenirs or famous Turkish carpets. In Selçuk, near Izmir, visit the Ephesus Archaeological Museum to survey collections unearthed from Ephesus' many excavations, including statues of the gods and goddesses who inspired this heavenly region.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Discover the site thought to be the last home of the Virgin Mary until her Assumption.

• Visit the striking and well-preserved ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• Marvel at Ephesus' 24,000-seat Great Theater, 2nd-century Library of Celsus and the Odeon Theater.

- · Enjoy a delicious buffet lunch at a luxury hotel.
- Relish time to shop for souvenirs, jewelry or handmade Turkish carpets.

• Explore the Ephesus Archaeological Museum to view treasures from the ancient city.

### HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing.
- · Closed-toe athletic shoes or hiking boots are mandatory.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- · Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately three hours of moderate-to-strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. The tour may not be suitable for guests with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

IZM-011 PERGAMU	M ACROPOLIS & ASCLEPION
Date: Oct 19, 2024	Time: 10:20 AM
Duration: 7.50 Hrs	Price: \$179.00

#### OVERVIEW

Explore Pergamum's most revered ruins, which exemplify its reputation as an ancient center of learning and science. Journey through fertile plains to Pergamum, a UNESCO World Heritage site settled by one civilization after another until its golden age, approximately AD 300, when its citizens invented parchment. You'll tour the remains of the city's library, which contained 200,000 volumes and put Pergamum on par with Alexandria as a cultural center of the Roman Empire. Walk around the acropolis atop a steep hill and realize the city was built to be an inaccessible fortress. You'll

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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also view a 10,000-seat theater built into the hillside, the temples of Trajan and Dionysus, the Altar of Zeus, the Sanctuary of Demeter and the agora. Continue via a sacred road lined with monuments to 4th-century BC Asclepion, built in honor of Asclepius, Greek god of medicine. Learn the site was an ancient healing center where people came to be cured of diseases diagnosed from their dreams. See remnants of the rehabilitation center, the sacred spring and the mysterious psychotherapy tunnel. Enjoy a flavorful lunch at a specially selected restaurant to cap off your exploration of Turkey's bewitching past.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Investigate the ruins of Pergamum, a UNESCO World Heritage site where parchment was invented.

 Discover an ancient library that once contained 200,000 books, making Pergamum a noted Roman cultural center.

• Stroll Pergamum's acropolis, whose strategic hilltop placement assured it was nearly impenetrable.

• Survey striking remains such as the Temple of Trajan, the Sanctuary of Demeter and the agora.

• Visit 4th-century BC Asclepion, an ancient healing center honoring the Greek god of medicine.

· Savor a delicious lunch at a local restaurant.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, closed-toe walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of moderate-to-strenuous walking/standing. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Transportation to the acropolis will be by a continuously running cable car, which seats eight guests and takes approximately three to four minutes.

## IZM-009 DISCOVER EPHESUS W/AN EXPERT

Date: Oct 19, 2024 Time: 10:30 AM Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$259.00



### OVERVIEW

Journey back in time during this exclusive, limited-participation tour of the ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site. After a leisurely drive, you'll arrive in 3rd-century BC Ephesus, one of the largest Roman archaeological sites in the eastern Mediterranean and once the location of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Meet your guide, an expert archaeologist, who will lead you in a discussion about the site. You'll visit the Ephesus Museum's Hall of Artemis and view artifacts and statues unearthed during the excavations of the temple and other key locations around Ephesus. Discover countless remains of this once-thriving city, such as the beautifully restored 2nd-century Library of Celsus and the Odeon Theater. Marvel at the 24,000-seat Great Theater and see the Terrace Houses where Ephesus' wealthiest citizens lived. Savor a delicious repast at a specially selected restaurant in Selçuk, adjacent to the ruins.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Discover ancient Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site, under the tutelage of an expert archaeologist.

• View parts of Ephesus off-limits to most visitors with a guided look at some of its most breathtaking ruins.

• See relics of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World.

• Relish a flavorful lunch at a restaurant located near the ancient site.

### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes extensive walking. There will be some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Lunch will be provided either before or after the visit in Ephesus, dependent upon your tour departure time. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

## IZM-014 TASTES OF SMYRNA

 Date: Oct 19, 2024
 Time: 10:45 AM, 11:45 AM

 Duration: 2.75 Hrs
 Price: \$149.00



OVERVIEW Dine at a restaurant that caters to tradespeople and gain great insight into daily life and the local cuisine. Known as Smyrna in ancient times, Izmir has long been an important port and you will see the abundance of goods available in the Kemeralti Market. Many of the items on display in this centuries-old market will be ingredients in your lunch, which will be enjoyed at a traditional restaurant for working people known as a esnaf lokantasi. These popular spots are typically small, lively and filled with locals that come for the fresh home-style cooking. You will be offered a variety of authentic small-plate dishes and main courses made with seasonal ingredients that reflect the cuisine of Izmir. The welcoming atmosphere is such that you can't help but feel like one of the locals. After dining, you can explore the neighborhood on your own, an experience that will enhance your understanding of day-to-day life.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Browse a centuries-old marketplace that offers a remarkable array of merchandise.

- Dine at a restaurant that serves traditional dishes to a largely working-class clientele.
- Revel in the restaurant's lively, unpretentious atmosphere.
- Spend free time exploring the surrounding neighborhood after dining.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. This tour includes a little walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, can both make their way on and off the coach, and have a companion to assist. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their level of ability and stamina.

#### IZM-015 URLA VINEYARDS

Date: Oct 19, 2024 Time: 10:45 AM, 11:45 AM Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$269.00

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OVERVIEW Enjoy an indulgent meal at a contemporary restaurant in a boutique hotel along the revitalized Urla wine route. Although wine had been produced in this area for thousands of years, the wineries had fallen into ruin and forgotten until a landowner stumbled across the remains of one somewhat recently. Wineries are now back in full force as you will

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discover at Teruar, a restaurant in the heart of this burgeoning wine region. You will be offered a sampling of several wines made from familiar grapes such as Cabernet Sauvignon and Chardonnay and lesser-known varietals from grapes that have been brought back from near extinction. It is an inspiring story made all the more relevant during the tasting. Similarly, lunch will reflect the distinctive cuisine of Urla as the ingredients will be locally sourced. The small-plate dishes will likely include octopus-stuffed gnocchi while the main course may be grilled sea bream fresh from the Aegean Sea.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Discover how the long-forgotten wineries in the Urla district have been revitalized.

Sample premium wines made from grapes that thrive in the Urla terroir.
Savor a meal that reflects the local cuisine at an elegant restaurant in a boutique Urla hotel.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. This tour includes a little walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. As this excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time, those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their level of ability and stamin. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

## IZM-003 EPHESUS & TERRACE HOUSES Date: Oct 19, 2024 Time: 12:30 PM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$169.00

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#### OVERVIEW

Feel modern civilization slip into the ancient past, exploring remains of one of the most vibrant metropolises of the ancient world and its most tony residences on this enthralling tour. After a vista-filled drive, arrive in 3rd-century BC Ephesus, one of the largest Roman archaeological sites in the eastern Mediterranean and once the location of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Discover countless remains of this once-thriving city, a UNESCO World Heritage site, such as the stunning two-story, 2nd-century Library of Celsus, built to honor a Roman senator, and the Odeon Theater, a small salon for plays and concerts that seated 1,500 people. You'll marvel at the perfect acoustics of the 24,000-seat Great Theater, a storied venue where Saint Paul once preached that is still used today for musical performances. To see where Ephesus' wealthiest citizens lived, survey the Terrace Houses, which are richly decorated with mosaics and frescoes and once featured running water, a treasured amenity in the Roman Empire.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit the striking and well-preserved ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• Admire the authentically restored façade of the AD 125 Library of Celsus, named for a Roman Senator.

• Study striking excavated treasures, such as the Odeon Theater and the public baths.

• Gaze at the breathtaking Great Theater, which seats 24,000 spectators and is still in use.

• Explore the richly ornate Terrace Houses, where the wealthiest residents lived.

### HELPFUL HINTS

· Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing.

- · Closed-toe athletic shoes or hiking boots are mandatory.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- · Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 3 hours of walking. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

# IZM-012 ANCIENT SARDIS Date: Oct 19, 2024 Time: 12:45 PM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$159.00

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#### OVERVIEW

Visit Sardis, capital of the ancient kingdom of Lydia and a flourishing city during the 7th-century BC Persian Empire, on this coach and walking tour. You'll journey to Sardis, the inland terminus of the famous King Road that connected Persia to the Western territories of Asia Minor and the Aegean Sea. Learn that this city was home to King Croesus, whose wealth was famed across empires. You'll explore Sardis' remains via a majestically colonnaded road and pass what was once a massive, two-story gymnasium complex that includes the ruins of a Roman-era synagogue, a shopping arcade, a Roman bath and a Hellenistic theater. Notice the Pactolos River, which bisects the ancient town, and learn it contained gold that was used to strike the kingdom's coins. You'll view the remains of a stadium and the 3rd-century BC temple dedicated to the goddess Artemis, a stunning example of Ionian style. In nearby Salihli, relish a delicious repast of local specialties before your return to Izmir, where you'll enjoy a brief orientation tour of the city.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Experience the ancient Lydian capital of Sardis, entering the city by roads lined with stately columns.

• See an impressive two-story gymnasium complex that once housed a synagogue.

• Explore remains of a 3rd-century BC temple dedicated to the goddess Artemis.

- · Savor an enticing lunch of local specialties in a Salihli restaurant.
- Appreciate a brief familiarization tour of Izmir.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- · Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing.
- · Closed-toe athletic shoes or hiking boots are mandatory.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- · Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 90 minutes of moderate-to-strenuous walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. The tour may not be suitable for guests with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## IZM-002 ANTIQUE EPHESUS Date: Oct 19, 2024 Time: 01:00 PM

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$109.00



## OVERVIEW

Immerse yourself in the wonders of one of the best-preserved ancient cities in the world, then relish free time for shopping. After a marvelously scenic drive, arrive in 3rd-century BC Ephesus, one of the largest Roman archaeological sites in the eastern Mediterranean and once the location of

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Discover countless remains of this once-thriving city, a UNESCO World Heritage site, such as the stunning two-story, 2nd-century Library of Celsus, built to honor a Roman senator, and the Odeon Theater, a small salon for plays and concerts that seated 1,500 people. You'll marvel at the perfect acoustics of the 24,000-seat Great Theater, a storied venue where Saint Paul once preached that is still used today for musical performances. Relish time to shop for antique jewelry and handmade carpets, viewing a 45-minute demonstration of the craftsmanship behind their creation, if you desire. Cherish your opportunity to glimpse both Turkey's ancient past and its inspiring present on this illuminating tour.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit the striking and well-preserved ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• Admire the authentically restored façade of the AD 125 Library of Celsus, named for a Roman Senator.

• Study enthralling excavated treasures, such as the Odeon Theater and the public baths.

• Gaze at the breathtaking Great Theater, which seats 24,000 spectators and is still in use.

Appreciate time to shop for antique jewelry or handmade carpets in alluring Kusadasi.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing.
- · Closed-toe athletic shoes or hiking boots are mandatory.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately XX hours of moderate-to-strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. The tour may not be suitable for guests with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## IZM-004 PANORAMIC IZMIR

Date: Oct 19, 2024	Time: 01:15 PM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs	Price: \$169.00

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### OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the historical delights of Turkey's third-largest city, known as Smyrna in antiquity. Visit Izmir's Museum of History and Art to browse classical sculptures and artifacts collected during excavations in and near the city. You'll marvel at the open-air Smyrna agora, now called the Izmir Agora Museum, which was the commercial, judicial and political hub of the ancient metropolis and its center for artistic activities and teaching. Discover the base of the northern basilica gate, the ancient shopping center and the stoa, or portico. You'll find the Hellenistic structure was rebuilt in the 2nd century during the Roman era after its destruction in AD 178 by an earthquake. Learn that its reconstruction, under the emperor Marcus Aurelius, followed a plan drawn by Hippodamos, considered the father of European urban design. At the 18th-century Kizlaragasi Hani Bazaar, one of the oldest markets in the city, you'll relish free time to browse, savor a cup of Turkish coffee or perhaps find a perfect memento of your foray into Izmir's ancient past.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Explore Izmir's Museum of History and Art, one of the country's richest repositories of ancient artifacts.

• Roam the open-air Izmir Agora Museum, site of an ancient agora that was Smyrna's heart.

 See vestiges of stunning freestanding colonnades and covered walkways known as stoa.

• Enjoy time on your own at the 18th-century Kizlaragasi Hani Bazaar to shop or sip a Turkish coffee.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 90 minutes of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven ground and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

## Bari, Italy

## BAR-003 WHITE OSTUNI & OLIVE OIL TASTING Date: Oct 21, 2024 Time: 10:10 AM Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$199.00

#### OVERVIEW

Rejoice in hillside Ostuni, a beautiful town of whitewashed homes, and stop at a farmhouse to sample the distinctive olive oil that has been made here for centuries. You'll drive inland to Ostuni, a lovely community that blankets three hills and is known as the White City because most of its buildings are whitewashed and radiate in the sunlight, making the town seem almost Greek. Revel in the refreshing atmosphere as you stroll through narrow streets and alleyways to the 15th-century cathedral, a Romanesque-Gothic National Monument of Italy that boasts a magnificent rose window. After your tour of Ostuni, you'll journey through picturesque landscapes to a fortified farmhouse known as Masseria Brancati. Discover that the estate's olive trees have been producing oil for hundreds of years and perhaps see an underground olive mill dating to the Roman era, the original 11th-century living guarters and a museum with an intriguing collection of farm tools. Savor a tasting of the farm's signature olive oil with fresh-baked bread and a local snack known as friselline, a crunchy treat that is as hearty and rewarding as this bounteous land.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Delight in the dazzlingly whitewashed homes of Ostuni, a town that feels almost Greek.

• Cherish the rose window of Ostuni's Romanesque-Gothic 15th-century cathedral, a National Monument of Italy.

• View centuries-old olive trees at Masseria Brancati, a fortified rural estate.

• Try the farm's first-rate olive oil with accompaniments that include friselline, a toast-like local favorite.

## HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 90 minutes of moderate, guided walking. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and may not be suitable for guests with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

## BAR-007 SASSI OF MATERA-UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITE Date: Oct 21, 2024 Time: 10:15 AM Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$149.00

#### OVERVIEW

Gain a deeper understanding of life in the ancient world on a guided tour of the cave dwellings and subterranean churches in the hilltop village of Matera, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Settle in for a scenic drive to Matera, whose earliest residences, known as sassi, were simple caves hand-cut out of the soft-rock mountains. Learn the setting is so visually stunning that it was used as the backdrop for scenes in 2004's The Passion of the Christ, as the area is often called the Second Bethlehem. You'll stroll narrow lanes that ascend and descend according to the hills' contours to the Casa Grotta, a quintessential example of Matera's enthralling cave homes. As you stand on one of the town's abundant terraces, look across to nearby cave-dotted hills that will transport you to a long-gone and mysterious age, although, amazingly, some caves were occupied as recently as the 1950s. You'll find that Materans also worshipped in cave churches, many of which are adorned with frescoes painted directly on the rock. Following your captivating tour, revel in time at your leisure to immerse yourself further in uniquely enticing Matera.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit the beguiling UNESCO World Heritage site cave dwellings and churches of hilltop Matera.

• Peer inside the Casa Grotta, an exceptionally fascinating cave residence.

• View myriad caves carved into the hills from one of the town's many panoramic terraces.

• Discover splendid frescoes painted on the rock walls of Matera's cave churches.

• Rejoice in time on your own to further uncover the unique charms of Matera.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 30 minutes of moderate, guided walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. Travel time in the coach is approximately 2 ½ hours. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

#### BAR-008 FASCINATING TRANI & OIL TASTING IN BISCEGLIE Date: Oct 21, 2024 Time: 10:15 AM Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$139.00

#### OVERVIEW

Admire the medieval landmarks of seaside Trani and travel into the countryside for a sampling of olive oils whose taste reflects Puglia's character. You'll drive up the coast to the sophisticated city of Trani, which boasts a picturesque marina and a wonderfully atmospheric Old Town. See the imposing castle built by Holy Roman Emperor Frederick II in the 13th century, an impressive structure redesigned numerous times over the years as weaponry and methods of attack changed. You'll agree that Trani's cathedral, which is dedicated to Saint Nicholas the Pilgrim and was constructed beside the sea about 100 years prior to the castle, is equally superb. Exult in free time to meander along the waterfront or further explore the town's medieval landmarks before your drive down the coast to Bisceglie, which is renowned for its superlative olive oil. At the

esteemed Galantino family estate, you'll taste fine varietals crafted with coratina olives, which produce an intensely fruity oil, and ogliarola olives, which are more delicate. To enhance your sampling, you'll also feast on freshly baked bread, local greens and cheese, as well as mouthwatering small pretzels known as tarallini, a perfect accompaniment to Galantino's golden elixir.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• See the remarkable 13th-century castle built in seaside Trani by Holy Roman Emperor Frederick II.

• Behold Trani's wonderful seaside cathedral, which predates the castle by 100 years.

• Appreciate time on your own to stroll Trani's waterfront or delve deeper into the town's medieval heart.

• Sample exquisite olive oils paired with local delicacies at the Galantino family estate.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of moderate, guided walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

BAR-006 CASTELLANA CAVES, VOLARE WHITE CLIFFS & POLIGNANO A MARE Date: Oct 21, 2024 Time: 10:20 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$139.00

## OVERVIEW

Behold the natural underground wonders of the labyrinthine Grotte di Castellana caves and enjoy free time in the seaside village of Polignano a Mare. You'll drive to the scenic Itria Valley and find the limestone Grotte di Castellana, discovered in 1938 yet created millions of years ago when an ancient sea retreated. Learn the Grotte di Castellana comprises the longest network of caves in Italy and, as you walk through them, treasure extraordinary natural sights such as the massive main chamber, which glows under natural light. Study stalactites and stalagmites named to reflect their familiar shapes, which include an owl, a slab of bacon and even the Madonna. You'll agree the White Cave truly captures the imagination, as its uniformly snowy alabaster walls, enhanced by the sparkling crystals coating them, are said to shine brighter than any other cave walls in the world. Returning to the coast, appreciate time on your own in the cliffside village of Polignano a Mare. Stroll alluring streets beside architecture that reflects Arab, Byzantine, Spanish and Norman styles, perhaps spotting the stately archway for the gate that was once the only access into this utterly entrancing town.

## HIGHLIGHTS

Descend into the Grotte di Castellana caves, Italy's longest network of caverns.

• Wander through the caves' main chamber, which is illuminated by sunlight streaming from above.

• Delight in stalactites and stalagmites that resemble familiar shapes such as an owl and the Madonna.

• Gaze in awe at the resplendent White Cave, an ethereal chamber of alabaster rock and shimmering crystals.

• Relish time at your leisure in seaside Polignano a Mare, a seductive town

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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## HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate, guided walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

### BAR-004 ENCHANTING ALBEROBELLO & PRIVATE TRULLI VISIT Date: Oct 21, 2024 Time: 10:45 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$199.00

#### OVERVIEW

Wonder at the town of Alberobello's unique cone-shaped buildings, which were ingeniously constructed from limestone using a prehistoric technique that doesn't require mortar. You'll travel down the heel of Italy's boot to Alberobello, a hillside town named for the beautiful ancient oaks that once covered the area. Appreciate the town's main draw is architectural in nature, as Alberobello boasts a marvelous collection of conical-shaped, mortarless, whitewashed limestone buildings known as trulli that have been deemed a UNESCO World Heritage site. See many of the finest examples of trulli in the Aja Piccola district, where you'll walk along the twisting lanes and peer inside some of the striking residences. Notice the roofs display mythological or religious symbols and the interiors typically feature recessed stone fireplaces, narrow windows and barrel-vaulted niches. In the Rione Monti district, stroll among hundreds more trulli and come across the Church of Saint Anthony, a sanctuary completed in 1927 that is built in the shape of trulli and topped with a Greek cross. As you examine the equally captivating interior, contemplate the truly unusual ingenuity of Alberobello's citizens.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• View some of Italy's most architecturally enchanting houses, the conical dwellings of Alberobello.

Appreciate why Alberobello's unique urban landscape has been

recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• Study both the alluring interior and exterior of several homes, most of which showcase a meaningful symbol on their roof.

• Delight in the wonderful Church of Saint Anthony, also built following Alberobello's unmistakable conical design.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of moderate, guided walking. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

BAR-001 BARI, THE CITY OF ST. NICHOLAS Date: Oct 21, 2024 Time: 04:00 PM Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$129.00



Uncover the sublime medieval landmarks of Bari, a hallowed city said to

hold the remains of two revered saints, on this enlightening walking tour. After a brief drive through downtown Bari, you'll arrive at the Old Town and begin a walking tour that leads you to the Norman-Swabian castle, symbol of the city and its most dominant structure. You'll marvel at this spectacular example of medieval construction, which features an impressive stone bridge over a dry moat, sheer ramparts and several imposing towers. Continuing through the Old Town's warren of narrow streets, you may see women hand-making a pasta called orecchiette, meaning little ears, on tabletops outside their homes, as this uniquely shaped treat is a favorite throughout the Puglia region at the heel of Italy's boot. Admire the Cathedral of San Sabino, a masterpiece of Apulian Romanesque design that, according to legend, shelters its namesake saint's relics, and the splendid Saint Nicolas Basilica, also a resting place for its venerated saint. Delight in a stroll along Bari's ancient defensive walls and, if you choose, remain in bustling Piazza Massari to browse the tempting shops of bewitching Bari.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Behold Bari's outstanding Norman-Swabian castle, a commanding fortress that symbolizes the city.

Contemplate the graceful Apulian Romanesque Cathedral of San Sabino.
Appreciate the grand basilica where the remains of Saint Nicholas are interred.

• Walk atop Bari's age-old defensive walls for a unique perspective on the city.

• Shop or continue exploring from lively, tree-lined Piazza Massari.

HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes nearly three hours of moderate, guided walking. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## Kotor, Montenegro

## KOY-001 HIGHLIGHTS OF MONTENEGRO Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 6.50 Hrs Price: \$189.00

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#### OVERVIEW

Start your tour with a short walk to Kotor, which is well-preserved and surrounded by a protective wall built in the Middle Ages. Discover the Renaissance-style 18th-century Prince's Palace and the striking Romanesque Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, one of Kotor's largest and most revered buildings, built in 1166 to honor the patron and protector of the city. You'll gain a deeper understanding of Kotor's past as you explore these iconic steppingstones of Montenegrin history. Board your coach and continue along steep slopes to Nevjesta Jadrana venue with the best view of Boka Bay. This is an area of powerful contrasts. To one side towers the cold Montenegrian mountains and opposite them you will find the wealth and mildness of one of the most beautiful bays in the world. The road carries you on to 15th-century Cetinje, once the Montenegrin capital, and Kotor's medieval fortified Old Town, recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage site. Following a route that inspired playwright George Bernard Shaw to wax poetic about its beauty, you'll understand his enchantment as you pass majestic mountains on one side and a sparkling cerulean bay

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	L ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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on the other. In Cetinje, the former center of Montenegrin rule, visit the neoclassical Museum of King Nikola, once a palace and seat of the Montenegrin royal family. Settle in for a captivating ride along the Budva Riviera, a resort area known for its nearly eight miles of sun-drenched beaches. You'll journey to the Carpet shop in Grbalj plain. The invention of the rugs and kilims originated from the need to cover the bare grounds inside the tents, in order to warm it as much as possible (nothing is better than wool). Invertors of rugs and kilims were semi nomads and nomads living of the sheep rearing. After little bit more than a century of pause, the 500 year long Osman influence returns to Montenegro in a form of the oriental handmade rugs and kilims. Great variety of rugs and kilims, all kinds of sizes, designs and colors are here to floor your home. The experienced staff will gladly help you choose the ones that will suit your home and stay for following generations adding up in value over the years. Every product is made by hand and will be issued with a certificate of origin. Free home delivery is provided worldwide.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Discover Kotor's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• See the 12th-century Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, built in homage to the city's patron and protector.

• Wind your way along a road so lovely that it inspired playwright George Bernard Shaw.

• Enjoy a snack of local favorites, perhaps savory smoked ham and delicious cheeses.

 Visit Cetinje, named honorary capital of Montenegro in recognition of its past importance.

• Explore the Museum of King Nikola, housed in what was once his palace.

• Travel along the Budva Riviera, a holiday destination renowned for its expansive beaches.

· Shop for rugs and kilims.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  hours of walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## KOY-001OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - HIGHLIGHTS OF MONTENEGRO Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 6.50 Hrs Price: \$319.00

## OVERVIEW

Designed for travelers who prefer an added measure of intimacy and flexibility, our new Oceania Exclusive tours limit group size to just 16 guests maximum. The Oceania Exclusive format is available on specially selected shore excursions in nearly every port we visit, around the world. Start your tour with a short walk to Kotor, which is well-preserved and surrounded by a protective wall built in the Middle Ages. Discover the Renaissance-style 18th-century Prince's Palace and the striking Romanesque Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, one of Kotor's largest and most revered buildings, built in 1166 to honor the patron and protector of the city. You'll gain a deeper understanding of Kotor's past as you explore these iconic steppingstones of Montenegrin history. Board your coach and continue along steep slopes to Nevjesta Jadrana venue with the best view

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• Shop for rugs and kilims.

HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

· Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 ½ hours of walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## KOY-011 THE BAY OF KOTOR TUK-TUK TOUR

 Date: Oct 22, 2024
 Time: 08:30 AM

 Duration: 2.50 Hrs
 Price: \$125.00

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#### OVERVIEW

Ride a motorized tuk-tuk around a spectacular scenic peninsula that juts into the Bay of Kotor, stopping at the most dramatic points for photos and exploration on your own. You'll travel by tuk-tuk, an open-air covered vehicle originally named for the sound of its engine and an ideal conveyance for sightseeing. Follow a coastal road along the stunning Bay

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

of Kotor, passing through the fishing village of Muo. Arrive in alluring Prcanj and pause for photos of Our Lady's Temple, a revered Baroque-style church built over a span of 120 years. Marvel at the Corinthian and Doric columns that adorn the façade and the stately double staircase at the entrance. You'll discover a perfectly situated vantage point for sweeping vistas overlooking the dramatic Verige Strait and tiny Gospa Islet, home to the Church of Our Lady of the Rocks. Stop at Porto Montenegro, one of the most luxurious marinas on the Adriatic Sea. During time on your own, admire the sleek yachts or browse chic shops before ascending by coach to Mount Vrmac for one final breathtaking view of Montenegro's magnificent coast.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Explore a scenic peninsula on the Bay of Kotor aboard a tuk-tuk, an open-air covered vehicle.

• Admire the impressive double-staircase entrance to the Baroque-style Our Lady's Temple in Prcanj.

Take in panoramic vistas of resplendent Verige Strait and Gospa Islet.

• Discover impressive luxury yachts at the Porto Montenegro Marina.

• Explore Porto Montenegro's inviting boutiques during time on your own.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

· Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes limited walking, mainly at the guest's discretion during the stops or free time. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

### KOY-004 TOWN OF KOTOR & BAY OF KOTOR HERITAGE Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$269.00

#### OVERVIEW

Survey seaside Perast and exquisite Gospa Islet before enjoying a fascinating guided walking tour of Kotor and time on your own. Settle in for a scenic coach ride to serene Perast, once under Venetian control for over 400 years. You'll admire the medieval architecture that reflects its proud past, especially the ornate 17th-century Saint Nikola Church. After time on your own to explore the village, board a boat to enchanting Gospa Islet. Learn that legend says sailors created this small man-made island by dropping a rock into Kotor Bay after each successful voyage, choosing a spot where the Virgin Mary was once sighted. You'll discover that, fittingly, the church here is called Our Lady of the Rocks. Returning to Kotor, delight in a guided walking tour that begins in the medieval Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site crisscrossed by narrow streets and cozy squares. Visit the striking Romanesque Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, one of the largest and most revered buildings in Kotor, built in 1166 to honor the patron and protector of the city. You'll appreciate time on your own to shop and immerse yourself further in this magical setting.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Delight in enchanting Perast, a popular resort town once under Venetian rule.

Admire the splendid 17th-century Saint Nikola Church and its soaring bell tower.

• Travel by boat to unique Gospa Islet and learn the beguiling legend of its origin.

• Take a guided walking tour of Kotor, including its fascinating Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

· See the Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, built in homage to the city's patron

and protector.

• Enjoy free time to shop or further explore Kotor's many wonders.

HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes considerable walking with steps to negotiate. Guests must also be able to embark and disembark the boat in Perast. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## KOY-010 HISTORIC KOTOR & BUDVA Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$95.00

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## OVERVIEW

Stroll the atmospheric streets of Budva's medieval Old Town and visit a shop that specializes in kilims, a woolen carpet first produced thousands of years ago. Journey into the scenic countryside to Budva, one of the oldest settlements in the Balkans. Meander through the Old Town and marvel at a setting so gorgeous the English poet Lord Byron lauded it as "the most beautiful meeting of land and sea." On your guided walking tour, view a medieval fortification system with 15th-century ramparts and an impossibly quaint square lined with boutiques where you may spend some time on your own. Continue into Grbalj, an important agricultural area, to visit a purveyor of kilim carpets. Learn that traditional Montenegrin flat-weave carpets feature a technique that favors diagonal and geometrical patterns, with wool being the preferred material for its durability. Following a presentation on the fascinating creation of kilim carpets, you may purchase one to be shipped anywhere in the world, along with a certificate of origin, as a perfect memento of your Montenegrin experience. If time permits, enjoy a driving tour of Kotor, a UNESCO World Heritage site hailed for its architectural significance.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Explore charming Budva, a resort town that is among the oldest Adriatic coast settlements.

Admire the town's medieval defensive towers and 15th-century ramparts.

• Enjoy time on your own in Budva, perhaps shopping its inviting boutiques.

· Visit a merchant that specializes in coveted kilim carpets.

• Experience a presentation on kilim carpet-making and perhaps claim one as your own.

• Relish a driving tour of medieval Kotor, a UNESCO World Heritage site, time permitting.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

· Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 3  $\frac{1}{2}$  hours of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

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### KOY-005 THE VILLAGE OF LASTVA & KOTOR HIGHLIGHTS Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$195.00

### OVERVIEW

Experience the impossibly quaint village of Lastva and appreciate highlights of captivating Kotor on this illuminating tour. Journey through the hills on a scenic 45-minute coach ride along hairpin turns, and pause at an overlook that offers commanding panoramic views of the glittering Bay of Kotor. You'll arrive at the picturesque seaside village of Lastva, nestled on a gentle slope caressed by the turquoise waters, and begin your enthralling guided walking tour with a look at a charming local house. Enjoy a visit to striking Saint Maria Church, where a snack of homemade bread, smoked ham, cheese and wine awaits. You'll relish a traditional arts and crafts exhibition and the opportunity to watch a lively folkloric show performed by a local group. Upon your return to Kotor, cap off your day with a tour of the feudal Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site. You'll visit the 12th-century Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, built in homage to the city's patron and a superb hallmark of the town's outstanding medieval heritage.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit the compelling ancient village of Lastva on the banks of the sparkling Bay of Kotor.

• Enjoy a guided walking tour to a traditional house and the marvelous Saint Maria Church.

• Savor a snack of homemade bread, smoked ham, cheese and wine.

• Appreciate an exhibition of local arts and crafts and a rousing folkloric performance.

See highlights of Kotor's medieval Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of extensive walking. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

#### KOY-007 PANORAMIC MONTENEGRO Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.25 Hrs Price: \$139.00

#### OVERVIEW

Delight in a leisurely drive through the mountains into Montenegro's inspiring countryside, stopping along the way for a snack of local delicacies. You'll travel along an extraordinarily serpentine road into mountainous terrain so unusual and strikingly beautiful that the playwright George Bernard Shaw quipped, "Am I in paradise or on the moon?" Ascending the slopes of revered Mount Lovcen, you'll find the village of Niegusi perched more than a half-mile above the glittering sea. Admire sweeping, phenomenal views as you enjoy a snack break, perhaps sampling the area's distinctive smoked ham and flavorful cheeses. You'll follow another picturesque road that hugs the edge of a national park to 15th-century Cetinje, once Montenegro's royal capital and religious center. Heading back to the coast, pass the medieval port of Budva, which was lauded by English poet, Lord Byron, as "the most beautiful meeting of land and sea." Appreciate the remarkable red-tile-roofed buildings and the

village's blissful setting on an island-dotted bay, another lovely highlight of your scenic loop around Montenegro's postcard-perfect countryside. Stop at the Carpet shop in Grbalj plain. The invention of the rugs and kilims originated from the need to cover the bare grounds inside the tents, in order to warm it as much as possible (nothing is better than wool). Invertors of rugs and kilims were semi nomads and nomads living of the sheep rearing. After little bit more than a century of pause, the 500 years long Osman influence returns to Montenegro in a form of the oriental handmade rugs and kilims. Great variety of rugs and kilims, all kind of sizes, designs and colours are here to floor your home. The experienced staff will gladly help you choose the ones that will suit your home and stay for following generations adding up in value over the years. Every product is made by hand and will be issued with a certificate of origin. Free home delivery is provided worldwide. For you, not wishing to spend time here, a shuttle to Kotor will be at disposal.

### HIGHLIGHTS

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• Relish a vista-filled drive through Montenegro's breathtaking countryside.

• Marvel at the panoramic views from Niegusi, a village rising over 2,600 feet above the sparkling sea.

• Enjoy a snack of local favorites, perhaps savory smoked ham and delicious cheeses.

• Discover the picturesque medieval village of Cetinje, once Montenegro's capital and religious center.

· Pass charming Budva, among the oldest urban settlements on the

- Adriatic coast and a popular resort destination.
- Shop for rugs and kilims.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour is primarily panoramic in nature with limited walking at the guest's discretion during stops. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## KOY-GG1 PLANT A TREE FOR THE EARTH Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00

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Enjoy the serenity of several natural settings, including the Big City Park in Tivat, where you will plant a tree that will benefit the Earth for years to come. The urban park is a green oasis full of indigenous and exotic plants that include eucalyptuses, magnolias, Chilean firs and unusual herbs. By planting a small tree on the grounds, you will add to the botanical diversity and perhaps most important help the environment, as trees absorb harmful carbon dioxide and release oxygen into the air. A bit of free time in Porto Montenegro will follow, after which you will wander through Solila Reserve on the Bay of Tivat. Although salt was once produced in the pools along the shore, birdwatching is now the main activity in the protected wildlife reserve. Keep an eye out for auks, ibises and curlews. A leisurely and informative walk through Old Town Kotor will perfectly complement the experience.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Plant a tree in a park known for its botanical diversity .

• Meander about a protected bayside reserve that supports abundant birdlife .

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🔥 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	OS Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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 $\bullet$  Enjoy free time in architecturally important Porto Montenegro and Old Town Kotor .

HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing .

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes .

## PLEASE NOTE

One tree per group will be planted. This tour includes approximately 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  hours of walking and standing on even and uneven ground plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

### KOY-GL1 OLIVE OIL PRODUCTION Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$199.00



## OVERVIEW

Enjoy an insider's tour of the olive groves on a family estate and then visit two olive mills for a tasting of the so-called "liquid gold" from freshly pressed olives. During the leisurely walk through the groves, you will learn how the trees are pruned and tended, the best times to harvest olives and how the olives are pressed to produce oil. You will then continue to a nearby village to see a historical olive press and the newer olive mill that replaced it. You will also be served local delicacies that taste even more delicious when dipped in extra virgin olive oil. Back in Kotor, you will walk through Old Town, a wonderfully atmospheric medieval quarter with narrow winding streets, lovely squares and ornate palaces. The highlight will be an interior visit of the Church of St. Nicholas, a privilege usually reserved for locals. Be sure to look at the detailed mosaic above the entrance.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Enjoy an enlightening tour of the olive groves on a family estate on the Lustica peninsula.

• Sample local delicacies dipped in extra virgin olive oil at a village olive mill.

• Walk through Kotor's medieval quarter and browse a church rarely visited by outsiders.

### HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about two hours of walking and standing on some uneven ground and with some steps. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

### KOY-003 LEISURELY KOTOR

Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM, 12:30 PM Duration: 1.50 Hrs Price: \$119.00



## OVERVIEW

Delve into Kotor's history with an in-depth study of its Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site and one of the best-preserved feudal cities along the Adriatic. Visit the walled Old Town, fortified since the Middle Ages to withstand the countless sieges it has endured over centuries. You'll notice the distinctively Venetian flair of the town's architecture, a reminder that Kotor was once ruled by the Republic of Venice. Discover the striking Romanesque Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, one of the largest and most revered buildings in Kotor, built in 1166 to honor the patron and protector of the city. Survey its nave, separated from the aisles by alternating square pillars and Corinthian columns, and admire 14th-century frescoes, a stone ornament above the main altar in which the life of Saint Tryphon is depicted and a relief of saints in gold and silver. You'll explore the Maritime Museum, housed in an 18th-century Baroque palace, which showcases Kotor's proud history as a naval power. As you stroll Kotor's arresting Old Town, you'll easily imagine bustling daily life during the Middle Ages.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover Kotor's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Notice the distinctive influence of the Republic of Venice on the city's architecture.

• See the 12th-century Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, built in homage to the city's patron and protector.

• View the cathedral's striking interior, which features soaring Corinthian columns and stone pillars.

• Examine exhibits that showcase Kotor's rich seafaring history at the city's Maritime Museum.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

· Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of walking. There will be some uneven ground and easy inclines to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## KOY-009 CLASSICAL PERFORMANCE IN PRCANJ & KOTOR WALKING TOUR Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 10:00 AM

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$159.00

## OVERVIEW

Sail to glorious Our Lady's Temple in nearby Prcanj for a classical music concert and revel in an enlightening walking tour through Kotor's medieval walled city, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Cruise along the fjord-like Bay of Kotor, also known as Boka Bay, to Prcanj, nestled at the foot of a mountain and steeped in maritime history. You'll proceed to magnificent Our Lady's Temple, an atmospheric Baroque-style church built over a span of 120 years. Marvel at the Corinthian and Doric columns that adorn the façade, the stately double staircase at the entrance and the two rare, gilded altars that are considered masterworks. Rejoice in stirring performances of musical selections that reflect Montenegro's cultural influences. Following a delicious seafood lunch in Prcanj, you'll return by boat to Kotor and experience a leisurely walking tour within the architecturally significant Old Town. Visit the striking Romanesque Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, one of the largest and most revered buildings in Kotor, and the Arms Square, so named because munitions were made and stored here when the city flourished under Venetian rule.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Cruise the winding cobalt-blue Bay of Kotor to alluring Prcanj.
- Admire the impressive gilded altars of the Baroque-style Our Lady's Temple.

• Revel in a performance of captivating classical music reflecting Montenegro's rich culture.

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🟌 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	<b>OS</b> Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

• Enjoy a leisurely walking tour of Kotor's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• See the Cathedral of Saint Tryphon, built in homage to the city's patron and protector.

Traverse Kotor's Arms Square, where Venetians once made munitions.
 HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of walking. There will be uneven surfaces and numerous steps to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

#### KOY-GL2 VILLAGE FAMILY LIFE Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 10:30 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$259.00



## OVERVIEW

Spend a delightful day touring and dining at a family estate in a mountain village and then return to Kotor to explore its Old Town. The route to the estate follows an immensely scenic and circuitous road toward Fort Gorazda, a 19th-century fortress that overlooks Kotor and its fjord-like bay. Before long, you will arrive at the Kascelan family estate in the village of Mirac. While walking the property with the owners, you will gain a sincere understanding of rural life. The estate vineyards are devoted to different types of grapes including Vranac, a varietal synonymous with Montenegro. You will sample some of those wines while savoring a meal made entirely with organic ingredients. The exact dishes will depend on the season, but you can be sure that they will reflect Montenegro's traditional cuisine. Upon returning to Kotor, you will explore its atmospheric medieval Old Town, the highlight being a special interior visit of the Church of St. Nicholas.

### HIGHLIGHTS

Marvel at the scenery while driving toward a 19th-century hilltop fort overlooking Kotor.

• Tour a family estate and vineyards for an authentic look at rural life in Montenegro.

• Linger over a meal made with organic ingredients and sample some of the estate's wines.

• Walk through Kotor's medieval quarter and browse a church rarely visited by outsiders.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about two hours of walking and standing on some uneven ground and with some steps. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

## KOY-WT1 WELLNESS: IGALO PELOID TREATMENT Date: Oct 22, 2024 Time: 10:30 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$259.00

## OVERVIEW

Enjoy the therapeutic benefits of a peloid treatment and hydro massage at

the Igalo Institute health resort. Known for its pioneering wellness programs, the institute offers numerous therapies, many of them using high-mineral mud and seawater. After an initial examination by a physician, you will begin a treatment that uses peloid, a therapeutic mud extracted from the Bay of Igalo. Unlike ordinary mud, peloid is rich in minerals that may offer healing in the treatment of rheumatic disorders, osteoarthritis and skin ailments. The intention of your peloid treatment is to leave you relaxed and rejuvenated. Afterwards, you will ease into the warm mineral-rich waters of a pearl bath. This treatment takes its name from the air bubbles in the water that wrap the body like a string of pearls and provide a soothing micro-massage. The hydro massage should relax you even further, increase your circulation and relieve any residual stress that you may feel.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit the Igalo Institute, an esteemed health resort founded in 1949.

• Indulge in a peloid mud treatment that is intended to leave you relaxed and rejuvenated.

• Enjoy a hydro massage that should relax you even further and increase your circulation.

## HELPFUL HINTS

· Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour contains approximately 15 steps; It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested. Please bring change of clothes and towel. Doctor's exam is mandatory. Not suitable for guests with high blood pressure,varicose veins or those on their menstrual cycle.

## Dubrovnik, Croatia

## DBV-033 WINE TASTING & BAY CRUISE Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM

Duration: 4.75 Hrs Price: \$199.00

## OVERVIEW

Sample a selection of wines aged in a highly unusual way and cruise the bay that separates Croatia's largest peninsula from the mainland. This experience is all about the sea as you will initially discover at the Edivo wine bar in Drace, a village on the Peljesac Peninsula. The wine is aged in glass bottles placed in clay amphoras and then submerged in the Adriatic Sea for nearly two years. The process – known as the Sea Mystery – yields unique wines that have never seen light until poured into your glass. Cruising through the Bay of Mali Ston will add another dimension to your understanding of the local seascape. The water conditions are ideal for the cultivation of oysters, and you may well see these bivalves being farmed. The highlight however is the Peljesac Peninsula to the Croatian mainland while bypassing Bosnia and Herzegovina's only outlet to the sea. HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a tasting of Croatian wines aged underwater in the Adriatic Sea.
- Cruise the sheltered Bay of Mali Ston in a wooden boat.
- Behold the Peljesac Bridge, Croatia's most expensive infrastructure project in decades.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing .
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes .

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a minimal amount of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. Guests must be able to negotiate a ramp and steps to access the boat and therefore it is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The boat has restrooms and a limited shaded area. The tour can also operate in reverse order. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

## DBV-002 DUBROVNIK & THE CROATIAN RIVIERA Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00

#### OVERVIEW

Applaud the eye-catching beauty of the Dubrovnik Riviera, Dubrovnik's historic highlights and a charming resort on this enjoyable tour that includes a snack and ample free time. Settle in for a vista-filled drive along the Dubrovnik Riviera to the enchanting seaside resort of Cavtat, a serene destination that was once a Greek and Roman colony. You'll appreciate time on your own to stroll the inviting seafront promenade, browse the quaint shops or take in the view from a picture-perfect waterside café. Travel through the fertile Konavle Valley to an old mill powered by the Ljuta River and stop for a light snack of traditional Croatian specialties. Arriving at Dubrovnik's main street, the Stradun, you'll begin a walking tour past many fascinating landmarks in the Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site. View several monasteries and the elegant 16th-century Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, notable for its elegant courtyard columns and elaborate stone carvings. Nearby, you'll find Orlando's Column, a carved figure of an armored knight that symbolizes Dubrovnik's freedom. You'll revel in free time following your tour for shopping or exploring other sites within the beguiling walled city.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Relish myriad stunning vistas on your journey by coach along the Dubrovnik Riviera.

• Stroll a pleasant seaside promenade during free time in Cavtat, a popular resort town.

• Savor a delicious snack of Croatian specialties during a stop in the lush Konavle Valley.

- Study exquisitely carved columns at the Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace in Dubrovnik's Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Discover Orlando's Column, a carving of a knight in full armor that celebrates the city's freedom.

• Delight in time at your leisure to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## DBV-002OE OE-DUBROVNIK AND THE CROATIAN RIVIERA Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM OS OE KK Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$209.00

OVERVIEW

Oceania Exclusive Tour Designed for travelers who prefer an added measure of intimacy and flexibility, our new Oceania Exclusive tours limit group size to just 16 guests maximum, each tour benefits from a higher level of personal attention and the added flexibility and agility that come from traveling in a small group. The Oceania Exclusive format is available on specially selected shore excursions in nearly every port we visit, around the world. Applaud the eye-catching beauty of the Dubrovnik Riviera, Dubrovnik's historic highlights and a charming resort on this enjoyable tour that includes a snack and ample free time. Settle in for a vista-filled drive along the Dubrovnik Riviera to the enchanting seaside resort of Cavtat, a serene destination that was once a Greek and Roman colony. You'll appreciate time on your own to stroll the inviting seafront promenade, browse the quaint shops or take in the view from a picture-perfect waterside café. Travel through the fertile Konavle Valley to an old mill powered by the Ljuta River and stop for a light snack of traditional Croatian specialties. Arriving at Dubrovnik's main street, the Stradun, you'll begin a walking tour past many fascinating landmarks in the Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site. View several monasteries and the elegant 16th-century Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, notable for its elegant courtyard columns and elaborate stone carvings. Nearby, you'll find Orlando's Column, a carved figure of an armored knight that symbolizes Dubrovnik's freedom. You'll revel in free time following your tour for shopping or exploring other sites within the beguiling walled city.

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#### HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

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Date: Oct 23, 202	4 Time: 08:30 AM	<u> </u>
Duration: 6.50 Hrs	s Price: \$469.00	

## OVERVIEW

Experience the Dubrovnik Riviera like the jet set during this scenic yacht cruise along the idyllic Elaphite archipelago. Embark your private yacht for a leisurely tour of the Elaphite Islands, where the islets are in close proximity but display unique characteristics. You'll glide past centuries-old fishing ports and cultural monuments before stopping at Kolocep Island, filled with whispering pine trees and lush olive groves. At Lopud, the most developed tourist island in the Elaphites, discover evidence of its merchant past and wealthy denizens, who left behind rich architecture and art from

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Evening excursion	X Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

around the world. You'll visit fertile Golden Island, or Sipan, once home to Cardinal Beccadelli, a former Archbishop of Dubrovnik and close friend of Michelangelo, and revel in a guided tour of this captivating island. At an exclusive estate, savor a sumptuous lunch and relax on the private beach or enjoy a refreshing dip in the crystalline Adriatic Sea. You'll bask in the sun's radiance and soak in the glow of this Croatian paradise.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Cruise the Elaphite Islands by private yacht and discover their distinctive characteristics.

• See intriguing landmarks and age-old fishing ports, pine forests and picturesque olive groves.

Visit the tourist mecca of Lopud and discover its wealthy merchant past.

• Stop on lush Golden Island, the former home of Cardinal Beccadelli, dear friend of Michelangelo.

• Savor a delicious lunch at an elegant private estate following your guided tour of the island.

• Treasure time on the estate's private beach to stroll the warm sand, relax or swim in the sparkling Adriatic Sea.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- · Wear casual and comfortable non-slip walking shoes.
- Wear a hat, sunglasses, sunscreen and swimwear under a cover-up.

• Pack a towel from the ship.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves a moderate amount of walking. There will be some steps to negotiate. Due to the limited availability of yachts, we encourage guests to pre-book this tour early. Based upon seasonal availability, the lunch venue and location are subject to change. The yacht accommodates up to eight guests.

### DBV-008 OS-DIVINE DALMATIAN COASTLINE & WINE TASTING Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM OS X M Duration: 6.00 Hrs Price: \$269.00

## OVERVIEW

Discover epicurean delights and scenic vistas on this relaxing tour of the Adriatic Coast. Journey along the stunning seacoast to charming Orasac, where olive oil is produced in a traditional horse-driven mill, and sample some homemade cheeses, smoked ham and wine. You'll marvel at more than three miles of magnificent walls that surround the town of Ston, regarded as a miniature version of Dubrovnik, and learn that the ramparts, whose construction began in 1317 and took two centuries to complete, are among the longest defensive walls in the world. View Ston's ancient salt pans, in use since the days of the long-defunct Dubrovnik Republic, and find that Ston is known as Croatia's Oyster Capital for its abundance of farms nurturing the savory mollusks, which are prized nationwide. You'll travel to the small village of Ponikve, where you'll visit the well-known wine cellars of the Milos family and taste velvety red and crisp white vintages that are highly regarded in the Peljesac Peninsula. In the small town of Mali Ston, appreciate a delectable lunch consisting of seafood pasta and risotto, accompanied by a delicious local wine, and treasure Croatia's natural ability to feed your body and your soul.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit enchanting Orasac and relish a tasting of homemade cheeses, ham and wine.

• Discover the world's longest defensive walls and ancient salt pans in the village of Ston.

• Sample rich reds and bright whites at the Milos family winery in Ponikve.

• Enjoy a delightful seafood pasta and risotto repast, accompanied by local wine, in tiny Mali Ston.

HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves a moderate amount of walking. There will be some steps to negotiate. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

## DBV-015 RIVIERA CRUISE, OLD TOWN HIGHLIGHTS & CABLE CA Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 6.00 Hrs Price: \$319.00

#### OVERVIEW

Cruise along magnificent city ramparts, explore highlights of Dubrovnik's iconic Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and thrill to a cable car ride during this captivating tour that includes lunch and free time. Board a touring vessel and set off on a cruise along the Dubrovnik Riviera to the Old Town harbor, passing the city's imposing ancient defensive walls. Disembark and begin your guided walking tour at the Stradun, the Old Town's main street, which is lined with numerous alluring landmarks. Visit the Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral and learn its treasury houses one of Europe's finest collections of gold and silver reliquaries. Following your tour, appreciate some time on your own to meander about the Old Town before rejoining your group for a flavor-filled lunch in a popular Dubrovnik restaurant. Following your delightful repast, make your way to a cable car station and ascend to the summit of Mount Srd. As you take in arresting panoramic views of the enthralling city and sparkling sapphire sea, ponder the glories of charismatic Dubrovnik.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Enjoy a seaside view of the Dubrovnik Riviera and the city's ancient defensive walls from a touring boat.

• Survey Dubrovnik's Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, on a guided walking tour.

• Visit the Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral, which boasts an outstanding collection of gold and silver reliquaries.

• Savor a delicious lunch at a specially selected Dubrovnik eatery.

• Enjoy breathtaking sea and city views from Mount Srd after a thrilling cable car ride.

HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a significant amount of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steps, inclines and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and not recommended for those with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

## DBV-016 RIVIERA CRUISE, CAVTAT & OLD TOWN Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 6.00 Hrs Price: \$319.00



### OVERVIEW

Enjoy a picturesque resort town, a cruise along the Dubrovnik Riviera and Dubrovnik's Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, on this enticing tour. Settle in for a leisurely drive to a scenic overlook and take in expansive views of magnificent Dubrovnik and the surrounding coast on the way to the enchanting seaside resort of Cavtat, a relaxed and charming favorite

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of yachting enthusiasts that was once the Roman city of Epidaurus. You'll appreciate time on your own to stroll the inviting seafront promenade, browse the quaint shops or enjoy a coffee at a waterside café. Board a motorboat for a marvelous cruise along the Dubrovnik Riviera to Dubrovnik's ancient harbor and begin a guided walking tour of the walled Old Town. You'll visit the Franciscan Monastery, which houses Europe's oldest still-working pharmacy, established in 1317, and showcases fascinating works of art and old pharmaceutical equipment. At the ornate Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral, you'll learn its treasury holds one of Europe's finest collections of gold and silver reliquaries. Following a delectable lunch, relish free time in the atmospheric Old Town for shopping or further sightseeing.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Behold an arresting panorama of Dubrovnik, a UNESCO World Heritage site, from a strategic viewpoint.

• Stroll an exquisite seaside promenade during free time in Cavtat, once a prosperous Greek and Roman colony.

• Embark a motorboat for a scenic cruise along the Dubrovnik Riviera to the city's old harbor.

• Discover the Franciscan Monastery, site of Europe's oldest active pharmacy.

• Visit the Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral, which boasts an outstanding collection of gold and silver reliquaries.

• Appreciate time at your leisure in Cavtat and in Dubrovnik's Old Town, where you'll enjoy a delicious lunch.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a significant amount of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steps, inclines and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and it is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. In case of inclement weather or sea conditions, the boat ride between Cavtat and Dubrovnik will be replaced with a coach transfer. On days when the monastery is unavailable, guests will visit the Rupe Museum. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

## DBV-022 TUK-TUK PANORAMIC RIDE AND OLD TOWN Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 3.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00

#### OVERVIEW

Appreciate the beauty of Dubrovnik's medieval Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, during a panoramic tuk-tuk ride and guided walking tour. You'll depart the pier in your open-air tuk-tuk, a comfortable and stable three-wheeled scooter guided by the firm hand of an experienced guide, pausing for photos at the Franjo Tudman cable-stayed bridge, a stunning modern structure honoring Croatia's first president. Ascend Mount Srd and learn that Napoleon's soldiers built Fort Imperial here in 1812 to take advantage of the strategic location and sweeping sea views. After a meandering ride down to the ancient Pile Gate and into the charming Old Town, you'll commence your guided walking tour along the Stradun, the city's main street. Pass sites such as the ornate Assumption Cathedral and learn its treasury houses one of Europe's finest collections of gold and silver reliquaries. See the elegant 16th-century Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, notable for its elegant courtyard columns and elaborate stone carvings, and the polygonal Onofrio's Fountain, which supplied the city with water for more than five centuries. At the conclusion of your guided tour, choose to remain in the Old City, if you wish, perhaps strolling atop the splendid 13th-century defensive walls.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Ride an open-air tuk-tuk through Dubrovnik's Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• Stop for panoramic photos of Dubrovnik from the stunning Franjo Tudman suspension bridge.

• Travel to the summit of Mount Srd and recognize its strategic advantage as a defensive position.

• View the Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral and exquisite Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace.

• See eye-catching Onofrio's Fountain, an important Dubrovnik water source for centuries.

• Choose to linger in the Old Town to shop or walk the ancient walls, if you wish.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 75 minutes of easy-to-moderate guided walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during the stops or if staying in town following the conclusion of the tour. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and it may not be suitable for guests with mobility concerns or those who suffer from vertigo. Guests choosing to stay in the Old Town may avail themselves of a complimentary shuttle for the transfer back to the pier.

## DBV-024 DUBROVNIK AT LEISURE

Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$89.00

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Indulge in an independent exploration of Dubrovnik's astounding Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Enter the medieval Old Town at the imposing Pile Gate, where you'll have ample time to stroll the picturesque city and visit sites of your choosing. Perhaps you'll climb the remarkably wide 13th-century walls, considered to be among the greatest fortifications ever built, and walk more than a mile while taking in ever-changing views of the sea and the Old Town. Explore the Maritime Museum, located in Fort Saint John, which showcases the naval history of Dubrovnik and surrounding regions, or roam the Stradun, the Old City's main street, discovering the ornate Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral, the exquisite 16th-century Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace and the polygonal Onofrio's Fountain, which supplied Dubrovnik's water for more than five centuries. If your appetite calls, you'll appreciate your voucher for a traditional, crêpe-like pancake at Cele Dubrovnik Gourmet and Lounge. Use another voucher for a cable car ride to the summit of Mount Srd, which affords breathtaking views of this enthralling city and the glittering Adriatic Sea. No matter how you choose to spend your day, you'll be changed forever by dazzling Dubrovnik.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Delve into Dubrovnik's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, at the grand Pile Gate.

· Choose to stroll the battlements of the age-old city walls.

• Discover the Maritime Museum for an expansive look at Dubrovnik's naval history.

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🟌 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	OS Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

• Roam the Stradun, viewing cathedrals, monasteries, palaces and fountains.

• Sate your hunger using a voucher for a tasty crêpe-like pancake at a popular restaurant.

• Gaze at sweeping panoramic views from atop Mount Srd, compliments of your cable car voucher.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

Walking on this tour is mainly at the guest's discretion. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. This tour utilizes shuttle buses for transfers to the Old Town and back to the ship. Each guest will receive a Cele Dubrovnik Gourmet and Lounge voucher, a bottle of water, a cable car voucher and a map showing how to move around the Old Town and how to get to the cable car. Guests should make a note of the schedule for the last shuttle bus back to the ship, may need to queue for the shuttle bus and note that shuttles may depart earlier if full.

## DBV-029 LAPAD BAY & OLD TOWN EXPLORATION Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM, 10:15 AM Duration: 4.25 Hrs Price: \$79.00

#### OVERVIEW

Ride a trolley-style train in and around Dubrovnik and enjoy unobstructed, panoramic views the entire time. This train doesn't travel on rails but rather on wheels, so it can go most anywhere, even across the hilly Lapad Peninsula. As you near a bay on the peninsula's western shore, you will hop off for a short walk to the Sunset Beach Club. It is an ideal setting to linger over a drink and enjoy the sweeping views of the sparsely populated Elaphiti islands. The train will also bring you to Dubrovnik's medieval Old Town, which UNESCO deemed a World Heritage site for its extraordinary architecture. As you walk along the main street, known as the Stradun, you may see highlights such as Saint Savior Church, the polygonal Fountain of Onofrio and the Old Pharmacy, which was founded in 1317. The defensive stone walls surrounding Old Town were built in the 13th century.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Hop aboard a wheeled train for a panoramic drive in and around Dubrovnik.

Explore Dubrovnik's wonderfully atmospheric medieval Old Town on foot.

• Take in the natural beauty while enjoying a drink at a beach club on Lapad Peninsula.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing .

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes .

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking over some uneven and cobblestone surfaces. There is no storage for wheelchairs or scooters on the road train and therefore it is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

## DBV-035 SAFARI THROUGH NERETVA RIVER DELTA Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 6.25 Hrs Price: \$179.00



#### OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Behold the natural beauty of the Neretva River Delta while cruising through its canals and estuaries in a traditional wooden boat known as a lada. The valley is so fertile that it is often called Croatia's California, a reference to the many surrounding farms and orchards. Because the wetlands are considered internationally important, much of the them fall under the protection of the Ramsar Convention and must be conserved for perpetuity. As a result, wildlife thrives, especially birds. You may spot white pelicans, spoonbills, pied avocets and oystercatchers among the many water birds. Each year, ornithologists record species new to the river delta, a confirmation that the Ramsar protection has been a success. Before emptying into the Adriatic Sea, the Neretva River feeds Lake Kuti. After a welcome drink at a riverside tavern, you will dine there, most likely on peka, a traditional dish slowly cooked under a dome-shaped lid.

## HIGHLIGHTS

Cruise through the Neretva River Delta wetlands, an environmentally protected area.

Observe the water birds that flock to the wetlands in great numbers.

• Dine at a lakeside tavern on the traditional Croatian dish peka.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

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- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE During summer months expect extreme heat. We recommend that you dress in layers, comfortable shoes, hat, sunglasses and mosquito repellent. Bring a bottled of water. It is not available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair.

## DBV-036 PINZGAUER RIDE: OFF THE BEATEN TRACKS Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM, 11:30 AM Duration: 2.50 Hrs Price: \$249.00



## OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Enjoy an exhilarating off-road adventure in a military-style vehicle and learn about the local history during photo stops. The thrills will begin as soon as you board the Pinzgauer, a high-mobility ATV designed for challenging terrain. As you ascend Srd Hill, the mountain that serves as a backdrop to Dubrovnik, you will be treated to one spectacular view after another. The large island that you will see just offshore is Lokrum, which forests also entirely blanket. While pausing at the ruins of Fort Strincjera and the largely intact Fort Imperial, which was built more than two centuries ago, you will hear about their strategic military roles. Croatian forces most recently used the latter fort during the siege of Dubrovnik in 1991, when the Yugoslav army shelled the city. More breathtaking vistas await you while descending Srd Hill as you will follow a different route down to the seaside neighborhood of Gruz.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Take an exhilarating ride over challenging terrain in a military-style Pinzgauer ATV.

• Drive off-road to the summit of Srd Hill, the mountain that looms behind Dubrovnik.

- Enjoy extraordinary views of Dubrovnik and the islands not far offshore.
- Pause for photos at two centuries-old forts and hear about Dubrovnik's turbulent history.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

PLEASE NOTE

📮 Minimal activity	Moderate activity	<b>OE</b> Oceania Exclusive	BB Beyond Blueprints	GG Go Green
🔥 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	<b>OS</b> Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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PLEASE NOTE This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of drive over challenging terrain; asphalt, dirt ground and rocks. The sights on this tour are not wheelchair accessible. The guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

DBV-WT1 WELLNESS: YOGA AT LOKRUM ISLAND & OLD TOWN Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM WT OS X M Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$229.00

## OVERVIEW

Enjoy a relaxing yoga class held in the shade of an ancient olive grove on Lokrum Island and then stroll through Dubrovnik's medieval Old Town. A short but scenic boat ride will bring you to the island, which Benedictine monks first populated in the 11th century. Over time, the island was abandoned and its forest became a natural reserve. There couldn't be a more serene place to practice yoga, as you will discover by walking through an oil grove beyond the former monastery. Here, in the shade of the trees, some of which are more than 300 years old, you will assume a variety of yoga postures with the intent of achieving peace in body and mind. A light lunch at the island's Lacroma restaurant follows, after which you will return to Old Town for a walking tour. The ornate Cathedral of the Assumption and the 16th-century Sponza Palace are just a few of the highlights you may see.

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Practice yoga in the shade of a leafy olive grove on Lokrum Island.
- · Cruise to and from the island in a small boat while admiring the
- spectacular scenery.
- Explore Dubrovnik's wonderfully atmospheric medieval Old Town.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves easy walking with about 50 steps to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

## DBV-005 PANORAMIC DUBROVNIK, VILLAGE LIFE & WINE Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$259.00

## OVERVIEW

Learn why George Bernard Shaw said, "Those who seek paradise on earth should come to Dubrovnik," on this enriching tour of the walled Old City, a visit to a winery and a snack at a village home. Begin at Dubrovnik's Pile Gate, origin of the city's main street, Stradun, and main entrance to the walled Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site. After a guided walking tour, appreciate time on your own to shop or further investigate the Old Town. You'll journey to the village of Komaji for a visit to the Crvik family cellars, where the vintner will enlighten you about the area's vineyards, and savor a tasting of the winery's finest selections. In Poljica, receive a warm welcome of brandy and dried figs at the home of a local family, who produce grape brandy, olive oil and wine using time-honored ways. Explore their wine cellar and olive press room and enjoy a light snack of traditional specialties. Indulge in the delightful homespun experience while hometown musicians and singers entertain you with joyous Dalmatian music as you create lifetime memories of Croatia's heartfelt spirit. HIGHLIGHTS

• Explore the splendid landmarks of Dubrovnik's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Appreciate time on your own to sightsee or shop along the walled city's streets.

• Enjoy a tasting at the Crvik Winery in the Konavle Valley and meet the vintner.

- Cherish a cordial welcome at a traditional family home in a village nestled in the Konavle Valley.
- Tour the family's wine cellars and olive press room, where they produce grape brandy and olive oil using traditional methods.

• Rejoice in a delicious snack and jubilant entertainment by local musicians and singers.

## HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves a moderate amount of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

## DBV-011 HISTORIC DUBROVNIK & VILLAGE LIFE Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$149.00

## OVERVIEW

Learn why George Bernard Shaw said, "Those who seek paradise on earth should come to Dubrovnik," on this enriching tour of the walled old city with free time to explore, and a visit to the home of a village family. In the heart of this UNESCO World Heritage site, you'll arrive at Dubrovnik's imposing Pile Gate, the walled city's main entrance and origin of its main street, the Stradun. View eye-catching Onofrio's Fountain, the Rector's Palace and other landmarks before enjoying time on your own to further investigate the Old Town or do some shopping. Journey through quaint traditional villages toward the fertile Konavle Valley and receive a warm welcome of brandy and dried figs in a local family's home. You'll discover that your hosts produce grape brandy, olive oil and wine using time-honored ways. Walk through their wine cellar and olive press room to a large, inviting dining area, where your gracious host will serve a light snack of traditional specialties, including cheese, smoked ham, homemade bread and characteristic wine. Indulge in the delightful homespun experience while being entertained with Dalmatian music by hometown musicians and singers as you create lifetime memories of Croatia's heartfelt spirit.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Explore the splendid landmarks of Dubrovnik's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Appreciate time on your own to sightsee or shop along the walled city's streets.

• Cherish a cordial welcome at a traditional family home in a village nestled in the Konavle Valley.

• Tour the family's wine cellars and olive press room, where they produce grape brandy and olive oil using traditional methods.

• Rejoice in a delicious snack of homemade bread, smoked ham, cheese and wine.

• Delight in jubilant Dalmatian music performed by local musicians and singers.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

· Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking

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🟌 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	<b>OS</b> Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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· Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves a moderate amount of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

#### DBV-0110E OE-HISTORIC DUBROVNIK & VILLAGE LIFE Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM OS DE 🔥 Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$219.00

## OVERVIEW

Oceania Exclusive Tour Designed for travelers who prefer an added measure of intimacy and flexibility, our new Oceania Exclusive tours limit group size to just 16 guests maximum, each tour benefits from a higher level of personal attention and the added flexibility and agility that come from traveling in a small group. The Oceania Exclusive format is available on specially selected shore excursions in nearly every port we visit, around the world. Learn why George Bernard Shaw said, "Those who seek paradise on earth should come to Dubrovnik," on this enriching tour of the walled old city with free time to explore, and a visit to the home of a village family. In the heart of this UNESCO World Heritage site, you'll arrive at Dubrovnik's imposing Pile Gate, the walled city's main entrance and origin of its main street, the Stradun. View eye-catching Onofrio's Fountain, the Rector's Palace and other landmarks before enjoying time on your own to further investigate the Old Town or do some shopping. Journey through quaint traditional villages toward the fertile Konavle Valley and receive a warm welcome of brandy and dried figs in a local family's home. You'll discover that your hosts produce grape brandy, olive oil and wine using time-honored ways. Walk through their wine cellar and olive press room to a large, inviting dining area, where your gracious host will serve a light snack of traditional specialties, including cheese, smoked ham, homemade bread and characteristic wine. Indulge in the delightful homespun experience while being entertained with Dalmatian music by hometown musicians and singers as you create lifetime memories of Croatia's heartfelt spirit.

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• Tour the family's wine cellars and olive press room, where they produce grape brandy and olive oil using traditional methods.

· Rejoice in a delicious snack of homemade bread, smoked ham, cheese and wine.

· Delight in jubilant Dalmatian music performed by local musicians and singers.

## HELPFUL HINTS

 Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes

· Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves a moderate amount of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

## DBV-012 THE STORY OF DUBROVNIK Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$169.00

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## OVERVIEW

Survey iconic Dubrovnik on a cable car ride to a museum, enjoy a walking tour of the walled Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and immerse yourself in Croatia's past on this dive into history. From the Dubrovnik Cable Car, take in sweeping city and sea views while ascending to the summit of Mount Srd. In nearby Fort Imperial, visit the engaging Croatian War of Independence Museum, which features exhibits honoring the defense of Dubrovnik during the 1990s invasion by Serbia and Montenegro. After a pleasant stroll enhanced by the majestic views, descend via cable car and make your way to the Ploce Gate, where you'll start your guided walking tour of the Old City. You'll see the 14th-century Dominican Monastery, whose exterior more closely resembles a fortress than a religious complex, the 15th-century Rector's Palace, the Baroque Church of Saint Blaise and the elegant 16th-century Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, notable for its elegant courtyard columns and elaborate stone carvings. At the Visia 5D Multimedia Museum, marvel at a thrilling presentation of Croatia's beginnings some 1,500 years ago. Following your inspiring experience, you'll appreciate time on your own in Dubrovnik's magical Old City.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Enjoy breathtaking sea and city views as you climb Mount Srd via cable car

· Examine exhibits at the Croatian War of Independence Museum commemorating Dubrovnik's defense during the 1990s Balkan wars. Appreciate a guided walking tour of Dubrovnik's Old City, a UNESCO

World Heritage site.

· View highlights such as the 14th-century Dominican Monastery and Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace.

 Chart Croatia's evolution during a multimedia presentation at the Visia 5D Museum

· Delight in free time to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing in Dubrovnik's walled Old Town.

## HELPFUL HINTS

· Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes extensive moderate-to-strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

DBV-027 CABRIO	PANORAMIC & LEISURE	
Date: Oct 23, 2024	Time: 08:45 AM	Ń.
Duration: 1.75 Hrs	Price: \$109.00	~

## **OVERVIEW**

Pause for photos at three overlooks that present extraordinary views of Dubrovnik's medieval Old Town and then spend free time there. Your first stop will be the Franjo Tudman Bridge. Named to honor the country's first president, the suspension bridge is a modern structure that offers sweeping harbor vistas. Continuing south along the coast, you will next pause at the Bosanka lookout, which offers a revealing view of the walled Old Town. Another perspective of Old Town awaits you at Srdj Hill.

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

Napoleon's soldiers built Fort Imperial there because of the strategic location and view of the sea. There are about 80 steps to reach the hilltop, but it is well worth the effort. You will then enjoy a meandering ride down to Pile Gate, an ancient entrance that leads to a welcoming square in the medieval Old Town. During free time, you might walk along the 13th-century ramparts and stroll the main street, known as the Stradun.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• View Dubrovnik's medieval Old Town from three elevated lookouts.

• Gain an understanding of the Old Town's strategic importance over the centuries.

• Spend free time in Old Town with the option of staying there at the end of the excursion.

## HELPFUL HINTS

Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes moderate walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. This tour is not suitable for passengers who have difficulties walking due to the uneven cobblestone streets. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested. Each guest will get a map (showing how to move around the Old Town) with voucher for pancake and bottle of water. Make a note of the last shuttle bus back to the ship.

## DBV-003 CAVTAT & THE WALLED CITY Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$169.00

#### OVERVIEW

Uncover traditional Croatian life during a visit to an enchanting village and enjoy a guided walking tour of the walled city of Dubrovnik on this enlightening excursion. Delight in a picturesque drive through lush countryside to appealing seaside Cavtat, a charming resort city that was once a prosperous Greek and Roman colony. During your village tour, you'll notice a proud reverence for old methods, be it fishing or creating handicrafts, and feel life nearly slow to a standstill. Appreciate time at your leisure to stroll the inviting seafront promenade, browse the quaint shops or take in the view from a picture-perfect waterside café. Returning to historic Dubrovnik, begin your guided walking tour of the walled Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site, at the imposing Pile Gate. You'll visit the Franciscan Monastery, which houses Europe's oldest still-working pharmacy, established in 1317, and showcases fascinating works of art and old pharmaceutical equipment. Explore the 14th-century transitional Gothic-Renaissance Dominican Monastery and Church and marvel at a fine collection of Renaissance artwork, whose highlight is a painting by Titian. Following your tour, enjoy free time for further exploration or shopping.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Observe fishermen and artisans practicing age-old techniques in lovely seaside Cavtat.

 Stroll Cavtat's pleasant seaside promenade during free time, browsing shops or taking in the sea view.

Delve into Dubrovnik's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, from the grand Pile Gate.

• Discover the Franciscan Monastery, home to the oldest continuously operating pharmacy in Europe.

• Explore the 14th-century Dominican Monastery and appreciate its esteemed collection of fine art.

• Delight in time on your own in both Cavtat and Dubrovnik to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing.

## HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

### DBV-003OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - CAVTAT & THE WALLED CITY Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$319.00

### OVERVIEW

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Designed for travelers who prefer an added measure of intimacy and flexibility, our new Oceania Exclusive tours limit group size to just 16 guests maximum. The Oceania Exclusive format is available on specially selected shore excursions in nearly every port we visit, around the world. Uncover traditional Croatian life during a visit to an enchanting village and enjoy a guided walking tour of the walled city of Dubrovnik on this enlightening excursion. Delight in a picturesque drive through lush countryside to appealing seaside Cavtat, a charming resort city that was once a prosperous Greek and Roman colony. During your village tour, you'll notice a proud reverence for old methods, be it fishing or creating handicrafts, and feel life nearly slow to a standstill. Appreciate time at your leisure to stroll the inviting seafront promenade, browse the quaint shops or take in the view from a picture-perfect waterside café. Returning to historic Dubrovnik, begin your guided walking tour of the walled Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site, at the imposing Pile Gate. You'll visit the Franciscan Monastery, which houses Europe's oldest still-working pharmacy, established in 1317, and showcases fascinating works of art and old pharmaceutical equipment. Explore the 14th-century transitional Gothic-Renaissance Dominican Monastery and Church and marvel at a fine collection of Renaissance artwork, whose highlight is a painting by Titian. Following your tour, enjoy free time for further exploration or shopping.

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• Explore the 14th-century Dominican Monastery and appreciate its esteemed collection of fine art.

• Delight in time on your own in both Cavtat and Dubrovnik to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing.

• Enjoy a higher level of personal attention and flexibility on this Oceania Exclusive small group tour.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

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🟌 Easy activity	Strenuous activity	0S Oceania Select	CD Culinary Discovery	GL Go Local
Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

This tour includes moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## DBV-007 KAYAK & SWIM THE DALMATION COAST Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 3.75 Hrs Price: \$149.00

#### OVERVIEW

Delight in a wonderful exploration of the stunning Dalmatian coastline via sea kayak and swim in the glittering azure Adriatic Sea on this exhilarating adventure. You'll enjoy a unique view of the seacoast as you paddle along magnificent Dubrovnik's ancient city walls, which are approximately 1 ½ miles long and boast four fortresses and 33 bastions. Explore a secluded cave close to the Old Town and thrill to a refreshing dip in the crystalline waters or simply relax with your thoughts, becoming one with nature. You'll treasure your fascinating perspective of seaside Dubrovnik, a truly unique and memorable destination with which you are sure to form an eternal bond.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Kayak along medieval Dubrovnik's ancient walls for a captivating and unique perspective on the picture-perfect town.

• Find a hidden cave near the walled Old Town and marvel at your good fortune.

• Refresh with a cooling swim in the crystal-clear waters of the cave, if you wish.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear a hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, swimwear under a cover-up and activity-appropriate shoes.

• Pack a towel from the ship.

• Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of kayaking in intervals. It is suggested only for the very fit and sports-active guests. All kayaks have two seats and can carry a maximum total weight of 400 pounds (or 200 pounds per person). Each kayak contains a waterproof compartment where you can store towels and bottle of water.

## DBV-009 A DAY AT THE BEACH Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$159.00

#### OVERVIEW

Bask in the brilliant Croatian sunshine during a relaxing sail, find respite on a pebbled beach and enjoy a delicious lunch. After a drive to Dubrovnik's Pile Gate and a short stroll, you'll embark your boat and sail toward an inviting beach. En route, pass Dubrovnik's ancient city walls, which are approximately 1 ½ miles long and boast four fortresses and 33 bastions, and glide past Fort Lovrijenac, often called Dubrovnik's Gibraltar. You'll also sail by the island of Lokrum, where Richard the Lionheart was purportedly cast ashore after being shipwrecked in 1192. Upon your arrival at the sun-drenched beach, choose how to spend your time, perhaps sunbathing on a comfortable chaise, relaxing in the shade under a convenient umbrella or swimming in the gin-clear Adriatic, one of the most pristine seas in the world. You'll relish a light lunch, which will be served to you beach-side. Following your indulgent experience, appreciate time on your own for further exploration or shopping in Dubrovnik's atmospheric Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

HIGHLIGHTS

• Sail by Dubrovnik's age-old city walls and notice its impressive ancient fortresses.

· Marvel at arresting Fort Lovrijenac, known as Croatia's Gibraltar.

• Discover Lokrum Island, where Richard the Lionheart was supposedly shipwrecked.

- Relax on a sun-kissed, pebbled beach or swim in the crystalline Adriatic.
- · Savor a delicious light lunch, served to you on the beach.

• Delight in free time to shop or continue sightseeing in Dubrovnik's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

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• Wear a hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, swimwear under a cover-up and comfortable, non-slip walking shoes.

• Pack a towel from the ship.

#### PLEASE NOTE

Walking on this tour is mainly at the guest's discretion. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian to participate. As you may get wet on this excursion, any electronic devices, as well as any valuables, should be stored in a sealable, waterproof dry bag or left on board the ship. Any damage to or loss of these items is the responsibility of the guest. Sun umbrellas and chaise lounges will be available at the beach for your convenience. Operation of this excursion is dependent upon weather conditions. Guests who participate in any water activities do so at their own risk and responsibility. If you choose to stay in the Old Town, your guide will indicate where to find the shuttle for your independent return to the ship.

#### DBV-014 BICYCLE ADVENTURE IN KONAVLE VALLEY Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$159.00

#### OVERVIEW

Take off on a bicycle through the scenic countryside, discovering an old mill, enjoying a snack in a hidden village and savoring a local wine tasting. Settle in for a picturesque drive along the Adriatic Road toward the town of Cilipi, where you'll receive professional instruction and begin your biking adventure. Pass lush vineyards as you pedal along the winding Ljuta River and stop at a 15th-century mill to learn traditional methods of flour production. Riding on, you'll discover eco-friendly Cadmos Village adventure park hidden in the lush Konavle Valley and receive a warm welcome of dried figs, cheese, Dalmatian prosciutto, freshly squeezed juice, coffee and cake. As you venture onward, view magnificent Snjeznica Mountain and Sokol Fortress, the largest and most important fortification from the times of the former Dubrovnik Republic. In exquisite Ljuta, find the Vodopic wine cellars perched atop a knoll surrounded by cypress and vineyards. Relax in this perfect setting and sip a characteristic vintage as a satisfying conclusion to your idyllic rural exploration.

### HIGHLIGHTS

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 Pedal through the marvelous Croatian countryside, starting from tiny Cilipi.

• Discover a 15th-century mill and hear the miller explain how flour is produced.

Appreciate a welcoming snack and drinks in the Cadmos Village adventure park.

Marvel at breathtaking views of Snjeznica Mountain and the Sokol Fortress.

• Cap off your journey with a tasting at the Vodopic wine cellars in tiny Ljuta.

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## HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, activity- and weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, activity-appropriate shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour will include approximately five miles by bicycle. There will be some very bumpy terrain. Total time on the bicycle is approximately 1 ½ hours, which includes frequent stops. Participants should be in good physical condition and comfortable riding a bike. Participants must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages. Minimum age to participate is 10 years old.

## DBV-026 OLD TOWN CATAMARAN SAIL & BEACH BREAK Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.75 Hrs Price: \$209.00

## OVERVIEW

See the sights of Croatia's medieval jewel on an unforgettable sailing tour. Hop aboard a luxurious catamaran and enjoy a unique way of sightseeing & leisure. Are you ready for an epic experience? Forget the hustle and bustle of the big city as we sail out to the sea with nothing but the wind in our hair. Departing from the heart of Dubrovnik, we will take you on an unforgettable journey filled with spectacular views. Take in the city skyline and watch as the Dubrovnik's rich history unfold before your eyes. Enjoy breath-taking views on the Old Town walls, Fort Lovrijenac, and enchanting medieval architecture featured in the HBO hit series Game of Thrones. Glance out to the sea where lush Lokrum island awaits to be captured through the lens of your camera. Oh, have we mentioned that it's impossible to take a bad picture from the bow of the ship? Then, enjoy a short stop in Dubrovnik Old Town for the orienatational tour. Our journey continues by bus to the beautiful Lapad Bay. Soak up the vitamin D as you unwind on one of Dubrovnik's top-notch beaches. Take a cooling dip in the wonderful Adriatic Sea with the stunning views on Elaphiti Islands. Can't wait to join us? Neither can we, so see you at the high seas!

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail in a catamaran to a spectacular beach on Lapad Peninsula.
- View Dubrovnik's medieval Old Town and surrounding islands from a water perspective.

• Relax on the beach however you please during free time.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Bring a hat, sunscreen and bottled water.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour is not suitable for the guests who are sea sick. Children under 18 years must be accompanied by their parents or legal guardians. During summer months, expect extreme heat, crowded venues and long lines.

### DBV-028 ROAD TRAIN WINE TOUR IN KONAVLE Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$149.00



## OVERVIEW

Ride a mini-train between several of the most prestigious wineries in the Konavle Valley and enjoy a tasting at each one. As an introduction to this revered wine region, you will first visit the Brajkovic family vineyard and sample several varietals that reflect the local terroir. You will then ride an open-air mini-train with wheels along a picturesque road to nearby Ljuta, a village with numerous centuries-old water mills. You will see how flour was traditionally milled and how wool was once processed for folkloric costumes that many residents still wear daily. A deeper immersion into wine-making follows, starting at the Vodopic Vineyard, where Marastina, Merlot and Malvasia grapes flourish. The exact wines for sampling will be chosen upon your arrival. The same holds true at the Ivo Karaman Winery, where you will not only taste a selection of delightful wines but also savor a traditional peasant's brunch of bacon and onions.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Ride a mini-train with wheels between wineries in the fertile Konavle Valley.

• Enjoy samplings of characteristic Croatian wines at each of the wineries.

• See how flour was traditionally milled and how wool was processed for folkloric costumes.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes with closed toes.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes limited walking, mainly at the guest's discretion during the stops. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## DBV-001 HIGHLIGHTS OF DUBROVNIK Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM

Duration: 3.75 Hrs Price: \$129.00

## OVERVIEW

Rejoice in the wonders of age-old Dubrovnik during this enriching coach and walking tour. After a panoramic drive to an outlook offering sweeping views of magnificent Dubrovnik, you'll arrive at the imposing Pile Gate, origin of the city's main street, Stradun, and main entrance to the walled Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Launch your guided walking tour with a visit to the 14th-century transitional Gothic-Renaissance Dominican Monastery and Church, whose exterior more closely resembles a fortress than a religious complex. Marvel at a fine collection of Renaissance paintings that features local and Italian masters and whose highlight is a painting by Titian. You'll discover the ornate Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral, which was built on the remains of a previous structure destroyed in a calamitous 1667 earthquake, and learn its treasury houses one of Europe's finest collections of gold and silver reliquaries. Pass the elegant 16th-century Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, notable for its elegant columns and elaborate stone carvings. Nearby, you'll find Orlando's Column, a carved figure of an armored knight that symbolizes Dubrovnik's freedom. Following your guided tour, enjoy free time for further exploration or shopping in this charismatic city.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Behold a captivating panorama of bewitching Dubrovnik from a strategic viewpoint.

- Explore a 14th-century monastery in the Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and view its esteemed fine art collection.
- Visit the Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral and its outstanding collection of gold and silver reliquaries.
- Study the exquisite Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, which features classical columns and detailed carvings.
- Discover Orlando's Column, a carving of a knight in full armor that celebrates the city's freedom.
- Delight in time at your leisure to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing.

### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

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• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

## DBV-001OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - HIGHLIGHTS OF DUBROVNIP Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$279.00

#### OVERVIEW

Designed for travelers who prefer an added measure of intimacy and flexibility, our new Oceania Exclusive tours limit group size to just 16 guests maximum. The Oceania Exclusive format is available on specially selected shore excursions in nearly every port we visit, around the world. Rejoice in the wonders of age-old Dubrovnik during this enriching coach and walking tour. After a panoramic drive to an outlook offering sweeping views of magnificent Dubrovnik, you'll arrive at the imposing Pile Gate, origin of the city's main street, Stradun, and main entrance to the walled Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Launch your guided walking tour with a visit to the 14th-century transitional Gothic-Renaissance Dominican Monastery and Church, whose exterior more closely resembles a fortress than a religious complex. Marvel at a fine collection of Renaissance paintings that features local and Italian masters and whose highlight is a painting by Titian. You'll discover the ornate Romanesque-Barogue Assumption Cathedral, which was built on the remains of a previous structure destroyed in a calamitous 1667 earthquake, and learn its treasury houses one of Europe's finest collections of gold and silver reliquaries. Pass the elegant 16th-century Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, notable for its elegant columns and elaborate stone carvings. Nearby, you'll find Orlando's Column, a carved figure of an armored knight that symbolizes Dubrovnik's freedom. Following your guided tour, enjoy free time for further exploration or shopping in this charismatic city.

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Heritage site, and view its esteemed fine art collection.

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• Study the exquisite Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, which features classical columns and detailed carvings.

• Discover Orlando's Column, a carving of a knight in full armor that celebrates the city's freedom.

• Delight in time at your leisure to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing.

• Enjoy a higher level of personal attention and flexibility on this Oceania Exclusive small group tour.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the

guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

### DBV-004 HISTORIC OLD DUBROVNIK ON FOOT Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$99.00

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#### OVERVIEW

Stroll through Dubrovnik's medieval Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, viewing numerous compelling highlights on this enthralling tour. Enter the walled city from the Pile Gate and commence a guided walking tour at the Stradun, the Old Town's main street. You'll visit the 14th-century transitional Gothic-Renaissance Dominican Monastery, whose exterior more closely resembles a fortress than a religious complex. Marvel at the monastery's fine collection of Renaissance paintings, which features local and Italian masters and whose highlight is a painting by Titian. You'll discover the ornate Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral was built on the remains of a previous sanctuary destroyed in a calamitous 1667 earthquake and learn its treasury houses one of Europe's finest collections of gold and silver reliquaries. Pass many fine monuments, such as striking Onofrio's Fountain, which supplied the city with water for over five centuries, the elegant 16th-century Venetian Gothic Sponza Palace, notable for its elegant courtyard columns and elaborate stone carvings, and the Baroque Church of Saint Blaise, named for Dubrovnik's patron saint. Following your guided tour, you'll appreciate time on your own for further exploration or shopping in this seductive city.

## HIGHLIGHTS

Delve into Dubrovnik's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, from the grand Pile Gate.

• Explore the 14th-century Gothic-Renaissance Dominican Monastery and examine its collection of fine art, including a painting by Titian.

• Visit the Romanesque-Baroque Assumption Cathedral, which boasts an outstanding collection of gold and silver reliquaries.

• View fascinating landmarks, such as the exquisite Sponza Palace and Baroque Church of Saint Blaise.

• Delight in free time to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be numerous stairs to negotiate. If you wish to visit the city walls independently before returning to the ship, your guide can point out where to purchase the ticket.

## DBV-013 OS-SEASIDE RESORT OF CAVTAT AND RIVIERA CRUISI Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM Duration: 4.75 Hrs Price: \$269.00

## OVERVIEW

Venture to a picturesque seaside resort town, ride a boat along the coast and explore Dubrovnik's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, on this comprehensive tour. Relax on a leisurely drive, viewing panoramic vistas of the Dubrovnik Riviera en route to seaside Cavtat, once a prosperous Greek and Roman colony. You'll visit the enticing Bukovac Gallery, birthplace of the painter Vlaho Bukovac, and study some of his impressive works. Sip a glass of sparkling wine in the Galija Restaurant

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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and relish free time to stroll Cavtat's inviting waterfront promenade. You'll depart the town by motorboat and cruise back to Dubrovnik's Old Town harbor along the gorgeous Dubrovnik Riviera. Begin your guided tour of the walled Old City, discovering sites such as the 15th-century Rector's Palace, where you'll see how the privileged aristocracy once lived, and the Maritime Museum, which is located in Fort Saint John and showcases some 4,000 exhibits illustrating the naval history of Dubrovnik. You'll admire ship models dating back to the 17th century, as well as flags, cannons, figureheads and nautical instruments. Following your guided tour, enjoy free time to let Croatia's rare beauty and deep history captivate your heart and feed your soul.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Study the painter Vlaho Bukovac's famed works at an intriguing gallery in charming Cavtat.

• Savor a glass of sparkling wine and stroll Cavtat's appealing seaside promenade.

• Board a motorboat for a scenic cruise along the Dubrovnik Riviera to the city's old harbor.

· Enjoy a guided tour of the walled Old City, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• Examine exhibits shedding light on Dubrovnik's naval history at the revealing Maritime Museum.

• Delight in free time to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves a moderate amount of walking. There will be some steps to negotiate. Due to renovation work taking place at the Rector's Palace, the site may be replaced with a visit to the Rupe Museum. In case of inclement weather or sea conditions, the boat ride between Cavtat and Dubrovnik will be replaced with a coach transfer. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

## DBV-018 WALKING THE CITY WALLS

Date: Oct 23, 2024	Time: 09:15 AM	<b>荧荧</b> 荧
Duration: 3.25 Hrs	Price: \$159.00	~~~~

## OVERVIEW

Roam Dubrovnik's storied defensive walls with ample free time to meander the Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, on this tour of discovery. Enter the Old Town at the imposing Pile Gate, where you'll ascend remarkably preserved ramparts considered to be among the greatest fortifications ever built. You'll learn that Dubrovnik's ancient city walls are approximately 1 ½ miles long and boast four fortresses and 33 bastions. View the imposing Minceta Tower, the cylindrical Bokar Fortress and arresting Fort Saint John, home of the engaging Maritime Museum, which has some 4,000 exhibits illustrating the naval history of Dubrovnik. Descending the walls into the Old Town at the Stradun, the city's main street, you'll enjoy approximately an hour of free time to wander about, perhaps shopping or exploring the fascinating monasteries, palaces and numerous other inviting landmarks scattered throughout this entrancing quarter.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Delve into Dubrovnik's walled Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site, from the grand Pile Gate.

 $\bullet$  Ascend the Old Town's ramparts, which stretch approximately 1  $^{1\!\!/}_2$  miles and feature several fortresses.

• Take in panoramic vistas of ancient fortifications and terra cotta roofs from the historic city walls.

• Examine exhibits chronicling Dubrovnik's naval history at the compelling Maritime Museum.

Delight in free time to browse inviting shops or continue sightseeing in the magical Old Town

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately one mile of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There are numerous steps, inclines and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

## DBV-021 PANORAMIC DUBROVNIK & COUNTRYSIDE Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM Duration: 3.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00

#### OVERVIEW

Behold Croatia's enchanting countryside, passing several charming villages before stopping at an old mill for a glimpse of this beguiling land's traditional way of life. Enjoy a leisurely drive along the Dalmatian coast, which brims with craggy bluffs, hidden coves and panoramic views of the glittering turquoise Adriatic Sea. You'll pass the resort town of Cavtat, perched on a wooded peninsula that was originally settled by the Greeks in the 4th century BC and later became the Roman city of Epidaurus. Traveling into the lush Konavle Valley, discover a 15th-century mill, powered by the Ljuta River, and learn how locally grown corn and flour were milled centuries ago. You'll find that this part of Croatia is also known for its production of wool and silk, which are usually hand-embroidered into clothing. At the old mill, relish a traditional Croatian snack of smoked ham, cheese and homemade bread, accompanied by a characteristic local wine, and contemplate Croatia's bucolic and bewitching charm.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• View jagged crags, serene coves and the aquamarine Adriatic on a drive along the Dalmatian coast.

• See charming Cavtat, a seaside resort town that was once a prosperous Greek and Roman colony.

• Discover a 15th-century mill on the Ljuta River in the fertile Konavle Valley.

• Savor smoked ham, cheese, homemade bread and local wine at the atmospheric mill.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour is primarily panoramic in nature with limited optional walking at the stops. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

DBV-023 GAME	OF THRONES - VENTURE	
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Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Price: \$169.00	

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

View iconic sites in Dubrovnik's Old Town that gained even greater fame as locations in the Game of Thrones television series. Explore Dubrovnik's Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site that fans of HBO's Game of Thrones will recognize as King's Landing, the fictional capital of the Seven Kingdoms. You'll stop at imposing Fort Lovrijenac, located just outside the city's medieval walls and known as Dubrovnik's Gibraltar. See an 11th-century fortress perched atop a craggy rock emerging from the inlet that represents the show's Blackwater Bay. Entering Dubrovnik's Old Town, make your way to the southern defensive walls, climb the stone battlements and marvel at extraordinary views of the Adriatic and the city's cluster of historic buildings. You'll learn that these walls were used frequently in Game of Thrones but were particularly prominent in the series' Battle of Blackwater Bay. Appreciate approximately one hour of free time to wander the Old Town, where you may find other sites from the series, such as the Jesuit Staircase, where Cersei Lannister began her walk of shame in the fifth season, or locations on Saint Dominic Street which were featured in many of the show's market scenes.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Tour locations used in HBO's popular Game of Thrones in Dubrovnik's Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

• Discover Fort Lovrijenac, which doubled as Blackwater Bay, just outside the medieval city walls.

• Walk defensive walls that were prominently featured in the Battle of Blackwater Bay.

• Look for additional locations from the series during free time in the spellbinding Old Town.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.

• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

## PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be a great number of steps to negotiate. This tour is considered unsuitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The minimum age to participate in this tour is eight years old.

#### DBV-032 CROATIAN WINE & DINE Date: Oct 23, 2024 Time: 09:45 AM Duration: 2.75 Hrs Price: \$139.00

#### **OVERVIEW**

Enjoy a sampling of premium Croatian wines and locally sourced produce at the vegan restaurant Urban & Veggie. You will gain an appreciation for the abundance of fresh fruits and vegetables available in Dubrovnik by browsing the stalls of the open-air Gruz Market. You will likely see many of the organic ingredients that you will snack on at the restaurant. They may include pickled beetroot for hummus, cashews that are whipped into a ricotta-like dip and cherry tomatoes to top the toasted crostini. The chef will have prepared the vegan, GMO-free dishes that morning to maximize the flavors of the seasonal ingredients. The dishes will be paired with about a half-dozen Croatian wines that sommelier Ksenija Matic has chosen. They may include a ruby-red made with Plavac Mali grape and a full-bodied white made with Posip grapes, two of the primary grape varieties that are grown along the Dalmatian Coast.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Marvel at the abundance of produce available in Dubrovnik by browsing a green market.

· Enjoy a tasting of wines chosen by one of Dubrovnik's most acclaimed

#### sommeliers.

• Savor a selection of vegan snacks that pair with the wines at Urban & Veggie restaurant.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing .
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes .

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking and/or standing mainly at the guest's discretion. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to both make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

## Pula/Rovinj, Croatia

## PUY-001 BEST OF ISTRIA

Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 10:30 AM Duration: 6.75 Hrs Price: \$239.00



#### OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Enjoy a panoramic drive through the beautiful Istrian Peninsula and see historical highlights that reveal much about life in ancient times. The hilltop village of Bale will offer a hint of the architectural wonders that lie ahead as it developed around a medieval castle that still dominates the downtown. Nearby Gržini is equally historical but has become known more for its bountiful farms, the source of many of the ingredients in your lunch at a local estate. The large seaside city of Pula was repeatedly conquered over the centuries and its monumental amphitheater reflects a time when the Romans ruled. Built in the 1st century, it held 23,000 spectators who came to watch gladiator fights and other spectacles. The arena is still used for concerts, ballet performances and sporting events. The Temple of Augustus in Pula was built around the same time. Although heavily damaged during World War II, it was reconstructed a few years later.

## HIGHLIGHTS

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• Visit cities and landmarks that disclose much about ancient life on the lstrian Peninsula.

• Stroll the cobbled streets of Bale whose medieval castle is still the town's largest building.

• Behold the Roman amphitheater in Pula, a 1st-century monument that is still used today.

#### Savor lunch made with locally sourced ingredients at an estate in Gržini.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

## PUY-006 BRIJUNI NATIONAL PARK Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 10:30 AM Duration: 6.50 Hrs Price: \$149.00

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#### OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Admire the natural wonders of Veliki Brijun, the largest island in the archipelago that makes up the Brijuni National Park. A scenic ferry ride

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from Fazana will bring you to the island, which you will then explore by trolley train. Among the highlights is riding through a safari park that is home to llamas, Indian elephants, ostriches and other non-native animals. Other wildlife is plentiful throughout the national park and you may spot free-roaming peacocks, fallow deer, mouflon sheep and all sorts of migratory birds. Many of the Istrian Peninsula's endangered plant species also thrive in these protected lands, including wild cucumber and strawberry shrubs. While browsing a natural history museum, you will enjoy an in-depth look at the park's diverse biomes. People have also lived on Veliki Brijun for thousands of years as you will discover at the remains of a 1st-century Roman villa and a Byzantine fortress.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Enjoy a picturesque ferry ride to and from the largest island in the Brijuni National Park.

• Ride a trolley train through a safari park with an unusual collection of animals

· Browse a natural history museum, the ruins of a Roman villa and a centuries-old fortress.

• Spend free time exploring other areas of the national park on your own.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

· Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE This tour includes approximately 3 hours of walking. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

## PUY-008 POSTOJNA CAVE

Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 10:30 AM Duration: 6.00 Hrs Price: \$239.00



#### **OVERVIEW**

OVERVIEW Ride an electric-powered train through Postojna Cave, a vast subterranean world that is dramatically illuminated to showcase the unusual geological formations. You will cross the border of Slovenia to reach this series of caverns that the Pivka River has carved out of the underground karst terrain. Railway tracks were first laid in the cave in 1872, although visitors had been coming for years, including royalty, Mozart and scientists, who have been studying the cave life since the mid-17th century. There is even graffiti dating to the 13th century. While riding and walking through the cave, you will view stalagmites and stalactites of every imaginable shape and color. One of the most spectacular formations is a towering column of flowstone named Brilliant for its shiny bright-white color. All sorts of rare creatures live in the cave including olms, which are blind aquatic salamanders that can survive without eating for 12 years.

## HIGHLIGHTS

· View the geological wonders of Postojna Cave from the comfort of a train and by walking.

· Hear compelling commentary about the cave's history and the luminaries that have visited.

· Gain an understanding of the unusual creatures that live in this subterranean world.

### HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

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PLEASE NOTE This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

## PUY-004 HILLTOP JEWELS OF ISTRIA Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 10:45 AM Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$119.00

## OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Explore three inland villages in the upper Istrian Peninsula, each with a distinct personality and all offering panoramic views of the verdant countryside below. On the way to Motovun, you will get a real feel for the rolling agricultural terrain as you will pass long-established olive groves, vineyards and orchards. Defensive walls dating to the 11th century enclose much of Motovun, including the main square where you will find the Church of St. Stephan. The adjacent bell tower was originally built as a lookout. Nearby Grožnjan was also a walled stronghold in medieval times. Although its past is celebrated, it is now known more as a village of artists. Musicians often play in the streets and countless galleries and studios display the works of local artists. A short stop in hilltop Livade will reveal the village's obsession with truffles as you will sample these prized delicacies in a small shop.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

· Visit three medieval villages perched atop hills in the upper Istrian Peninsula.

· See architectural treasures and fortifications, some a thousand years old. in Motovun.

· Browse the galleries in Grožnjan, an atmospheric village that has long attracted artists.

· Sample truffles in Livade, the self-proclaimed Center of the Truffle World. HELPFUL HINTS

- · Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- · Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE This tour includes walking over various terrain, uphill and downhill. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

#### PUY-010 CHARMING ADRIATIC GEMS Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 10:45 AM Duration: 5.75 Hrs Price: \$139.00

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#### **OVERVIEW**

OVERVIEW Settle in for a picturesque drive along the eastern shore of the Istrian Peninsula and explore several gorgeous resort towns on the Adriatic Sea. From the hilltop village of Plomin, which is partially encircled by 9th-century stone walls, you will enjoy panoramic views and learn a bit about its founding in Roman times. Farther up the coast, you will find Lovran, a fortified medieval village renowned for its beautiful setting and local delicacies, especially chestnuts and cherries, which tend to be juicer and sweeter than other varieties of the fruit. A tasting will confirm why they are so celebrated. You will also enjoy an enlightening walk through Opatija, a fashionable coastal town where Hungarian and Austrian nobility built villas in the 19th century. During free time, you might stroll the Lungomare promenade that runs along the sea. One of its highlights is the graceful Maiden with the Seagull statue, which has become a symbol of Opatija.

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Evening excursion	X Meal included	<b>ADA Accessible</b>	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Drive along the Istria Peninsula's eastern shore and explore its acclaimed resort towns.
- Snap photos from the hilltop village of Plomin, which dates to Roman times.
- Tour medieval Lovran and sample some of the delicacies grown there.
  Visit glamorous Opatija and walk along the seaside promenade if you wish.

## HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

## PUY-002 PULA & ROMAN AMPITHEATRE

Date: Oct 24, 2024	Time: 11:00 AM
Duration: 4.50 Hrs	Price: \$119.00

### OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW See the highlights of Pula - the largest city on the Istrian Peninsula - including its Roman amphitheater, which still hosts events. Pula has been inhabited since the Iron Age, which ended nearly 3,000 years ago, so it exudes history. While walking through the city, you will enjoy close-up views of the 2nd-century twin Roman gates, largely intact Roman walls and the Temple of Augustus, which had to be reconstructed after being bombed in World War II. The chapel of Saint Mary of Formosa is an early Christian monument that warrants a look as well. Still, Pula's most revered landmark is its limestone Roman amphitheater, which like the similarly shaped Colosseum in Rome was constructed in the 1st century. It originally held up to 23,000 spectators, who were cooled by fountains that sprayed scented water that also masked the smell of blood in the arena. During free time, you might explore the catacombs below. Starting off from the pier, you'll first travel to Porec's historic city center where you'll see several noteworthy sites, including the St. Euphemia Basilica. Built in the 6th century, the Basilica is considered Porec's most important monument and is a UNESCO World Heritage site. Following your guided tour of the town, you'll be allowed some free time to stroll along the main streets of Cardo Maximus and Decumanus, discovering small shops and galleries while immersing yourself in Porec's tranquil ambience. Re-joining your coach, it's a short drive into the lush Istrian countryside to the quaint village of Krunicici. It is here that the Matosevic Family Winery is located, one of the most well-known wineries in Croatia. The Matosevic family themselves will warmly welcome you and after an informative overview of the winery. vou'll be invited to sample a selection of their wines, accompanied by some homemade cheese, Istrian Prsut and Fritule. As an added treat, you'll be able to sample their Grappa as well. At the conclusion of your winery visit, you'll be transferred back to the pier in Rovinj. Please note: This tour consists of approximately 2 hours of moderate walking which includes cobblestone surfaces and it is not available to wheelchair guests. It is recommended that those guests with mobility concerns evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Lightweight clothing, hats and flat, comfortable walking shoes are suggested.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Enjoy a walking tour through Pula's oldest quarter, which dates back 3,000 years.

· Behold the iconic Roman amphitheater, a 1st-century monument that is

still used today. See Roman-built defensive walls and city gates and an early Christian chapel. Spend free time further exploring the landmarks or simply shop if you wish.

### HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

## PUY-003 TRUFFLE HUNTING Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 11:15 AM

Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$239.00



## OVERVIEW

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OVERVIEW Become immersed in all things related to truffles, the highly prized edible fungi that grow underground among the roots of certain trees. The Karlic family, who are third-generation truffle hunters, will show you around their property near the inland village of Paladini. They hunt for white and black truffles virtually every day with their pack of trained truffle dogs. You will meet some of the dogs and watch how they seek out the truffles, whose locations are closely guarded. Once a dog sniffs one, the hunter must carefully extract it from the soil without damage. It is a slow, methodical process that reflects the value of truffles. You will also have the opportunity to browse the Karlic's truffle museum, enjoy a glass of wine and sample local Croatian delicacies made with truffles. They typically include cheeses, salami, honey, oil and aceto balsamic vinegar. The Karlics even flavor popcorn with truffles.

## HIGHLIGHTS

• Visit a third-generation family of truffle hunters and learn how they harvest ttruffles.

• Watch trained truffle dogs demonstrate their prodigious skills to find truffles underground.

• Browse a truffle museum full of enlightening exhibits about these prized fungi.

• Sample local delicacies made with white and black truffles found on the property.

### HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE This tour includes walking over various terrain, uphill and downhill. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

### PUY-005 EXPLORE ROVINJ BY FOOT Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 11:30 AM, 02:00 PM Duration: 2.00 Hrs Price: \$69.00

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## OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Discover the charms of Rovinj on a leisurely walk through its oldest quarter, an enlightening introduction that will pique your interest to explore further on your own. The Old Town blankets an island that wasn't connected to the mainland until the 18th century and historical buildings cover most every inch of it. As you meander along the narrow cobbled

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

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streets, you will pass fortified walls that were built after the Venetians conquered Rovinj in 1283. The Venetian influence is still evident in much of the architecture, which includes styles such as gothic, renaissance and baroque. Although you will likely see the Balbi Arch that marks the spot that was once the entrance to Old Town, the undeniable highlight will be the Church of Saint Euphemia. It is an imposing hilltop building built in the early 1700s next to an even older bell tower. The saint's relics are kept in the sarcophagus behind the altar.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Walk through the atmospheric streets of Old Town, a district rich in history and legend.

Admire the various styles of architecture that include gothic,

## renaissance and baroque.

• See the Church of Saint Euphemia, a baroque landmark decorated with religious paintings.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

#### PUY-007 CRUISE THROUGH ROVINJ ARCHIPELAGO Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 11:30 AM Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$119.00

#### OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Cruise through the dozens of islands that make up the Rovinj archipelago and on into Lim Bay, a fjord-like waterway that extends seven miles into the Istrian Peninsula. The scenery will be absolutely spectacular throughout the cruise, but especially once you enter the bay, which is technically a ria as the water covers a former river valley. The most unusual feature is the vegetation on the steep-walled banks. The north side, which is sunnier, is covered with evergreens while deciduous oaks and ash trees blanket the south side. It is quite the contrast. The water also has some uncommon characteristics, such as a high concentration of dissolved oxygen that makes it ideal for marine life. Consequently, fishing is excellent and oysters and mussels are farmed along the shores. Even so, the main draw is the timeless natural beauty. Be sure to look skyward as hawks can often be spotted riding the thermals.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

• Cruise through the scenic Rovinj archipelago and into a lengthy fjord-like bay.

• Notice how each side of the bay is covered with vegetation not found on the other side.

• Hear commentary about the formation of the bay and why marine life flourishes there.

• Watch for hawks effortlessly riding the thermals that rise off the steep-walled bay.

## HELPFUL HINTS

• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

#### PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of

the sites visited or viewed may vary.

## PUY-009 INTO THE DEEP OF BAREDINE CAVE Date: Oct 24, 2024 Time: 11:30 AM Duration: 3.75 Hrs Price: \$129.00

OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Descend into an ancient cave with five main chambers that lead somewhat vertically to an underground lake that in prehistoric times was used as a well. Later, when the Romans cleared the land for farming, they dumped rocks into the cave and eventually closed the entrance. In the 1970s, the rocks were cleared and scientists began to study the geological wonders within Baredine Cave. As you will discover, it is an extraordinary site full of stalagmites and stalactites, all beautifully illuminated for dramatic effect. There are formations shaped like the Virgin Mary, a shepherdess and the Leaning Tower of Pisa. The most remarkable stalagmite is known as the Snowman for its shape and color. It formed in the last chamber next to the lake where blind aquatic salamanders live. Back on the surface, you will browse an open-air tractor museum that shows how farming on the Istrian Peninsula has progressed since Roman times.

### HIGHLIGHTS

• Walk through Baredine Cave following a circuitous path that leads to an underground lake.

• Learn about the endemic blind salamanders that live in the underground lake.

• See geological formations with shapes ranging from the Virgin Mary to a snowman.

• Browse an open-air tractor museum that shows the advancements in farming equipment.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

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• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

## PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE This tour includes limited walking, and stepping down in the cave. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

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Evening excursion	🗙 Meal included	ADA Accessible	FW Food & Wine Trails	WT Wellness Tour

## **General Information**

## WHAT'S INCLUDED

**Transportation** - Licensed and insured late-model coaches, mini-vans, automobiles, watercraft and other modes of transportation are utilized. **Guides** - Licensed, English-speaking local guides accompany all tours.

Admission Fees - Shore excursions include all required admission fees, where applicable.

Meals & Refreshments - Meals and/or refreshments are included only when indicated in the shore excursion description.

## **CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS**

• Shore excursions operate rain or shine.

• Minimum participation levels are required to operate shore excursions, so please sign up as early as possible. Excursions may be cancelled if minimum participation levels are not met. To ensure quality guides and sufficient transportation, we must provide the tour operator with passenger counts at least 36 hours in advance.

• Shore excursion packages are fully refundable prior to embarkation of your cruise. Packages cancelled after embarkation will incur a 100% cancellation fee.

• À la carte excursions are fully refundable until 36 hours in advance of the excursion. Excursions cancelled less than 36 hours in advance will incur a 100% cancellation fee.

• In the event of a port cancellation, guests who have purchased a shore excursion package will receive a pro rata refund for that port based on the price paid. Guests who have purchased an à la carte excursion for a cancelled port will receive a full refund.

• For guests with the Simply More Shore Excursion Package, no refunds or credits will be given if the excursion is not taken, unless the excursion is cancelled by Oceania Cruises.

## PRICES, ITINERARIES & GENERAL INFORMATION

• All pre-reserved shore excursions receive priority confirmation over those booked on board.

• In order to receive maximum pre-cruise savings, you may pre-purchase shore excursions up until 7 days prior to your sail date.

• The discount of 25% off à la carte excursion prices that is offered with the Simply More Shore Excursion Package is subject to a minimum number of excursions that must be purchased. This minimum is based on the number of port days on your cruise.

• Shore excursion prices are subject to change to meet unexpected cost increases or currency fluctuations. Once excursions have been purchased, pricing is guaranteed and not subject to change.

• During local or national holidays, access to certain facilities (such as museums or archaeological sites) may be limited or denied. In such instances, adjustments in the shore excursion itinerary will be made to minimize inconvenience to guests.

• Some shore excursions have limited availability; reserve your excursions early to avoid disappointment.

• Oceania Cruises reserves the right to require guests to complete a liability waiver for select shore excursions. For more information, please consult the Destination Services Desk on board.

## PLEASE NOTE

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