

## Shore Excursions

Barcelona, Spain to Rome (Civitavecchia), Italy

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### EXPLORE ASHORE

Oceania Cruises shares your passion for new discoveries and that has led us to create award-winning shore excursions and tours that explore the world's most important historical, cultural and artistic gems. The wide variety of tour options means you may choose from the most enriching tours and adventures available in each of our ports of call. Witness natural wonders, explore human-made marvels and immerse yourself in the culture, history and cuisine of these storied destinations.

**Reasons to book** - Enjoy peace of mind knowing that your excursions are monitored by the ship's staff and start pierside for your security and convenience. Professional English-speaking experts guide you through your journey. A staff of experienced excursion specialists expertly plans each tour and is dedicated to maximizing your time in each port. Travel with premier, licensed and insured tour companies aboard the best available, climate-controlled luxury transportation. Plus, your excursion price is guaranteed from the moment you book with no penalty on cancellations up to embarkation day.

### PACKAGES & PRICING

Your voyage offers the pricing options below.

#### À La Carte Excursions

Individual à la carte excursions are available for pre-purchase. Reserving in advance gives you the peace of mind knowing that your excursions have been pre-arranged and pre-reserved prior to your arrival.

**Oceania Select Excursions** - While all of the shore excursions offer extraordinary experiences, some are so outstanding and so awe-inspiring that they merit special recognition. These tours are designated as Oceania Select excursions and offer unique, one-of-a-kind experiences to the passionate explorer wishing to delve even deeper into a region's culture and history.

**Oceania Exclusive Excursions** - For those travelers who prefer an added measure of privacy, intimacy and flexibility, we also offer our Oceania Exclusive excursions. With a minimum participation of 10 guests, and never more than 16, these excursions benefit from a higher level of personal attention and detail only possible in small groups.

#### Simply More Shore Excursion Package

**Save 25%** - Our Simply More Shore Excursion Package (formerly known as Your World Collection) provides you with the flexibility to design a personalized, value-packed collection of excursions. Best of all, you will save 25% off onboard à la carte prices when you reserve the shore excursion minimum. Save 25% when you reserve the minimum of 5 shore excursions.

### BOOK YOUR SHORE EXCURSIONS

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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. À 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

 Beyond Blueprints

 Go Green


 Easy activity


 Strenuous activity

 Oceania Select

 Culinary Discovery

 Go Local

 Evening excursion

 Meal included

 ADA Accessible

 Food & Wine Trails

 Wellness Tour

## Provence (Marseille), France

### MRS-003 AIX-EN-PROVENCE

Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00



#### OVERVIEW

Welcome a leisurely walking tour of alluring Aix-en-Provence, a graceful provincial city with a noble heritage. Rejoice in a picturesque drive through the Provençal countryside, a verdant patchwork of gentle foothills and bucolic valleys that stirs the imagination and stimulates the senses. Begin your exploration of magnetic Aix on Cours Mirabeau, a lively boulevard shaded by 200-year-old plane trees that is framed by cafés, bookshops and splendid mansions, whose attractive façades are enriched by wrought-iron balconies and finely carved doorways. You'll cherish the verdant Mazarin District, founded in 1646 by the noted archbishop of the same name and later home to writers and artists such as Paul Cézanne. Admire Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, which was built over ten centuries, resulting in its intriguing meld of architectural styles. During time on your own, perhaps look for the 16th-century belfry that boasts a sophisticated astronomical clock from 1661 or relax at an inviting café beside one of the myriad fountains gracing this refined city.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- See the idyllic landscapes of the French countryside on your journey to Aix-en-Provence.
- Stroll under lofty 200-year-old plane trees in Aix's bustling Cours Mirabeau.
- Discover the superb Mazarin District, an artist's haven graced with numerous gardens.
- Gaze at Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, an architectural hodge-podge that took a millennium to build.
- Revel in approximately one hour of free time to shop or explore at your leisure.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 1 ¼ hours of moderate 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 evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may make arrangements with the guide to not participate in some of the guided walking portions of the tour.

### MRS-003OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - AIX-EN-PROVENCE

Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM

Duration: 4.00 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. Welcome a leisurely walking tour of alluring Aix-en-Provence, a graceful provincial city with a noble heritage. Rejoice in a picturesque drive through the Provençal countryside, a verdant patchwork of gentle foothills and bucolic valleys that stirs the imagination and stimulates the senses. Begin your exploration of magnetic Aix on Cours Mirabeau, a lively boulevard

shaded by 200-year-old plane trees that is framed by cafés, bookshops and splendid mansions, whose attractive façades are enriched by wrought-iron balconies and finely carved doorways. You'll cherish the verdant Mazarin District, founded in 1646 by the noted archbishop of the same name and later home to writers and artists such as Paul Cézanne. Admire Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, which was built over ten centuries, resulting in its intriguing meld of architectural styles. You'll appreciate the remains of the cathedral's Roman-era wall and the superb 15th-century Gothic portal. As you wander the atmospheric streets of Aix, you'll surely be charmed by the easy Provençal way of life.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- See the idyllic landscapes of the French countryside on your journey to Aix-en-Provence.
- Stroll under lofty 200-year-old plane trees in Aix's bustling Cours Mirabeau.
- Discover the superb Mazarin District, an artist's haven graced with numerous gardens.
- Gaze at Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, an architectural hodge-podge that took a millennium to build.
- Enjoy a higher level of personal attention and flexibility on this Oceania Exclusive small group

#### HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

#### PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 1 ¼ hours of moderate 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 evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may make arrangements with the guide to not participate in some of the guided walking portions of the tour.

### MRS-002 MARSEILLE HIGHLIGHTS & CASSIS

Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM

Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$185.00



#### OVERVIEW

Enjoy the best of Marseille on a panoramic coach tour and visit the quintessential French fishing village of Cassis. You'll drive through Marseille's captivating Old Port, understanding the influence of the Greeks who first settled here around 600 BC, and see Notre-Dame de la Garde Basilica, a 19th-century wonder built atop a limestone outcrop that towers over Marseille. Gaze in awe at this neo-Byzantine church, a green-and-white-striped sanctuary whose belfry soars nearly 200 feet and is topped with a titanic gold-leafed statue of the Madonna and Child. Journey along the scenic Gineste Road, which hugs the pristine coastline, to the enchanting seaside village of Cassis. Nestled at the base of a medieval castle and framed by limestone cliffs, you'll find the stone-paved streets of Cassis' tranquil Old Town, which is lined with pastel-colored houses and mottled plane trees. As you breathe in the aromas of Provençal herbs and take in the village's poetic scenery, you'll understand why the town has attracted artists for generations. During time on your own, perhaps you'll stroll the shimmering harbor and spot fishermen unloading the daily catch, an evocative tableau that perfectly encapsulates the delightfully unspoiled village of Cassis.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Traverse Marseille's Old Town by coach with an informative guide providing invaluable historical context.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

- Marvel at Notre-Dame de la Garde, the neo-Byzantine basilica rising above Marseille.
- Explore Cassis' marvelous Old Town, steeped in the herbal fragrances of Provence.
- Wander beside softly-hued dwellings, through leafy squares and along a timeless fishing harbor.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. 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. This tour does not include a visit to Notre Dame de la Garde Basilica.

**MRS-016 DISCOVER ST. REMY DE PROVENCE**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$169.00**



OVERVIEW

Hear the echoes of Vincent Van Gogh and Nostradamus in the storied village of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence on this guided walking tour with free time. You'll find this serene town nestled at the base of the northern slopes of the Massif des Alpilles, a craggy range of arid limestone mountains. Begin an approximately 45-minute walking tour of the charmed village, following winding, cobbled lanes that lead to fetching squares graced with sparkling fountains and venerable plane trees. You'll learn that in 1889 and 1890 Vincent Van Gogh completed more than 150 paintings and sketches while receiving treatment here, and that the subject matters of many of those works of art, such as irises, can still be seen in the surrounding landscapes of wheat fields, olive groves and cypresses. Consider the town's other notorious citizen, the 16th-century French astrologer and enigmatic forecaster Nostradamus, whose modest house still stands on Rue Hoche. In graceful Saint-Martin Church, the largest building in town, admire the 14th-century bell tower and its restored organ, which boasts nearly 500 pipes. Appreciate time on your own to shop for antiques, browse the outdoor markets or linger over a meal as you contemplate Provence's exceptional gifts.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Stroll the inviting streets and squares of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, a classic Provençal village.
- Discover Van Gogh produced over 150 works while being treated here in 1889 and 1890.
- Learn Nostradamus, the legendary prophesier and astronomer, lived in a house that has changed little over the centuries.
- Applaud the Gothic spire and sumptuous 500-pipe organ of Saint-Martin Church.
- Enjoy time at your leisure to shop the town's bustling markets or stop for a satisfying meal at a sidewalk café.

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 walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for those

with mobility concerns.

**MRS-019 AIX EN PROVENCE, CHEESE & WINE**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$169.00**



OVERVIEW

Indulge in the best of Aix-en-Provence with a guided walking tour, a wine and cheese tasting and time on your own. Rejoice in a picturesque drive through the Provençal countryside, a verdant patchwork of gentle foothills and bucolic valleys that stirs the imagination and stimulates the senses. Begin your exploration of magnetic Aix on Cours Mirabeau, a lively boulevard shaded by 200-year-old plane trees that is framed by cafés, bookshops and splendid mansions. Seek out the unique Moussue Fountain, fed by a natural thermal spring, and admire Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, which was built over ten centuries, resulting in its intriguing meld of architectural styles. Stop at La Fromagerie du Passage, a purveyor of fine cheeses and wines, for a mouthwatering sampling of a selection of vintages matched with cheeses crafted with local ingredients using traditional methods.

HIGHLIGHTS

- See the idyllic landscapes of the French countryside on your journey to Aix-en-Provence.
- Stroll under lofty 200-year-old plane trees in Aix's bustling Cours Mirabeau.
- Discover the unusual Moussue Fountain, a verdant water feature fed by a thermal spring.
- Gaze at Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, an architectural hodge-podge that took a millennium to build.
- Savor a tasting of terrific local wines and cheeses at chic La Fromagerie du Passage.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a moderate amount 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. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

**MRS-026 GOURMET TOUR - WINE TASTING AT LA FROMAGERIE DU PASSAGE**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$299.00**



OVERVIEW

Savor a selection of Provence wines paired with locally produced cheeses in Aix-en-Provence, a medieval town that begs to be explored. You will begin with a walk along the leafy Cours Mirabeau, a wide boulevard framed by cafés, bookshops and elegant mansions with wrought-iron balconies. The beloved plane trees that shade the boulevard are about 200 years old. You will likely see landmarks such as the Mousse Fountain, which is fed by a natural thermal spring where the Romans bathed. In time, you will stop at La Fromagerie du Passage, a shop that sells extraordinary cheeses and wines. During the tasting that follows, you will sample a selection of wines paired with a charcuterie of local meats and cheeses produced through traditional methods. Chances are, one of the wines will be a rosé, which is by far the dominant wine produced in Provence.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a wine tasting and charcuterie at a cheese shop in Aix-en-Provence.
- Learn about the wines produced in Provence, especially the most prevalent rosés.
- Meander along Cours Mirabeau, a leafy boulevard that runs through the heart of Aix-en-Provence.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking and standing, and uneven cobbled street surfaces. The sights on this tour are not wheelchair accessible; therefore, it is unavailable to wheelchair guests. Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. Altea's city center is not wheelchair accessible.

**MRS-027 GOURMET TOUR - WINE TASTING AT DOMAINE LA DONA TIGANA**



**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$259.00**

OVERVIEW

Enjoy a wine tasting at Domaine La Dona Tigana, an esteemed winery in Cassis that former soccer star Jean Tigana has owned for the past few decades. As an introduction to the Bordeaux region, you will first explore Cassis on an enlightening walk. The town couldn't be more enchanting, especially around the port, an area that has inspired countless artists over the years, including painters Raoul Dufy, Paul Signac and Georges Braque. The winery is equally alluring as you will discover while touring the cellar and vineyards, where certified organic white grapes are most prominent. You can expect to learn about the history of Domaine La Dona Tigana, the Cassis terroir and the particulars of the winemaking process. During the tasting, you may be offered a crisp Blanc de Blancs blend, a white varietal made entirely from Marsanne grapes and a charcuterie as an accompaniment.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour the extraordinary Cassis winery that former soccer star Jean Tigana owns.
- Sample a selection of the estate's premier wines served with a charcuterie of local products.
- Enjoy a walking tour through Cassis that focuses on the picturesque port area.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

Flat Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking and standing, and uneven cobbled street surfaces. The sights on this tour are not wheelchair accessible; therefore, it is unavailable to wheelchair guests. Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. Altea's city center is not wheelchair accessible. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested

**MRS-BB1 BEYOND BLUEPRINTS - MARSEILLE**



**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$269.00**

OVERVIEW

Gain an insider's understanding of the challenges in building two avant-garde landmarks by touring them with an architectural historian. Perched along the waterfront, La Villa Méditerranée was designed to embody Marseille's deep bond with the sea. Instantly recognized for its prominent cantilevered overhang, this three-level public space also features a conference center with portholes beneath the sea. As you will discover, that lower floor presented all sorts of unusual circumstances that pushed the boundaries of architecture. The building faces MUCEM, a national museum devoted to Mediterranean civilizations. Its audacious design includes elements such as tree-like columns, a lacy façade that resembles a fishnet and a slender footbridge that connects it to the towering ramparts of Fort St. Jean. The square-within-a-square shape of MUCEM is classical in one sense but radically different because of the building materials. The concrete filigree that shields much of the structure is particularly stunning.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour two futuristic landmarks with an architectural historian that will describe the designs.
- Discover how the challenges of building an underwater conference center were overcome.
- Recognize how a national museum used revolutionary materials to achieve its design.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE : This tour includes approximately 3 hours of walking over mainly flat and even surfaces and transportation in certain areas. 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. Admission to the National Museum is not included.

**MRS-004 AVIGNON, THE POPE'S PALACE & LES BAUX**



**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$259.00**

OVERVIEW

Discover the tumultuous history of arresting Avignon, seat of the papacy for much of the 14th century, and the lovely village of Les Baux de Provence on this marvelous guided tour. As you drive into Avignon, you'll admire its picturesque setting along a bend of the Rhône River and learn of the fascinating historic-political turmoil that drove Clement V to move the papacy here from Rome in 1309. Contemplate the magnificent Palace of the Popes, constructed primarily during the papacies of Benedict XII and Clement VI and at the time one of the world's largest buildings. During your visit of this imposing fortified residence, wander through sumptuously decorated chambers, serene chapels and beguiling passages. In Avignon's lovely Old Town, enjoy a walking tour through an enthralling maze of cobbled lanes and shaded squares. Rejoin your coach for a journey into the craggy Massif des Alpilles, where you'll light upon the medieval hamlet of Les Baux de Provence perched like an eagle's nest 800 feet above the valley floor. Meander through a remarkably preserved jumble of stone houses clinging to the hillside, the crumbling ruins of a once-mighty castle providing a perfect snapshot of Provence's astonishing feudal age.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Understand Avignon's outside role in Europe as home to the popes

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour



during most of the 14th century.

- Tour the astounding Palace of the Popes, a fortress-like residence that was among its era's largest buildings.
- Stroll the inviting streets of Avignon's labyrinthine Old Town during a guided walking tour.
- Travel to the Massif des Alpilles, a bewitching landscape of irregularly carved hills.
- Find the wonderful medieval village of Les Baux de Provence atop a jagged mountain spur.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 3 ½ hours of extensive walking. There will be uneven surfaces, hills and steps to negotiate. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

**MRS-018 THE CLASSIC VILLAGES OF ST. REMY & ARLES**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$169.00**



OVERVIEW

Follow the footsteps of Vincent Van Gogh in the radiant towns of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence and Arles on this guided walking tour with generous free time. In Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, appreciate an approximately 75-minute walking tour, roaming cobbled lanes that lead to fetching squares graced with sparkling fountains and venerable plane trees. You'll learn that in 1889 and 1890 Vincent Van Gogh completed more than 150 paintings and sketches while receiving treatment at the town's psychiatric hospital. Gaze out a window from the room where the master convalesced, perhaps catching a glimpse of his subject matters, such as irises and cypress trees. Appreciate approximately 90 minutes of free time to lunch and shop before heading to Arles, a marvelous city that played host to one of Van Gogh's darkest episodes, the severing of his own ear. During your approximately one-hour walking tour, you'll learn the town has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage site for its outstanding Roman ruins and the Romanesque Church of Saint-Trophime, whose cloister and ornate 12th-century portal depicting the Last Judgment are particularly exquisite. Among other highlights, you'll view an arcaded Roman amphitheater and enjoy approximately one hour on your own to further explore resplendent Arles.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Stroll the inviting streets and squares of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, a classic Provençal village.
- Examine the room Van Gogh stayed in while he received psychiatric treatment in 1889 and 1890.
- Discover the city of Arles, a UNESCO World Heritage site that boasts stunning Roman ruins.
- Learn of Van Gogh's troubled year in Arles as you walk on streets once trod by the artist.
- Admire the Church of Saint-Trophime's remarkable Romanesque portal and cloister.
- Appreciate time at your leisure in both towns for lunch and shopping.

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-to-strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces, steps and inclines to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for those with mobility concerns. Participants should be in good physical condition.

**MRS-020 OS-CHTEAUNEUF DU PAPE; WINE TASTING & AVIGNON**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$319.00**



OVERVIEW

Sample an inspired selection of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines, sit for a delectable luncheon and tour monumental Avignon, whose historic center has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage site. Settle in for a gorgeous drive through the Provençal countryside to the southern Rhône Valley, where you'll find the ancient village of Châteauneuf-du-Pape. Discover Maison Bouachon, a distinguished winery founded over a century ago by a local barrel-maker. Although the exact wines will be selected upon your arrival, you can expect to sample classics crafted with grapes such as grenache, syrah and mourvèdre, including the winery's signature La Tiare du Pape. Following the tasting, you'll proceed to Avignon for a lavish three-course lunch at celebrated restaurant La Treille and a tour of the majestic walled city. In the UNESCO World Heritage site historic center, you'll see highlights including the imposing Palace of the Popes, which is one the largest Gothic buildings in Europe, and the remains of the Saint-Bénézet Bridge, a series of stone arches that once spanned a bend in the Rhône River. Delight in time on your own to continue your exploration of Avignon's streets or shop for Provence's quintessential lavender-based goods.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Savor a selection of outstanding Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines at acclaimed Maison Bouachon.
- Indulge in an excellent three-course luncheon at La Treille, a sophisticated restaurant in Avignon.
- Tour Avignon's outstanding walled Old Town, including views of two UNESCO World Heritage sites.
- Gaze at the impressive Palace of the Popes, a fortified residence to seven popes during the religious upheavals of the 14th century.
- Examine the elegant arches of Saint-Bénézet Bridge's partial span across the Rhône.
- Welcome free time continue exploring Avignon or browse products crafted from local lavender.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

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. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

**MRS-025 FOOD & WINE TRAILS-LE DOMAINE DE FONTENILLE & LOURMARIN**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$459.00**



Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

OVERVIEW

Savor the gastronomic delights of Provence, starting with a tour of the winery and a tasting of estate-grown wines, followed by lunch at the elegant Domaine de Fontenille before exploring the lovely Provencal village of Lourmarin either on your own or with your guide. Initially built in 1638, the Fontenille estate has been tastefully restored and expanded to include a stylish boutique hotel with fountains, remarkable gardens, two restaurants and a winery - all exceptional. After an introductory tour, a guided tasting of the estate's wines is the perfect prelude to an exquisite lunch of seasonal, locally sourced produce paired with estate wines. Delicious proof that Fontenille is one of Provence's true treasures. Just minutes away, the medieval village of Lourmarin, officially designated as one of the Most Beautiful Villages of France, will enchant you with its timeless charm. Spend free time wandering through its cobbled streets, admire the honey-hued architecture, sit at a café or browse the fashionable boutiques. This is the Provence of dreams, yours to enjoy without moderation! This tour is operated by the award winning culinary and wine tour specialist Food & Wine Trails. Oceania Cruises is proud to partner with FOOD & WINE TRAILS, America's foremost culinary travel company, in the offering of this tour. Food & Wine Trails tours visit sites not typically offered by mainstream travel suppliers. Their tours are always led by a knowledgeable, English-speaking sommelier, wine or food expert, cooking instructor or chef, who enjoys introducing visitors to some of the best and most authentic food and wine of their region.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a pre-lunch guided tour of the estate and a wine tasting at the Domaine de Fontenille.
- Linger over a gourmet lunch paired with distinctive wines from the estate.
- Spend free time in Lourmarin, one of France's most beautiful villages, and visit the shops, cafés, and the chateau.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. This tour is not suitable for wheelchair guests and those with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. On dates where the winery restaurant may not be available, an alternate restaurant in Lourmarin of similar quality may be substituted. Since a set meal is served on this excursion, guests with any dietary restrictions should advise the Destination Services Desk a minimum of 48 hours prior to tour. If this tour is cancelled within 3 days of arrival in the excursion port, there will be a one-hundred percent cancellation fee charged to the guest's shipboard account.

**MRS-AC1 ACCESSIBLE MARSEILLES & BASILICA NOTRE DAME**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$379.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW MRS-AC1 Companion This excursion is for guests that use a cane/walker, have limited mobility issues or for companions of those guest that have booked mobility equipment tour. Those guests that are fully dependent on their mobility device please book: MRS-AC2 ACCESSIBLE MARSEILLES & BASILICA NOTRE DAME- Mobility Equipment Admire the spectacular views from the basilica atop the highest point in Marseille and then descend into the most historical areas in France's oldest city. The interior of Notre Dame de la Garde, the ornate Neo-Byzantine church

perched atop the limestone hill is as magnificent as the panoramas. Completed in 1864, the Catholic basilica is adorned with mosaics, murals and hundreds of offerings given in gratitude and devotion. You will notice a vast difference between the height of the basilica and the low adjoining crypt that was dug out of the solid-rock hillside in the 13th century. Continuing on, you will drive into the Old Quarter of Marseille, an area that the Greeks founded in 600 BC. The quarter's crooked streets are lined with architecture from various time periods. The Old Port is equally historical. As you travel about the atmospheric pedestrianized streets, the guide will point out the most noteworthy attractions, including the 17th-century town hall.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Gaze out over Marseille from its highest hill and browse the Catholic basilica at the summit.
- Wander through the labyrinthine streets in Marseille's atmospheric oldest quarter.
- Tour the Old Port as the guide describes highlights such as the 17th-century town hall.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Space is limited, book early.

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTES: Tour includes step-free routes, shorter distances and no stairs. Accessible restrooms with wide doors for wheelchairs are present along the tour route. Vehicles are adapted with an access ramp (or lift where available) to accommodate a limited number of wheelchairs and/or mobility scooters. Guides are not allowed to push wheelchairs; therefore, guests needing special assistance must be accompanied by an able-bodied.

**MRS-AC2 ACCESSIBLE MARSEILLES & BASILICA NOTRE DAME**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$379.00**



OVERVIEW

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Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

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Wellness Tour

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**MRS-GL3 GO TO NOAILLES MARKET LIKE A MARSEILLAIS**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$149.00**



OVERVIEW

Meander through the exuberant Noailles Market in the heart of Marseille, a bazaar-like setting with a dizzying array of shops and stalls. Known as the “belly of Marseille,” the Noailles district is effervescent, ethnically and religiously diverse and boasts a personality all its own. The Marché Noailles market is no exception, as it offers an incredible array of merchandise that reflects the diversity of the people. There is truly something for everyone, as you will realize while browsing the stalls, the scent of freshly ground spices wafting through the air. Along the way, all sorts of samples will be offered. You can expect to observe residents haggling over prices, choosing the ripest produce and looking over the handicrafts. Its ambiance is much like that of a souk or a bazaar. Some of the shops are centuries old and quite unusual. For instance, there is Le Père Blaize, a pharmacy and dispenser of herbal medicines since 1815.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Browse the stalls of Marché Noailles with the locals for a genuine slice of daily life.
- Expect to be offered samples as you meander through the stalls of the market.
- Soak in the bazaar-like ambiance in unusual shops like France’s oldest hardware store.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about 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.

**MRS-001 MARSEILLE CITY HIGHLIGHTS**

**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 01:30 PM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$119.00**



OVERVIEW

Uncover the intriguing highlights of Marseille on this survey of the dazzling maritime city with time on your own. Drive through the colorful Old Port, where the city’s Greek founders landed in 600 BC, and delight in the typically French sidewalk cafés, thriving markets and picturesque fishing

boats bobbing in the harbor. As you continue along the coast, notice the impressive bluffs of the Massif de Marseilleveyre and the scenic islands lying just offshore. Make your way to Notre-Dame de la Garde Basilica, a 19th-century wonder built atop a limestone outcrop that towers over Marseille. Gaze in awe at this neo-Byzantine church, a green-and-white-striped sanctuary whose belfry soars nearly 200 feet and is topped with a titanic gold-leafed statue of the Madonna and Child. You’ll stop for photos at the Palais Longchamp, a wonderfully ornate 19th-century complex of stately museums, elegant fountains and an expansive park guarded by four impressive lion sculptures. Return to the Old Port for approximately one hour of free time in this compact waterfront area, whose inviting, mostly pedestrian-only streets perfectly capture this charming city’s élan.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Appreciate glorious views of the Massif de Marseilleveyre’s cliffs and the islands dotting the sparkling sea.
- Marvel at Notre-Dame de la Garde, the neo-Byzantine basilica rising above Marseille.
- Admire the colossal gold-leaf Madonna and Child crowning the church’s 200-foot belfry.
- Behold the architectural flourishes of the 19th-century Palais Longchamp, including its expressive lion sculptures.
- Delve into the shops and cafés of Marseille’s alluring Old Port during time at your leisure.

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 90 minutes of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be approximately 120 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 and may make arrangements with the guide not to participate in some of the guided walking portions of the tour. Flash photography and video cameras are not permitted in the cathedral.

**MRS-001OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - MARSEILLE CITY HIGHLIGHTS**



**Date: Oct 04, 2024 Time: 01:30 PM**  
**Duration: 4.00 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. Uncover the intriguing highlights of Marseille on this survey of the dazzling maritime city with time on your own. Drive through the colorful Old Port, where the city’s Greek founders landed in 600 BC, and delight in the typically French sidewalk cafés, thriving markets and picturesque fishing boats bobbing in the harbor. As you continue along the coast, notice the impressive bluffs of the Massif de Marseilleveyre and the scenic islands lying just offshore. Make your way to Notre-Dame de la Garde Basilica, a 19th-century wonder built atop a limestone outcrop that towers over Marseille. Gaze in awe at this neo-Byzantine church, a green-and-white-striped sanctuary whose belfry soars nearly 200 feet

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Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

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Culinary Discovery

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Evening excursion

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- Behold the architectural flourishes of the 19th-century Palais Longchamp, including its expressive lion sculptures.
- 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 approximately 90 minutes of moderate walking. There will be over 120 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 and may make arrangements with the guide not to participate in some of the guided walking portions of the tour. Flash photography and video cameras are not permitted in the cathedral.

## Monte Carlo, Monaco

**MCM-007 ROTHSCHILD FOUNDATION AND VILLEFRANCHE**

**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$149.00**



OVERVIEW

Behold the treasures of exquisite Cap Ferrat on this scenic tour of the Villa & Gardens Ephrussi de Rothschild and visit to the tiny hamlet of Villefranche. Travel through the marvelous landscapes of the French Riviera to chic Cap Ferrat, where you'll discover the former residence of the Baroness Béatrice Ephrussi de Rothschild, a pink-and-white confection surrounded by verdant grounds arranged into themed gardens. Explore the wonderful estate, inspired by Italian Renaissance palazzini, and learn of the Baroness' turbulent marriage, divorce and steely independence around the turn of the 20th century. You'll enjoy a walking tour of the villa's interior, whose impressive contents include furniture ranging from the Middle Ages and the Renaissance to the 18th century, the Baroness' most favored period. Among Béatrice's myriad priceless possessions, you'll delight in her outstanding collection of French and German porcelain from Sèvres, Vincennes and Meissen. Following your enlightening visit, drive to the nearby fishing village of Villefranche, a lovely seaside town that perfectly encapsulates the exuberant spirit of the French Riviera.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Absorb the beguiling panorama of the French Riviera's scenery as you journey to Cap Ferrat.

- Admire the Baroness Béatrice Ephrussi de Rothschild's former villa, an Italianate marvel.
- Stroll the estate's magnificent 14-acre gardens, which are divided into themed landscapes.
- Tour the villa's interior, whose rooms are furnished with beautifully maintained period pieces
- Linger over the Baroness' superlative collection of Meissen, Vincennes and Sèvres porcelain.
- Visit the quintessential French Riviera seaside village of Villefranche.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves considerable walking. It will include hills to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

**MCM-017 EZE WITH FRAGONARD & MONACO**

**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$149.00**



OVERVIEW

Admire the magnificent attractions of the Principality of Monaco and browse artist's workshops in Èze, a medieval hilltop village with spectacular views of the sea. You'll drive to the feudal hamlet of Èze, perched on a craggy peak 1,400 feet above the Mediterranean. Enjoy a guided walking tour along the alluring pedestrian-only streets, perhaps exploring the ruins of the 12th-century castle crowning the hamlet. Shop for locally crafted artwork and perfumes or stroll to the town's botanical garden, renowned for its rare plants as well as its remarkable vistas of the glittering Côte d'Azur. You will have a nice visit to the Fragonard Perfume Factory and have the opportunity to see how various perfumes are created. Return along picturesque byways to Monaco, one of the world's smallest and most prosperous countries. You'll embark on a walking tour of the Old Town, wandering down narrow streets leading to the revered Cathedral of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, site of Prince Rainier III and Grace Kelly's 1956 wedding and now their final resting place. View the exterior of the Prince's Palace, a 12th-century fortress that is the official residence of the Prince of Monaco, and if the timing is right, see the perfectly choreographed changing of the guard. Bask in the surprising and fascinating contrasts of the Côte d'Azur on this marvelous tour.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour the pedestrian-only streets of Èze, a splendid medieval hamlet crowning a promontory.
- Take in astonishing views from Èze's 12th-century castle and botanical gardens.
- Shop in Èze's seductive perfumeries and artist workshops.
- Cherish dazzling panoramas of the French Riviera as you travel between Monaco and Èze.
- View Monaco's venerated cathedral, where Grace Kelly and Prince Rainier III are interred.
- Stop at the Prince's Palace, perhaps catching the delightfully precise changing of the guard.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves an approximately 25-minute walk up a steep incline.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

OE Oceania Exclusive

BB Beyond Blueprints

GG Go Green

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



There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests with limited mobility or guests who utilize a wheelchair. The entrance fee to the castle and exotic garden is not included in the tour.

**MCM-2CT CHEF LED NICE MARKET & CHATEAU EZA LUNCH**

**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 6.50 Hrs Price: \$379.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Browse local delicacies in Nice's open-air markets and indulge in a meal at a boutique hotel with spectacular vistas. Accompanied by your Chef Instructor from The Culinary Center, you'll stroll beside the pastel-hued architecture of Nice's Cours Saleya, the air suffused with intoxicating scents of fresh produce, fragrant spices and colorful flowers. Enjoy time to shop and explore, with your Chef Instructor nearby to point out favorite vendors for olive oil, confections, herbes de Provence and souvenirs. You'll rejoin your Chef Instructor for a tasting of freshly made socca, a chickpea crêpe hot from the wood fired oven and teeming with freshly cracked pepper. Journey to nearby Èze, a stunning medieval village perched on a craggy peak, for a brief guided walk to Château Eza, a luxurious boutique hotel with an equally impressive restaurant. While overlooking the fabulous French Riviera, relish a carefully curated menu developed by Oceania Cruises' Executive Chef Kelly, each course presented with an eye toward the ingredients and cooking techniques. Lunch will be paired with a Provençal rosé, a summertime favorite with locals and the perfect libation with which to toast your extraordinary day.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Breathe in divine scents of vibrant flowers, fresh greens and aromatic spices in the stalls lining Nice's Cours Saleya.
- Appreciate time at your leisure to browse Nice's markets with your Chef Instructor providing guidance.
- Sample a local favorite known as socca, a baked chickpea crêpe sprinkled with cracked pepper.
- Wander the atmospheric streets of the medieval hamlet of Èze on a brief walking tour.
- Savor a specially crafted luncheon paired with superb wines at Château Eza
- Gaze at never-ending vistas of the French Riviera, perhaps sipping one of the region's refined rosés.

**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-to-strenuous walking. There will be a steep hill 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 stamina and ability. 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.

**MCM-011 FLAVORS OF NICE: WINE TASTING**

**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM, 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$179.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Enjoy a visit to Nice's sun-drenched Old Town and stop at a wine cellar for a tasting of premium French wines. During your journey, admire glorious vistas of the French Riviera's fashionable villages, including Villefranche, Saint-Jean-Cap-Ferrat and Beaulieu. Make your grand entrance into Nice,

icon of the French Riviera, along the 1830s palm-lined Promenade des Anglais. You'll pass the ornate Negresco Hotel, a National Historic Monument, and Massena Square, home to seven striking sculptures representing the continents. During time at your leisure, perhaps you'll stroll alongside the pastel-hued architecture of Cours Saleya and inhale the intoxicating scents of garden-fresh produce, fragrant spices and colorful flowers on display at the open-air markets. At a storied wine cellar, you'll sample a special selection of French wines accompanied by delectable canapés such as mouthwatering cheeses. With the flavors of southern France lingering on your palate, cap your adventure in Nice with a delightful drive along the magnificent Lower Corniche.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Drive past the French Riviera's fashionable villages.
- See Nice's splendid Belle Époque hotels, squares and boulevards as you enter the city by coach.
- Enjoy free time to stroll along the pastel promenades of charmed Nice, perhaps browsing Cours Saleya's lively outdoor markets.
- Sample a selection of French wines paired with delicious canapés at a celebrated wine cellar.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

**MCM-001 HIGHLIGHTS OF MONACO**

**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Explore the chic Principality of Monaco on this coach and walking tour of the tiny country's highlights that includes free time to shop, stroll or visit the glamorous Casino de Monte Carlo. In sophisticated Monaco-Ville, walk past the monumental Oceanographic Museum, which rises out of a sheer cliff overlooking the sea. Delight in the revered Cathedral of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, site of Prince Rainier III and Grace Kelly's 1956 wedding and now their final resting place, and view the Prince's Palace, a 12th-century fortress that is the official residence of the Prince of Monaco. After time on your own for further exploration, you'll rejoin your coach for a brief drive along Monaco's thrilling Formula One race track, the Grand Prix. Spend time at your leisure exploring, shopping or visiting the fabled 1863 Casino de Monte Carlo, where familiar games such as blackjack and roulette, or the more unusual chemin de fer and punto banco, will make you feel as if you're starring in a Bond movie.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Admire Monaco-Ville's venerated cathedral, where Grace Kelly and Prince Rainier III are interred.
- Gaze at the Prince's Palace, residence of the Grimaldi royal family for over seven centuries.
- Appreciate time at your leisure to wander or shop the fascinating area surrounding the palace.
- Drive along a section of the city's exhilarating Formula One race track.
- Marvel at the illustrious Casino de Monte Carlo, an architectural gem set in the Place du Casino.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

- Relish time on your own, perhaps tempting Lady Luck at the Casino de Café de Paris.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- If you wish to visit the cathedral, dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- If you wish to visit the casino during free time, bring your passport and a photo ID and take note of the required dress code.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves ½ mile of walking on level surfaces in Monaco. It is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or those guests with mobility concerns. Interior visits to the casino are not included. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. To reach the Old Town area, guests will first walk from the parking area to the elevator then up the steps to the terrace. During the day, casual attire is permitted for visiting the casino and formal wear is required at night. Ripped or stonewashed jeans, sleeveless T-shirts, tracksuits, sports clothing, shorts and beachwear, sandals and flip-flops will not be permitted. To enter Palace du Casino, a passport is required and there is an entrance fee of approximately 17 Euros. The Casino is only open in the afternoon from 2:00 p.m. onward for gambling. Casino reserves the right to refuse admission.

**MCM-005 SCENIC ST. PAUL DE VENCE**

**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$149.00**



OVERVIEW

Experience sublime Saint-Paul-de-Vence, a medieval village that has long inspired artists. Approaching Saint-Paul-de-Vence, you'll see the town perched atop a spur of land between two deep valleys, a protected location that has preserved its 13th-century ramparts. Immerse yourself in the town's winding pedestrian-only streets, passing lovely churches, shaded squares and fortified towers. You'll understand why this setting has been a muse to artists through the ages, especially in the 1920s when Signac, Modigliani and Bonnard put brush to canvas surrounded by picturesque views. Make your way along impossibly quaint cobbled streets once trod by Matisse and Chagall, perhaps dipping into Saint-Paul-de-Vence's galleries, where work by local artisans is on display, or lingering at an enticing market brimming with freshly-cut flowers and irresistible treats. You'll awaken your own inspiration on this unforgettable visit to magical Saint-Paul-de-Vence.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Uncover one of France's most quaint feudal towns, the walled hamlet of Saint-Paul-de-Vence.
- Wander the narrow, cobbled streets that inspired artists from Chagall to Modigliani.
- Browse local arts and crafts at a compelling gallery and select vibrant blooms from an outdoor market.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, closed-toe walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves approximately 2 hours of strenuous walking on uneven surfaces with many steep inclines, and numerous stairs to climb along the sides of most streets and boutique entrances in the village. This tour is not considered suitable for wheelchair guests or those with mobility concerns.

**MCM-005OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - SCENIC ST. PAUL DE VENCE**

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**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$319.00**



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HELPFUL HINTS

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- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves approximately two hours of strenuous walking. There will be uneven surfaces, steps and steep inclines to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

**MCM-006 SCENIC FRENCH RIVIERA & FRAGONARD PERFUME FACTORY**

**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$169.00**



OVERVIEW

Journey past fashionable villages along the awe-inspiring Corniches (middle and lower), one of France's most picture-perfect roadways, on this panoramic tour with a photo stop. As you wind your way uphill along this legendary route, you'll glimpse the entirety of glittering Monaco-Ville and Monte Carlo from above. You'll absorb expansive views of the French Riviera's coastal hills from the Middle Corniche, along which the medieval village of Èze rests prettily. Capture memorable photos from a square at the foot of the mountains during an approximately 30-minute stop. Back in your coach, watch a potpourri of iconic French villages come into view, including Beaulieu, Saint-Jean-Cap-Ferrat, Villefranche, Nice and Cap d'Antibes. You will have a nice visit to the Fragonard Perfume Factory and have the opportunity to see how various perfumes are created. As you ease into the Lower Corniche, you'll revel in even more impossibly beautiful scenery and tony seaside towns before returning to Monte Carlo, the ultimate gem in this necklace of French pearls.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

HIGHLIGHTS

- See the superb Principality of Monaco from above as you ascend into the hills.
- Bring out your camera during a leisurely break in the timeless village of Èze.
- Watch classic French towns slipping by on your drive along the Middle and Lower Corniches.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

A visit of Eze village is not included. It is available to guests with limited mobility who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, can make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them.

**MCM-016 NICE & HILLTOP VILLAGES OF SAINT-PAUL-DE-VENTE & EZE**



**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**

**Duration: 8.50 Hrs Price: \$199.00**

OVERVIEW

Visit three wonderfully historical and captivating towns on the French Riviera and enjoy sweeping views as you travel between them. You will enter Saint-Paul-de-Vence through the main gate and then wander the winding pedestrian-only streets and alleyways. It's one of the oldest medieval villages on the French Riviera with plenty of lovely churches, shaded squares and fortified towers. Following free time, during which you might browse the shops, you will drive on into the Old Town of Nice. The labyrinthine streets are wonderfully atmospheric and lead to baroque churches, bustling markets and leafy squares. You will then enjoy more free time to dine on your own, perhaps on favorites such as salade nicoise, which originated in Nice. The ancient village of Eze is just as spectacular, as you will discover by walking its narrow cobblestone streets and alleyways. It is no stretch that Eze feels medieval, as the castle there was built in the 12th century.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore three French Riviera gems: Nice, Saint-Paul-de-Vence and Eze.
- Meander along pedestrian-only streets that lead to extraordinary attractions.
- Revel in the medieval ambiance while exploring further on your own.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves about 4½ hours of walking over uneven surfaces, steps and cobblestone streets. The walking is steep and uphill in Saint-Paul-de-Vence and Eze. Guests must walk about 15 minutes from the bus to Old Town in Nice. This tour is not considered suitable for wheelchair guests or for those with mobility concerns. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

**MCM-GL1 CONTRAST BETWEEN LOCALS & BILLIONAIRES**



**Date: Oct 05, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**

**Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$119.00**

OVERVIEW

Gain an understanding of two lifestyles that are polar opposites: that of the working people that live on the outskirts of Monte Carlo and that of the

billionaires in town. The railway is a vital mode of transportation for many residents of Monaco, known as Monegasques, who commute to and from more reasonably priced districts by train. You will see a cross-section of those commuters before riding a public bus to industrial Fontvieille, where the guide will explain the working-class lifestyle. Another bus will bring you to La Condamine, a 19th-century covered market where you will observe a genuine slice of daily life while snacking and browsing the stalls. Back in Monte Carlo, where a third of the residents are millionaires and billionaires, you will see the places where they spend lavishly, including the boutiques and casino. Understanding the billionaire lifestyle in particular will be eye-opening and quite the contrast to most everything you have seen previously.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Ride the bus with Monaco's working-class commuters for a genuine slice of daily life.
- Browse a covered market and mingle with the residents as they shop for necessities.
- See the boutiques and casino where Monaco's billionaires spend lavishly.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about four hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. This tour 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.

**Florence/Pisa/Tuscany (Livorno), Italy**

**LRN-002 MEDIEVAL MAGIC - SIENA & SAN GIMIGNANO**



**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**

**Duration: 11.00 Hrs Price: \$259.00**

OVERVIEW

Behold two of Tuscany's UNESCO World Heritage sites, the gracious city of Siena and tower-studded San Gimignano, on this enthralling tour. Journey through the countryside of the famed Chianti region to Siena, a gorgeous medieval city whose warren of narrow Gothic streets, lined with palaces and patrician mansions, converge on the uniquely shell-shaped Piazza del Campo. You'll appreciate the city's cathedral, which is Siena's highest point and a stunning conglomeration of Romanesque and Gothic styles. Discover another religious landmark of note, the Basilica di San Domenico, a vast, austere Dominican church and convent containing many impressive works of art. Settle in for a brief drive to iconic San Gimignano, famed for its striking medieval towers, and enjoy free time to lunch. Tour the lovely 14th-century Palazzo del Popolo, dominated by a tall tower with a wonderful, panoramic view of town and the nearby Palazzo Vecchio del Podestà. You'll see this 13th-century palace boasts an expansive portico on the ground floor and its own magnificent tower. Appreciate time at your leisure to roam San Gimignano's evocative streets, perhaps stopping for a cooling gelato in one of the welcoming cafés scattered throughout this fairytale town.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Drive through the lush, rolling landscapes of Tuscany's famed Chianti region to two UNESCO World Heritage sites.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

- Delight in Siena’s shell-shaped Piazza del Campo, an expansive gathering place ringed by Renaissance buildings.
- Visit Siena’s remarkable places of worship, the Romanesque-Gothic cathedral and the Basilica di San Domenico.
- Admire San Gimignano’s Palazzo del Popolo, which features one of the town’s many signature towers.
- View the Palazzo Vecchio del Podestà, a striking palace with its own tower and street-level portico.
- Enjoy time on your own to lunch and explore in magical San Gimignano both before and after your tour.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, non-slip 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 3 ½ hours of extensive walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be uneven and hilly surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Lunch is not included in this program. Travel to Siena is approximately 2 ½ hours by coach.

**LRN-009 HILLS OF LUCCA & WINE TASTING**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**

**Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



OVERVIEW

Revel in a sublime tour through the rolling hills and beautiful valleys of the Tuscan countryside to wonderful Lucca, capped with a tour and tasting at a local wine cellar. During your drive to Lucca, you’ll pass quaint medieval villages, golden vineyards, silvery green olives waiting to be harvested and elegant dark green cypress trees, a landscape that has long been praised by poets and artists for its pastoral allure. Enjoy ample time on your own in Lucca, perhaps strolling along the terrifically preserved Renaissance-era medieval walls. You might admire the Pisan Romanesque Duomo di San Martino and the Church of San Michele in Foro, whose exquisite colonnaded façades rival that of Pisa’s own cathedral. Pass the fabulous, tree-topped Guinigi Tower, and roam Piazza Amfiteatro, once the Roman amphitheater and today a charming elliptical square surrounded by sand-colored houses. Transfer by coach to an inviting wine cellar, where you’ll take a guided tour that includes a fascinating presentation on the process of winemaking and the traditional bottling methods still in practice today. Conclude your fabulous day with a generous tasting of both white and red wines, accompanied by light refreshments of local salami, olives and bread.

HIGHLIGHTS

- See the picture-perfect countryside of Tuscany, eternal inspiration for artists, during your journey by coach.
- Appreciate time on your own in Lucca, perhaps walking atop its unbroken, Renaissance-era red-brick walls.
- Rejoice in the ornately colonnaded Pisan Romanesque churches of Lucca.
- Seek out landmarks including the 15th-century Guinigi Tower, which is capped by a copse of trees.
- Visit a characteristic wine cellar and learn of its age-old production and bottling methods.
- Sample a variety of red and white wines complemented with local olives, bread and salami.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately if you wish to visit a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately one hour of walking/standing at the winery, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour may not be suitable 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.

**LRN-021 CINQUE TERRE**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**

**Duration: 9.50 Hrs Price: \$185.00**



OVERVIEW

Fall in love with the UNESCO World Heritage site of Cinque Terre, where utterly enchanting villages cascade down the rugged coastal terrain into the Mediterranean Sea. Enjoy a picturesque drive of approximately 1 ½ hours that takes you past Pisa and the resorts of Viareggio and Forte dei Marmi to Manarola, whose jumble of colorful homes seem to wrestle for space astride the town’s dramatic seaside cliffs. Enjoy a guided introduction to the village and free time to capture photos of the postcard-ready setting. Weather permitting, embark on a motorboat for a relaxing cruise to the dazzling fishing village of Vernazza, where you’ll enjoy time at your leisure around its cozy harbor. Discover that Cinque Terre’s wonders are also on full display at Monterosso al Mare, a bewitching beachfront village where you’ll have additional time to explore the tiny shops and have lunch on your own. As a delightful conclusion to your tour, depart Monterosso al Mare on a local train for one final glimpse at this magnificent corner of the world.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Bask in the sun-drenched villages of Cinque Terre, a spectacular UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Rejoice in Manarola, where vibrant seaside houses seem to be piled one on top of the other.
- Cruise to shimmering Vernazza, a tiny fishing village hugging a protected harbor.
- Delight in Monterosso al Mare, where an expansive beach rims the entrancing hamlet.
- Appreciate time on your own to shop, dine and take memorable photos in each village.
- Bid farewell to stunning Cinque Terre with a brief train ride to your coach.

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 and extended periods of standing. There will be uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour does not include lunch.

**LRN-004 FLORENCE & PISA**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**

**Duration: 10.50 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



Minimal activity

Moderate activity

OE Oceania Exclusive

BB Beyond Blueprints

GG Go Green

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



OVERVIEW

Exult in visits to Florence and Pisa, where you'll find the awe-inspiring achievements of medieval and Renaissance Italy on brilliant display. Pass through the classic Tuscan countryside during your coach ride to Florence, where a walking tour of the pedestrianized historical center, a UNESCO World Heritage site, will reveal the wonders engendered by the city's centuries-long patronage by the Medicis. Admire the bravura complex of the Cathedral of Santa Maria dei Fiore, whose famed dome by Brunelleschi rises above Florence. See priceless masterpieces complementing the building, including sculptures by Donatello gracing Giotto's tour de force, the 14th-century campanile, or bell tower. After time for lunch on your own, continue to Pisa for a self-guided tour around the Campo dei Miracoli, or Field of Miracles, a UNESCO World Heritage site home to medieval architectural masterpieces. Discover the beloved Leaning Tower, listing due to the unstable soil found beneath the Campo dei Miracoli, and the outstanding duomo, or cathedral, whose multi-level colonnades and subtle interplay of marble and stone make it the archetype of the Pisan Romanesque style. Enter the elaborate circular baptistery, acclaimed for its outstanding acoustics, another mesmerizing highlight on your enlightening survey of Tuscany's glittering gems.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Immerse yourself in two UNESCO World Heritage sites, Florence's historic center and Pisa's Campo dei Miracoli.
- Appreciate Florence's Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, whose Renaissance dome by Brunelleschi is a feat of engineering.
- Applaud Giotto's 14th-century bell tower and the sculptures by Donatello nestled on its side.
- Gaze at Pisa's Leaning Tower, symbol of the city and one of the world's most beguiling structures.
- Admire the sublime colonnaded Duomo di Pisa and the ornate circular baptistery.

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 is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. An official escort will be on board the coach and will provide some information and maps. No churches will be visited on Sunday mornings. Guide service will only be provided in Florence. Ascending the tower in Pisa is not included in the tour as timing restrictions make this difficult to incorporate. Shops will be closed during bank holidays. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

LRN-017 BOCELLI COUNTRYSIDE ESCAPE

Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM  
Duration: 7.75 Hrs Price: \$499.00



OVERVIEW

Appreciate the joys of Tuscany through the eyes of Andrea Bocelli by exploring medieval Volterra, seeing the beloved tenor's outdoor theater and his family's farm, sampling wines and lunching at the Officine Bocelli Restaurant and stopping in Pisa's glorious Campo di Miracoli. Settle in for a scenic drive through the Tuscan countryside to hilltop Volterra, where highlights include a well-preserved Roman theater and the Piazza dei Priori, a medieval square lined with grand Renaissance palaces. In nearby Lajatico, Bocelli's birthplace, you'll find the Teatro del Silenzio, a serene open-air amphitheater where Bocelli performs but once a year, leaving the

theater almost perpetually in silence except for the sounds of nature. Learn the Bocelli's family's influence also extends into winemaking on a tour of the vineyards and farm that they have owned since 1730. Relax during a wine tasting and four-course lunch in the Officine Bocelli Restaurant, where you'll sample a selection of characteristic wines such as a lush sangiovese and a crisp, complex pinot grigio. Complete your lovely day with a visit to Pisa's Campo dei Miracoli, a UNESCO World Heritage site where the stunning cathedral, baptistery and breathtaking Leaning Tower might inspire you to burst into a joyous aria.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Survey the remains of a Roman theater and Renaissance palaces in the medieval town of Volterra.
- Contemplate Andrea Bocelli's peaceful Teatro del Silenzio, an outdoor amphitheater where he performs only once a year.
- Visit the Bocelli family's farm and vineyards, which they have run since the 18th century.
- Indulge in a delicious four-course lunch paired with regional wines in the Officine Bocelli Restaurant.
- Journey to Pisa's Campo dei Miracoli, a UNESCO World Heritage site where the Leaning Tower famously tilts to one side.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible. It must be purchased no later than three days prior to the operating date. Cancellations made within three days or less are subject to a 100 percent cancellation penalty. Programs falling under the minimum number of required participants are subject to cancellation. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

LRN-018 BOCELLI BACKSTAGE AND WINE

Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM  
Duration: 8.50 Hrs Price: \$659.00



OVERVIEW

Gain an insider's view into the life of Andrea Bocelli by recording a song at his studio, sampling wines at his family's vineyard, dining at his restaurant and touring his outdoor amphitheater. Settle in for a lovely drive through the Tuscan countryside to the studio where Andrea Bocelli often records. As an introduction to the revered tenor's musical journey, you'll watch an enlightening film on his accomplishments. Revel in a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to record a karaoke-style version of one of his songs in a studio he frequently uses, choosing either The Prayer or Can't Help Falling in Love. In nearby Lajatico, the tenor's birthplace, learn the Bocelli's family's influence also extends into winemaking on a tour of the vineyards and farm they have owned since 1730. You'll appreciate a wine tasting with appetizers and three-course lunch in Officine Bocelli Restaurant. Drive to the Teatro del Silenzio, a serene open-air amphitheater where Bocelli performs but once a year, leaving the theater almost perpetually in silence except for the sounds of nature. Conclude your musical idyll by uncovering the tenor's life and career in the Bocelli Museum and receiving your recording, a uniquely personalized gift you're sure to forever cherish.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Unleash your inner Andrea Bocelli while recording one of his songs in the tenor's own studio.
- Visit the Bocelli family's farm and vineyards, which they have run since the 18th century.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

- Indulge in a sampling of wines and a delicious three-course lunch in the Officine Bocelli Restaurant.
- Contemplate Andrea Bocelli's peaceful Teatro del Silenzio, an outdoor amphitheater where he performs only once a year.
- Deepen your knowledge of Bocelli's life and work in a museum honoring his achievements.
- Treasure a copy of your recording as the perfect memento from your pitch-perfect excursion.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses, umbrella and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This 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 evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible. The Officine Bocelli Restaurant is closed on Mondays and will be substituted with the Alpemare restaurant, the new beach club of the Bocelli family. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

**LRN-024 TUSCAN COUNTRYSIDE - SAN GIMIGNANO & VOLTERRA**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**

**Duration: 10.00 Hrs Price: \$259.00**



OVERVIEW

Celebrate the mesmerizing villages of Tuscany with visits to captivating San Gimignano, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and entrancing Volterra. Relax during a scenic drive of approximately two hours through Tuscany's wonderful rolling landscapes to iconic San Gimignano, famed for its striking medieval towers, and enjoy free time for exploration. Perhaps see the lovely 14th-century Palazzo del Popolo, dominated by a tall tower with a wonderful, panoramic view of town, and the nearby Palazzo Vecchio del Podestà, a 13th-century palace boasting an expansive portico on the ground floor and its own magnificent tower. Relish Tuscany's renowned cuisine at a local farmhouse, and travel to the village of Volterra for a guided walking tour. Stroll to Piazza dei Priori, a medieval square lined with grand Renaissance palaces, and in Piazza San Giovanni, behold the town's charming cathedral and baptistry. After seeing a well-preserved Roman theater, you'll drop in on an alabaster workshop for a short demonstration by an artisan, if time permits. Allow the charms of unspoiled Tuscany to unfold you on this enjoyable tour.

HIGHLIGHTS

- View vineyards, cypress trees and olive groves as you drive through the tranquil Tuscan countryside.
- Appreciate time on your own in sensational San Gimignano, a UNESCO World Heritage site whose many towers pierce the sky.
- Cherish San Gimignano's Palazzo del Popolo and the Palazzo Vecchio del Podestà.
- Pause for a lunch of Tuscan specialties at an inviting traditional farmhouse.
- Tour beautifully preserved medieval Volterra, where Roman ruins and Renaissance palaces coexist.
- Enjoy a brief demonstration at an alabaster workshop, time permitting.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

- Dress appropriately if you wish to visit a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses, umbrella and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a walk of approximately 200 yards plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces with some steps to negotiate. The return drive from Volterra is approximately 1 ½ hours by coach. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

**LRN-027 CINQUE TERRE ON YOUR OWN**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**

**Duration: 9.75 Hrs Price: \$155.00**



OVERVIEW

Spend free time exploring two spectacularly beautiful coastal villages in Cinque Terre, an area so scenic that UNESCO deemed it a World Heritage site for being a landscape of great scenic and cultural value. You will first visit Vernazza, arguably the most photogenic of the villages. The main square is a great place to start exploring as the Church of Santa Margherita d'Antiochia stands there overlooking the natural harbor. Built in the Gothic-Ligurian style, the church features an octagonal bell tower that can't be missed, making it even easier to find your way around the pastel-colored town. You will next see Riomaggiore, the largest of Cinque Terre's five villages and accordingly it offers more points of interest than Vernazza. A 13th-century castle looms over the historical center, the Oratory of St. Mary Assumption holds an intriguing 15th-century triptych and the St. John the Baptist church is ornamented with black-and-white marble.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Marvel at the countryside that earned Cinque Terre a World Heritage site designation.
- Spend free time in Vernazza, perhaps the most photogenic of the area's five villages.
- Explore Riomaggiore, the largest of the villages and the one with the most attractions.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

The amount of walking during free time is at each guest's discretion. This tour is not available to wheelchair guests. Conservative dress is required to enter churches. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

**LRN-032 FLORENCE ATTRACTION PASS W/UFFIZI GALLERY**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**

**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$319.00**



OVERVIEW

Make the most of your time in Florence with this one-of-a-kind Attraction Pass that includes the entrance to the most emblematic and historical sites with art treasures at the heart of the Italian Renaissance while you enjoy a curated path designed with the best Florence has to offer. A special shuttle bus will take you to Florence, choose according to the time you have in Florence and adventure with the company of your guide on this amazing trip! Start your journey by taking a Walking Tour around Florence's highlights to learn more about the city and experience the day-to-day first-hand. Pass through Duomo Square, Cathedral -Baptistry, Dante's quarter, San Michele, Piazza della Signoria, Ponte Vecchio, Via Dei Neri, Santa Croce and more. Visit Casa Buonarroti, on the path, you will enjoy

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

walking in the footsteps of the great genius, of the genius of Michelangelo. Florence is worldwide known as city of outstanding art and architecture in the world and with our pass you might browse a glimpse of art visiting Uffizzi, home of the artwork of stunning artists, as Michelangelo. You can also delight in museums, such as Franco Zeffirelli, Museo de' Medici and Degli Innocenti. Choose your favorite attractions, leave no sight unseen and get the most out of your visit to Florence!

HIGHLIGHTS

- Use the Attraction Pass to see Florence's best attractions at no additional cost.
- Discover Florence with a curate path and enjoy a walking tour of its marvelous plazas and main squares. Pass through Duomo Square, Cathedral -Baptistery, Dante's quarter, San Michele, Piazza della Signoria, Ponte Vecchio, Via Dei Neri, Santa Croce and more.
- More than 4 attractions included, such as: Uffizi Gallery, Franco Zeffirelli Museum, Casa Buonarroti, The Medici Dynasty Museum, Museo Degli Innocenti.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE 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. Guests can visit all attractions only once. The attractions/venues included and their availability/operational conditions may change on the day of the call.

**LRN-034 VOLTERRA & TUSCAN SHEEP FARMING**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 6.00 Hrs Price: \$159.00**



OVERVIEW

Settle in for a spectacularly scenic drive into the Tuscan countryside to visit the ancient walled city of Volterra and a sheep farm that still practices traditional methods. Perched above the desolate surrounding terrain, Volterra appears timeless, one of the reasons it was chosen as the setting for parts of the vampire-themed "Twilight" books. While meandering the atmospheric streets and plazas, you will view highlights such as Tuscany's oldest town hall and the Piazza dei Priori, a medieval square lined with grand palaces. Nearby, you will enjoy an insider's tour of a sheep farm and a demonstration of how the animals are milked. Much of their milk is used to make Pecorino Balze Volterrane, a Protected Designation of Origin cheese. Although it can be eaten after just three weeks of aging, longer aging lends it a spicier flavor. You can expect to sample the cheese as well as other local delicacies.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Settle in for a panoramic drive through the stunningly beautiful Tuscan countryside.
- See the sights in the medieval town of Volterra on an enlightening walking tour.
- Visit a sheep farm and sample some of its cheese along with other Italian delicacies.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking over both even and uneven surfaces, sandy and gravel terrain. The sights are not wheelchair accessible and therefore it is not available for guests who utilize a

wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Guests wishing to enter religious sights must wear suitable attire. Knees and Shoulders must be covered.

**LRN-037 CHARMING PECCIOLI & WINE ROUTE**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 5.75 Hrs Price: \$259.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Walk through pedestrian-friendly Peccioli for a historical perspective of this lovely Tuscan town and visit a nearby winery for an inspired tasting. Perched on a hilltop overlooking a rich agricultural landscape, Peccioli is wonderfully low-key and unpretentious. Although the ruins of a 12th-century fortress hint at its turbulent past, elegant palazzi and churches such as Saint Verano are the town's most outstanding features. Now a museum, the Palazzo Pretorio holds an unexpected collection of Russian icons donated by an Italian journalist that reported from Saint Petersburg. The Colline Pisane wine route passes nearby, and you will follow it to Le Palaie, an estate winery that also produces olive oil and honey. After an enlightening walk through the vineyards, you will settle in to sample several wines in the cellar. Although Le Palaie predominately produces reds, its white varietals such as the Viognier are also extraordinary. Local specialties will be served to complement them.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a leisurely walk through the hilltop Tuscan town of Peccioli.
- Follow the Colline Pisane wine route to Le Palaie winery for a tasting.
- Sample Le Palaie's most characteristic wines along with classic Tuscan accompaniments.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of walking and standing over even, and uneven surfaces mainly at the guest's discretion. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair and can make their way on and off the coach approximately 3 steps, they must have an able companion to assist them. This excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time of approximately 1.5 hours through the visit to Peccioli and visit to Le Palaie winery. 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.

**LRN-038 CHIANTI REGION & SAN GIMIGNANO**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 6.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Enjoy free time to explore the medieval town of San Gimignano and then visit a winery for a tasting that will likely include Chianti. One of the most popular and certainly photogenic Tuscan towns, San Gimignano is known for its soaring tower houses. Although only 14 of the original 72 towers remain, they are so spectacular that UNESCO declared the town's historic center a World Heritage site. No matter where you meander, hillside San Gimignano will exude a feudal atmosphere, much like it did at the height of its power and status. Nearby, you will pause at a winery, perhaps Fattoria di Montecchio, to sample a selection of Tuscan wines. As Chianti is one of the region's most favored wines, it will likely be included in the tasting. Produced mainly with Sangiovese grapes, the winery's Chianti

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

Classico pairs beautifully with the finocchiona salami and pecorino cheese that will also be served.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore medieval San Gimignano independently and see what interests you most.
- Begin your exploration at the 13th-century San Giovanni gate, the historic center's entry.
- Tour a nearby winery for a tasting that may include a ruby-red Chianti.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour includes approximately 2.5 hours of walking and standing over even, and uneven surfaces. The sights on this tour are not wheelchair accessible; therefore, it is unavailable to wheelchair guests. Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. This excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time of approximately 2.5 hours during the visit to San Gimignano and Fattoria di Montecchio Winery. 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.

**LRN-GL4 TUSCAN ORGANIC FARMING EXPERIENCE**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 9.00 Hrs Price: \$479.00**



OVERVIEW

Spend an enlightening day at a farm in Tuscany that produces a multitude of organic foods, many of which will be used as ingredients in your lunch. As an introduction to the artisanal practices at the Diaceroni farm, you will see how honey is produced and sample several varieties of the natural sweetener, which may include an amber chestnut honey and a floral-flavored acacia honey. Similarly, you will discover how the farmers use traditional methods to grow and harvest the crops. In preparation for the afternoon cooking class, you will gather a selection of fresh vegetables and herbs from the farm's fields and gardens. You will then use those ingredients to concoct your delicious four-course lunch under the chef's watchful eye. The dishes will be thoughtfully paired with organic wines. Afterwards, you'll spend some time with a wine expert and agronomist who will talk with you about environmental ethics and biodiversity.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Gain insight into the organic methods used at a traditional Tuscan farm.
- See how organic honey, vegetables and wine are produced.
- Join a hands-on cooking class and prepare your four-course lunch.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 4 hours of moderate walking/standing including some steps to negotiate. 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. The Bee Hives and Garden are not accessible via wheelchair. This tour operates with a driver only between each site visited and local guides at each venue. The excursion may not be suitable for those guests with food allergies or special dietary needs. If cancellation of this tour is made within 7 days of arrival in the excursion port, there will be a 100% cancellation

fee charged to the guest's shipboard account.

**LRN-016 FLORENCE ON THE LIGHTER SIDE**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM**  
**Duration: 10.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



OVERVIEW

Survey Florence's extraordinary architectural beauty and illustrious past during this guided walking tour to many of the highlights found in the UNESCO World Heritage site historic center. You'll delight in the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, also known as Il Duomo, which is crowned with a superb octagonal cupola designed by the Renaissance architect Brunelleschi. Nearby you'll find the master Giotto's soaring 14th-century campanile, or bell tower, and the Romanesque baptistery, which boasts stunning bronze doors by Ghiberti that are known as the Gates of Paradise. In stately Piazza della Signoria, see the crenellated Palazzo Vecchio, which served as the town's political center, and an abundance of exquisite statues that include Cellini's Perseus, Giambologna's The Rape of the Sabine Women and a replica of Michelangelo's David. Stroll the shop-lined Ponte Vecchio, or Old Bridge, where the city's butchers once toiled until they were ousted and replaced by silver and goldsmiths. Marvel at Basilica di Santa Croce, Italy's largest Franciscan Gothic church, on which the finest Florentine architects and masters labored, including Brunelleschi, Vasari, Giotto and Donatello. You'll relish free time for lunch and shopping at the conclusion of this comprehensive tour of spellbinding Florence.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Appreciate the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, whose Renaissance dome by Brunelleschi is a feat of engineering.
- Applaud Giotto's 14th-century bell tower and Ghiberti's bronze doors for the Romanesque baptistery.
- Wander among outstanding outdoor sculptures in Piazza della Signoria, watched over by the castle-like Palazzo Vecchio.
- Hear of the history-rich past of Ponte Vecchio, or Old Bridge, occupied by butchers and later by jewelers.
- View the wonderful Franciscan Gothic Basilica di Santa Croce, combined effort of several Florentine architects and masters.
- Enjoy time on your own to dine in a tempting trattoria or shop Florence's chic boutiques.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately to visit a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour features extensive walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. This tour does not include lunch. In case of long lines, the inside of Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral will not be included in the guided tour. A walker's city, the center of Florence is a compact labyrinth of alleys and piazzas. Travel time to Florence is approximately two hours in each direction by coach. You will have approximately 2.5 hours of free time. Shops will be closed on bank holidays.

**LRN-022 EXPLORE FLORENCE & PISA ON YOUR OWN**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM**  
**Duration: 9.50 Hrs Price: \$189.00**



OVERVIEW

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

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Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour



Glory in time entirely on your own to sightsee resplendent Florence and dazzling Pisa at your pace. In Florence, birthplace of the Renaissance, you'll have approximately four hours of complete freedom in the UNESCO World Heritage site historic center. Perhaps visit the extraordinary Duomo, nickname for the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, whose soaring cupola by Brunelleschi was a groundbreaking feat of engineering, and serene Basilica di Santa Croce, where Donatello's Annunciation is housed. Wander through the Galleria dell'Accademia and see Michelangelo's dazzling David or examine priceless works of art in the Gallerie degli Uffizi and the Palazzo Pitti, once owned by the Medicis. In Pisa, enjoy approximately 30 minutes in the UNESCO World Heritage site Campo dei Miracoli, or Field of Miracles. Appreciate the medieval masterpieces found here, including the beloved Leaning Tower, listing due to the unstable soil found beneath the Campo dei Miracoli, the circular baptistery, which boasts remarkable acoustics, and the outstanding duomo, or cathedral, whose multi-level colonnades and subtle interplay of marble and stone make it the archetype of the Pisan Romanesque style. Discover the wonders of both cities on this perfect tour for the intrepid explorer.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Uncover the highlights of Florence and Pisa with generous time for independent exploration.
- Visit Florence's astonishing places of worship, including Il Duomo and Basilica di Santa Croce.
- Take in towering achievements in Renaissance art, including Michelangelo's David, while in Florence.
- Behold Pisa's Campo dei Miracoli, a UNESCO World Heritage site where the Leaning Tower famously tilts to one side.
- Admire the sublime colonnaded Duomo di Pisa and the ornate circular baptistery.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately if you wish to visit a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses, umbrella and sunscreen.

**PLEASE NOTE**

Walking on this tour is primarily at the guest's discretion, including any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time and an approximately 15-minute drive between the parking area and Campo dei Miracoli. An escort will be on the coach to/from Florence to answer questions. The tour is non-guided and does not include lunch or any entrance fees. The Piazza Santa Croce is the drop-off and pick-up point in Florence. 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. Travel time to Florence is approximately 1 1/2 hours by coach. Advance reservations for some of the sites are highly recommended; please inquire at the Shore Excursion desk for details.

**LRN-003 FLORENCE ON YOUR OWN**

**Date:** Oct 06, 2024 **Time:** 09:00 AM  
**Duration:** 10.00 Hrs **Price:** \$149.00



**OVERVIEW**

Indulge in time entirely on your own in resplendent Florence, allowing for ample exploration at your pace. Enjoy a picturesque drive of approximately two hours through Tuscany's legendary landscapes, and once in Florence, birthplace of the Renaissance, you'll have approximately six hours of complete freedom in the UNESCO World Heritage site historic center. Perhaps visit the extraordinary Duomo, nickname for the Cathedral

of Santa Maria del Fiore, whose soaring cupola by Brunelleschi was a groundbreaking feat of engineering, and serene Basilica di Santa Croce, where Donatello's Annunciation is housed. Wander through the Galleria dell'Accademia and see Michelangelo's dazzling David or examine priceless works of art in the Gallerie degli Uffizi and the Palazzo Pitti, once owned by the Medicis. Soak up the romance of the city on the shop-lined Ponte Vecchio and the marvelous Boboli Gardens. Browse glittering boutiques from Dolce & Gabbana, Gucci, Prada and Versace, among others, along Via dei Tornabuoni and Via della Vigna Nuova. As you meander the compact labyrinth of alleys and piazzas, follow in the footsteps of Michelangelo, Leonardo Da Vinci, Dante and Machiavelli, just a few of the epochal Italians whose impact continues to reverberate through the centuries.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Uncover the highlights of Florence, a UNESCO World Heritage site, with generous time for independent exploration.
- Visit the city's astonishing places of worship, Il Duomo and Basilica di Santa Croce.
- Take in towering achievements in Renaissance art, including Michelangelo's David, in the Galleria dell'Accademia.
- Cross the enchanting Ponte Vecchio and roam the Boboli Gardens, Florence's elegant oasis.
- Shop Italy's top designers in the enticing boutiques lining Via della Vigna Nuova and Via dei Tornabuoni.
- Appreciate Tuscany's ravishing countryside as you journey to and from Florence by coach.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately if you wish to visit a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**PLEASE NOTE**

Walking on this tour is primarily at the guest's discretion. There will be an approximately 15-20 minute walk from the parking area to the meeting point. 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 evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The historic center of Florence is a pedestrian area. If you choose to purchase this transfer, it is advisable to acquire a good guide book to the city before leaving home. There will be no guided tour, only transportation to Florence. On Mondays, most of the shops in Florence are closed between 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., as are all the main museums. An official escort will be on the coach and will provide information about Florence and places to visit. Maps are available on the coach. Advance reservations for some of the sights are highly recommended; please inquire at the Shore Excursions desk for details.

**LRN-005 HISTORICAL PISA**

**Date:** Oct 06, 2024 **Time:** 09:00 AM  
**Duration:** 4.50 Hrs **Price:** \$179.00



**OVERVIEW**

Discover the marvels of Pisa, including its renowned Leaning Tower, during this tour of the city's most celebrated sites. After a brief drive to Pisa, you'll alight at the UNESCO World Heritage site Campo dei Miracoli, or Field of Miracles. Learn the quartet of medieval masterpieces found here, anchored by the Leaning Tower, date from Pisa's Golden Age as a maritime power from the 11th to the 13th century. Hear the tower started

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

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Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

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Food & Wine Trails

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listing after a mere three stories had risen due to the unstable soil found beneath the Campo dei Miracoli, and that by the time it was completed in 1350, it was too late to rectify it. Tour the outstanding duomo, or cathedral, whose multi-level colonnades and subtle interplay of marble and stone make it the archetype of the Pisan Romanesque style. Inside the vast interior, appreciate the soaring granite columns, lovely mosaics and an intricate pulpit carved by Giovanni Pisano. See the elaborate circular baptistery, acclaimed for its outstanding acoustics, and find the palatial cemetery, damaged during WWII but largely restored to its former magnificence. During time on your own, stroll and shop in Pisa's historic heart and contemplate the enduring legacy of the miraculous Italian Renaissance.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Journey to Pisa's Campo dei Miracoli, a UNESCO World Heritage site where four eminent medieval structures rise.
- Gaze at the Leaning Tower, symbol of the city and one of the world's most beguiling structures.
- Admire the sublime Duomo di Pisa, a cathedral boasting multiple tiers of colonnades on its façade.
- Delight in the ornate circular baptistery, less known but possibly as alluring as the Leaning Tower.
- See the stately cemetery, a superbly restored arcaded structure that was damaged in WWII.
- Enjoy time on your own to stroll and shop in the maze-like lanes of enthralling Pisa.

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 involves a modest amount of walking, including any walking at the guest's discretion during free time and an approximately 15-minute walk each way between the parking area and Campo dei Miracoli. There will be some steps and a very challenging ascent 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 evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Ascending the tower is not included in the tour as timing restrictions make this difficult to incorporate. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

**LRN-005OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - HISTORICAL PISA**

**Date:** Oct 06, 2024 **Time:** 09:00 AM, 02:00 PM  
**Duration:** 4.50 Hrs **Price:** \$289.00



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. Discover the marvels of Pisa, including its renowned Leaning Tower, during this tour of the city's most celebrated sites. After a brief drive to Pisa, you'll alight at the UNESCO World Heritage site Campo dei Miracoli, or Field of Miracles. Learn the quartet of medieval masterpieces found here, anchored by the Leaning Tower, date from Pisa's Golden Age as a maritime power from the 11th to the 13th century. Hear the tower started listing after a mere three stories had risen due to the unstable soil found beneath the Campo dei Miracoli, and that by the time it was completed in

1350, it was too late to rectify it. Tour the outstanding duomo, or cathedral, whose multi-level colonnades and subtle interplay of marble and stone make it the archetype of the Pisan Romanesque style. Inside the vast interior, appreciate the soaring granite columns, lovely mosaics and an intricate pulpit carved by Giovanni Pisano. See the elaborate circular baptistery, acclaimed for its outstanding acoustics, and find the palatial cemetery, damaged during WWII but largely restored to its former magnificence. During time on your own, stroll and shop in Pisa's historic heart and contemplate the enduring legacy of the miraculous Italian Renaissance.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Journey to Pisa's Campo dei Miracoli, a UNESCO World Heritage site where four eminent medieval structures rise.
- Gaze at the Leaning Tower, symbol of the city and one of the world's most beguiling structures.
- Admire the sublime Duomo di Pisa, a cathedral boasting multiple tiers of colonnades on its façade.
- Delight in the ornate circular baptistery, less known but possibly as alluring as the Leaning Tower.
- See the stately cemetery, a superbly restored arcaded structure that was damaged in WWII.
- Enjoy time on your own to stroll and shop in the maze-like lanes of enthralling Pisa.
- 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 involves a modest amount of walking, including any walking at the guest's discretion during free time and an approximately 15-minute walk each way between the parking area and Campo dei Miracoli. There will be some steps and a very challenging ascent 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 evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Ascending the tower is not included in the tour as timing restrictions make this difficult to incorporate. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

**LRN-011 FOOD & WINE TRAILS: SUVERETO & SUPER TUSCAN ESTATE, TUA RITA**

**Date:** Oct 06, 2024 **Time:** 09:00 AM  
**Duration:** 6.75 Hrs **Price:** \$299.00



OVERVIEW

Oceania Cruises is proud to partner with Food & Wine Trails, America's foremost culinary travel company, in the offering of this tour. Food & Wine Trails tours are always kept intimate and visit sites not typically offered by mainstream travel suppliers. Their tours are always led by a knowledgeable, English-speaking sommelier, wine or food expert, cooking instructor or chef, who enjoys introducing visitors to some of the best and most authentic food and wine of their region. Reveal the soul of Tuscany at an unspoiled medieval village and a glorious lunch accompanied by super Tuscan wines. Discover super Tuscans were born from a group of bold winemakers' desire to create wines not in accordance with traditional blending laws. Before you visit the estate of one of these winemaking

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Moderate activity

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Easy activity

Strenuous activity

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Evening excursion

Meal included

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rebels and taste some of their now-celebrated vintages, begin with a brief stop in medieval Suvereto, a 10th-century hamlet surrounded by walls built to protect the stone-paved streets lined with rustic houses, historical buildings and impressive churches. Proceed to Tua Rita, a family-run winery that began as a humble family project conducted in a tiny, rustic cellar and blossomed into a staple of the cult genre. You'll marvel that every year since 1994, Tua Rita has received some of the highest ratings in the region from Wine Spectator, Wine Enthusiast, Wine Advocate and other international wine publications. As their cherished guest, you'll experience true Tuscan hospitality during a tour of their state-of-the-art cellars, followed by a delicious multi-course lunch paired with a selection of their current vintages. Hail the audacious spirit of these Tuscan wine entrepreneurs as you enjoy their exceptional bounty.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Pause briefly in 10th-century Suvereto, a walled hamlet steeped in medieval charm.
- Discover the lauded Tua Rita winery, a pioneer in the production of sought-after super Tuscans.
- Visit the state-of-the-art cellars, where wines that have received numerous accolades are created.
- Partake in a multi-course lunch accompanied by Tua Rita's phenomenal wines.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately three hours of moderate walking/standing. There will be uneven and steep surfaces and a spiral 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. On occasion, due to last-minute operational issues at the wine estate, an alternate winery of similar quality and ranking may be substituted. The super Tuscan region is famed for its red wine selection, and white wine may not be served or available during the tastings. Given that a set meal is served on this excursion, guests with any dietary restrictions should advise the Destination Services Desk a minimum of 48 hours prior to the tour. If this tour is cancelled within 3 days of arrival in the excursion port, there will be a one-hundred percent cancellation fee charged to the guest's shipboard account.

**LRN-020 WINE TASTING AT FATTORIA VARRAMISTA**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$159.00**



OVERVIEW

Glimpse aristocratic life on a visit to a luxurious Renaissance villa, where you'll tour the house and grounds before a tasting of local red wines. During a leisurely drive of approximately 45 minutes, cross beguiling Tuscan landscapes dotted with medieval hillside villages. In the heart of the fabled region, you'll find the graceful villa Fattoria Varramista, which dates back to 1300 and was in the hands of the noted Capponi counts from 1406 to 1953. Discover it was then purchased by Dr. Enrico Piaggio, whose family is well-known for the Vespa scooter and their investment in iconic Italian brands such as Ferrari, Maserati and Alfa Romeo. You'll tour the elegant ground floor of the villa, the magnificently manicured Italian garden and both the modern and ancient wine cellars. In the wine tasting room, sample a variety of regional red vintages paired with traditional appetizers and olive oil. Raise a glass to your unforgettable sojourn to this jewel perfectly set in the idyllic Tuscan countryside.

HIGHLIGHTS

- See the timeless landscapes and villages of Tuscany as you journey by coach.
- Rejoice in remarkable Fattoria Varramista, a Renaissance villa that for centuries was owned by counts.
- Explore the tastefully appointed ground floor, the extraordinary Italian garden and the wine cellars.
- Try a selection of Tuscan red wines with olive oil and other tasty appetizers.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

A minimum number of bookings is required for this excursion to operate. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. This excursion will operate in all weather conditions.

**LRN-025 FLORENCE HOP ON HOP OFF & AUDIO GUIDED WALKI**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 8.50 Hrs Price: \$259.00**



OVERVIEW

See Florence's highlights at your own pace by riding a double-decker bus around town, hopping on and off whenever you please at the attractions you find most intriguing. After departing from the pier, you will settle in for a leisurely and immensely scenic drive through the Tuscan countryside and on to Florence. In time, you will stop in historical St. Croce Square, a wonderfully atmospheric gathering place where you can easily walk to landmarks such as Santa Croce Basilica. Built in the late 13th century, the church contains the tombs of Michelangelo and Galileo, so it will be well worth visiting. You might also want to stroll over to the iconic Ponte Vecchio bridge that spans the Arno River and then linger over a Tuscan lunch before beginning the Hop-On Hop-Off bus tour. Then, using the complimentary bus pass, you can explore the sites in Florence that are most appealing to you. More than 12 designated stops are available on the bus route. Simply hop on one of the buses and then hop off when it reaches an attraction that interests you. For instance, you might hop off near Michelangelo's exquisite statue of David in the Accademia Gallery, and see masterpieces from artists such as Leonardo da Vinci and Caravaggio in the Uffizi Gallery. Nature lovers will enjoy the Boboli Gardens behind the Pitti Palace during the sightseeing route. You will also learn all about Florence's history with an audio-guided walking tour of the historic center.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit iconic attractions of Renaissance Florence with the use of an unlimited hop-on, hop-off bus pass.
- Admire the city's astonishing places of worship, Il Duomo and Basilica di Santa Croce.
- Take in towering achievements in Renaissance art, including Michelangelo's David, in the Galleria dell'Accademia.
- Cross the enchanting Ponte Vecchio and roam the Boboli Gardens, Florence's elegant oasis.
- Shop Italy's top designers in the enticing boutiques lining Via della Vigna Nuova and Via dei Tornabuoni.
- Take as much or as little time as you wish at each landmark before you hop onto the next bus.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

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Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

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- Dress appropriately if you wish to visit a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses, umbrella and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

As the HOHO buses are shared with non-cruise tourists; Guests can expect long lines and wait times between buses. Walking on this tour is at the guests' discretion during any stops they choose to get off the bus. 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. Weather appropriate clothing; sun cap; sunglasses; sunscreen; an umbrella; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. While the lower deck of the bus is air-conditioned, the open-top upper deck is not. The duration will vary based upon the guests' choice of stops and time spent at each. The Audio Guided Walking tour of the historic center is accessible with the free App "Sightseeing Experience" and is available in 5 languages.

**LRN-030 DISCOVERING THE LIGURIAN COAST BY RUBBER BOA**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Explore the pastel-colored town of Lerici as a prelude to cruising around the islands in the surrounding Bay of La Spezia. Although a medieval castle dominates Lerici, there is much more to see, including the 13th-century Oratory of San Rocco and former Jewish quarter. The narrow streets are wonderfully atmospheric with fine shops characteristic of the Italian Riviera. In time, you will board a private boat for an enlightening cruise around the bay, which is also known as Poet's Gulf in reference to Lerici once being a celebrated enclave for poets and writers. Lord Byron, Percy and Mary Shelley and D.H. Lawrence were all inspired by the setting. You will be treated to close-up views of the islands Palmaria, Tino and Tinetto in the bay's westernmost part. UNESCO deemed them and the neighboring town of Portovenere a World Heritage site for their scenic and cultural value. You will discover Portovenere's other charms during free time there.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Spend time on your own exploring the many attractions in pastel-colored Lerici.
- Cruise through Poet's Gulf for a close-up view of its World Heritage site islands.
- Enjoy more free time in lovely Portovenere, which shares that World Heritage site designation.

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 not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

**LRN-031 OS- BOCELLI SEASIDE & FLAVORS**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 6.00 Hrs Price: \$489.00**



OVERVIEW

Savor Tuscan cuisine and inspiring wines at an exclusive beach club that Andrea Bocelli's family owns in the picturesque town of Forte dei Marmi. As an introduction to Tuscany, you will first stop in historical Pietrasanta in the foothills of the Apuan Alps. As you meander about during free time, be

sure to see the 16th-century Fountain of Marzocco, the Cathedral of St. Martin and sections of an ancient wall from Roman times. Upon arriving at the Alpe Mare Beach Club, you will be treated to a tasting of classic wines from the Tuscan estate that the Bocelli family has owned since 1730. The wines will be paired with seafood appetizers that perfectly complement their characteristics. To enhance the experience, the guide will describe the nuances of the wines and how they are produced. A three-course lunch follows, accompanied by yet another selection of Bocelli wines. Time will also be allotted to explore the beach club at your leisure.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sample a selection of wines from the winery that the family of Andrea Bocelli owns.
- Indulge in seafood appetizers and lunch at the Bocellis' exclusive Alpe Mare Beach Club.
- Explore the classic Tuscan town of Pietrasanta on your own.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes limited walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, can make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them.

**LRN-036 QUARRYING CARRARA MARBLE**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 5.25 Hrs Price: \$259.00**



OVERVIEW

Enjoy a comprehensive tour of the quarries in the Apuan Alps that have supplied Carrara marble since Roman times. The mountains contain a staggering amount of marble that was prized even before Michelangelo selected some of it to sculpt his Pietà and David. While traveling through the alps, you will pause to view Ponti di Vara, a centuries-old bridge used to transport marble, and Fantiscritti, an outdoor quarry museum of sorts that will clearly show the challenges of excavating, transporting and processing Carrara white marble. The quarry is a fascinating sight, especially considering that the mountains have yielded an endless supply of marble for more than 2,000 years. Some of it is used to make chests for aging lardo – or seasoned pure pork fat. Quarrymen have long eaten the high-energy delicacy, and you have the opportunity to sample this melt-in-your-mouth treat while enjoying other Italian dishes for lunch.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Travel into the Apuan Alps, where Carrara marble has been quarried for 2,000 years.
- View an unusual outdoor museum that shows how the marble is quarried, step by step.
- Enjoy a lunch of Italian specialties, including a high-energy snack that quarrymen eat.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking over both even and uneven surfaces, sandy and gravel terrain. The sights are not wheelchair accessible and therefore it is not available for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Guests must wear closed toe, flat heeled shoes to participate.

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| Easy activity     | Strenuous activity | Oceania Select    | Culinary Discovery | Go Local      |
| Evening excursion | Meal included      | ADA Accessible    | Food & Wine Trails | Wellness Tour |



**LRN-AC1 ACCESSIBLE FLORENCE & MICHELANGELOS DAVID**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$359.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW LRN-AC1 Companion This excursion is for guests that use a cane/walker, have limited mobility issues or for companions of those guest that have booked mobility equipment tour. Those guests that are fully dependent on their mobility device please book: LRN-AC2 ACCESSIBLE FLORENCE & MICHELANGELOS DAVID- Mobility Equipment Explore the most emblematic and recognizable attractions in Florence, beginning with the Accademia Gallery, home to Michelangelo's exquisite white marble statue of David. You might also see Florentine Gothic paintings, a viola made by Antonio Stradivari and centuries-old religious artwork, all of which the guide will describe as well as the times in which they were created. Continuing on, you will visit the Piazza della Signoria, the political heart of Florence since in the Middle Ages. The Palazzo Vecchio town hall overlooks the square and its iconic tower has become the symbol of Florence. Ponte Vecchio bridge is equally well known, as it has been spanning the Arno River since medieval times. Shops have lined both sides of the bridge since the 13th century. Following lunch on your own in the Piazza della Repubblica, you will pause at the hillside Piazzle Michelangelo for one last look at the city.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Behold Michelangelo's statue of David and other masterpieces at the Accademia Gallery.
- Meander about the Piazza della Signoria, a main square that the iconic town hall dominates.
- See the famed shop-lined Ponte Vecchio bridge that spans the Arno River.
- Gaze out over Florence from atop the elevated vantage point Piazzle Michelangelo.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTES: Tour includes step-free routes, shorter distances and no stairs. Accessible restrooms with wide doors for wheelchairs are present along the tour route. Vehicles are adapted with an access ramp (or lift where available) to accommodate a limited number of wheelchairs and/or mobility scooters. Guides are not allowed to push wheelchairs; therefore, guests needing special assistance must be accompanied by an able-bodied.

**LRN-AC2 ACCESSIBLE FLORENCE & MICHELANGELOS DAVID**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$359.00**



OVERVIEW

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**LRN-AC3 ACCESSIBLE PISA & MEDIEVAL LUCCA**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**

**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$339.00**



OVERVIEW

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit the Field of Miracles, home to Pisa's Leaning Tower, Duomo, Baptistery and Camposanto.
- Browse paintings of Madonna and St. Paul in the National Museum of San Matteo.
- Tour Lucca, a town revered for its well-preserved Renaissance walls that encircle Old Town.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Space is limited, book early.

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**LRN-026 EASY FLORENCE**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**  
**Duration: 9.00 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



OVERVIEW

Enjoy the architectural and artistic splendors of Florence with minimal effort by driving around the city and spending free time in a square surrounded by fine shops and cafés. On the way there, you will stop at a leather factory. It will be an excellent introduction to Italian craftsmanship, as you will watch artisans creating exquisite leather goods by hand. Your first look at Florence will be just as memorable. While pausing for photos at hilltop Michelangelo Square, you will enjoy sweeping views and a close-up look at replicas of Michelangelo's most famous works, including David. You will be presented with other perspectives of Florence and the Arno River on the descent to St. Croce Square, where you will enjoy about 1½ hours of free time. The square couldn't be more convenient, as it allows easy access to restaurants, shops and attractions such as Santa Croce Basilica. Ponte Vecchio is within walking distance.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy an introductory and immensely panoramic drive in and around Florence.
- Spend free time in St. Croce Square, a center of fine shops and restaurants.
- Stop at a leather factory to watch Italian craftsmen create exquisite leather goods.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This is not guided tour, but an English-speaking escort will accompany you to and from Florence and assist with any questions you may have. Conservative dress is required to enter churches. The level of exertion during free time is at each guest's discretion. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

**LRN-033 FLORENCE OPEN AIR SIGHTSEEING & WALKING TOUR**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**  
**Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$99.00**



OVERVIEW

See an array of iconic attractions in Florence from the comfort of a double-decker bus that affords panoramic views of this classic Tuscan city in every direction. An immensely scenic drive through the rolling countryside will provide a hint of the beauty that awaits you in Florence, which is revered for its architectural and artistic splendor. The exact bus route will be determined in accordance with the traffic and time of day, but you can expect to view one spectacular landmark after another with stops along the way for closer looks. Florence is home to countless attractions, including Michelangelo's statue of "David," the magnificent Uffizi Gallery and the shop-lined bridge Ponte Vecchio, which has spanned the Arno River since medieval times. Chances are, you will catch sight of the Duomo, the famed cathedral that dominates the heart of Florence. Legendary 15th-century architect Filippo Brunelleschi designed its dome, which has been the skyline's most recognized structure ever since. View some of the most magnificent sights, such as:

- Piazzale Michelangelo
- Ponte Vecchio
- Santa Croce
- Piazza Santa Maria Maggiore
- Piazza Signoria
- Porta Romana

HIGHLIGHTS

- See the highlights of Florence from a double-decker bus that offers unobstructed views.

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| Easy activity     | Strenuous activity | Oceania Select    | Culinary Discovery | Go Local      |
| Evening excursion | Meal included      | ADA Accessible    | Food & Wine Trails | Wellness Tour |

- Stop along the way for photos and closer looks at the most iconic attractions.
- Enjoy a guided walking tour through some of the most important sites.
- Take comfort in knowing that the bus is open air rather than completely enclosed.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

It is not recommended for guests with walking difficulties. Casual clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

**LRN-GG1 MASSACIUCCOLI NATURAL LAKE & ORGANIC WINES**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$309.00**



OVERVIEW

Spend a full day meandering through a natural reserve, enjoying lunch at an organic farm and exploring an estate that creates essential oils from eucalyptus trees and medicinal plants. Your appreciation of all things natural will begin with a stroll along the marshland boardwalk at Massaciuccoli Nature Park, where you will likely see a huge variety of water birds. Lunch follows at Tenuta Mariani, a Tuscan farm with vast olive groves and vineyards. Besides running entirely on renewable energy and recycling most everything possible, the estate takes a biodynamic, chemical-free approach to farming that adds vitality to the soil and plants. It is a difference you will taste in every bite. The company Versil Green also respects the Tuscan environment when creating organic products for the food, cosmetics and pharmaceutical industries. While touring, you will observe the production process and perhaps participate in an essential oils workshop. Afterwards, you will sample a craft beer made with organic hops.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Look for water birds while strolling the boardwalk at Massaciuccoli Nature Park .
- Gain insight into biodynamic agriculture that benefits the environment at a Tuscan farm .
- Toast the day with an organic beer after touring a company that makes essential oils .

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 3-4 hours of moderate walking including several steps, over uneven and natural terrain. It is not available 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, hat, sun screen and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

**LRN-010 PISA ON YOUR OWN**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 02:15 PM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Wonder at the dazzling landmarks of Pisa with generous time to explore at your own pace. You'll surely wish to visit the UNESCO World Heritage site Campo dei Miracoli, or Field of Miracles. Appreciate the quartet of medieval masterpieces found here, anchored by the Leaning Tower, which date

from Pisa's Golden Age as a maritime power from the 11th to the 13th century. Discover the beloved tower, listing due to the unstable soil found beneath the Campo dei Miracoli, and the outstanding duomo, or cathedral, whose multi-level colonnades and subtle interplay of marble and stone make it the archetype of the Pisan Romanesque style. Enter the elaborate circular baptistery, acclaimed for its outstanding acoustics, and find the palatial cemetery, damaged during WWII but largely restored to its former magnificence. In Piazza dei Cavalieri, which served as the civic heart of medieval Pisa and later as the headquarters of the Knights of Saint Stephen, behold an expressive statue of Cosimo de' Medici that sternly supervises the daily proceedings. However you choose to spend your time in regal Pisa, you're sure to create enduring memories of the city's lofty achievements.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Uncover the best of Pisa however you wish with ample time for exploration on your own.
- Journey to Pisa's Campo dei Miracoli, a UNESCO World Heritage site where four eminent medieval structures rise.
- Gaze at the Leaning Tower, symbol of the city and one of the world's most beguiling structures.
- Admire the sublime colonnaded Duomo di Pisa and the ornate circular baptistery.
- Contemplate the stately cemetery, a superbly restored arcaded structure that was damaged in WWII.
- See a brilliant patchwork of Renaissance buildings and an imposing statue of Cosimo de' Medici in Piazza dei Cavalieri.

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

Walking on this tour is primarily at the guests discretion, including any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time and an approximately 15-minute walk each way between the parking area and Campo dei Miracoli. The cathedral cannot be visited on Sunday mornings, due to services. Shops will be closed during bank holidays. Oceania recommends the Discovery Walks program as a great supplement to this tour.

**LRN-013 HIGHLIGHTS OF LUCCA**

**Date: Oct 06, 2024 Time: 02:30 PM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Experience compelling Tuscan art and history on this relaxing guided walking tour of scenic and off-the-beaten-path Lucca. Upon arrival in this quaint city, founded in 180 BC by the Romans, you'll notice the town's massive red-brick walls, built between 1504 and 1645 and among the best-preserved Renaissance-era defenses in Europe. Admire the Pisan Romanesque Church of San Michele in Foro, which stands on the site of the ancient Roman forum and whose exquisite colonnaded façade rivals that of Pisa's own cathedral. Pass the fabulous, tree-topped Guinigi Tower, one of several in Lucca built by the Guinigi family, rulers of the city in the 15th century, and reach the Piazza Amfiteatro, once the Roman amphitheater and today a charming elliptical square surrounded by sand-colored houses. Visit the chapel where the revered Santa Zita is interred, and tour the extraordinary Duomo di San Martino, a cathedral that holds the Volto Santo, a 13th-century wooden effigy believed by medieval

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pilgrims to have been carved by Christ's follower Nicodemus at the time of the Crucifixion. Conclude your tour with free time to browse Via Fillungo, the town's principal shopping street, or continue your exploration of unspoiled and magnetic Lucca.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Appreciate an easygoing tour of Lucca, which is surrounded by unbroken, Renaissance-era red-brick walls.
- Rejoice in the ornately colonnaded façade of the Pisan Romanesque Church of San Michele in Foro.
- Look upward at the unlikely sight of trees crowning the soaring 15th-century Guinigi Tower.
- Stroll in an inviting oval plaza built on the site of the former Roman amphitheater.
- Visit the wonderful Duomo di San Martino, where a treasured 13th-century carving of Christ resides.
- Relish time on your own to shop on Via Fillungo or wander deeper into Lucca's atmospheric streets.

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 involves approximately two hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces and a few steps to climb. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Most of the shops are closed on Sundays and on Sunday mornings there are services in some of the churches.

## Ajaccio (Corsica), France

### AJA-002 THE PERFUMED ISLE AND PRUNELLI RIVER GORGES

Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM, 09:00 AM

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$99.00



OVERVIEW

Relax on this panoramic driving tour of Corsica's spectacular interior, a land little-changed over centuries. Pass through Cuaro village and beautifully rugged, mountainous terrain, resplendent with lush forests. You'll see the dense shrubbery known as "maquis" blanketing the countryside and inhale the extraordinarily fragrant evergreen, interspersed with aromatic lavender, myrtle and wild mint. Journey past modest vineyards and cultivated fields before you enter peaceful Pineta Forest, dominated by tall, striking laricio pines, expansive chestnuts and dramatic beech trees. Enter heart-stopping Prunelli Gorges with its jagged granite walls and descend through serpentine twists and curves. Arrive ultimately at serene, man-made Tolla Lake, source of Ajaccio's hydro-electric power, and snap a postcard-worthy photo. Sharp pinnacles emerge from the forest just past Tolla, a ridge-top village nestled into the mountainside, then the amazing vista opens to an expanse of fertile valley below. Delight in numerous picturesque hamlets, including Ocana, known for austere granite homes, and imagine everyday life in this timeless land.

HIGHLIGHTS

- View land untouched by time, traversing small villages, verdant forest and dramatic natural beauty.
- Breathe in aromatic evergreen, enhanced with fragrant lavender, myrtle and wild mint in the Pineta Forest.

- Descend into the dramatic Prunelli Gorges and marvel at the jagged granite walls.
- Delight in the azure hues of Tolla Lake, a man-made basin that provides hydro-electric power to Ajaccio.
- Appreciate the diverse landscape and small villages unchanged through the centuries.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour is primarily panoramic, with walking at the guest's discretion during stops. It is available to guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. The tour may not be suitable for guests with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability. It is not considered suitable for those who suffer from motion sickness or vertigo.

### AJA-002OE OE-THE PERFUMED ISLE AND PRUNELLI RIVER GORGES



Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM, 09:00 AM

Duration: 3.50 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. Relax on this panoramic driving tour of Corsica's spectacular interior, a land little-changed over centuries. Pass through Cuaro village and beautifully rugged, mountainous terrain, resplendent with lush forests. You'll see the dense shrubbery known as "maquis" blanketing the countryside and inhale the extraordinarily fragrant evergreen, interspersed with aromatic lavender, myrtle and wild mint. Journey past modest vineyards and cultivated fields before you enter peaceful Pineta Forest, dominated by tall, striking laricio pines, expansive chestnuts and dramatic beech trees. Enter heart-stopping Prunelli Gorges with its jagged granite walls and descend through serpentine twists and curves. Arrive ultimately at serene, man-made Tolla Lake, source of Ajaccio's hydro-electric power, and snap a postcard-worthy photo. Sharp pinnacles emerge from the forest just past Tolla, a ridge-top village nestled into the mountainside, then the amazing vista opens to an expanse of fertile valley below. Delight in numerous picturesque hamlets, including Ocana, known for austere granite homes, and imagine everyday life in this timeless land.

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HELPFUL HINTS

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Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

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**AJA-003 HIGHLIGHTS OF AJACCIO**

**Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM, 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 3.00 Hrs Price: \$89.00**



OVERVIEW

Admire charming Ajaccio on this driving and walking tour that focuses on the life of pugnacious Napoleon Bonaparte. Pass historic churches, the former English quarter and notable monuments to the French emperor, born in Ajaccio or “Imperial Town” in 1769. Witness Napoleon in a celebrated pose at striking Austerlitz Square, donning his famous two-cornered hat and riding coat. Local lore holds he played here as a child, presciently pretending to be France’s emperor. Commence your walking tour in Ajaccio’s oldest district and discover another tribute to the emperor at the eye-catching neo-classical town hall. Amble leisurely down one of the region’s first streets, aptly named Rue Bonaparte, to Napoleon’s birthplace. Envision his boyhood in this unadorned home, now a museum beautifully furnished with period pieces. See the modest cathedral, site of his christening, and yet another impressive commemoration in the expansive Place de Gaulle. At the end of your enlightening tour, you may choose to remain in town to browse the engaging, shop-lined Rue Fesch, where Napoleon’s image is a central theme.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Immerse yourself in Ajaccio, also known as “Imperial City” and birthplace of Napoleon Bonaparte in 1769.
- View myriad statues and powerful monuments to the native son, the famed emperor of France.
- Glimpse Napoleon’s humble beginnings at his childhood home, now a museum, and see the unassuming cathedral where he was christened.
- Shop the pedestrian-friendly Rue Fesch, filled with delightful and unique boutiques.

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 easy-to-moderate walking/standing and some uneven ground. It is available to guests who have 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.

**AJA-003OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - HIGHLIGHTS OF AJACCIO**

**Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM, 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 3.00 Hrs Price: \$209.00**



OVERVIEW

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- Shop the pedestrian-friendly Rue Fesch, filled with delightful and unique boutiques.
- 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.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 90 minutes of easy-to-moderate walking/standing and some uneven ground. It is available to guests who have 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.

**AJA-008 THE CALANCHE OF PIANA & SPELUNCA GORGES**

**Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$279.00**



OVERVIEW

Surround yourself with stunning Corsican natural highlights in the lush Calanche of Piana nature reserve and the dramatic Spelunca Gorges on this delightfully scenic coach tour. You’ll discover that tantalizing views of enchanting hamlets such as Evisa and Vico, the former capital, provide only a hint of this island’s charm. Explore 17th-century Cargese, founded by Greeks fleeing a Turkish invasion. With ample free time at your leisure, you might shop, admire the churches in the town’s center or take in the expansive sea views. Behold the impressive sights at the Calanche of Piana, a nature preserve so environmentally significant, it is a UNESCO World Heritage site. Examine brightly colored rock outcroppings, oddly shaped granite pinnacles and pillars emerging from the sea. Look for the rocks’ uncanny resemblances to animals or people, including the well-known Bride and Groom, at a brief photo stop. Dense and striking pine forests encompass the breathtaking Spelunca Gorges, where you’ll marvel at the jagged peaks and rugged terrain that drop nearly two-thirds of a mile

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

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to a roiling convergence of sparkling rivers and crystalline streams. Lunch at captivating Porto village then enjoy time to shop at your leisure or take an unhurried stroll past the colorful marina, the bobbing pleasure craft emphasizing the unique and varied nature of Corsica's many glories.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Admire 17th-century Cargese's aged churches and breathtaking sea views.
- View colorful and uniquely shaped rock formations at the Calanche of Piana, a UNESCO World Heritage site of environmental significance.
- Glimpse the laid-back French villages of Evisa and Vico.
- Appreciate the magnificence of the dramatic and breathtaking Spelunca Gorges.
- Shop or explore the seaside village of Porto after a delicious lunch.

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-to-strenuous walking/standing. There will be some steps, uneven surfaces and a steep hill to negotiate in Cargese. Travel time to Cargese is approximately 75 minutes by coach. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair, guests with mobility concerns or those who suffer from motion sickness. Aside from restrooms at the restaurant where you will have lunch, restrooms in Ajaccio are not public, and those found in cafes and other venues are only available to patrons of the establishment. Coaches are not equipped with a restroom. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

**AJA-010 THE CALANCHE OF PIANA**

**Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$209.00**



OVERVIEW

Surround yourself with stunning Corsican natural highlights in the lush Calanche of Piana nature on this wonderfully scenic coach tour. You'll discover that tantalizing views of enchanting hamlets such as Evisa and Vico, the former capital, provide only a hint of this island's charm. Explore 17th-century Cargese, founded by Greeks fleeing a Turkish invasion. With ample free time at your leisure, you might shop, admire the churches in the town's center or take in the expansive sea views. Behold the impressive sights at the Calanche of Piana, a nature preserve so environmentally significant it is a UNESCO World Heritage site. Examine brightly colored rock outcroppings, oddly shaped granite pinnacles and pillars emerging from the sea. Look for the rocks' uncanny resemblances to animals or people, including the well-known Bride and Groom, at a brief photo stop.

HIGHLIGHTS

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- View colorful and uniquely shaped rock formations at the Calanche of Piana, a UNESCO World Heritage site of environmental significance.
- Glimpse the laid-back French villages of Evisa and Vico.

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 to strenuous walking/standing. There will be some steps, uneven surfaces and a steep hill to negotiate in Cargese. Travel time to Cargese is approximately 75

minutes by coach. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair, guests with mobility concerns or for those who suffer from motion sickness. Aside from restrooms at the restaurant where you will have lunch, restrooms in Ajaccio are not public, and those found in cafes and other venues are only available to patrons of the establishment purchasing food or beverages. Coaches are not equipped with a restroom. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

**AJA-006 IMPERIAL TOWN**

**Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM, 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 2.00 Hrs Price: \$69.00**



OVERVIEW

Explore "Imperial Town" on this enriching walking tour of Ajaccio, home of Emperor Napoleon Bonaparte, born here in 1769. Enter Old Town's expansive square with its sweeping bay view and arrive at the eye-catching neo-classical town hall dominated by a statue honoring the controversial and admired emperor. Amble down one of the city's first streets, aptly named Rue Bonaparte, to find Napoleon's birthplace. Envision his boyhood in this unadorned home, now a museum beautifully furnished with time-worn period pieces. Recognize another memorial to the Bonapartes in the Place de Gaulle, an absorbing monument of the emperor on horseback surrounded by his brothers that rises gracefully from the square. Treasures of the imperial family await your inspection at a once grand palace built by order of Napoleon's uncle. Browse the remarkable collection, including the second-largest assemblage of Italian paintings in France. Works from four centuries are on display, including masterpieces by Botticelli and Titian. If you so desire, choose to remain in town to browse the shop-lined, pedestrian-friendly Rue Fesch following your tour, where Napoleon's image is a central theme.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Stroll highlights of Ajaccio, birthplace of Napoleon Bonaparte in 1769, also known as "Imperial City."
- Discover myriad statues and powerful monuments to the native son, a famed emperor of France.
- Imagine Napoleon's humble beginnings at his childhood home, replete with period furnishings.
- See the palace museum, showcasing exhibits devoted to the imperial family and classical art.
- Shop the pedestrian-friendly Rue Fesch, filled with delightful and unique boutiques.

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 easy-to-moderate walking/standing. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is available to guests who have 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. Dependent upon the day of week and time, there may be only one museum visit. Restrooms are available in the museums only.

**AJA-007 SCENIC VIZZAVONA & CORSICAN SNACKS**

**Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM, 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 3.25 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Explore the pristine mountainous terrain that blankets much of Corsica's

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

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interior, absorbing the striking natural beauty with a scenic drive before enjoying a hearty sample of Corsican food. You'll see the dense shrubbery known as "maquis" blanketing the countryside, and inhale the extraordinarily fragrant evergreen, interspersed with aromatic lavender, myrtle and wild mint. View Bocognano village, perched on a picturesque plateau, and surrounded by leafy chestnut and beech trees. Enter the pine-filled and scarcely populated Vizzavona Forest, sought by nature enthusiasts and backpackers for its wondrous vistas and inspirational hikes. You'll learn that the forest was the long-standing refuge for bandit brothers who became folk heroes in the late 1880s. One surrendered at age 75 and the other remained at large for ten more years. Savor a hearty spread of smoked ham, sausages and goat cheeses, reflective of a local workman's mid-day meal, accompanied by a glass of robust red wine. Immerse yourself in this splendid land's everyday life with ample free time after your delicious repast.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy an extraordinarily beautiful drive into Corsica's scenic and rugged interior.
- Breathe in aromatic evergreen, enhanced with fragrant lavender, myrtle and wild mint, and view the plentiful native shrubbery, known as "maquis."
- Delight in the picturesque plateau that showcases the village of Bocognano
- Traverse Vizzayona Forest, a scarcely populated area sought by hiking and nature enthusiasts.
- Learn of the bandit-brother folk heroes who successfully used the forest as a hideout in the 1800s.
- Enjoy a delicious and hearty snack, reflective of a typical Corsican workman's mid-day meal.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour is primarily panoramic, with walking at the guest's discretion during stops. It is available to guests who have 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. The tour is not considered suitable for those who suffer from motion sickness or vertigo. Coaches are not equipped with a restroom. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

**AJA-011 AN EXPERIENCE OUT OF TIME**

**Date: Oct 07, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 3.00 Hrs Price: \$159.00**



OVERVIEW

See how the influence of Napoleon Bonaparte still lingers in Ajaccio, which is known as Imperial Town in honor of the French emperor being born there. In several squares, statues depict Napoleon robed like a Roman consul and on horseback. It is almost impossible to escape his lasting impact, as you will see at the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary cathedral, where he was christened, and at Rue Bonaparte, one of the first streets in Ajaccio. The entire Bonaparte family left its mark here. The Bonaparte's home since 1682 was eventually given to the French government in the 1960s and turned into a museum, where you can behold Napoleon's death mask. You will learn even more about the emperor while watching a film about his life and dining on a light Corsican lunch. To enhance the historical aspect, the wait staff will be outfitted in Napoleonic period costumes.

HIGHLIGHTS

- See evidence of the lasting influence of Napoleon and the Bonaparte family in Ajaccio.
- Visit Napoleon's birthplace and the modest church where he was christened.
- Enjoy a light Corsican lunch served by a wait staff dressed in Napoleonic period costumes.
- Opt to remain in Ajaccio following the excursion and then walk back to the ship on your own.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 3 hours and 26 minutes of moderate walking/standing. Guests will need to manage some uneven pavements. There will need be 15 - 20 steps throughout the excursion. 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. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

**Olbia/Porto Cervo (Sardinia), Italy**

**OLB-001 THE MADDALENA ISLAND EXPERIENCE**

**Date: Oct 08, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



OVERVIEW

Sail to a strategically located island that has withstood numerous invasions over the years and enjoy time on your own to explore its picturesque landmarks and quaint shops. Settle in for a journey through northern Sardinia's distinctive landscape, filled with dense shrubbery which contrasts beautifully with the region's dramatic granite outcroppings. At the port of Palau, you'll board a ferry for a relaxing crossing to La Maddalena, a triangular-shaped island revered for its rugged terrain, fine beaches and lively plazas. Appreciate time at your leisure to explore the town that shares the island's name, perhaps visiting the parish church's small museum, where you'll find two candelabras and a crucifix that were donated to the community by Admiral Nelson. Choose to browse inviting shops or stroll the promenade, soaking in the warm atmosphere of this welcoming town.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Journey across northern Sardinia and observe the dramatic contrast of lush shrubbery against jagged granite.
- Embark on a ferry for a pleasant cruise to the often-besieged island of La Maddalena.
- Explore the historic center of La Maddalena Town during ample free time.
- View the candelabras and crucifix donated by Admiral Nelson in the parish church's museum.
- Wander through enticing shops or walk the hamlet's seaside promenade.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- If you plan to visit the church, dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately one hour of walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is not

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

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considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. During the off season, September through June, you may find that the shops, restaurants and bars will be closed.

**OLB-002 SCENIC COSTA SMERALDA**

**Date: Oct 08, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Discover the captivating beauty of the Costa Smeralda, or Emerald Coast, on this exploration of an exclusive destination often regarded as the Italian Saint-Tropez. Travel along Sardinia's glittering Cugnana Gulf and the enchanting bay of Cala di Volpe to chic Porto Cervo, partly founded in the 1960s by Prince Karim Aga Khan, one of the world's wealthiest royals, as a playground for the rich and famous. You'll find that Porto Cervo is known for its ultra-chic boutiques, exquisite restaurants and splendid marina filled with sleek yachts bobbing on the sparkling, crystalline water. Spend time on your own luxuriating in this seaside resort paradise, perhaps shopping, relaxing in a charming plaza or taking in the spectacular scenery. Imagine living in this idyllic setting, rubbing elbows with well-heeled aristocrats and socialites on the sun-kissed Sardinian coast.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Take in magnificent views of the stunning turquoise Cugnana Gulf and alluring Cala di Volpe bay .
- Visit the tiny village of Porto Cervo, often regarded as the Italian Saint-Tropez.
- View myriad upscale boutiques, inviting restaurants and gorgeous yachts at anchor in the marina.
- Appreciate time on your own to shop, relax or absorb your elegant surroundings.

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/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. During the off season, September through June, you may find that the shops, restaurants and bars will be closed.

**OLB-003 SARDINIAN WINES & SPIRITS**

**Date: Oct 08, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



OVERVIEW

Delight in an in-depth look at Sardinian winemaking and the distillation of popular spirits on this enjoyable tour. Journey inland through the rugged Sardinian countryside to the village of Berchidda, nestled in the foothills of Mount Limbara. You'll visit the illuminating Sardinian Wine Museum and learn about the region's viticulture, the vermentino vines that thrive here and the wide variety of wines produced by these distinctive grapes. Savor a glass of locally made Vermentino di Gallura wine, accompanied with delectable cheese and carta da musica, a traditional Sardinian bread whose evocative name derives from its dough, which is meant to be rolled so thin that you can read sheet music through its diaphanous layers. You'll also explore the revered Lucrezio Distilleria and delve into the process of making their best-known brand, Lucrezio R. Mirto, a traditional myrtle liqueur that is unique to Sardinia and Corsica. You're sure to treasure your immersion into the flavorful gifts of bountiful Sardinia.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Marvel at dramatic vistas of the jagged granite and dense greenery of the Sardinian countryside .
- Find the quaint village of Berchidda in the rolling foothills of majestic Mount Limbara.
- Learn about the region's viticulture at the Sardinian Wine Museum.
- Sample the region's acclaimed Vermentino di Gallura wine accompanied by cheese and a traditional Sardinian bread.
- Uncover the process used in the creation of renowned Lucrezio Distilleria's myrtle liqueur.

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 easy walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

**OLB-005 THE MANY FACETS OF COSTA SMERALDA**

**Date: Oct 08, 2024 Time: 09:45 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$169.00**



OVERVIEW

Explore the history and traditions of the alluring Emerald Coast as you examine prehistoric defensive sites, see villages both traditional and modern, and enjoy a satisfying wine tasting. On a panoramic tour of Costa Smeralda, you'll admire chic Porto Cervo, long considered the gem of the coast and one of the Mediterranean's premier holiday getaways. Make your way to the fascinating Nuraghe La Prisgiona, site of ancient megalithic structures symbolic of Sardinia that were developed during the Nuragic Age between 1900 BC and 730 BC. You'll find over 7,000 nuraghi still exist and that this early evidence of advanced prehistoric construction, along with their strategic locations, support the belief they were towers built for military and defensive purposes. Travel to Vigne Surrau, a striking, young winery built of glass, wood and local stone, and relish a cellar tour and tasting of both red and white local vintages accompanied by a traditional Sardinian snack. Back on your coach, you'll drive through San Pantaleo, a typical town framed by unique granite peaks, which offers you a contrasting and delightful glimpse into a Sardinia much different from the glamorous Costa Smeralda.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Delight in a scenic overview of the magnificent Costa Smeralda and the exclusive village of Porto Cervo.
- View ancient nuraghi at Nuraghe La Prisgiona, a megalithic site comprising prehistoric defensive towers.
- Rejoice in a cellar tour and wine tasting at the sleek Vigne Surrau winery.
- Pass through the serene hamlet of San Pantaleo, a refreshing contrast to Sardinia's resort towns.

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/standing. There will be uneven surfaces and 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; however, some areas are inaccessible by wheelchair. Guests with

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

OE Oceania Exclusive

BB Beyond Blueprints

GG Go Green

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



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.

**OLB-008 DISCOVER JOURNEY TO GALLURA**

**Date: Oct 08, 2024 Time: 10:00 AM**  
**Duration: 6.50 Hrs Price: \$209.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Gain an understanding of life in Sardinia's rural interior, where traditional ways are still practiced. You will explore the origins and culture of traditional life at the Museum MEOC, an ethnographic museum in the village of Aggius. While browsing a faithful reproduction of a stone house, you will peruse exhibits of period furniture and everyday tools and see artisans engaged in crafts such as weaving. While pausing for photos in the lunar-like landscape of Moon Valley, you will see where granite was extensively quarried over the centuries to build towns such as Tempio Pausania, the Stone City. A walking tour along the Tempio's cobbled streets will introduce you to its charms. Free time follows, during which you might wander through the Cathedral of Saint Peter, parts of which date to the 13th century. You may also enjoy people-watching in the leafy plazas before snacking on Sardinian specialties such as prosciutto, cheeses and the traditional flatbread carasau.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Visit several towns in Sardinia's rural interior that still practice traditional ways.
- Browse an ethnographic museum where you may see artisans engaged in crafts.
- See where marble was quarried over the centuries to build towns such as Tempio Pausania.
- Enjoy free time in Tempio Pausania and snack on Sardinian specialties.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour includes approximately 2 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.

**OLB-009 RAMBLING AND TASTING IN SARDINIA**

**Date: Oct 08, 2024 Time: 10:15 AM**  
**Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$319.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Ramble through the island's gorgeous countryside in a 4x4 vehicle with occasional stops at historical attractions and to snack on Sardinian specialties. As you head north, the driver will describe the sights along the way, which include the tiny village of San Pantaleo. Rarely will you find a more dramatic backdrop, as the village nestles below a stark mountain that has been tortuously shaped by centuries of erosion. Below lies the seductively beautiful beaches of the Costa Smeralda. You will also stop to explore some of the excavated ruins of stone structures that the indigenous Nuraghic civilization built in the Bronze Age. There are more than 8,000 of these prehistoric treasures on the island and they are so historically and archaeologically important that UNESCO declared them a World Heritage site. The 17th-century San Giacomo Church will provide a serene setting for you to enjoy Sardinian snacks while gazing out over the mountainous landscape.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Ride through Sardinia's northeastern countryside in a 4x4 vehicle made for adventure.

- Snap pictures of San Pantaleo, a beautiful village that rugged mountains surround.
- Behold some of the ancient Nurgahic structures found exclusively on Sardinia.
- Savor local Sardinian foods while pausing at a 17th-century church in the mountains.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour includes limited 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.

**Palermo (Sicily), Italy**

**PMO-005 PANORAMIC PALERMO & GRANITA**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 08:20 AM, 01:20 PM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Explore a centuries-old mountainside sanctuary and view a popular seaside resort on this marvelous tour that includes a stop for a tasty local dessert. Settle in for a picturesque drive up Mount Pellegrino and stop at the Santuario di Santa Rosalia, built in 1625. You'll discover that the simple yellow façade opens to a church and convent extending over 80 feet into a cave and features a stirring 18th-century statue of the Virgin Mary. Outside, absorb the magnificent panorama of Palermo below, kissed by the glittering cobalt Mediterranean Sea. Continuing along the northern seacoast, you'll pass through the beach-blessed resort of Mondello, once a fishing village and now a popular spot for vacationing Sicilians, who appreciate its pastel changing cabins, waterfront piazza and striking art nouveau-style villas. In Palermo, pass numerous appealing landmarks, such as the opera house, the circular Teatro Politeama and Quattro Canti, or Four Corners, the historic city's beating heart. You'll pause for a refreshing granita, meaning "little grains" in Italian, a tasty treat of thin ice flakes mixed with sugar and fresh fruit and often topped with whipped cream, a sweet finale to a delightful excursion.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Enjoy a scenic drive up Mount Pellegrino, which overlooks Palermo and the sparkling Mediterranean Sea.
- Find a quaint mountaintop church and convent that extend deep into a natural cave.
- Behold the popular Sicilian vacation resort of Mondello, which was once a quiet fishing village.
- See key Palermo landmarks including circular Teatro Politeama and Quattro Canti, the city's center.
- Savor a flavorful granita, a local dessert made of shaved ice, sugar and fresh fruit.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour includes just over one hour of moderate-to-easy walking/standing. There will be numerous 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 evaluate

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

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**PMO-001 HISTORIC AND CULTURAL PALERMO**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM, 01:15 PM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



OVERVIEW

Exult in the breathtaking beauty of Palermo’s key landmarks, including majestic theaters, magnificent churches and a bustling marketplace. Enjoy a leisurely drive around Sicily’s architecturally rich capital, which reveals the influence of centuries of rulers from varied cultures. You’ll study the classical features of Teatro Politeama’s circular design and see Greek elements displayed in elegant Teatro Massimo, Italy’s largest theater. Travel through Quattro Canti, or the Four Corners, the historic city’s beating heart, and marvel at the Baroque architecture surrounding you. You’ll rejoice at the dozens of white marble mythological figures adorning the famed Piazza Pretoria’s spectacular fountain. At lively Mercato del Capo, revel in free time to browse the atmospheric street market, watching vendors peddling fruit, vegetables, meat, fish, cheese and myriad household goods. You’ll visit the 12th-century La Martorana, nickname for the Concattedrale Santa Maria dell’Ammiraglio, which is included in the UNESCO World Heritage site recognizing the region’s Arab-Norman architecture, and appreciate striking mosaics still brightly colored over eight centuries after their creation. Experience the superb 17th-century Baroque Chiesa dell’Immacolata Concezione, whose enthralling interior took over a century to complete, and cherish your immersion into the exquisite treasures of beguiling Palermo.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Take in the striking circular design of Teatro Politeama and the classical touches of Teatro Massimo, Italy’s largest theater.
- Cross the Four Corners, the city’s captivating center and a showcase for its Baroque jewels.
- Applaud the expansive Piazza Pretoria’s appealing fountain, brimming with marble mythological figures.
- Wander among the colorful stalls of the busy Mercato del Capo during time on your own.
- Examine vivid mosaics in La Martorana church, which is included in the region’s UNESCO World Heritage site recognition.
- View the Chiesa dell’Immacolata Concezione’s sublime Baroque interior, which took over 100 years to complete.

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 one hour of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

**PMO-004 SICILIAN WINES**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM, 01:15 PM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



OVERVIEW

Cherish a tour of a well-regarded Sicilian wine cellar, learn how their wines are produced and sample several of their tastiest vintages. Settle in for a leisurely drive to Alessandro di Camporeale, a prominent family-run

winery that has refined their production techniques over four generations to create wines that are elegant and perfectly balanced. You’ll meet a welcoming expert wine guide, who will share in detail the cellar’s production methods from the grapes to the bottle. Discover your favorite during a tasting of their premier vintages, perhaps a Benedè white with a fresh and soft complexity or an intense and lively Donnatá red, all accompanied by a delicious snack. You’ll appreciate free time to stroll about the grounds and perhaps visit the shop where their products are displayed and available for purchase, a perfect gift for your favorite oenophile back home. Treasure fond memories of your immersion into Sicilian winemaking as you take a panoramic drive through Palermo to cap off your flavor-filled exploration.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy an in-depth look at Sicilian winemaking at the family-owned Alesandro di Camporeale cellars.
- Take a tour of the innovative winery with an expert guide.
- Relish a tasting of the renowned winery’s popular vintages, including an intense red or a brilliant white.
- Roam the cellars’ splendid grounds and browse the on-site shop where their products are offered.
- Marvel at postcard-ready views of Palermo on a scenic drive.

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/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces 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. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

**PMO-WT1 WELLNESS - ZINGARO NATURE RESERVE TREK**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$249.00**



OVERVIEW

Admire stunning sights at every turn on a trek through the enchanting beauty of the Zingaro Nature Reserve that includes a healthy, delectable repast. Travel from Palermo to the spectacular Zingaro Nature Reserve, where rocky limestone cliffs rise sharply from the sea, wild olive groves, carob trees and Mediterranean palms adorn the landscape, red soil contrasts with pearly white sand lining turquoise water and the underwater environment is teeming with luminous fish and native coral. You’ll relish an invigorating hike along cliffside paths and oceanfront trails that provide breathtaking panoramic vistas, encountering a luxuriant variety of local flora and fauna along the way, from vibrant wildflowers to indigenous eagles. Your path will eventually descend into a wonderful secluded cove, where you may enjoy a refreshing swim in the pristine waters and delight in the surrounding seascape. Savor a delicious picnic of local organic fare, a flavorful addition to an inspiring adventure which will leave you with a serene sense of well-being.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Take an exhilarating hike through the awe-inspiring Zingaro Nature Reserve.
- Rejoice in expansive views from the reserve’s winding mountainside trails.
- Discover a plethora of local flora and fauna, including colorful flowers

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

OE Oceania Exclusive

BB Beyond Blueprints

GG Go Green

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

and soaring birds.

- Refresh with a dip in the crystal-clear waters of a secluded cove.
- Sate your appetite with a picnic of tasty organic bites.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

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. The tour must be purchased no later than 5 days prior to the operating date. Cancellations made within 5 days or less are subject to a 100% cancellation penalty.

**PMO-003 OLD CITY & MONREALE**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM, 01:30 PM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



OVERVIEW

Recognize the impact of Sicily's many conquerors over the ages in this look at its compellingly varied architecture during visits to two 12th-century cathedrals included in the region's UNESCO World Heritage site designation. Journey into Palermo, Sicily's capital and largest city, which was originally a Phoenician then Carthaginian colony, also ruled by the Greeks, Romans, Arabs and Normans until Sicily became part of Italy in 1861. You'll visit the 12th-century Palermo Cathedral, dedicated to the Assumption of the Virgin Mary, which has been embellished over the centuries with a variety of architectural styles, including Norman, Gothic, Neoclassical and Catalan, and find that the original apses, with their intricate geometric decoration, were left untouched. Travel inland and ascend Mount Caputo, which overlooks a verdant valley blanketed by orange, olive and almond orchards. In the charming village of Monreale, tour the marvelous 12th-century Duomo di Monreale, one of the greatest extant examples of Norman architecture. Study biblical scenes on the glorious Romanesque bronze doors and golden mosaics covering nearly every surface, then relish time on your own to linger inside or meander the winding lanes of the simply delightful town.

HIGHLIGHTS

- View two 12th-century cathedrals included in the UNESCO World Heritage site honoring the region's Arab-Norman architecture.
- Admire the richly varied architecture of Palermo, an effect of its many conquerors over the ages, on a drive through the historic city.
- Note elements of Norman, Gothic, Neoclassical and Catalan influence on the oft-embellished Palermo Cathedral.
- Ascend picturesque Mount Capo, which overlooks lush orchards of oranges, almonds and olives.
- See stunning Romanesque bronze doors and rich, golden mosaics at the 12th-century Duomo di Monreale.
- Savor free time to absorb the duomo's beauty or wander enchanting Monreale.

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 moderate-to-strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, inclines and numerous steps 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 can vary.

**PMO-002 MYSTERIOUS PALERMO**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$179.00**



OVERVIEW

Delve into Palermo's intriguing past during this tour to several unique attractions, including eerie catacombs, a 12th-century Arab royal palace and a transcendent church. Commence your exploration with a scenic drive through Palermo, Sicily's capital and largest city, originally a Phoenician then a Carthaginian colony. Learn it was also occupied by the Greeks, Romans, Arabs and Normans until Sicily finally became part of Italy in 1861, and discern the various conquerors' marks on the city's architecture. You'll walk the corridors of the macabre Catacombs of the Capuchins and see countless mummies, some hundreds of years old, placed there when the monks realized the subterranean air had preservative effects. At the 12th-century Castello della Zisa, a Moorish-style Norman summer residence that is included in the region's UNESCO World Heritage site designation, discover enchanting mosaics and appealing Islamic art reflective of the name Zisa, which in Arabic means "luxurious house." You'll visit the 12th-century Concattedrale Santa Maria dell'Ammiraglio, also known as La Martorana, which is also included in the region's UNESCO designation, and take in vivid mosaics still brightly colored over eight centuries after their creation, a perfect conclusion to your immersion into Palermo's multicultural history.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Uncover the richly varied heritage of Palermo, an effect of its many occupiers over the ages, on a drive through the historic city.
- Roam the underground passageways of the Catacombs of the Capuchins, where thousands of mummies are preserved.
- Delight in the arresting Islamic art and mosaics of the Moorish-style 12th-century Castello della Zisa.
- Examine vivid mosaics in La Martorana church, which is included in the region's UNESCO World Heritage site recognition.

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 just over two hours of moderate-to-strenuous walking. There will be uneven surfaces and numerous steps 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.

**PMO-007 CASTELLO DI ZISA & SICILIAN LUNCHEON**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Explore the extraordinary Arab-style Zisa Castle and other Palermo landmarks as a prelude to a classic Sicilian lunch. Arab-Norman architecture emerged in Sicily in the 12th century, when the Zisa Castle was built. It is such a fine example of this unique style that UNESCO deemed the royal summer residence a World Heritage site. While touring, be sure to notice its distinctive Islamic features such as honeycomb vaulting, pointed archways and a design that ingeniously produces natural

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Moderate activity

OE Oceania Exclusive

BB Beyond Blueprints

GG Go Green

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Strenuous activity

OS Oceania Select

CD Culinary Discovery

GL Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

FW Food & Wine Trails

WT Wellness Tour

air conditioning that still works today. More treasures await you in the city center, especially plazas such as the extravagant Piazza Pretoria. Its monumental fountain and the statues adorning it were created in Florence and shipped to Sicily in the 1570s to symbolize Palermo's urban rebirth. Even the venue for your lunch has great architectural importance as it is within a former monastery cloister in a lovely park.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Browse Zisa Castle, a UNESCO World Heritage site with beautiful Islamic elements.
- Stroll through glorious plazas such as the Piazza Pretoria in Palermo's city center.
- Delight in a classic Sicilian lunch in a restaurant in a former monastery cloister.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking and standing over even, and uneven surfaces. The sights on this tour are not wheelchair accessible; therefore, it is unavailable to wheelchair guests. Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. Zisa castle doesn't have an elevator and it has steps to access. As this excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time of approximately 2 hours, 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.

**PMO-AC1 ACCESSIBLE PALERMO AND MONREALE**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$399.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW PMO-AC1 Companion This excursion is for guests that use a cane/walker, have limited mobility issues or for companions of those guest that have booked mobility equipment tour. Those guests that are fully dependent on their mobility device please book: PMO-AC2 ACCESSIBLE PALERMO AND MONREALE- Mobility Equipment Become immersed in Sicilian history by exploring Palermo's medieval city center and a church in Monreale that William II, the Norman ruler of Sicily, commissioned in the 12th century. Often invaded, Palermo still bears the influence of past conquerors, especially its cathedral, which over the centuries has been embellished with architectural styles that include Norman, Gothic, Neoclassical and Catalan. You will also see the Palatine Chapel, which UNESCO deemed worthy of a World Heritage site designation for its mosaics. On the outskirts of Palermo on the slopes of Mount Caputo, you will find Monreale. While following the guide through the enchanting streets, you will see the UNESCO World Heritage site church in Monreale. The rather modest exterior only hints at the glorious splendor inside. The Romanesque bronze doors, beautifully sculpted with biblical scenes, are among only a handful in all of Europe. Stunning golden mosaics and sacred art cover most every interior surface.

HIGHLIGHTS

- See two UNESCO World Heritage sites, one in Palermo, the other in Monreale.
- Recognize Palermo's many styles of architecture that reflect those of its conquerors.
- Explore beautiful hillside Monreale, which overlooks a fertile valley.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.

- Space is limited, book early.

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTES: Tour includes step-free routes, shorter distances and no stairs. Accessible restrooms with wide doors for wheelchairs are present along the tour route. Vehicles are adapted with an access ramp (or lift where available) to accommodate a limited number of wheelchairs and/or mobility scooters. Guides are not allowed to push wheelchairs; therefore, guests needing special assistance must be accompanied by an able-bodied.

**PMO-AC2 ACCESSIBLE PALERMO AND MONREALE**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$399.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW PMO-AC2 Mobility Equipment This excursion is for guests who are fully dependent on their mobility device. You will be required to supply your own wheelchair/scooter. Your mobility equipment (manual or electric) must not exceed the following dimensions: W 35", L 39", H 59". Those guests that are companions, use a cane or walker, or have limited mobility issues must book the companion tour code PMO-AC1 ACCESSIBLE PALERMO AND MONREALE Companion Become immersed in Sicilian history by exploring Palermo's medieval city center and a church in Monreale that William II, the Norman ruler of Sicily, commissioned in the 12th century. Often invaded, Palermo still bears the influence of past conquerors, especially its cathedral, which over the centuries has been embellished with architectural styles that include Norman, Gothic, Neoclassical and Catalan. You will also see the Palatine Chapel, which UNESCO deemed worthy of a World Heritage site designation for its mosaics. On the outskirts of Palermo on the slopes of Mount Caputo, you will find Monreale. While following the guide through the enchanting streets, you will see the UNESCO World Heritage site church in Monreale. The rather modest exterior only hints at the glorious splendor inside. The Romanesque bronze doors, beautifully sculpted with biblical scenes, are among only a handful in all of Europe. Stunning golden mosaics and sacred art cover most every interior surface.

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**PMO-006 MONDELLO AND SICILIAN DELICACIES**

**Date: Oct 09, 2024 Time: 10:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Get a taste of seaside Mondello and browse a centuries-old market where many of the fresh ingredients found in your lunch will be on

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Meal included

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Wellness Tour



display. Sun-splashed Mondello, a northern district of Palermo, is known for its lengthy beach but it is also home to a curious attraction – a late 19th-century Chinese palace complete with pagoda roofs. After viewing the exterior of this unexpected landmark, you will browse La Vucciria, an ancient open-air market where every imaginable type of locally sourced food is for sale. Crates of produce, a huge variety pasta, piles of squid and swordfish steaks; it's all there. With visions of these delicacies still fresh in your mind, you will settle in at a nearby restaurant for a traditional Sicilian lunch. Although the menu changes seasonally, it will likely include the quintessential dish caponata, a pungent sort of ratatouille with eggplant as the main ingredient.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Behold a rather out-of-place Chinese palace in Mondello, a district north of Palermo.
- Browse the seemingly endless stands in the centuries-old open-air market La Vucciria.
- Enjoy a Sicilian lunch made with locally sourced ingredients, perhaps from La Vucciria.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

**PLEASE NOTE**

PLEASE NOTE Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of walking and standing over even, and uneven surfaces. The sights on this tour are not wheelchair accessible; therefore, it is unavailable to wheelchair guests. Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. As this excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time of approximately 1.5 hours during the visit of the market and city center, 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.

**Valletta, Malta**

**VLT-001 SCENIC SIGHTS OF MALTA**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Uncover Malta's most intriguing sites and tour a glass-blowing factory on this panoramic tour. Begin your exploration in enchanting Valletta, Europe's southernmost capital and a UNESCO World Heritage site. Learn that the city, founded in 1566 by the Knights of Saint John, is strategically built like a fort, with bastion walls surrounding its perimeters, and is an open-air museum of largely Baroque architecture. You'll journey to Mosta, Malta's most populous town and site of the soaring 19th-century neoclassical Mosta Dome church, which holds up to 10,000 worshippers. Admire the church's Ionic columns, inlaid marble floors and the gilded, carved stone flowers set around the third-largest unsupported dome in the world. Capture stunning photos from the Dingli Cliffs, Malta's highest point, before driving inland to Mdina, the island's capital from antiquity to the medieval period. Rising above the city's protective walls, enjoy refreshments in a specially selected restaurant and other crafts outlets in nearby Rabat. To culminate your discovery of fascinating Malta, tour a glass-blowing factory in the Ta' Qali Handicrafts Village, located in an abandoned WWII RAF airfield.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Delight in compact Valletta, Malta's picturesque capital and a UNESCO

World Heritage site.

- Marvel at the world's third-largest unsupported dome in Mosta Dome Church.
- Appreciate expansive views of Malta's rugged shoreline and the Mediterranean Sea from the Dingli Cliffs.
- Admire the Baroque Cathedral of Saint Paul, rising above the walls surrounding ancient Mdina.
- Relish a stop for refreshments in a popular Rabat restaurant.
- Observe glass-blowing and local filigree in the captivating Ta' Qali Handicrafts Village.

**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 is mostly panoramic, with limited optional walking at 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. The interior visit in Mosta Dome church is approximately 30 minutes and arrangements can be made with the guide to forgo participation. There are occasions when the Mosta Dome is closed due to spiritual functions without prior notice. If the ship calls on Sunday, the visit to Mosta Dome will be exterior only. Shops in Ta' Qali will be closed on Sunday, however a glass factory and a filigree factory will be opened especially for our guests and a short walking tour of Mdina will be added.

**VLT-001OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - SCENIC SIGHTS OF MALTA**

**Date: Oct 10, 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. Gain an overall understanding of Malta by visiting signature attractions in the island's most characteristic towns. The capital Valletta was constructed primarily as a fortification, as you will discover by viewing its defensive walls and seemingly impenetrable towers. Inland, you will find noteworthy churches such as the 19th-century Mosta Dome, which survived World War II relatively unscathed, despite several bombs falling inside and outside that simply failed to detonate. The church's extraordinary unsupported dome is the of the world's largest such structures. For scenic beauty, few venues compare to the Dingli Cliffs, the island's highest point. From there, you will enjoy extraordinary views of the coast and beyond. You will also see the walled city of Mdina, the former capital of Malta. It is known as the Silent City because so many residents left when Valletta became the capital. You will discover the artistic side of Malta in Rabat by browsing a glass-blowing factory and gold market.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Tour with no more than 16 guests, allowing for a more intimate and personal experience.
- Observe the most imposing fortifications on Malta while driving through Valletta.
- See one of the world's largest unsupported domes in the 19th-century Mosa Dome church.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

- Gaze out over the sea from the towering Dingli Cliffs, the island’s highest point.
- Drive through the former capital of Mdina and visit a glass-blowing factory in Rabat.

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 is mostly panoramic with limited optional walking at the stops. It is available to wheelchair guests who have 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 should only participate to the extent of their personal stamina and ability. The interior visit at the Mosta Dome Church is about 30 minutes, but participation isn’t required. Knees and shoulders must be covered to enter religious buildings—no shorts or sleeveless shirts. Only an exterior visit of Mosta Dome is possible on Sundays. Shops are closed on Sundays, so a walking tour of Mdina will be substituted. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

**VLT-GL1 LOCAL TRADITIONS & ARTISAN TRAIL**

**Date:** Oct 10, 2024 **Time:** 09:15 AM  
**Duration:** 4.50 Hrs **Price:** \$239.00



OVERVIEW

Discover the charms of two traditional villages, where you will learn how limestone is quarried, watch Bocci being played and observe artisans practicing their crafts. While wandering about the Limestone Heritage Park and Gardens in Siggiewi, you may see artisans sculpting stones and gain an understanding of how limestone was formed on Malta millions of years ago. You can expect to see peacocks roaming about and smell the scent of bay, laurel and citrus trees wafting through the air. The ambiance is wonderfully relaxing and the experience enlightening, as you may watch a demonstration of limoncello being made from lemons grown on the grounds. Further inland in the village of Lija, you will observe the locals playing bocci, a traditional sport that is closely related to the French game of petanque and Italian bocce. In another neighborhood nearby, you will watch artisans such as weavers and shoe makers, an experience that will provide great insight into the local culture.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Observe daily life in two traditional villages—Siggiewi and Lija.
- Watch artisans sculpting limestone, weaving and making shoes.
- See locals playing bocci and join in a game, if you like.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about 2½ hours of walking and standing. 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.

**VLT-GL3 MEETING THE LOCALS**

**Date:** Oct 10, 2024 **Time:** 09:15 AM  
**Duration:** 4.50 Hrs **Price:** \$239.00



OVERVIEW

Become immersed in Maltese traditions by meeting locals that bake bread, weave carpets and extract salt from the sea using centuries-old techniques. A baker in the village of Zejtun will show you how Maltese sourdough bread is typically baked in a wood oven and offer fresh samples. In seaside Marsascala, villagers have extracted salt from the Mediterranean since Roman times. As you will discover by touring a collection of salt pans with the owner, the methods used today haven’t changed enormously. Rabat, on the western coast of Malta, also shares a connection to ancient Rome as it was once part of the Roman city of Melita. While meandering through its atmospheric streets, you will learn about the city’s history before stopping to snack on pastizzi, a flaky pastry that is traditionally filled with ricotta cheese or peas. Later, you will meet revered weaver Antoine Tan-Newl, one of the few on Malta that still uses traditional techniques.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Meet local villagers that use traditional methods to create a variety of products.
- Taste fresh-baked bread and a flaky pastry and watch salt being extracted from the sea.
- Watch a weaver demonstrate the centuries-old techniques he uses to make carpets.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about two hours of walking and standing. 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.

**VLT-002 MDINA, MOSTA & HANDICRAFTS VILLAGE**

**Date:** Oct 10, 2024 **Time:** 09:30 AM  
**Duration:** 4.00 Hrs **Price:** \$129.00



OVERVIEW

Experience Malta’s ancient capital, a crafts village built on an abandoned RAF airfield and a stunning neoclassical church on this enlightening tour. You’ll journey to historic Mdina, Malta’s capital from antiquity to the medieval period, a town still confined within its Arab-built walls. Wander narrow, winding streets designed to confuse invaders, passing elaborate aristocratic homes and Baroque buildings constructed in the 18th century by the Knights of Saint John. View the Baroque Cathedral of Saint Paul. In Ta’ Qali, you’ll find an enormous, recently renovated crafts village, built on the site of an abandoned WWII airfield. Watch artisans such as potters, silversmiths, lace makers, wrought-iron forgers and glass blowers create works of art. In Mosta, Malta’s most populous town, discover the soaring 19th-century neoclassical Mosta Dome church, which holds up to 10,000 worshippers. Admire the church’s Ionic columns, inlaid marble floors and the gilded, carved stone flowers set around the third-largest unsupported dome in the world. Allow the historic wonders, natural beauty and creative artistry of Malta to enrich your spirit and feed your soul.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore historic Mdina, Malta’s beguiling ancient capital.
- Admire the Baroque Cathedral of Saint Paul, rising above the walls surrounding Mdina.
- Observe artisans at work during free time in the captivating Ta’ Qali Handicrafts Village.
- Marvel at the world’s third-largest unsupported dome in Mosta Dome

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Easy activity

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Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

Church.

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 involves approximately two hours of moderate walking/standing. It 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. There are occasions when the Mosta Dome is closed due to spiritual functions without prior notice. If the ship calls on Sunday, the visit to Mosta Dome will be exterior only. Shops in Ta' Qali will be closed on Sunday, however a glass factory and a filigree factory will be opened especially for our guests and a stop at Dingli Cliffs will be added.

**VLT-003 A TASTE OF MALTA**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Delve into Malta's riches with visits to a stunning neoclassical church (outside view), a crafts village built on an abandoned RAF airfield, a formal garden and a tasting at a local winery. Arrive in Mosta, Malta's most populous town, free time discover the soaring 19th-century neoclassical Mosta Dome church, which holds up to 10,000 worshippers. Admire the church's Ionic columns, with third-largest unsupported dome in the world. You'll appreciate Malta's reputation for fine wines with a visit and tasting at one of the country's well-regarded wineries. In Ta' Qali, discover an enormous crafts village built on the site of an abandoned WWII airfield. Watch artisans such as potters, lace makers, wrought-iron forgers and silversmiths create works of art and perhaps shop for a unique, handmade souvenir. At San Anton Gardens, you'll stroll among exotic flora including palms, jacarandas and conifers, some of which are more than 300 years old. Learn that the gardens were built by Grand Master Antoine de Paule, who ruled the island in the 1600s. You'll relish the myriad facets of captivating Malta on this delightful tour.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Marvel at the world's third-largest unsupported dome in Mosta Dome Church.
- Savor a wine tasting at one of Malta's renowned wineries.
- Observe artisans at work during free time in the captivating Ta' Qali Handicrafts Village.
- Wander among exotic flora in the formal San Anton Gardens.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
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Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

**VLT-022 MALTA ATTRACTION PASS**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**  
**Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Maximize your time in Malta by seeing the attractions that interest you most and exploring them at your own pace. With the attraction Pass in hand transportation to and from them is included, as well as the entrance fees. Getting around Valletta will be easy because the pass allows you to ride the buses that loop through the capital. Simply hop off at an attraction that sounds intriguing, spend as much time as you like exploring and then hop on another bus when you're ready. The diversity of the attractions is phenomenal. The Malta National Aquarium, where you can see the biodiversity in the surrounding water, Malta's medieval past in Mdina Dungeons, Experience and Cathedral, feeling how ancient times comes to life and understating why this is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. For an unusual look at the local culture and history, you might watch a technologically cutting-edge film at Malta 5D and see the Malta Experience show. Attractions included: Hop On Hop Off Bus Tour (Yellow Line), The Mdina Dungeons, Mdina Cathedral Museum, Pallazo Falson Historic House, Malta 5D, The Knights of Malta, The Mdina Experience, the Malta National Aquarium, Leave no sight unseen and get the most out of your visit to Malta.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Use the Attraction Pass to see Valletta's best attractions at no additional cost.
- Ride a bus around town, stopping at the attractions that you find most appealing.
- Stay as long as you like at each attraction to enhance your understanding of it.
- Hop on another bus whenever you please and ride it to another intriguing destination.
- Return to the cruise ship when you're ready.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

As the HOHO buses are shared with non-cruise tourists; Guests can expect long lines and wait times between buses. Walking on this tour is at the guests' discretion during any stops they choose to get off the bus. 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. Once the pass is used, there is a time limit of 1 hour before it can be used again (except for the hop-on, hop-off tour).

**VLT-GL2 MALTESE FOOD & WINE**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$239.00**



OVERVIEW

Travel from one traditional village to another, pausing to sample the local delicacies before sitting down to a light farmer's lunch. In the village of Qormi, a baker will describe the ingredients in the various goods, where they were sourced and how they were baked. The aromas will be enticing; the tasting will be even more pleasurable. In nearby Hemsija, you will visit a farm that grows grapes, and you will sample the resulting wines. Continuing on to Santi, you will become further immersed in Maltese culinary products at a farm that produces artisan cheeses, in particular

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gbejna. You will taste several varieties of goat's milk cheese that may be peppered, covered in herbs or pickled. More gastronomic treats await you at a farm in nearby Bingemma, where you will tour an olive grove. During the olive-oil tasting and lunch that follows, you will gain an understanding of traditional Maltese cuisine, which is heavily influenced by other Mediterranean cuisines.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sample all sorts of Maltese products in villages throughout the island.
- Taste local baked goods, wines made with indigenous grapes and artisan cheeses.
- Tour an olive grove and sit down to a light farmer's lunch in the bucolic setting.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about two hours of walking and standing. 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.

**VLT-004 RABAT, MDINA & DINGLI CLIFFS**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 09:45 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

View sweeping vistas from Malta's highest point, explore fascinating archaeological sites in Rabat and visit a landmark Baroque cathedral on this intriguing tour. Understand why Malta is renowned for its scenic coastline with a stop at the windswept Dingli Cliffs, which offer breathtaking panoramic views of the island's rocky shoreline and the cerulean Mediterranean Sea beyond. In Rabat, you'll learn the town was once part of the Roman city of Melita and explore several archaeological sites that speak to its importance during the classical period. Learn that Saint Paul purportedly lived here around AD 60 after being shipwrecked. View the earliest archaeological evidence of Christianity in Malta and see the island's only surviving murals from the late Roman and early medieval periods in Saint Paul's Catacombs. In Mdina, Malta's capital from antiquity to the medieval period, view the landmark Baroque Cathedral of Saint Paul, where Jean Parisot de la Valette, founder of Valletta, is buried. Let your journey into Malta's enthralling past both captivate and inspire you.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Appreciate the rugged shoreline and expansive sea views from Malta's highest point, the Dingli Cliffs.
- Explore archaeological sites that testify to the importance of Rabat during the Roman period.
- Discover Saint Paul's Catacombs, the earliest evidence of Christianity in Malta.
- Admire the Baroque Cathedral of Saint Paul, rising above the walls surrounding ancient Mdina.

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 involves approximately two hours of moderate walking/standing.

There will be steps to negotiate. The 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. There are times when the cathedral is closed due to spiritual functions without notice. If this occurs, the cathedral visit will be exterior only.

**VLT-005 THREE CITIES & VALLETTA HARBOR CRUISE**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 09:45 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



OVERVIEW

Discover traditional Maltese life by visiting picturesque maritime towns and cruising scenic Grand Harbor on this delightful tour. Settle in for a leisurely drive to Marsaxlokk Bay, site of Malta's second-largest natural harbor and home to a kaleidoscope of colorful fishing boats, each painted with an eye thought to protect sailors. Learn that the bay was a landing place for pirates, Ottoman Turks and Napoleon's army as well as the location of the 1989 summit between President George H. W. Bush and Mikhail Gorbachev. In tiny, fortified Senglea, located on a scenic peninsula that juts into Malta's Grand Harbor, you'll enjoy a guided walking tour of the 16th-century village's charming streets. Tour the charming streets of Senglea on foot before traveling to neighboring Vittoriosa, also known as Birgu, find the arresting Fort Saint Angelo and the Collegiate Church of Saint Lawrence, established by the Knights of Saint John during the 16th-century and one of the earliest medieval parish churches on the island. Upon your return to Valletta, relish a relaxing cruise of picturesque Grand Harbor to cap off your look at Malta's maritime history.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit postcard-ready Marsaxlokk Bay, Malta's largest natural harbor.
- Enjoy a guided walking tour of diminutive Senglea, a walled town on one of Grand Harbor's peninsulas.
- Marvel at Vittoriosa's Fort Saint Angelo and the Collegiate Church of Saint Lawrence, one of the island's oldest sanctuaries.
- Relax on a leisurely cruise around enchanting Grand Harbor.

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 involves approximately two hours of moderate walking/standing. It 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. There are times when the cathedral is closed due to spiritual functions without notice. If this occurs, the cathedral visit will be exterior only.

**VLT-007 VALLETTA AND THE MALTA EXPERIENCE**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 09:45 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



OVERVIEW

Enjoy an overview of Valletta, the island's capital, as well as a glimpse into Malta's fascinating history on this enriching tour. Travel to the 18th-century Upper Barrakka Gardens, originally the private grounds of the Italian Knights of Saint John and today home to statues, plaques and monuments that commemorate important persons and events in Maltese history. You'll appreciate marvelous sweeping views of Senglea, Cospicua and Vittoriosa, known as The Three Cities. Visit imposing Saint John's Co-Cathedral, which boasts a celebrated Caravaggio painting, The

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Moderate activity

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Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour



Beheading of Saint John. Find that the cathedral's austere exterior, designed by a Maltese military architect, contrasts with its ornately decorated interior, whose Baroque style showcases intricately carved stone walls and beautifully painted vaulted ceilings. Enjoy free time to browse local shops before rejoining your guide for a stroll past several notable sites on your way to The Malta Experience, a 45-minute big-screen presentation that brings Malta's rich history to life. During this edifying screening, you'll absorb facts and insights that shine a spotlight on the charms of this beguiling country.

HIGHLIGHTS



- Admire compact Valletta, Malta's picturesque capital and a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Stroll Upper Barrakka Gardens and see statues and monuments commemorating Maltese history.
- Marvel at panoramic views of Malta's Grand Harbor and The Three Cities.
- Explore Saint John's Co-Cathedral, which houses Caravaggio's The Beheading of Saint John.
- Appreciate time on your own in Valletta to explore further or shop.
- Immerse yourself in Malta's vivid history during The Malta Experience, an engaging audiovisual presentation.

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 considerable amount of walking, including any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be a long incline to negotiate. The 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. If the ship call is on Sunday, Saint John's Co-Cathedral is closed to the public and the visit will be exterior only; guests will visit the National Museum of Archaeology instead. Most shops will also be closed; only some souvenir shops and cafeterias will be open.

**VLT-0070E OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - VALLETTA AND THE MALTA EXPERIENCE**  

**Date: Oct 10, 2024** **Time: 09:45 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs** **Price: \$289.00**

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. Enjoy an overview of Valletta, the island's capital, as well as a glimpse into Malta's fascinating history on this enriching tour. Travel to the 18th-century Upper Barrakka Gardens, originally the private grounds of the Italian Knights of Saint John and today home to statues, plaques and monuments that commemorate important persons and events in Maltese history. You'll appreciate marvelous sweeping views of Senglea, Cospicua and Vittoriosa, known as The Three Cities. Visit imposing Saint John's Co-Cathedral, which boasts a celebrated Caravaggio painting, The Beheading of Saint John. Find that the cathedral's austere exterior, designed by a Maltese military architect, contrasts with its ornately decorated interior, whose Baroque style showcases intricately carved stone walls and beautifully painted vaulted ceilings. Enjoy free time to

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- Immerse yourself in Malta's vivid history during The Malta Experience, an engaging audiovisual presentation.
- 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.
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This tour includes a considerable amount of walking, including any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be a long incline to negotiate. The 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. If the ship call is on Sunday, Saint John's Co-Cathedral is closed to the public and the visit will be exterior only; guests will visit the National Museum of Archaeology instead. Most shops will also be closed; only some souvenir shops and cafeterias will be open.

**VLT-AC1 ACCESSIBLE NATIONAL MUSEUM & SILENT CITY**   

**Date: Oct 10, 2024** **Time: 10:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs** **Price: \$319.00**


OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW VLT-AC1 Companion This excursion is for guests that use a cane/walker, have limited mobility issues or for companions of those guest that have booked mobility equipment tour. Those guests that are fully dependent on their mobility device please book: VLT-AC2 ACCESSIBLE NATIONAL MUSEUM & SILENT CITY- Mobility Equipment Head inland to Malta's former capital of Mdina and browse an archaeological museum in Valletta, the capital since 1570. As you will discover, Mdina is now sparsely populated, which spurred its nickname "The Silent City." The lack of people make it even easier to explore this ancient walled city and its abundant medieval and baroque architecture. Back in Valletta, you will visit St. John's Co-Cathedral. Although the outside of St. John's Co-Cathedral is rather severe, the interior is unexpectedly sumptuous. You can't help but be awed by the intricately carved limestone walls, painted vaulted ceiling and altars that depict watershed events in the life of St. John. You will be further enlightened while browsing the National Museum of Archaeology, whose artifacts date to the Neolithic period. You may see tools used by prehistoric people, Phoenician glass and gold, and a large terracotta sarcophagus. Even the building, the Auberge de Provence, is a work of art.


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 Moderate activity

 Oceania Exclusive

 Beyond Blueprints

 Go Green


 Easy activity


 Strenuous activity

 Oceania Select


 Culinary Discovery

 Go Local

 Evening excursion

 Meal included

 ADA Accessible

 Food & Wine Trails

 Wellness Tour

HIGHLIGHTS

View the highlights in Mdina, the nearly abandoned former capital known as “The Silent City.”

- Marvel at the sumptuous interior of St. John’s Co-Cathedral in the present capital of Valletta.
- Gain insight into Malta’s past by browsing the esteemed the National Museum of Archaeology.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Space is limited, book early.

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTES: Tour includes step-free routes, shorter distances and no stairs. Accessible restrooms with wide doors for wheelchairs are present along the tour route. Vehicles are adapted with an access ramp (or lift where available) to accommodate a limited number of wheelchairs and/or mobility scooters. Guides are not allowed to push wheelchairs; therefore, guests needing special assistance must be accompanied by an able-bodied.

**VLT-AC2 ACCESSIBLE NATIONAL MUSEUM & SILENT CITY**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 10:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$319.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW VLT-AC2 Mobility Equipment This excursion is for guests who are fully dependent on their mobility device. You will be required to supply your own wheelchair/scooter. Your mobility equipment (manual or electric) must not exceed the following dimensions: W 39", L 47", H 62". Those guests that are companions, use a cane or walker, or have limited mobility issues must book the companion tour code VLT-AC1 ACCESSIBLE NATIONAL MUSEUM & SILENT CITY Companion Head inland to Malta’s former capital of Mdina and browse an archaeological museum in Valletta, the capital since 1570. As you will discover, Mdina is now sparsely populated, which spurred its nickname “The Silent City.” The lack of people make it even easier to explore this ancient walled city and its abundant medieval and baroque architecture. Back in Valletta, you will visit St. John’s Co-Cathedral. Although the outside of St. John’s Co-Cathedral is rather severe, the interior is unexpectedly sumptuous. You can’t help but be awed by the intricately carved limestone walls, painted vaulted ceiling and altars that depict watershed events in the life of St. John. You will be further enlightened while browsing the National Museum of Archaeology, whose artifacts date to the Neolithic period. You may see tools used by prehistoric people, Phoenician glass and gold, and a large terracotta sarcophagus. Even the building, the Auberge de Provence, is a work of art.

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mobility scooters. Guides are not allowed to push wheelchairs; therefore, guests needing special assistance must be accompanied by an able-bodied.

**VLT-GL4 MELITA'S FLORA AND FAUNA, THE LAND OF HONEY**

**Date: Oct 10, 2024 Time: 10:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$249.00**



OVERVIEW

Meet a horticulturalist for a revealing tour of the island’s most intact forest and then watch how honey is produced using techniques that date to Roman times. The Knights of Malta originally planted Buskett in the mid-1500s as a hunting ground, and its flora and fauna are extraordinary. There, you can expect to stroll under oaks and Aleppo pines while following winding paths through manicured shrubbery and beds of blooming flowers. Continuing on, you will pause for photos at Dingli Cliffs, the island’s highest point. Don’t miss the chapel dedicated to St. Mary Madgalene on the edge of the cliff. You will then pass through Mdina, known as Melita in Roman times. The Greeks referred to Malta as Melite, a name derived from the word for honey. How fitting, as beekeeping still thrives. An apiarist will show you how honey is produced locally using techniques that haven’t changed in centuries. You will also be offered a taste.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Walk through a forest planted in the 1500s with a horticulturalist.
- Gaze out over the sea from the towering Dingli Cliffs, the island’s highest point.
- Watch an apiarist produce honey using techniques dating to Roman times.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes about 3½ hours of walking and standing over some uneven surfaces, 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. Appropriate clothing is required to visit the churches. Sleeveless attire, shorts and short skirts are prohibited. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

**VLT-GL5 ULTIMATE PISCARY EXPERIENCE**

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



OVERVIEW

Mingle with fishermen at a seaside village, learn how they rely on ancient techniques to net fish and then dine on their daily catch. In Marsaxlokk, the fishermen will demonstrate some of the fascinating traditional methods they still use. The design of Maltese fishing boats is also centuries old; they are painted in bright primary colors and prominently feature the symbol of an eye on each side of the bow, which is an ancient Phoenician custom. The fishermen will also display their daily catch, which typically includes lampuki, a species more commonly known as dorado or mahi mahi. They will then lead you to the Tartarun Restaurant near the harbor so the chef can cook the fish for your lunch. It might be a beer-battered and fried, roasted with clams or added to a Maltese fish soup known as aljotta. You can help the chef prepare the meal or just watch. Regardless, it will taste sensational.

HIGHLIGHTS

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| Minimal activity  | Moderate activity  | Oceania Exclusive | Beyond Blueprints  | Go Green      |
| Easy activity     | Strenuous activity | Oceania Select    | Culinary Discovery | Go Local      |
| Evening excursion | Meal included      | ADA Accessible    | Food & Wine Trails | Wellness Tour |

- See how fishermen in the village of Marsaxlokk still use ancient techniques to net fish.
- Look at their daily catch, which will probably include mahi mahi, known locally as lampuki.
- Settle in at a harborside restaurant as the chef cooks the fishermen's catch for your lunch.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking/standing; there will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. Appropriate clothing is required to visit the churches. Sleeveless clothing, shorts and short skirts are prohibited. 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. Weather appropriate clothing; sun cap; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

## Messina (Sicily), Italy

**MNA-002 HIGHLIGHTS OF MESSINA**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 03:00 AM, 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$119.00**



OVERVIEW

Surrender to the captivating highlights of Messina, a Sicilian city that nearly kisses the tip of Italy's boot. You'll learn that over the centuries Messina has been coveted for its wonderful natural harbor and strategic location on the northeasternmost corner of Sicily, the closest point to mainland Italy. From atop a scenic promontory, take in superb vistas of the surrounding land, which has lured visitors and conquerors for centuries. Visit the city's sublime cathedral, where, according to legend, England's king Richard the Lionheart worshipped in 1190 at the beginning of the Third Crusade. You'll immediately notice one of the cathedral's highlights, the world's largest and most complex astronomical clock. Proceeding along Via Garibaldi, see the mosque-like 12th-century Church of the Santissima Annunziata dei Catalani and the ornate Teatro Vittorio Emanuele, which was originally built in 1852. Despite the destruction wreaked by centuries of earthquakes and Allied bombing during WWII, you'll appreciate that fortune saw fit to spare numerous fine buildings of historical importance for you to enjoy today.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Gaze at the full panorama of Messina from an ideal lookout, perhaps glimpsing Italy's mainland in the distance.
- Marvel at the world's largest astronomical clock at the magnificent Cathedral of Messina.
- View landmarks that have survived earthquakes and WWII, including the elegant Teatro Vittorio Emanuele.

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 moderate amount of walking. It is available to guests who utilize a wheelchair with 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.

**MNA-GG1 ART ECO DESIGN IN A RECYCLING FACTORY**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 03:15 AM, 09:45 AM**  
**Duration: 3.00 Hrs Price: \$269.00**



OVERVIEW

View a collection of eco-art created with discarded industrial materials in a workshop that formerly housed an electrical factory. Artist Linda Schipani launched this "art of recycling" experiment after graduating as an environment engineer from the University of Rome and working as a waste disposal and pollution project manager. Other artists have now joined the effort to convert industrial waste such as electrical components into unusual pieces of art. While browsing the factory space, you can expect to view original art made with wooden wire spools, metal rods, ceramic insulators and most every other industrial scrap imaginable. Sketches and paintings hang most everywhere, rows of old theater seats line the walls and shipping pallets have been re-purposed as sculptural pieces or to simply hold some of the art. Other odds and ends have been recycled into cutting-edge metal and plastic jewelry. The inspiring collection of art work proves that one person's trash actually is another's treasure.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Behold an unusual collection of original art made with discarded industrial waste .
- Become inspired by the artists that recycle waste to reduce its impact on the environment .
- Learn about the artist that launched the project and influenced others to join her effort .

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 1 hour of easy 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. There are steps to reach the upper floors and no lift/ramps.

**MNA-004 BEAUTIFUL TAORMINA & MT. ETNA**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 08:00 AM**  
**Duration: 9.00 Hrs Price: \$319.00**



OVERVIEW

Capture a vast array of memorable pictures on this guided coach and walking tour of Taormina and Mount Etna. In Taormina, you'll stroll past the exquisite Palazzo Corvaja, a beautifully ornate building whose construction began in the 15th century and which bears Arabic, Norman and Gothic influences. See the Greek theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC, a reminder of how long Taormina has been a vibrant city. You'll learn that the theater was rebuilt by the Romans in the 2nd century and is still in use today for summer performances. While roaming the fascinating remains of the auditorium, realize that its placement on the slope of a steep promontory offers what some consider to be one of the best views in all of Italy, a breathtaking panorama of Taormina, the glittering Mediterranean and volcanic Mount Etna in the distance. Before you journey to the iconic volcano, you'll stop for a relaxing lunch of Sicilian specialties at a local restaurant. Brace yourself for an exceptional climb by coach up winding roadways and past mountain villages to one of Etna's

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

awe-inspiring craters, where the full majesty of Sicily's natural wonders is on glorious display.

HIGHLIGHTS

- See wonderful medieval embellishments on the façade of the 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja.
- Ascend to Taormina's astonishing Greco-Roman theater, which is still in use today.
- Marvel at 360-degree views of Taormina, Mount Etna and the azure sea from the theater.
- Relish a traditional Sicilian repast during your lunch stop at a popular restaurant.
- Gaze in awe at one of Mount Etna's inactive craters, a dormant giant found over a mile above sea level.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a significant amount of sometimes strenuous walking. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

**MNA-001 HIGHLIGHTS OF TAORMINA & GREEK THEATER**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$179.00**



OVERVIEW

Delve into dazzling Taormina on a guided walking tour of this ancient seaside city. You'll appreciate a scenic drive along a winding road to Taormina, a town graced with an extraordinary natural setting and an evocative medieval character. Stroll past the exquisite Palazzo Corvaja, a beautifully ornate building whose construction began in the 15th century and which bears Arabic, Norman and Gothic influences. Gaze at the Greco-Roman theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC, a reminder of how long Taormina has been a vibrant city. While roaming the fascinating remains of the auditorium, see that its placement on the slope of a steep promontory offers what some consider to be one of the best views in all of Italy, a breathtaking panorama of Taormina, the glittering Mediterranean and striking Mount Etna in the distance. You'll descend to lively Corso Umberto, the town's main commercial street, and wander its quaint jumble of elegant homes and picture-perfect churches. During free time, you might wander to Taormina's aromatic Public Garden or browse one-of-a-kind handicrafts in a shop tucked away in an inviting lane, perhaps finding a perfect memento of this resplendent town.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Admire the lovely landscapes of Sicily as you make your way to Taormina by coach.
- See wonderful medieval embellishments on the façade of the 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja.
- Ascend to Taormina's astonishing Greco-Roman theater, which is still in use today.
- Marvel at 360-degree views of Taormina, Mount Etna and the azure sea from the theater.
- Meander alongside the stately homes and delightful churches of bustling Corso Umberto.
- Relish time on your own to shop for handicrafts or visit Taormina's exquisite Public Garden.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking

shoes.

- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a significant amount of walking. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for those with mobility concerns.

**MNA-001OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - HIGHLIGHTS OF TAORMINA & GREEK THEATER**



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OVERVIEW

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- Relish time on your own to shop for handicrafts or visit Taormina's exquisite Public Garden.
- 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.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a significant amount of walking. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for those with mobility concerns.

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Easy activity

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Culinary Discovery

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Evening excursion

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**MNA-006 MT. ETNA 4X4 EXPEDITION**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**

**Duration: 7.50 Hrs Price: \$359.00**



OVERVIEW

Conquer Mount Etna via coach, cable car and 4x4 mini-buses on this epic adventure. You'll begin with a brief panoramic tour of Messina, passing through regal Piazza Duomo and its magnificent cathedral, which boasts the world's largest astronomical clock. Enjoy a vista-filled ascent to Etna's inactive Silvestri craters, more than 6,000 feet above sea level, where you'll discern numerous remnants of lava streams from previous eruptions coating the craters' slopes. From your fabulous perch, revel in seemingly endless vistas of the radiant Gulf of Catania and the surrounding fertile, volcanic landscape, today protected as the island's first national park. If you wish, shop for souvenirs before boarding a cable car to the base of the main craters, enjoying sweeping views of the eminent mountain as you ascend. You'll transfer to specially-outfitted 4x4 mini-buses that will convey you to formidable craters found at a height of over 9,500 feet above sea level. Accompanied by a professional alpine guide, explore the exhilarating volcanic phenomena up close, perhaps opting to take a 20-minute walk to view the most recent lava flow. Partake in a delicious lunch at a local restaurant and contemplate the unbridled, primal beauty of Mount Etna.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Drive past Messina's beguiling landmarks before your picturesque ascent of Mount Etna.
- Gaze in awe at the inactive Silvestri craters, dormant giants found over a mile above sea level.
- Delight in astonishing views of Mount Etna's fertile surroundings and the sparkling Gulf of Catania beyond.
- Climb closer to Mount Etna's two-mile-high summit by cable car and thrilling 4x4 mini-bus.
- Examine spectacular, recent craters with the capable assistance of a professional alpine guide.
- Enjoy a wonderful lunch of traditional specialties at a carefully chosen local restaurant.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and sturdy walking shoes.
- Bring a sweater or jacket, as conditions on Mount Etna may be windy and cool.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

Your 4x4 vehicle will navigate over rocky and uneven terrain. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. It is not recommended for pregnant women or guests with heart, back or neck ailments.

**MNA-008 CASTELMOLA & TAORMINA**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**

**Duration: 7.50 Hrs Price: \$259.00**



OVERVIEW

Sample the best of iconic Taormina and mountaintop Castelmola on this guided walking tour with lunch and time on your own. In glorious Taormina, discover lively Piazza Vittorio Emanuele and Corso Umberto, which are lined with former mansions whose balconies are brimming with flowers. Pause in the inner courtyard of the medieval Corvaja Palace for a look at a richly painted original Sicilian carretta, or carriage. You'll wander to the Greco-Roman theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC, a reminder of how long Taormina has been a vibrant city and a superlative spot from which to take in breathtaking vistas of Taormina, the

glittering Mediterranean and the ever-present Mount Etna. Continue to nearby Castelmola, which clings atop the cliffs of a promontory that affords breathtaking panoramic vistas encompassing Sicily's north coast, the shimmering beaches below Taormina and majestic Mount Etna in the distance. During your visit, you'll see fetching Piazza Chiesa Madre, which boasts a checkerboard-patterned stone pavement, and relax during an appetizing lunch at a hotel overlooking the enchanting Bay of Naxos. You'll bask in the warm Sicilian spirit on this uplifting exploration of the island's unspoiled gems.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the lively streets and squares of spellbinding Taormina, a town graced with superb medieval architecture.
- See a vividly painted historic Sicilian carriage in the courtyard of the 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja.
- Ascend to Taormina's astonishing Greco-Roman theater, which is still in use today.
- Roam the narrow streets and cozy squares of cliff-top Castelmola, including checkerboard-tiled Piazza Chiesa Madre.
- Savor a leisurely Sicilian luncheon at one of Castelmola's leading hotels.
- Glory in far-reaching views of Sicily, Mount Etna and the turquoise sea from both Castelmola and Taormina.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and sturdy walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes strenuous walking, in addition to any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, inclines and numerous steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

**MNA-005 THE LAND OF THE GODFATHER**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**

**Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



OVERVIEW

Follow in the steps of Francis Ford Coppola and his most indelible film, The Godfather, on this entertaining and enlightening tour that visits key settings from the movie and its sequels. You'll enjoy a brief coach tour through Messina, passing the Piazza Duomo and its sublime cathedral, which boasts the world's largest astronomical clock. Relax on a pleasant drive to attractive Savoca, where you'll stop at the Cappuccini Church to view the macabre, mummified and fully dressed bodies of 18th- and 19th-century friars and noblemen. At the entrance of the village, you'll find Bar Vitelli and its captivating collection of photographs taken during filming of The Godfather. Along the winding main street, notice several quaint churches and the impressive ruins of an ancient Norman castle, which offers marvelous panoramas of the Sicilian coastline and the Italian mainland. In charming Forza d'Agrò, you'll overlook a Norman castle and a luminous stretch of coastline that extends toward Messina. Discover Al Pacino and Sophia Coppola shot scenes here for The Godfather III and see the Cathedral Maria Santissima Annunziata e Assunta, where Vito Andolini departs on a donkey under cover of night. You'll surely agree this tour is "an offer you can't refuse."

HIGHLIGHTS

- Relive some of The Godfather movies' most unforgettable moments with visits to actual filming locations.
- Traverse Messina aboard your coach, seeing highlights such as the magnificent Cathedral of Messina.
- Gaze at elaborately outfitted mummies of 18th- and 19th-century friars and noblemen in the town of Savoca.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

- Hear the echoes of Michael Corleone’s words in Bar Vitelli, which has barely changed through the decades.
- Exult in exceptional views of the lovely Sicilian coast and Italy’s mainland from the villages on your tour.
- Admire Forza d’Agrò’s delicate Cathedral Maria Santissima Annunziata e Assunta, seen in The Godfather II.

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 walking. There will be uneven ground and moderate inclines to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns.

**MNA-011 FOOD & WINE TRAILS: TAORMINA & VILLAGRANDE WITH ETNA DOC WINES**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$299.00**



OVERVIEW

Oceania Cruises is proud to partner with Food & Wine Trails, America’s foremost culinary travel company, in the offering of this tour. F&WT tours are always kept intimate and visit sites not typically offered by mainstream travel suppliers. Their tours are always led by a knowledgeable, English-speaking sommelier, wine or food expert, cooking instructor or chef, who enjoys introducing visitors to some of the best and most authentic food and wine of their region. Indulge in the wine and food of the Mount Etna region alongside a charming, local sommelier who will gladly share their passion for the treasures found in this corner of Italy. In Taormina, which perches on a rocky terrace high above the Ionian Sea, enjoy a guided walking tour past landmarks including the exquisite 15th century Palazzo Corvaja, the bustling Corso Umberto and the marvelous 3rd-century BC Greek theater. You’ll appreciate time on your own to sit in an inviting café or further explore the town’s palaces, squares, staircases and small side alleys. Learn from your sommelier guide that the Mount Etna appellation encompasses a surging wine region, with ample praise heaped on its vintages by Wine Spectator, Wine Enthusiast and Food & Wine magazines. Upon arrival at the cellar doors of the venerable Barone di Villagrande estate, you’ll receive a warm welcome from a member of the Nicolosi family. You’ll hear the Nicolosis have been making wine on the fertile slopes of Mount Etna for ten generations. Savor a four-course Sicilian lunch paired with four Villagrande wines, followed by a tour of the estate grounds and underground wine cellar, a fitting finale to your palate-pleasing adventure.

HIGHLIGHTS

- See highlights of magical Taormina such as its remarkably maintained 3rd-century BC Greek theater.
- Relish time at your leisure to lose yourself in Taormina’s warren of medieval streets.
- Gain essential knowledge about the Mount Etna wine-growing region from your friendly sommelier guide.
- Journey to the centuries-old Barone di Villagrande winery at the base of Mount Etna.
- Rejoice in a four-course luncheon complemented by four of the estate’s wines.
- Walk off your meal with a visit to the underground cellars and the

winery’s grounds.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes over three hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be steep inclines and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns. Given a set meal is served on this excursion, guests with any dietary restrictions should advise the Destination Services Desk once on board the ship. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. If this tour is cancelled within 3 days of arrival in the excursion port, there will be a one-hundred percent cancellation fee charged to the guest’s shipboard account.

**MNA-012 FOOD & WINE TRAILS: TAORMINA & VIVERA WITH ETNA DOC WINES**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$299.00**



OVERVIEW

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HIGHLIGHTS

- See highlights of magical Taormina such as the remarkably maintained 3rd-century BC Greek theater.
- Relish time at your leisure to explore Taormina’s warren of medieval streets.
- Gain essential knowledge about the Mount Etna wine-growing region from your friendly sommelier guide.
- Discover the highly-rated Vivera winery at the base of Mount Etna.
- Revel in a four-course luncheon complemented by five of the estate’s wines.
- Tour the estate and increase your appreciation for the Vivera family’s outstanding vintages.

HELPFUL HINTS

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes over three hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steep inclines and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns. Given a set meal is served on this excursion, guests with any dietary restrictions should advise the Destination Services Desk once on board the ship. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. If this tour is cancelled within 3 days of arrival in the excursion port, there will be a one-hundred percent cancellation fee charged to the guest's shipboard account.

**MNA-007 TAORMINA, LAVA RIVER & WINE TASTING**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM**  
**Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$149.00**



OVERVIEW

Survey the best of Sicily's eastern coast with an independent exploration of Taormina, a close-up look at a solidified lava river and a tasting at a well-regarded winery. Relish approximately 90 minutes on your own to explore Taormina, which perches on a rocky terrace high above the Ionian Sea. Perhaps you'll discover landmarks including the exquisite 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja, the bustling Corso Umberto and the marvelous 3rd-century BC Greek theater, which on a clear day offers views of Mount Etna's snowcapped peak. Back on your coach, wind along pretty roads tracing the base of Mount Etna, stopping for photos at a now-solid lava river from Etna's last eruption in 1992, a fascinating reminder of the creative and destructive power of Europe's largest volcano. Drive to an established Sicilian wine estate and learn about certified Etna appellation wines, whose distinctive flavor is due to the lava-based soil and ideal micro-climate found near the volcano. Tour the winery and sit for a tasting of first-rate vintages accompanied by local delicacies as the friendly vintner elaborates on the day's selections. If you wish, browse the winery's offerings to find a perfect gift for your favorite oenophile.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Appreciate ample free time to wander Taormina, perhaps ascending to its remarkably maintained 3rd-century BC Greek theater.
- Gaze in awe at an enthralling solidified lava flow from Mount Etna's 1992 eruption.
- Savor certified Etna appellation wines paired with Sicilian bites at a first-rate wine estate.
- Shop the estate's wines, taking advantage of insights shared by the welcoming vintner.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and sturdy walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes over ½ mile of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, inclines and numerous steps to negotiate, including one incline of a ¼ mile. No traffic is allowed inside Taormina's city walls, so all touring must be done on foot. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of free time in Taormina. It doesn't include entrance fees. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

**MNA-009 SICILIAN WINE**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.50 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Sample Sicily's world-renowned wines at the esteemed Tenuta San Michele winery, which nestles on the fertile lands at the base of Mount Etna. You'll appreciate a scenic journey through the verdant farmlands and vineyards of eastern Sicily to Tenuta San Michele, a distinguished winery that takes full advantage of the region's ideal micro-climate of cold winters, temperate summers and abundant rain. You'll learn the quality of the region's grapes is further enhanced by the lava soil, which is rich in potassium and mineral salts. Once at the estate, cherish wonderful panoramas of the surrounding landscape afforded by the high elevation. Discover that the estate sprawls over 62 acres distributed across large terraces on which unique Etna varieties are grown, including nerello Mascalese, nerello cappuccio, carricante and catarratto. Join your friendly hosts for a tasting of the estate's best vintages, enhanced by informative descriptions of the day's selections. Back on your coach, you'll stop for photos at a now-solid lava river from Etna's last eruption in 1992, a fascinating reminder of the creative and destructive power of Europe's largest volcano.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Wend your way along the base of Mount Etna through landscapes rich with farms and vineyards.
- Visit Tenuta San Michele, a notable winery established at the base of Mount Etna.
- Hear of the mineral-rich volcanic soil and local micro-climate's impact on the grapes grown at the estate.
- View the dazzling expanse of Sicily's eastern coast from the winery's elevated location.
- Try several premium wines while learning how each was carefully nurtured.
- Gaze in awe at an enthralling solidified lava flow from Mount Etna's 1992 eruption.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

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

**MNA-014 GANZIRRI LAKE'S & MESSINA**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.25 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Visit a lake where plump, succulent mussels and clams are farmed and view the landmarks in Messina, a city that the Greeks settled in the 7th century BC. Ganzirri Lake offers an ideal brackish environment for the aquaculture of mollusks, and you will likely see fishermen collecting them. Their basic technique hasn't changed in centuries. The fishermen, known as cocciulari, still row wooden boats around the lake and use rakes outfitted with nets to pluck the bivalves from the bottom of the lake. You can expect to sample the clams in your lunch of spaghetti alle vongole, a much-loved dish in Sicily. The attention will turn to architecture in Messina. The Duomo is adorned with what may be the world's largest astronomical clock. Nearby stands the Shrine of Christ the King, a somber World War II memorial. Bronze from World War I enemy cannons was

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Easy activity

Strenuous activity

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CD Culinary Discovery

GL Go Local

Evening excursion

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ADA Accessible

FW Food & Wine Trails

WT Wellness Tour

melted down for its bells.

HIGHLIGHTS

- See how clams and mussels are farmed using traditional methods in Ganzirri Lake.
- Enjoy a lunch that will likely include freshly cultivated seafood from the lake.
- Settle in for a panoramic drive through Messina and view its iconic architecture.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour includes approximately 2.5 hours of walking and standing over even, and uneven surfaces. The sights on this tour are not wheelchair accessible; therefore, it is unavailable to wheelchair guests. Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. At the Chiesa del Cristo Re are approximately 6 steps. As this excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time of approximately 2.5 hours, 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.

**MNA-AC1 ACCESSIBLE TAORMINA AND BAY OF NAXOS**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$379.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW MNA-AC1 Companion This excursion is for guests that use a cane/walker, have limited mobility issues or for companions of those guest that have booked mobility equipment tour. Those guests that are fully dependent on their mobility device please book: MNA-AC2 ACCESSIBLE TAORMINA AND BAY OF NAXOS- Mobility Equipment Explore the architectural gems throughout the Old Town of Taormina, an enticing setting with a remarkable wealth of attractions. From Piazza IX Aprile, you will be treated to breathtaking views of the Ionian Sea and foreboding Mount Etna. The 17th-century Church of St. Joseph and an iconic clock tower overlook the square, which is renowned for its black-and-white checkered marble that resembles a giant chessboard. Piazza Duomo is another popular gathering place in the heart of Old Town. Be sure to note the statue of a minotaur on the central fountain, as it has become a symbol of Taormina. An enlightening interior visit of the cathedral behind the fountain will reveal features such as wooden beams with Arab motifs, 15th-century paintings and chapels on either side of the main altar. Not far out of town, you will pause for photos at a lookout above the beautiful Bay of Naxos.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Gain a historical understanding of Taormina by meandering through its atmospheric Old Town.
- Visit squares that are ideal for people-watching and explore the churches that overlook them.
- Enjoy the ultimate view of Taormina and the sea from a hilltop vantage point.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Space is limited, book early.

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTES: Tour includes step-free routes, shorter distances and no stairs. Accessible restrooms with wide doors for wheelchairs are present

along the tour route. Vehicles are adapted with an access ramp (or lift where available) to accommodate a limited number of wheelchairs and/or mobility scooters. Guides are not allowed to push wheelchairs; therefore, guests needing special assistance must be accompanied by an able-bodied.

**MNA-AC2 ACCESSIBLE TAORMINA AND BAY OF NAXOS**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$379.00**



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW MNA-AC2 Mobility Equipment This excursion is for guests who are fully dependent on their mobility device. You will be required to supply your own wheelchair/scooter. Your mobility equipment (manual or electric) must not exceed the following dimensions: W 35", L 39", H 59". Those guests that are companions, use a cane or walker, or have limited mobility issues must book the companion tour code MNA-AC1 ACCESSIBLE TAORMINA AND BAY OF NAXOS Companion Explore the architectural gems throughout the Old Town of Taormina, an enticing setting with a remarkable wealth of attractions. From Piazza IX Aprile, you will be treated to breathtaking views of the Ionian Sea and foreboding Mount Etna. The 17th-century Church of St. Joseph and an iconic clock tower overlook the square, which is renowned for its black-and-white checkered marble that resembles a giant chessboard. Piazza Duomo is another popular gathering place in the heart of Old Town. Be sure to note the statue of a minotaur on the central fountain, as it has become a symbol of Taormina. An enlightening interior visit of the cathedral behind the fountain will reveal features such as wooden beams with Arab motifs, 15th-century paintings and chapels on either side of the main altar. Not far out of town, you will pause for photos at a lookout above the beautiful Bay of Naxos.

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**MNA-003 THE CAPE OF TINDARI**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Journey to the stunning archaeological site of Tindari, a bewitching landscape of turquoise water, sinuous sandbars and precipitous bluffs. Settle in for a relaxing drive along the northern coast of Sicily to Tindari, which lies on a soaring cape overlooking the Tyrrhenian Sea. You'll learn Tyndaris, as it was then known, was founded in 396 BC by Dionysius I, tyrant of Syracuse, in an area that has been inhabited since prehistoric times. Hear of Tyndaris' alliance with Rome during the Punic Wars, which

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Moderate activity

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Easy activity

Strenuous activity

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Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

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Wellness Tour



allowed the city to flourish during the Roman Imperial Age. Upon entering the momentous archaeological site, you'll stroll to the Greco-Roman theater, which boasts outstanding views of the sea, and discover the Roman thermal baths, an intriguing complex adorned with imaginative mosaics. Relish a visit to the colorful Sanctuary of the Black Madonna, which rises majestically on the cape and attracts faithful worshipers from all over the island. From the square in front of the sanctuary, soak up vistas of Sicily's coast and the endless sparkling sea, a glorious panorama you're likely to always remember.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Absorb the beguiling landscapes of northern Sicily as you journey by coach to Tindari.
- Roam a remarkable Greco-Roman theater carved into a hillside.
- Examine fanciful mosaics in the entrancing Roman thermal baths.
- Admire the vibrant Sanctuary of the Black Madonna, a revered place of worship for Sicilians.
- Gaze over a seemingly limitless vista of Sicily and the azure sea from the sanctuary's plaza.

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 walking over uneven surfaces. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

**MNA-003OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - THE CAPE OF TINDARI**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 09:15 AM**

**Duration: 4.00 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. Journey to the stunning archaeological site of Tindari, a bewitching landscape of turquoise water, sinuous sandbars and precipitous bluffs. Settle in for a relaxing drive along the northern coast of Sicily to Tindari, which lies on a soaring cape overlooking the Tyrrhenian Sea. You'll learn Tyndaris, as it was then known, was founded in 396 BC by Dionysius I, tyrant of Syracuse, in an area that has been inhabited since prehistoric times. Hear of Tyndaris' alliance with Rome during the Punic Wars, which allowed the city to flourish during the Roman Imperial Age. Upon entering the momentous archaeological site, you'll stroll to the Greco-Roman theater, which boasts outstanding views of the sea, and discover the Roman thermal baths, an intriguing complex adorned with imaginative mosaics. Relish a visit to the colorful Sanctuary of the Black Madonna, which rises majestically on the cape and attracts faithful worshipers from all over the island. From the square in front of the sanctuary, soak up vistas of Sicily's coast and the endless sparkling sea, a glorious panorama you're likely to always remember.

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worship for Sicilians.

- Gaze over a seemingly limitless vista of Sicily and the azure sea from the sanctuary's plaza.
- 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 a significant amount of walking over uneven surfaces. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

**MNA-010 EXPLORE TAORMINA ON YOUR OWN**

**Date: Oct 11, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**

**Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$109.00**



OVERVIEW

Explore the timeless city of Taormina with approximately 2 ½ hours on your own to do as you wish. You'll enjoy a scenic transfer along a winding road to Taormina, a town graced with an extraordinary natural setting and an evocative medieval character. You might stroll to the exquisite Palazzo Corvaja, a beautifully ornate building whose construction began in the 15th century and which bears Arabic, Norman and Gothic influences. Wander to the Greco-Roman theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC, a reminder of how long Taormina has been a vibrant city and a superlative spot from which to take in a breathtaking panorama of Taormina, the glittering Mediterranean and striking Mount Etna in the distance. Perhaps shop along Corso Umberto, the town's main commercial street, and wander its quaint jumble of elegant homes and picture-perfect churches, a reminder that for centuries Taormina has fascinated poets and artists much as it will inspire you today.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Embrace time at your leisure in classic Taormina to explore and shop to your heart's content.
- Admire the lovely landscapes of Sicily as you make your way to Taormina by coach.
- See wonderful medieval embellishments on the façade of the 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja.
- Marvel at 360-degree views of Taormina, Mount Etna and the azure sea from the Greco-Roman theater.
- Shop alongside the stately homes and delightful churches of bustling Corso Umberto.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

Walking on this tour is at the guest's discretion. There will be 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 evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

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Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

**MNA-015 MAMERTINO PATH WINE EXPERIENCE**

**Date:** Oct 11, 2024 **Time:** 10:00 AM  
**Duration:** 5.00 Hrs **Price:** \$259.00



OVERVIEW

OVERVIEW Gain insight into the foods and wines produced around the inland town of Santa Lucia del Mela while visiting a winery and farm. The wines are fermented in terracotta amphorae, much like it was done thousands of years ago. Unlike wooden or steel vessels, terracotta provides superior insulation, removes acidity from the wine and allows for better oxygen exchange. One of the wines that has been revitalized in this area – a mamertino – was a favorite of Julius Caesar and so beloved that the Roman scholar Pliny described it in his book Natural History. After touring the wine cellar and dining on Sicilian cuisine thoughtfully paired with wines, you will follow a path through the vineyards and olive groves to a nearby farm. Although dozens of traditional cheeses are made in Sicily, this farm produces a rare one that uses donkey milk. The dairy farmer will describe the process and offer a tasting.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour a winery known for its mamertino, a wine that Julius Caesar adored.
- Walk through the vineyards, tour the cellar and enjoy a wine tasting with lunch.
- Visit a farm that produces an unusual cheese with donkey milk.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs. This tour includes approximately 3 hours of walking and standing over even, and uneven surfaces. The sights on this tour are not wheelchair accessible; therefore, it is unavailable to wheelchair guests. Any allergies must be noted when booking the tour. The vineyard and cellar include surfaces with hills, sand and grass. As this excursion involves standing and walking for periods of time of approximately 3 hours, 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.

## Naples/Pompeii, Italy

**NAP-013 NAPLES ATTRACTION PASS & WALKING TOUR**

**Date:** Oct 12, 2024 **Time:** 07:30 AM  
**Duration:** 7.00 Hrs **Price:** \$259.00



OVERVIEW

Make the most of your time in Naples with this one-of-a-kind Attraction Pass that includes the entrance to the most emblematic and historical sites with art treasures while you enjoy the accompany of your guide and curated path designed with the best Naples has to offer. A special shuttle bus will take you to your first attraction, the Madre Museum, a top local destination for contemporary art lovers. With innovative and eye-catching works on display, this is a unique place where old and new meet. Continue your adventure by visiting the National Archaeological Museum of Naples, one of the most famous and visited museums in Italy with impressive in its architecture and collections, a true journey into the world of antiquity. Then explore the city center of Naples by taking a Walking Tour around the must-see attractions while you learn about the culture and experience the day-to-day first-hand. Pass through the Basilique San Francesco de Paula, Palazzo Reale di Napoli, the Castel Nuovo and enjoy an authentic slice of

Neapolitan pizza. After that, you will enjoy leisure time to explore and enter the attraction you choose from three listed such as Museo civico di Castel Nuovo, Galleria Borbonica and the Royal Palace. If you are interested in the history of Naples, the Royal Palace is for you, this museum includes rooms dating back to the Spanish and bourbon periods and important paintings and frescoes by artists of the time, if you are a treasure hunter you might choose walking through the ancient passageway in the Galleria Borbonica while discovering the fascinating half-light of the tunnel and underground passages. If you are passionate about architecture, then you delight in visiting the Museo civico di Castel Nuovo. Take home the best memories of Naples with this exclusive tour!

HIGHLIGHTS

- Use the Attraction Pass to see Naples’s best attractions at no additional cost.
- Ride a bus around town, stopping at the attractions included in our curate path. The must-see of the city!
- Discover the city center by the hand of your guide in a walking tour.
- Stay as long as your escort suggested at each attraction to enhance your understanding of it.
- Choose two or three attractions to visit in your leisure time.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

PLEASE NOTE 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. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public. Guests can visit all attractions only once. The attractions/venues included and their availability/operational conditions may change on the day of the call.

**NAP-GL3 AMALFI COAST ORGANIC FOOD & WINE TOUR**

**Date:** Oct 12, 2024 **Time:** 07:45 AM  
**Duration:** 9.00 Hrs **Price:** \$459.00



OVERVIEW

Sample a selection of signature products from the Sorrento Peninsula, culminating with a lunch of local specialties. The mode of transportation will be just as unique at times, as you will approach a farmhouse cheese factory by Ape Calessino, an iconic Italian vehicle that resembles a three-wheel golf cart. After seeing how the dairy cows are fed, you will sample several organic cheeses, including a distinctive mozzarella and ricotta. A tour of a nearby citrus farm and a demonstration of Limoncello liqueur-making, will add another dimension to your understanding of Sorrentine gastronomy. Afterwards, you will indulge in a traditional lunch that will likely include bruschetta and cold meats such as those found on a charcuterie board. All the ingredients will be from the surrounding area. Another stop at a canteen on the slopes of Mount Vesuvius will present a sampling of organic wines from grapes that thrive in the volcanic soil. Taralli crackers, salami and cheeses will complement the tasting.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy tastings of organic foods and wines produced on the Sorrento Peninsula.
- See how the products are made using traditional methods that respect the land.
- Settle in for a hearty lunch of traditional dishes and local specialties.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 4 hours of moderate walking/standing including some steps to negotiate. 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. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested. If cancellation of this tour is made within 7 days of arrival in the excursion port, there will be a 100% cancellation fee charged to the guest's shipboard account.

**NAP-012 NAPLES HOP ON HOP OFF, WALKING TOUR & PIZZA TASTING**



**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:00 AM**  
**Duration: 2.50 Hrs Price: \$89.00**

OVERVIEW

Ride a double-decker bus through Naples, hopping on and off at the destinations that interest you the most, and stay as long as you like. A short walk from the pier will bring you to Largo Castello station, where you can hop on a red double-decker bus bound for the most iconic attractions in Naples. The beauty of this tour is that it allows you to linger at the destinations that you find most intriguing this way you will get in touch with the architecture of Naples by visiting Piazza del Plebicito, Castel Dell'Ovo, Duomo Di Napoli, Naples Royal Palace, the basilica of Saint Francis of Paola, among other iconic places. Two different bus loops are available, each making more than two dozen stops throughout Naples. The buses operate throughout the day and make a continuous loop around Naples' must-see landmarks. Once onboard, you will receive a route map that explains the destinations, making it easy to choose your favorite ones. You might explore the National Archaeological Museum, which holds one of the world's finest collections of Greek and Roman antiquities, and churches such as Chiesa del Gesu Nuovo, whose opulent interior features frescoes and marble decorations. The buses also stop at squares that include Piazza Dante, where you can see a 19th-century stature honoring poet Dante Alighieri, and scenic overlooks like Capo Posillipo. Be sure to leave time for a complimentary Guided Walking Tour through the cobbled streets of the historic city and a slice of Pizza Margherita, as it was supposedly invented in Naples to honor the visiting Queen Margherita of Savoy.

PLEASE NOTE

As the HOHO buses are shared with non-cruise tourists; Guests can expect long lines and wait times between buses. Walking on this tour is at the guests' discretion during any stops they choose to get off the bus. 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. Weather appropriate clothing; sun cap; sunglasses; sunscreen; an umbrella; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. While the lower deck of the bus is air-conditioned, the open-top upper deck is not. The duration will vary based upon the guests' choice of stops and time spent at each. The entire loop without stops is approximately 2 1/2 hours.

**NAP-002 A CRUISE TO CAPRI**



**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:05 AM**  
**Duration: 8.00 Hrs Price: \$199.00**

OVERVIEW

Revel in the glories of the chic Island of Capri on this tour that offers a choice between taking a chairlift for spectacular vistas or a visit to a superb villa that has become an intriguing museum. Relax during a brief but scenic cruise on a jetfoil across the Gulf of Naples and watch the outline of the dazzling Island of Capri appear before you. Once on land, you'll drive up a winding road to the village of Anacapri, where you may opt to

take an exhilarating ride on a chairlift up 1,884-foot Monte Solaro for simply breathtaking views of the turquoise bay, your legs dangling freely in the air. Alternatively, join your guide for a tour of famed Villa San Michele. You'll learn that this wonderful old house, surrounded by fragrant gardens, belonged to a Swedish doctor and author named Axel Munthe, who wrote a celebrated book about its history. Within the villa, now a museum, you'll study a wide-ranging collection of paintings, furniture and ancient Roman artifacts. Relish time on your own to explore Anacapri's piazzetta, shop or enjoy a delicious lunch. As you return to Naples on your jetfoil, bid a fond arrivederci to utterly divine Capri.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Cruise aboard a jetfoil across the Gulf of Naples to the exclusive Island of Capri.
- Choose how to spend your time in the village of Anacapri by riding a thrilling chairlift or touring a museum housed in a villa.
- Ascend towering Monte Solaro on a chairlift for an awe-inspiring panorama of Capri and the Gulf of Naples.
- Examine priceless antiquities and works of art at Villa San Michele, a captivating museum.
- Spend time at your leisure shopping, lunching or simply strolling in Anacapri after your museum visit.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. 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.

**NAP-003 POMPEII AND SORRENTO**



**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**  
**Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$289.00**

OVERVIEW

Immerse yourself in the remarkably preserved remains of ancient Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and enjoy lunch and time on your own in glittering Sorrento. Journey along the crescent-shaped Gulf of Naples to fabled Pompeii, a Roman town buried under ash and pumice by the catastrophic Mount Vesuvius eruption of AD 79. During your tour, you'll understand why Pompeii is considered the world's finest surviving example of an ancient Roman town, particularly since its architecture and customs were highly sophisticated. As you walk through the remains of the forum, private homes and shops, you'll gain a clear picture of daily life nearly 2,000 years ago. Marvel at frescoes and mosaics adorning largely intact villas, and observe everyday objects scattered about, nearly undisturbed since the classical era. You'll feel as if time has frozen here, especially when you see the haunting plaster casts of victims who were overcome by toxic, volcanic fumes. Drive to gorgeous Sorrento, where you'll relish a delectable lunch and set off on an independent exploration of the seaside town, an effervescent mix of Renaissance palazzi, Romanesque churches and charming pedestrian lanes.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit the impressively well-preserved remains of Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Roam the ancient Roman city's buildings and public spaces, which for centuries were buried under volcanic ash.
- Examine frescoes, mosaics and everyday Roman artifacts in Pompeii's nearly intact villas.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

Culinary Discovery

Go Local

Evening excursion

Meal included

ADA Accessible

Food & Wine Trails

Wellness Tour

- Gaze in reverence at plaster casts capturing the final moments of the town's hapless citizens.
- Appreciate a tasty lunch of Italian specialties in fabulous waterfront Sorrento.
- Shop, stroll among Renaissance palazzi or simply drink in Sorrento's beguiling scenery during free time.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 4 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.

**NAP-003OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - POMPEII AND SORRENTO**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**  
**Duration: 7.00 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. Immerse yourself in the remarkably preserved remains of ancient Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and enjoy lunch and time on your own in glittering Sorrento. Journey along the crescent-shaped Gulf of Naples to fabled Pompeii, a Roman town buried under ash and pumice by the catastrophic Mount Vesuvius eruption of AD 79. During your tour, you'll understand why Pompeii is considered the world's finest surviving example of an ancient Roman town, particularly since its architecture and customs were highly sophisticated. As you walk through the remains of the forum, private homes and shops, you'll gain a clear picture of daily life nearly 2,000 years ago. Marvel at frescoes and mosaics adorning largely intact villas, and observe everyday objects scattered about, nearly undisturbed since the classical era. You'll feel as if time has frozen here, especially when you see the haunting plaster casts of victims who were overcome by toxic, volcanic fumes. Drive to gorgeous Sorrento, where you'll relish a delectable lunch and set off on an independent exploration of the seaside town, an effervescent mix of Renaissance palazzi, Romanesque churches and charming pedestrian lanes.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit the impressively well-preserved remains of Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Roam the ancient Roman city's buildings and public spaces, which for centuries were buried under volcanic ash.
- Examine frescoes, mosaics and everyday Roman artifacts in Pompeii's nearly intact villas.
- Gaze in reverence at plaster casts capturing the final moments of the town's hapless citizens.
- Appreciate a tasty lunch of Italian specialties in fabulous waterfront Sorrento.
- Shop, stroll among Renaissance palazzi or simply drink in Sorrento's beguiling scenery during free time.
- 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.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes approximately 4 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.

**NAP-007 POMPEII & HERCULANEUM**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:15 AM**  
**Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$289.00**



OVERVIEW

Survey the astounding remains of Pompeii and Herculaneum, beautifully preserved UNESCO World Heritage sites, and enjoy lunch at a fine restaurant. Journey approximately 45 minutes to fabled Pompeii, a Roman town buried under 30 feet of ash and pumice from the catastrophic Mount Vesuvius eruption of AD 79. As you walk through the remains of the forum, private homes and shops, marvel at frescoes and mosaics adorning largely intact villas, and observe everyday objects scattered about as well as the haunting, plaster casts of victims who were overcome by volcanic fumes. After a satisfying lunch at a first-rate restaurant, journey approximately 30 minutes to Herculaneum, whose fate didn't quite mirror Pompeii's since instead of ash it was covered by scorching mud that serendipitously preserved the village. You might visit upper-class Roman villas featuring original statuary, inlaid marble floors and even carbonized wood artifacts that survived the horrific devastation. If accessible, admire an intricate mosaic at Casa di Nettuno e Anfitrite, which still boasts intense color, and vivid depictions of deities adorning private baths and fountains. At the two-story Casa dei Cervi, see paintings and furnishings that reveal the once-extravagant lifestyle of this town where time stood still.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit the remarkably well-preserved remains of Pompeii and Herculaneum, UNESCO World Heritage sites.
- Roam Pompeii's buildings and public spaces, which for centuries were buried under Mount Vesuvius' volcanic ash.
- Examine frescoes, mosaics and everyday Roman artifacts in Pompeii's nearly intact villas.
- Gaze in reverence at plaster casts capturing the final moments of the town's hapless citizens.
- Tour Herculaneum's nearly intact buildings, which were interred by a flow of scalding mud triggered by Mount Vesuvius' eruption.
- Study colorful frescoes and ornate mosaics in Roman villas such as Casa di Nettuno e Anfitrite.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, non-slip-sole walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes extensive walking. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns, physical disabilities or low tolerance for high temperatures, as heat can be quite high in the afternoons. Pompeii and Herculaneum are active archaeological sites; therefore, it is impossible to know in advance which houses will be open. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary, as dense traffic conditions can be anticipated.

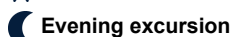
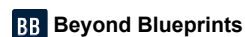
**NAP-004 ANCIENT POMPEII**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$189.00**



OVERVIEW

Explore the superbly preserved remains of ancient Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and drive past glittering seaside resorts with a stop to





browse fine cameo jewelry. Journey along the crescent-shaped Gulf of Naples to fabled Pompeii, a Roman town buried under ash and pumice by the catastrophic Mount Vesuvius eruption of AD 79. During your tour, you'll understand why Pompeii is considered the world's finest surviving example of an ancient Roman town, particularly since its architecture and customs were highly sophisticated. As you walk through the remains of the forum, private homes and shops, you'll gain a clear picture of daily life nearly 2,000 years ago. Marvel at frescoes and mosaics adorning largely intact villas, and observe everyday objects scattered about, nearly undisturbed since the classical era. You'll feel as if time has frozen here, especially when you see the haunting, plaster casts of victims caught in their life's final moments. On your return trip, delight in the natural beauty and seaside communities of this coastal region as you pass Castellammare di Stabia and Sorrento. Conclude your enlightening journey at a purveyor of quality cameo jewelry, an age-old tradition that epitomizes this region's imaginative spirit.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit the remarkably well-preserved remains of Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Roam the ancient Roman city's buildings and public spaces, which for centuries were buried under Mount Vesuvius' volcanic ash.
- Examine frescoes, mosaics and everyday Roman artifacts in Pompeii's nearly intact villas.
- Gaze in reverence at plaster casts capturing the final moments of the town's hapless citizens.
- Drive past the resort towns of Sorrento and Castellammare di Stabia, which are set along a stunning coastline.
- Browse enticing cameo jewelry at a shop specializing in this delicate craft.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, non-slip-sole walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves extensive walking. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns, physical disabilities or low tolerance for high temperatures, as heat can be quite high in the afternoons. Pompeii is an active archaeological site; therefore, it is impossible to know in advance which houses will be open.

**NAP-004OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - ANCIENT POMPEII**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 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. Explore the superbly preserved remains of ancient Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and drive past glittering seaside resorts with a stop to browse fine cameo jewelry. Journey along the crescent-shaped Gulf of Naples to fabled Pompeii, a Roman town buried under ash and pumice by the catastrophic Mount Vesuvius eruption of AD 79. During your tour, you'll understand why Pompeii is considered the world's finest surviving example of an ancient Roman town, particularly since its architecture and customs were highly sophisticated. As you walk through the remains of the forum, private homes and shops, you'll gain a clear picture of daily life nearly 2,000 years ago. Marvel at frescoes and mosaics adorning largely intact villas, and observe everyday objects scattered about, nearly

undisturbed since the classical era. You'll feel as if time has frozen here, especially when you see the haunting, plaster casts of victims caught in their life's final moments. On your return trip, delight in the natural beauty and seaside communities of this coastal region as you pass Castellammare di Stabia and Sorrento. Conclude your enlightening journey at a purveyor of quality cameo jewelry, an age-old tradition that epitomizes this region's imaginative spirit.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit the remarkably well-preserved remains of Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Roam the ancient Roman city's buildings and public spaces, which for centuries were buried under Mount Vesuvius' volcanic ash.
- Examine frescoes, mosaics and everyday Roman artifacts in Pompeii's nearly intact villas.
- Gaze in reverence at plaster casts capturing the final moments of the town's hapless citizens.
- Drive past the resort towns of Sorrento and Castellammare di Stabia, which are set along a stunning coastline.
- Browse enticing cameo jewelry at a shop specializing in this delicate craft.
- 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, non-slip-sole walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves extensive walking. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns, physical disabilities or low tolerance for high temperatures, as heat can be quite high in the afternoons. Pompeii is an active archaeological site; therefore, it is impossible to know in advance which houses will be open.

**NAP-006 PANORAMIC SORRENTO AND ITALIAN RIVIERA**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$119.00**



OVERVIEW

Rejoice in the Campania region's best with a tour of inspiring Sorrento, a visit to a wood-inlay workshop and a drive along the glorious coast. Drive to seaside Sorrento, an effervescent mix of Renaissance palazzi, Romanesque churches and charming pedestrian lanes radiating from one of the town's bustling main squares, where you'll enjoy a guided walking tour. You're sure to appreciate Sorrento's remarkable cliffside setting, which affords spectacular views of the Gulf of Naples. Attend a demonstration of intarsia, or wood inlay, a craft long associated with Sorrento, and applaud the resulting intricate, mosaic-like works of art, which are used to adorn furniture, wall panels and music boxes. Rejoin your coach for a magnificent drive along the rugged coastline, which is dotted with olive groves and fragrant lemon and orange trees. With each twist and turn of the road, you'll exult in the superb vistas unfolding before you. In the Gulf of Salerno, discern three small rocky islands called Li Galli, which were thought to be where the Sirens of Homeric myth lived. Returning via the Sorrentine Peninsula, you'll pass through several hilltop villages and admire once ferocious and now serene Mount Vesuvius presiding over all.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour a vibrant piazza in sunny Sorrento, a seaside village of Renaissance palazzi and narrow, atmospheric streets.
- Behold breathtaking views of the Gulf of Naples from Sorrento's

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

Oceania Exclusive

Beyond Blueprints

Go Green

Easy activity

Strenuous activity

Oceania Select

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strategic cliff-top placement.

- Delight in a demonstration of intarsia, or wood inlay, a craft perfected by Sorrento's artisans.
- Travel by coach along the dramatic Campanian coast, a luxuriant paradise sprinkled with olive, lemon and orange groves.
- Look out to sea and discover Li Galli, islets believed to be home to the Sirens that lured Odysseus.
- See imposing Mount Vesuvius rising from the horizon as you travel along the Sorrentine Peninsula.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. 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.

**NAP-005 HISTORIC HERCULANEUM**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM**  
**Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$169.00**



OVERVIEW

Delve into the remains of Herculaneum, a UNESCO World Heritage site that, much like Pompeii, fell victim to Mount Vesuvius' reverberating AD 79 eruption, on this engaging tour that also takes you to a local craft center. You'll learn that Herculaneum's fate didn't quite mirror Pompeii's, since Pompeii was buried in hot volcanic ash that burned everything combustible, whereas Herculaneum was covered by scorching mud that serendipitously preserved the village and prevented looting throughout the centuries. In addition, you'll hear many of the citizens had already departed Herculaneum due to an earthquake that preceded the volcanic eruption by several years, so this city has none of the eerie body casts seen in Pompeii. During your guided tour, you might see upper-class Roman villas overlooking the sea, original statuary, inlaid marble floors, intricate wall mosaics and even carbonized wood artifacts that survived the horrific devastation, all of which provide an astonishing snapshot of life nearly 2,000 years ago. Cap off your illuminating outing with a visit to a craft center, proof that even Vesuvius' destructive outburst couldn't prevent this vibrant corner of Italy from flourishing.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour the eye-opening ruins of Roman-era Herculaneum, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- See nearly intact buildings interred for centuries by a flow of scalding mud triggered by Mount Vesuvius' AD 79 eruption.
- Examine statues, inlaid marble floors, ornate mosaics and wooden items carbonized by the extreme heat.
- Shop for local crafts at a center where artisans proudly display their wares.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

**NAP-010 NAPLES ARCHEOLOGICAL MUSEUM & PIZZA TASTING**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$149.00**



OVERVIEW

Examine intriguing artifacts retrieved from Pompeii and Herculaneum in Naples' National Archaeological Museum and feast on pizza, the city's most beloved creation, after an orientation drive through the city. Admire the illustrious National Archaeological Museum, housed in an immense, salmon-colored building originally built as a cavalry barracks, then commandeered in the late 18th century by Charles of Bourbon as a museum for his invaluable Farnese collection. Gaze in awe at the Farnese Bull, the largest known sculpture surviving from antiquity, a Roman creation theatrically depicting Greek mythological figures. You'll discover an exceptional collection of treasures recovered from Pompeii and Herculaneum, including vividly hued murals, frescoes and mosaics depicting lifelike, intricate scenes that once decorated the walls and floors of the city's villas. Back on your coach, take a brief drive through the city past significant landmarks such as the commanding Castel Nuovo, the Teatro di San Carlo opera house, majestic Galleria Umberto, the marvelous Palazzo Reale and the Castel dell'Ovo, which overlooks the Gulf of Naples. For a perfect finale, treat yourself to an authentic pizza, originally created in Naples in 1830 and likely the city's most indelible contribution to the world.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Find a vast collection of artifacts at Naples' National Archaeological Museum, founded in the 18th-century by Charles of Bourbon.
- Wonder at the Greek mythological figures featured in the Roman Farnese Bull, antiquity's largest known sculpture.
- Study vibrant mosaics, murals and frescoes rescued from the ill-fated Roman cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum.
- Drive briefly past Naples's outstanding highlights, including Castel Nuovo and the Palazzo Reale.
- Savor original Neapolitan pizza, everyone's favorite piping-hot indulgence, invented here in 1830.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE

This tour involves moderate walking with some steps to negotiate. 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. Photography of any kind is not permitted inside the museum. The motorcoach may not be allowed to drive through certain areas of the city on Saturday, Sunday or local holiday due to local traffic regulations. The tour will not operate when a call falls on a Tuesday as the archaeological museum is closed on that day.

**NAP-001 HIGHLIGHTS OF NAPLES**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$129.00**



OVERVIEW

Experience fascinating Naples, setting for the troubled yet touching life-long friendship portrayed in Elena Ferrante's internationally best-selling Neapolitan novels, on this primarily panoramic tour. You'll travel across Posillipo, an affluent neighborhood draped over a verdant hill, to the heart of Naples, where you'll find the Piazza Gesù Nuovo, a lively gathering place dominated by a beautiful Baroque obelisk adorned with carvings of saints. During your guided tour, you'll view many of Naples' landmark

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attractions, including the opulent 16th-century Chiesa del Gesù Nuovo church and the Basilica di Santa Chiara, where the Neapolitan nobility worshipped. Ascend Posillipo Hill for terrific views of the city and continue to the energetic Piazza del Plebiscito, a vast square dominated by the lavish Palazzo Reale and the glorious Basilica di San Francesco di Paola directly opposite. Nearby, you'll find the Teatro di San Carlo, one of Italy's most renowned opera houses. At the conclusion of your tour, enjoy time at your leisure to people-watch, browse enticing shops and lunch at an inviting café, perhaps indulging in an authentic pizza, possibly the most enduring of Naples' many gifts.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Admire Piazza Gesù Nuovo, the beating heart of Naples and site of a majestic Baroque obelisk.
- See the city's striking places of worship, including the Basilica di Santa Chiara and Chiesa del Gesù Nuovo.
- Take in splendid vistas of Naples from atop Posillipo Hill, a prestigious residential area.
- Behold the elegant Palazzo Reale as you survey expansive Piazza del Plebiscito.
- Appreciate time on your own, perhaps trying a Neapolitan-style pizza, the emblematic pie first created here.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- If you wish to visit a place of worship during free time, dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour is primarily panoramic in nature with walking at the guest's discretion during stops. 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 and may arrange with the guide not to participate in the guided portions of the tour. Visits to places of worship are exterior only during the guided tour.

**NAP-0010E OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - HIGHLIGHTS OF NAPLES**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Price: \$259.00**



**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. Experience fascinating Naples, setting for the troubled yet touching life-long friendship portrayed in Elena Ferrante's internationally best-selling Neapolitan novels, on this primarily panoramic tour. You'll travel across Posillipo, an affluent neighborhood draped over a verdant hill, to the heart of Naples, where you'll find the Piazza Gesù Nuovo, a lively gathering place dominated by a beautiful Baroque obelisk adorned with carvings of saints. During your guided tour, you'll view many of Naples' landmark attractions, including the opulent 16th-century Chiesa del Gesù Nuovo church and the Basilica di Santa Chiara, where the Neapolitan nobility worshipped. Ascend Posillipo Hill for terrific views of the city and continue to the energetic Piazza del Plebiscito, a vast square dominated by the lavish Palazzo Reale and the glorious Basilica di San Francesco di Paola directly opposite. Nearby, you'll find the Teatro di San Carlo, one of Italy's most renowned opera houses. At the conclusion of your tour, enjoy time at your leisure to people-watch, browse enticing shops and lunch at an inviting café, perhaps indulging in an authentic pizza, possibly the most

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- Behold the elegant Palazzo Reale as you survey expansive Piazza del Plebiscito.
- Appreciate time on your own, perhaps trying a Neapolitan-style pizza, the emblematic pie first created here.
- 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.
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- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

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**NAP-GL1 SAN MARTINO SECRET HILLS & FUNICULAR RIDE**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 3.00 Hrs Price: \$159.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Admire the most breathtaking views of Naples from high above the city in historical San Martino, from which you will descend on foot and by funicular. The panoramic views will begin in earnest in Vomero, a fashionable district on an elevated plateau. The sights will be even more spectacular as you hike up to San Martino, an oasis well above the urban sprawl. Be sure to see its star-shaped fortress Castel Sant'Elmo and the former 14th-century Carthusian monastery. More fabulous vistas await you while walking downhill along the Pedamentina, a set of several hundred steps built in the 1500s. Although outdoor staircases and steps are abundant in hilly Naples, few compare to the Pedamentina for being scenic. In time, you will reach Corso Vittorio Emanuele, a charming street where you will hop aboard a funicular and continue your descent. While riding the funicular, you will be treated to even more magnificent views of Naples and its crescent-shaped bay.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Take in the panoramic views of sprawling Naples from several elevated lookouts.
- Hike up to hilltop San Martino and walk down a set of 400 stairs from the 1500s.
- Enjoy more spectacular views by riding a funicular down to a popular piazza.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour includes a little over an hour of walking and standing over some

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uneven ground and with considerable climbing and approximately 500 hundreds steps to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests or those guests with mobility concerns.

**NAP-GL2 SPACCA NAPOLI & FOLDED PIZZA**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 3.50 Hrs Price: \$199.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Enjoy an enlightening tour of Naples and folded pizza, a classic Neapolitan treat. Your panoramic drive will present views from affluent Posillipo Hill and of the imposing Castle Nuovo. The castle's five towers make it one of Naples' most recognizable landmarks. You will also see the Egg Castle, which holds a commanding position on the sea. In time, you will reach Spaccanapoli, a long street whose name means "Naples splitter," a reference to it somewhat dividing the city in two. Here, you will visit the Jesuit church Gesù Nuovo and the Church of Santa Chiara, which was founded in 1310 and features an austere Provencal-Gothic style. To delve even deeper into daily life, you will walk through the narrow streets of Old Town, which UNESCO has declared a Cultural Heritage site. As you will discover, there is no better setting to eat portafoglio or folded pizza, as the dish was invented in Naples.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Drive through Naples taking in the panoramic views and passing key landmarks.
- See two castles and two churches among the many highlights.
- Walk through Old Town and pause to enjoy folded pizza, a treat invented in Naples.

**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.

**NAP-WT1 WELLNESS-VOLCANIC THERMAL BATHS AND NAPLES**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 09:00 AM**  
**Duration: 7.00 Hrs Price: \$249.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Bask in the relaxing amenities of Stufe di Nerone, a complex of thermal waters enjoyed since Roman times, and uncover Naples on an absorbing walking tour. You'll travel to Stufe di Nerone, which today embraces a philosophy of wellness for pleasure, a principle you'll adopt by taking advantage of the healing properties of the resort's thermal waters. Ease into soothing mineral-rich baths, which are said to positively affect conditions such as rheumatism and osteoarthritis, choosing between both indoor and outdoor pools that allow a chance to experience the benefits in different surroundings. Discover other amenities, including a natural pond with black mud that softens the skin and pools of hot and cold water that may stimulate circulation when you alternate from one to the other. On the return to Naples, you'll pause for photos at dramatic locations such as the volcanic Phlegraean Fields. Following free time along Naples' waterfront, enjoy a walking tour of the historical district, perhaps seeing the glorious Basilica di San Francesco di Paola in Piazza del Plebiscito, the city's largest plaza. You might also pass the world's oldest opera house, 13th-century Castel Nuovo and famed Caffè Gambrinus, once a favorite rendezvous of poets and intellectuals.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Immerse yourself in the healing, mineral-rich thermal waters of Stufe di Nerone, enjoyed since the Roman era.
- Select between indoor and outdoor pools, each offering its own distinctive atmosphere.
- Relax in a natural pond that features skin-softening black mud and invigorate your circulation by alternating hot and cold pools.
- Stop to capture photos at striking locations such as the volcanic Phlegraean Fields.
- Appreciate time on your own in Naples' bustling waterfront area.
- Explore Naples' historic district on a walking tour, seeing grand landmarks such as Castel Nuovo and Piazza del Plebiscito.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- A swimsuit and slippers are required.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of 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 recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

**NAP-017 IRPINIA WINE EXPERIENCE**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM**  
**Duration: 6.00 Hrs Price: \$159.00**



**OVERVIEW**

Settle in for an immensely scenic drive to the medieval town Tufo, where you will enjoy an inspired wine tasting and a traditional Campanian lunch. While driving through the bucolic countryside, you will gaze out over one breathtaking landscape after another, punctuated with vineyards blanketing the hills. Upon reaching Tufo, within the district of Irpinia, you will sample a selection of locally produced wines. One in particular – made from the white grape Greco di Tufo – is revered over the others. It may be the centerpiece of your tasting as this Protected Designation of Origin wine is so characteristic of the local terroir. Wine will also be served with the lunch that follows at a restaurant in the shadow of Tufo Castle, which perches atop a spike of volcanic rock. Although the menu changes seasonally, it may include fusilli topped with sausage and aubergine or tagliatelle with a hearty wild boar sauce.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Sample a selection characteristic Irpinia district wines such as the revered Greco di Tufo.
- Learn about the terroir that produces many Protected Designation of Origin wines.
- Enjoy a traditional Campanian lunch in a restaurant near Tufo Castle.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. The sights visited are structured over several levels with many steps to negotiate. 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.

Minimal activity

Moderate activity

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Easy activity

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Evening excursion

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**NAP-015 CAMPI FLEGREI GRAND TOUR**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 10:00 AM**

**Duration: 5.50 Hrs Price: \$139.00**



OVERVIEW

Enjoy the rare opportunity to drive through a still-active volcanic landscape and recount the experience while dining at an estate in the surrounding countryside. The Campi Flegrei or “burning fields” is an intriguingly hellish landscape within a massive volcanic caldera. While traveling through this incredibly picturesque area, you can expect to see steaming fumaroles, thermal pools and an archaeological site where an ancient Greek settlement was excavated. Stops along the way will allow time to snap photos of the hauntingly beautiful terrain and Casina Vanvitelliana, an 18th-century royal hunting lodge situated in the middle of Fusaro Lake. You will also see Lake Avernus, which was considered to be an entrance to the underworld in ancient times. After settling in at an estate nearby, you will be served a lunch of Neapolitan specialties made with ingredients grown in the area’s fertile volcanic soil.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Admire the gorgeous setting of the Costa Tropical while driving through the countryside.
- Pass through three lovely seaside towns with Moorish architectural influences.
- Dine on dishes that reflect the local culture at a hilltop restaurant in Almuñécar.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour is mainly panoramic in nature with some walking at the guest's discretion during stops and some steps to negotiate at the farm. 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. Cancellations made within 3 days or less are subject to a 100% cancellation penalty.

- Savor lunch that includes a Gragnano pasta dish and other Italian specialties.

HELPFUL HINTS

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

PLEASE NOTE

This tour includes a minimal amount of walking 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.

**NAP-016 A JOURNEY CALLED PASTA**

**Date: Oct 12, 2024 Time: 10:30 AM**

**Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: \$159.00**



OVERVIEW

Become immersed in the world of pasta through a behind-the-scenes tour of one of Italy’s oldest pasta factories, followed by a delightful pasta lunch. The venue for this enlightening experience will be Gragnano, an ancient city where durum wheat and semolina have been cultivated for thousands of years. It also has the ideal climate for air-drying pasta, a practice that is still observed to ensure quality. As you will learn while browsing an ancient mill and museum, pasta-making is a complex process that can’t be rushed. In fact, to achieve its Protected Designation of Origin status, Gragnano pasta must dry gradually for as many as four days and be extruded through a bronze die that imparts a rough texture that helps the pasta sauce cling to the noodle. The results are well worth the effort as you will discover while savoring a lunch of Gragnano pasta and locally made accompaniments.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Learn more than you ever imagined about pasta in Gragnano, a city synonymous with it.
- See how Gragnano pasta must be made to retain a Protected Designation of Origin status.

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## Executive Collection

### PRIVATE CAR, VAN OR MINIBUS PROGRAMS

**Design your own private shore excursion** - This exclusive arrangement allows you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests and sightsee at your own pace. See the most famous sights or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

The Executive Collection is recommended for the single or solo traveler, couples, family, friends, and special interest groups traveling together. It can also be an excellent choice for physically challenged guests.

- Travel in a private vehicle reserved for your party only.
- Follow your own itinerary and visit only attractions you choose.
- Proceed at whatever pace is most comfortable.
- Rely on your personal driver and guide for assistance.
- Pricing shown below is per vehicle.

#### PLEASE NOTE

Private cars/vans/minibuses are ordered per vehicle (not per person), and only one person in the party need order the vehicle. The price shown is the total cost for the vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide. Kindly note, however, that in certain ports only a driver/guide will be assigned (one person), due to limited availability. Entrance fees are not included in this price, in order to provide you with the most flexibility. In many ports, the number of vehicles available is extremely

Half-day private tours must depart between 8:00 - 9:00 am, or after 1:00 p.m. Upon embarkation, please consult the Destination Manager on board to discuss your itinerary requirements and set your departure time.


### FLORENCE/PISA/TUSCANY (LIVORNO), ITALY

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| LRN-C04 | Executive Collection Half day private CAR | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 4.00 Hrs | Capacity: 2 guests  | Price \$999   |
| LRN-C08 | Executive Collection Full day private CAR | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 8.00 Hrs | Capacity: 2 guests  | Price \$1,299 |
| LRN-C09 | Executive Collection Full day private CAR | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 9.00 Hrs | Capacity: 2 guests  | Price \$1,399 |
| LRN-M04 | Executive Collection Half day private VAN | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 4.00 Hrs | Capacity: 10 guests | Price \$1,499 |
| LRN-M08 | Executive Collection Full day private VAN | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 8.00 Hrs | Capacity: 10 guests | Price \$1,899 |
| LRN-M09 | Executive Collection Full day private VAN | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 9.00 Hrs | Capacity: 8 guests  | Price \$2,099 |
| LRN-V04 | Executive Collection Half day private VAN | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 4.00 Hrs | Capacity: 6 guests  | Price \$1,199 |
| LRN-V08 | Executive Collection Full day private VAN | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 8.00 Hrs | Capacity: 6 guests  | Price \$1,499 |
| LRN-V09 | Executive Collection Full day private VAN | Date: Oct 06,2024 | Duration: 9.00 Hrs | Capacity: 6 guests  | Price \$1,599 |

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## 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

While the greatest care has been taken to offer the finest services available, Oceania Cruises will not be held responsible for any event or omission during the time that guests are not on board the ship or its tenders. All arrangements for certain optional off-board activities, including air transportation, hotel accommodations, ground transfers and shore excursions, are made by Oceania Cruises with the suppliers of the services for the convenience of our guests. Each guest agrees not to hold Oceania Cruises, its owners, employees, agents or representatives liable, in the absence of its own negligence, for any loss, injury, expense or damage which results directly or indirectly from any act or omission, whether negligent or otherwise, of any person or firm which provides any goods or services in connection with any optional travel component or any other option that is available for purchase. Arrangements with independent contractors include but are not limited to services, products and transportation provided elsewhere than on board an Oceania Cruises vessel in connection with tours, whether arranged or organized by tour operators, travel agents or Oceania Cruises. Tours, including hotel accommodations and transportation by any vessel not owned or operated by Oceania Cruises or by air, rail or land, are not under the supervision and control of Oceania Cruises. Notwithstanding that Oceania Cruises, at the guest's option, arranges air transportation, hotel accommodations, group transfers, shore excursions and other services with independent suppliers of the services, it should be understood that Oceania Cruises, being a "for profit entity," earns a fee on the sale of the optional services.

All Oceania Cruises shore excursion fares are per person, are subject to change and are subject to availability. Some tours are capacity controlled and may be withdrawn at any time without prior notice. While Oceania Cruises makes every effort to adhere to the specifics mentioned in each shore excursion description, circumstances may require otherwise. All shore excursion descriptions and information are subject to change without notice at Oceania Cruises' discretion. Oceania Cruises is not responsible or liable for typographical errors, omissions or misprints.

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