Shore Excursions
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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
- Easy activity
- Evening excursion
- Moderate activity
- Strenuous activity
- Meal included
- Oceania Exclusive
- Oceania Select
- ADA Accessible
- Beyond Blueprints
- Culinary Discovery
- Food & Wine Trails
- Go Green
- Go Local
- Wellness Tour
Palma De Mallorca, Spain

PMI-006  SOLLER VINTAGE TRAIN RIDE
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 08:15 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $189.00

OVERVIEW
Experience Mallorca’s dramatic scenery on this tour to the fetching village of Sóller that includes free time and a fabulous vintage train ride. Relax during an approximately one-hour drive to Sóller, a peaceful and scenic town nestled at the foot of rugged mountains. You’ll learn that its location in the lush Serra de Tramuntana Valley has long attracted visitors, writers and artists lured by the gorgeous setting, favorable light, refreshingly cool mountain air and laid-back way of life. Upon arrival, you’ll enjoy a guided tour of the town center followed by time at your leisure to explore or do some shopping. As an unforgettable conclusion to your excursion, hop aboard the vintage Palma-Sóller train, an old-fashioned wooden conveyance that has preserved its traditional character for over a century. Rejoice in a ride of approximately 50 minutes as your train languidly traverses Mallorca’s entrancing countryside, a resplendent patchwork of orange and olive groves, almond and locust-bean trees, enchanting villages and pine-covered mountains. Surrender to the idyllic charms of Mallorca on this fascinating outing filled with wonders both natural and man-made.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Roam the inviting streets of Sóller, an unspoiled hamlet set against a backdrop of dramatic mountains.
• Appreciate time on your own to shop and further uncover the charms of Sóller.
• Traverse the glorious landscapes of Mallorca aboard a vintage wooden train.
• See Mallorca’s timeless scenery of pine forests, orderly farms and picture-perfect villages.

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, numerous steps and a slight incline to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. While there are restrooms available at the train station in Sóller, there are none on the train. The tour may be operated in reverse.

PMI-009  BIKE RIDE THROUGH OLD TOWN
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $139.00

OVERVIEW
Discover that there’s no better way to reveal the myriad charms of Palma de Mallorca’s Old Quarter than on an exploration by bicycle. After receiving an informative briefing and boarding your two-wheeled vehicle, you’ll set off from the Maritime Promenade toward the city’s ancient walls. Continue to the impressive Gothic cathedral, La Seu, and pedal into the Old Quarter, passing compelling highlights such as the Església de Sant Francesc church, the Plaça Major and the Plaça d’Espanya. As you ride around, you’ll see locals going about their daily business and familiarize yourself with life in the historic yet forward-looking city of Palma. Conclude your invigorating tour of the town’s monuments, squares, gardens and palaces at the pier, visions of captivating Palma still lingering pleasantly in your mind.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Bicycle through Palma de Mallorca for an up-close-and-personal exploration of the effervescent city.
• Follow the Maritime Promenade and stand in awe before the city’s commanding ancient walls.
• Behold La Seu Cathedral, a Gothic masterpiece featuring an impressive rose window.
• Pedal past quaint churches and lively squares as you delve deeper into Palma.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, closed-toe sport shoes.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately three hours of bicycling. Participants should be in good physical condition. Guests should be experienced bike riders and have recently ridden or be confident on a bicycle. Participants must also be comfortable with hand brakes and riding downhill. All participants must sign a waiver of liability. Helmets are provided and are mandatory. The operation of this excursion is dependent on prevailing weather conditions.

PMI-010  MALLORCA, WINE TASTING AND SPANISH TAPAS
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM
Duration: 4.50 Hrs  Price: $199.00

OVERVIEW
Glory in Palma de Mallorca’s superlative La Seu cathedral and taste a selection of wines at an esteemed estate that has been operating for over 300 years. Relax during a brief but enlightening drive through Palma, a city whose diverse architecture reflects the influence of its many conquerors, and pause to explore La Seu, the city’s spectacular Gothic cathedral. You’ll delight in the beautiful golden sandstone exterior, the remarkable flying buttresses and the enormous rose window. Travel inland to the village of Binissalem and reach Bodega Ribas, Ferrer, a venerable winery dating to 1931 whose captivating history will be shared with you during a tour of the estate. Learn how the unique terroir influences the grapes and see the estate. Learn how the unique terroir influences the grapes and see the

HIGHLIGHTS
• Marvel at Palma’s cathedral, La Seu, a golden-hued Gothic masterpiece featuring soaring flying buttresses.
• Gaze at the largest gothic cathedral in Spain and its impressive rose.
• Journey to a centuries-old winery, Bodega Ferrer in the island’s fertile interior.
• Tour the estate and acquaint yourself with its storied history and rare grape varietals.
• Sample several first-rate wines, including a sophisticated red blend and a white with notes of fruit.

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

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PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking over mostly flat but some cobblestone and unpaved ground, plus 5 steps at the winery. 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.

PMI-011 HIKE TO BEAUTIFUL BANYALBUFAR
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM  Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $119.00

OVERVIEW
Experience Mallorca’s sublime scenery by trekking along one of the island’s most breathtaking paths to the quaint seaside village of Banyalbufar. After an approximately 30-minute scenic transfer to the village of Es Porres, a leafy and quiet hamlet set in a pastoral valley, you’ll begin your walk on a historic trail possibly used as far back as the 15th century. As you set off, envision the postmen of yore carrying the era’s precious and only form of long-distance communication from village to village along this very same route. Wind through a pine forest and commence a slight ascent, at which point the trail will provide glimpses of traditional Majorcan rural structures, including striking stone walls that are emblematic of the island. You’ll traverse appealingly verdant landscapes, inching ever closer to the island’s west coast. Eventually, arrive at unspoiled Banyalbufar, which perches above the sparkling Mediterranean and enchants with its terraced gardens that cascade toward the sea.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Distill the genuine essence of Mallorca on a hike through the island’s ravishing wilderness.
• Tread a path used by postal workers, perhaps as long ago as the 15th century.
• Meander through lush forests, inhaling the fresh scent of pine and the salty sea.
• Pass by Mallorca’s archetypal stone walls and other picturesque crumbling structures.
• Welcome vistas of the shimmering Mediterranean from the serene village of Banyalbufar.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, closed-toe walking shoes.
• Carry a jacket or sweater, as the caves can be humid and cold.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately three hours hiking over uneven and sometimes steep terrain. Participants should be in good physical condition. The tour is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. Guests must be a minimum of 12 years old. The operation of this excursion is dependent on prevailing weather conditions. Your return to the ship will be via coach.

PMI-003 THE CAVERNS OF DRACH, AN UNDERGROUND WORLD
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 08:45 AM  Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $199.00

OVERVIEW
Explore one of Europe’s largest cave systems and shop for renowned Majorcan pearls on this survey of the island’s extraordinary gifts. Relax during a leisurely drive through the countryside past windmills and farms to the spellbinding Coves del Drach, a series of spacious interconnected caverns of otherworldly ambience. You’ll wander among unusual formations with fanciful names like the Fairies’ Theater and Diana’s Bath, and learn that the cave’s massive stalactites and stalagmites have grown a mere half-inch since being fully explored in the 1880s, a testament to the prehistoric age of the caverns. Discover one of the world’s largest subterranean lakes, Lac Martel, which shimmers supernaturally due to strategically placed lights shining from above. Back above ground, tour a traditional Majorcan imitation pearl factory and gain invaluable insight into the manufacture of these coveted ornaments, which are crafted from natural marine products and are nearly indistinguishable from the real thing. You’ll appreciate the lustrous quality of Majorcan pearls, manufactured since the 19th century, and contemplate the many pleasant surprises found both above and below ground in entralling Mallorca.

HIGHLIGHTS
• See a bucolic landscape of farms and windmills as you drive through the Majorcan countryside.
• Discover the magnificent rock formations of the Coves del Drach, one of Europe’s largest cave systems.
• Gaze in awe at the mesmerizing illuminated waters of an underground lake that is among the world’s largest.
• Visit a manufacturer of Mallorca’s renowned imitation pearls and witness how these flawless jewels are created.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
• Carry a jacket or sweater, as the caves can be humid and cold.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PMI-014 VALLDEMOSSA & SOLLER WITH LUNCH
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 08:45 AM  Duration: 7.00 Hrs  Price: $259.00

OVERVIEW
Applaud two charming Majorcan villages and take a delightful vintage train ride on this splendid excursion with lunch. You’ll travel through a beautifully scenic landscape en route to Valldemossa, a serene town that has inspired artists for generations. Arrive at the imposing Cartoixa de Valldemossa, a former Carthusian monastery dating to 1309 that perches 1,200 feet above the Musa Valley. You’ll learn that in the winter of 1838-39, the author George Sand and Frédéric Chopin spent three months here hoping to conquer the composer’s tuberculosis. See artifacts belonging to the pair at an on-site museum, as well as a small chapel, a medieval pharmacy and the monks’ library. After visiting Valldemossa’s striking Palau del Rei Sanç palace, you’ll enjoy lunch in a local restaurant. Continue to appealing Sóller, where you’ll view the outstanding church, which was designed by a pupil of Antoni Gaudí, and appreciate time on your own to shop and explore the quaint town. Hop aboard the vintage Palma-Sóller train, an old-fashioned wooden conveyance that has preserved its traditional character for over a century, and rejoice in a ride of approximately 50 minutes as you languidly traverse Mallorca’s entrancing countryside.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Ventura into Mallorca’s rural areas, where olive and almond trees coat the hills and plains.
• Admire the marvelous former Carthusian monastery of Cartoixa de Valldemossa.

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- Absorb the monastery’s fascinating history, including a curative stay by lovers Frédéric Chopin and George Sand.
- Partake in a lunch of Majorcan specialties at a restaurant in Valldemossa.
- Travel to the charming village of Sóller and gaze at a wonderful church designed by a student of Antoni Gaudí.
- Roll across the glorious landscapes of Mallorca aboard a vintage wooden train.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately two miles of walking. There will be uneven surfaces, some steps and slight inclines to negotiate. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary in order to avoid congestion at the venues or due to availability of the train. Travel time to Valldemossa is approximately 30 minutes each way, dependent upon traffic conditions.

PMI-017  PALMA SCENIC DRIVE & LOCAL PEARL FACTORY
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 08:45 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $49.00

OVERVIEW
Take in the architectural gems of Palma and visit an imitation pearl factory to watch artisans create lustrous, perfectly formed Majorcan pearls. You’ll transfer to Bellver Castle, a revered Gothic landmark from the 14th century, and notice its unusual round design and seemingly impregnable fortifications, which are punctuated by towers of varying heights. Discover that the gracefully colonnaded interior was primarily used as a prison, and step outside to survey vibrant Palma from the castle’s ideal placement atop a hill. Appreciate an introductory panoramic tour of the city, during which you may see the ornate Gran Hotel and the elegant 1667 Teatre Principal. Journey to the village of Montuïri for a tour of a traditional Majorcan pearl factory and gain invaluable insight into the manufacture of these coveted ornaments, which are crafted from natural marine products using a closely guarded technique developed more than a century ago, making them nearly indistinguishable from the real thing.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Admire commanding Bellver Castle and its unusual round shape peppered with elegant towers.
- See Palma de Mallorca’s highlights, including the exquisite Gran Hotel, during a brief panoramic tour.
- Visit a manufacturer of Mallorca’s renowned imitation pearls and witness how these flawless jewels are created.
- Select from a wide array of gorgeous jewelry at the pearl factory’s shop, if you wish.
- Revel in free time to do as you please in the heart of Palma, perhaps strolling to the outstanding cathedral.

HELPFUL HINTS
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- If you wish to enter the cathedral during free time, dress appropriately.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

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

PMI-004  PANORAMIC VALLDEMOSSA
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 09:15 AM
Duration: 3.00 Hrs  Price: $129.00

OVERVIEW
Venture into the Majorcan countryside and discover a magnificent monastery, an imitation pearl factory and a photo-worthy Gothic Castle. You’ll travel through a landscape of mountains and plains brimming with almond and olive trees en route to Valldemossa, a serene town that has inspired artists for generations. Arrive at the splendid Cartoixa de Valldemossa, a former Carthusian monastery perched 1,200 feet above the Musa Valley, and embark on an approximately one-hour tour of the sanctuary. You’ll learn the stone-built structure dates to 1309, with its church added in the 15th century, and that in the winter of 1838-39, Aurora Dupin, who went by the nom de plume George Sand, along with her lover, Frédéric Chopin, spent three months here hoping to conquer the composer’s tuberculosis. In the town of Valldemossa, enjoy time on your own with an opportunity to visit a traditional Majorcan imitation pearl shop for invaluable insight into the manufacture of these coveted ornaments. During your return to Palma, you’ll stop to capture photos of Bellver Castle, a revered 14th-century Gothic landmark. Gaze in awe at its unusual round shape and seemingly impregnable fortifications, punctuated by towers of varying heights, another highlight of endlessly bewitching Mallorca.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Tour a farm that produces organic olive oil using environmentally friendly methods.
- Gain insight into how the olives are grown without chemicals or herbicides.
- Sample a variety of olive oils with tastes ranging from delicate to intense.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately two miles of walking. There will be uneven surfaces, some steps and slight inclines to negotiate. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary in order to avoid congestion at the venues or due to availability of the train. Travel time to Valldemossa is approximately 30 minutes each way, dependent upon traffic conditions.

PMI-GG2  ECOLOGICAL OLIVE OIL & GOLDEN TREASURE
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM
Duration: 3.00 Hrs  Price: $129.00

OVERVIEW
Discover how olive oil is produced in an eco-friendly manner and enjoy a tasting that will reveal the nuances of the various oils. The Son Miranda farm near the center of the island will be the setting for your immersion into the production of organic olive oil. The experience will include an enlightening tour of the olive groves, an explanation of how the olives are harvested and a look at the mill that produces the LA Organic brand oils. The olives are grown without chemicals or herbicides and manually harvested using traditional methods. Grazing sheep and horses take care of any unwanted vegetation and enrich the soil with natural fertilizer. The result is an array of delicious, subtly flavored organic olive oils, many of which you will sample. Some of them contain single varieties of olives, others are produced from a coupage or blend of varieties. You can expect a surprising range of tastes, from delicate to intense.

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

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PMI-017  PALMA SCENIC DRIVE & LOCAL PEARL FACTORY
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Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $49.00

OVERVIEW
Take in the architectural gems of Palma and visit an imitation pearl factory to watch artisans create lustrous, perfectly formed Majorcan pearls. You’ll transfer to Bellver Castle, a revered Gothic landmark from the 14th century, and notice its unusual round design and seemingly impregnable fortifications, which are punctuated by towers of varying heights.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Admire commanding Bellver Castle and its unusual round shape peppered with elegant towers.
- See Palma de Mallorca’s highlights, including the exquisite Gran Hotel, during a brief panoramic tour.
- Visit a manufacturer of Mallorca’s renowned imitation pearls and witness how these flawless jewels are created.
- Select from a wide array of gorgeous jewelry at the pearl factory’s shop, if you wish.
- Revel in free time to do as you please in the heart of Palma, perhaps strolling to the outstanding cathedral.

HELPFUL HINTS
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- If you wish to enter the cathedral during free time, dress appropriately.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately two miles of walking. There will be uneven surfaces, some steps and slight inclines to negotiate. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary in order to avoid congestion at the venues or due to availability of the train. Travel time to Valldemossa is approximately 30 minutes each way, dependent upon traffic conditions.

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HIGHLIGHTS
- Tour a farm that produces organic olive oil using environmentally friendly methods.
- Gain insight into how the olives are grown without chemicals or herbicides.
- Sample a variety of olive oils with tastes ranging from delicate to intense.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately two miles of walking. There will be uneven surfaces, some steps and slight inclines to negotiate. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary in order to avoid congestion at the venues or due to availability of the train. Travel time to Valldemossa is approximately 30 minutes each way, dependent upon traffic conditions.
• Journey into Mallorca’s scenic countryside, where olive and almond trees coat the hills and plains.
• Admire the marvelous former Carthusian monastery of Cartoixa de Valldemossa.
• Absorb the monastery’s fascinating history, including a curative stay by lovers Frédéric Chopin and George Sand.
• Explore the tranquil town of Valldemossa during time at your leisure.
• Visit a purveyor of Mallorca’s renowned imitation pearls and discern how these flawless jewels are created.
• Admire commanding Bellver Castle and its unusual round shape, peppered with elegant towers

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, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and a few 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 their personal level of ability and stamina. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

PMI-008 PALMA, TAPAS & FLAMENCO SHOW
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 09:15 AM
Duration: 4.50 Hrs  Price: $179.00

OVERVIEW
View landmarks of Palma de Mallorca and thrill to an authentic flamenco performance while being treated to delicious traditional tapas. Make your way to the city center aboard your coach, passing alluring sights during your comfortable ride, and embark on a walking tour that features exterior visits to La Seu, the city’s utterly magnificent cathedral, and the stately Palau Reial de l’Almudaina, a royal palace. As you stroll through the narrow streets of the handsome Old Quarter, you’ll admire historic residences inhabited today by Palma’s elite. Relish free time after your guided walk to dip into inviting shops or bask in the city’s magnetic ambiance. To experience the true spirit of Spain, you’ll savor a typical tapas lunch served with sangria, all while enjoying a rousing flamenco performance. Applaud this exhilarating dance, a stirring blend of clicking heels and castanets, Spanish guitar and emotive bravado, a perfect encapsulation of the impassioned and irresistible soul of this magical land.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Take in highlights of Palma de Mallorca as you drive into the city’s historic heart.
• Gaze at the exterior of two spectacular landmarks, the city’s vast cathedral and the noble Palau Reial de l’Almudaina.
• Behold elegant historic homes now occupied by the wealthiest citizens of Palma.
• Appreciate time on your own to wander and select a memento or two from a tempting shop.
• Feast on traditional Spanish tapas accompanied by sangria.
• Rejoice in a showcase of flamenco, the fiery and uniquely Spanish dance.

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

PMI-001 PALMA CITY HIGHLIGHTS
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM
Duration: 4.50 Hrs  Price: $119.00

OVERVIEW
Delve into Mallorca’s grand capital city of Palma on a guided visit to two stunning Gothic landmarks, La Seu Cathedral and Bellver Castle, and stop at a purveyor of Majorcan pearls. Enter resilient Palma, a city repeatedly invaded over the centuries due to its strategic position in the Mediterranean, and learn how each conqueror left their mark at La Seu, the city’s spectacular Gothic cathedral. You’ll delight in its enormous rose window, which casts a beautiful light into the church, and the wrought-iron canopy over the main altar, which was designed by idiosyncratic Catalan architect Antonio Gaudí. Enjoy a guided stroll to the city center, where you’ll discover an imitation pearl shop and learn the process behind the manufacture of these remarkable jewels. After some free time to shop and wander, continue to Bellver Castle, a revered 14th-century Gothic landmark. Gaze in awe at its unusual round design and seemingly impregnable fortifications, punctuated by towers of varying heights, and find a patio with a double gallery of arches, the Capella de San Marc chapel and the Palma History Museum. You’ll celebrate the Gothic treasures of Palma on this enlightening tour.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Explore La Seu Cathedral, a Gothic masterpiece featuring an impressive rose window and metalwork by Gaudí.
• Visit a purveyor of Mallorca’s renowned imitation pearls and discern how these flawless jewels are created.
• Relish time on your own to browse enticing shops or simply absorb the city’s beguiling atmosphere.
• Admire commanding Bellver Castle and its unusual round shape peppered with elegant towers.
• Roam the castle’s alluring spaces, including the Capella de San Marc chapel and a patio ringed by arcades.

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 easy-to-moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and numerous 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. On Sunday calls, only exterior visits are possible at the cathedral.
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PMI-001OE  OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - PALMA CITY HIGHLIGHTS
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM  OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE
Duration: 4.50 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. Delve into Mallorca’s grand capital city of Palma on a guided visit to two stunning Gothic landmarks, La Seu Cathedral and Bellver Castle, and stop at a purveyor of Majorcan pearls. Enter resilient Palma, a city repeatedly invaded over the centuries due to its strategic position in the Mediterranean, and learn how each conqueror left their mark at La Seu, the city’s spectacular Gothic cathedral. You’ll delight in its enormous rose window, which casts a beautiful light into the church, and the wrought-iron canopy over the main altar, which was designed by idiosyncratic Catalan architect Antonio Gaudí. Enjoy a guided stroll to the city center, where you’ll discover an imitation pearl shop and learn the process behind the manufacture of these remarkable jewels. After some free time to shop and wander, continue to Bellver Castle, a revered 14th-century Gothic landmark. Gaze in awe at its unusual round design and seemingly impregnable fortifications, punctuated by towers of varying heights, and find a patio with a double gallery of arches, the Capella de San Marc chapel and the Palma History Museum. You’ll celebrate the Gothic treasures of Palma on this enlightening tour.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Explore La Seu Cathedral, a Gothic masterpiece featuring an impressive rose window and metalwork by Gaudí.
• Visit a purveyor of Mallorca’s renowned imitation pearls and discern how these flawless jewels are created.
• Relish time on your own to browse enticing shops or simply absorb the city’s beguiling atmosphere.
• Admire commanding Bellver Castle and its unusual round shape peppered with elegant towers.
• Roam the castle’s alluring spaces, including the Capella de San Marc chapel and a patio ringed by arcades.
• Enjoy a higher level of personal attention and flexibility on this Oceania Exclusive small group tour.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 2 ½ hours of easy-to-moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and numerous 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. On Sunday calls, only exterior visits are possible at the cathedral.

PMI-002 GAstronomy with Gusto
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM
Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $209.00

OVERVIEW
Take in the staggering array of culinary treats at Palma’s primary market and sample an inspiring selection of delicacies at a gastronomic kitchen space within the market. A leisurely walk will bring you to Olivar Market, where you will behold a cornucopia of garden-fresh fruits and vegetables, Mallorcan-made cheeses and succulent seafood. Being the city’s main market, it is always abuzz with locals shopping. While meandering about, you will gain great insight into the gastronomy of Palma. Many of the vendors have their own boats, ensuring the freshest seafood. Local farmers supply the produce, and artisans make the bulk of the sausages and cheeses. Olivar Market is an extraordinary destination to observe daily life as the residents engage in lively conversation and a bit of friendly haggling with the vendors. Following this eye-opening introduction to the market, you will head for Gastroteca Mauricio to taste an array of representative Mallorcan foods.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Enjoy spectacular views of the coast and countryside from atop several elevated lookout.
• Tour 14th-century Bellver Castle and sip an aperitif at the former palace of an archduke.
• Pass through Valldemossa, the highest town on Palma de Majorca.
• Savor traditional paella for lunch at a restaurant with panoramic views.

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

PLEASE NOTE
The tour is available to wheelchair guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, can make their own way on and off the vehicle and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. This tour includes approximately one hour of walking and few steps to negotiate. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

PMI-021 PANORAMIC COASTAL VISTAS
Date: Jul 12, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM
Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $249.00

OVERVIEW
Gaze out over the sea from several spectacularly scenic hilltops and tour attractions such as Bellver Castle, a Gothic landmark from the 14th century. Its round design is unusual among Spanish castles, and although seemingly impenetrable, the fortress never served a defensive purpose. While driving inland, you will pass Valldemossa, the island’s highest town. Still renowned for Polish composer Frédéric Chopin and French author George Sand spending the winter of 1838-1839 in a monastery there, the town has retained its atmospheric charm. Nearby, you will find Son Marroig, the former palace of Archduke Luis Salvador of Austria. The estate is handsomely decorated with period furnishings and makes quite the setting for you to enjoy an aperitif under the Carrara marble rotunda that overlooks the sea. The panoramic view from the nearby Mirador de Na Foradada restaurant will be just as magnificent. Lunch will consist of a traditional mixed paella cooked over a wood-fired grill.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Enjoy spectacular views of the coast and countryside from atop several elevated lookout.
• Tour 14th-century Bellver Castle and sip an aperitif at the former palace of an archduke.
• Visit a purveyor of Mallorca’s renowned imitation pearls and discern how these flawless jewels are created.
• Gain insight into Palma’s cuisine through the vast array of available products.
• Enjoy a tasting of Mallorcan foods made with ingredients found at Olivar Market.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 2 ½ hours of easy-to-moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and numerous 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. On Sunday calls, only exterior visits are possible at the cathedral.
The tour is available to wheelchair guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, can make their own way on and off the vehicle and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of walking and few steps to negotiate. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Gastroteca Mauricio Restaurant is closed on Sundays. On these days guests will dine in a comparable restaurant offering the same menu.

PMI-023  A PASSION FOR WINE
Date: Jul 12, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM  Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $239.00

OVERVIEW
Sample a thoughtfully chosen selection of wines at Tianna Negre, a vineyard that produces several lines of wine made with indigenous Mallorcan grapes. This family-owned and operated winery originally planted all Manto Negro grapes. As you will discover while touring the estate, other grape varieties now flourish in its two vineyards. In fact, Tianna Negre is dedicated to recovering native Palma grape varieties that disappeared following the phylloxera scourge that destroyed countless vineyards in the 19th century. During brunch and a tasting in the cellar, you can expect to sample as many as a half-dozen wines that reflect the terroir, especially the lime-rich, clay textured soil. You may be served a namesake Tianna Negre red blend made from Manto Negro and Syrah grapes, a Tianna Blanc with notes of ripe fruit from Giró Ros grapes and a pink rosé with hints of grapefruit.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Enjoy a wine tasting at the family-owned winery Tianna Negre.
- Discern the subtleties in taste between several indigenous Mallorcan grapes.
- Gain an understanding of the terroir that influenced the wine produced at Tianna Negre.

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

PLEASE NOTE
The tour is available to wheelchair guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, can make their own way on and off the vehicle and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of walking and few steps to negotiate. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

PMI-024  MALLORCAN MEDLEY
Date: Jul 12, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM  Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $169.00

OVERVIEW
Recognize the great diversity within Palma through a medley of experiences that include dining on authentic Mallorcan cuisine. The venue for this culinary immersion will be the restaurant C’an Matias i Miquel. Entrées typically feature locally caught fresh fish and succulent pork generously seasoned with garlic and olive oil. You can also expect to be served sobrassada, a cross between spicy pork sausage and paté that can be eaten plain, fried or on bread. Coca de trampó, a Mallorcan appetizer topped with fresh vegetables, is also usually on the menu. As a complement, you will sample a selection of Mallorcan wines and liqueurs that may include palo, an aperitif first produced in the 19th century with wine and herbs. Artificial pearls have also long been manufactured on the island, and you will see how at a factory in Palma.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Savor a hearty brunch of authentic Mallorcan dishes at a restaurant popular with the locals.
- See how artificial pearls are still manufactured much like they were in the 19th century.
- Shop for pearls and high-end fashions in Mallorca’s pedestrian-friendly Old Town.

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

PLEASE NOTE
The tour is available to wheelchair guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, can make their own way on and off the vehicle and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking and few steps to negotiate. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

PMI-025  NATIVE WINES & MALLORCAN CUISINE
Date: Jul 12, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM  Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $239.00

OVERVIEW
Taste a selection of wines made from indigenous Mallorcan grapes at a family-owned vineyard and browse a downtown market full of local products that you may sample. As you will discover while touring the winery, Tianna Negre is dedicated to recovering native grape varieties that disappeared following the phylloxera scourge that destroyed countless vineyards in the 19th century. During brunch and a tasting in the cellar, you can expect to sample a selection of wines that reflect the terroir.

Fresh-baked bread and extra virgin olive oil made from the estate’s olives will be served to complement the wines. Back in Palma, you will browse Olivar Market and gain great insight into the gastronomy of Palma and daily life, as the market is typically abuzz with residents shopping and conversing with the vendors. You will then head for Gastroteca Mauricio to taste an array of Mallorcan foods and indigenous wines and liqueurs.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Enjoy a traditional Mallorcan brunch and wine tasting at the Tianna Negre winery.
- Browse the stalls of Olivar Market, the city’s main market for fresh meats and produce.
- Sample a variety of Mallorcan foods and wines at the restaurant Gastroteca Mauricio.

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

PLEASE NOTE
The tour is available to wheelchair guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, can make their own way on and off the vehicle and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking and few steps to negotiate. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Gastroteca Mauricio Restaurant is closed on Sundays. On these days guests will dine in a comparable restaurant offering the same menu.

PMI-029  TRANQUIL ALFABIA GARDENS
Date: Jul 12, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM  Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $169.00

OVERVIEW
The tour is available to wheelchair guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, can make their own way on and off the vehicle and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking and few steps to negotiate. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Enjoy a wine tasting at the family-owned winery Tianna Negre.
- Discern the subtleties in taste between several indigenous Mallorcan grapes.
- Gain an understanding of the terroir that influenced the wine produced at Tianna Negre.

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

PLEASE NOTE
The tour is available to wheelchair guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, can make their own way on and off the vehicle and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of walking and few steps to negotiate. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.
Stroll the cobblestone paths of Alfabia Gardens, an oasis of greenery that surrounds an estate dating to the 13th century. An official Cultural Heritage Site, the gardens contain rare species from all over the world. While meandering about, you may see pomegranate trees with twisted trunks, Indian horse chestnuts, Spanish firs and the Queen’s Garden, an enchanting greenspace redesigned for Isabella II’s visit in the mid-19th century. Even so, the highlight may be the 72-column pergola adorned with dozens of sculptures and concealed jets that shoot graceful arcs of water through the air. Following a leisurely lunch in the gardens, you will visit Bellver Castle, a spectacular Gothic landmark from the 14th century. Its round design is unusual among Spanish castles and the seemingly impenetrable fortress is just as fascinating inside. As you ramble about the hilltop castle, you will appreciate the origin of its name Bellver, which means “lovely view” in Catalan.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Enjoy the serenity of Alfabia Gardens, a botanical gem built around a 13th-century estate.
• Follow the cobblestone paths through one exotic garden area after another.
• Explore the 14th-century Gothic landmark Bellver Castle and take in the panoramic views.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 1 hour and 45 minutes of moderate walking/standing. There will be 4 steps to enter/exit the motor coach. Guests will have to manage 40 steps as well as paved and cobblestone surfaces 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.

PMI-GL1 VISITING ARTISTS IN THEIR STUDIOS
Date: Jul 12, 2024 Time: 09:30 AM
Duration: 4.25 Hrs Price: $279.00

OVERVIEW
Visit three acclaimed artists in their studios in the village of Valldemossa, where you will have time to admire their works and discuss the creative process. The village is an inspiring setting that is just as beautiful as it was when Polish composer Frédéric Chopin and French novelist George Sand wintered there in the 19th century. Valldemossa still attracts musicians, writers and most prominently painters, who come to capture the natural beauty. While there, you will visit the studio of Slovenia-born artist Bruno Zupan, where you will most likely see his glowing landscape paintings and limited-edition serigraphs and lithographs. You will also spend time with Natasha Zupan, Bruno’s immensely talented daughter. She typically works in mixed media and describes her style as “the search for the heart of the matter.” The third artist is Guillermo Rodríguez, known simply as Guillermín. Many of his works are in white or black or a combination of the two hues.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Browse the studios of three artists in Valldemossa, an inspiring scenic village.
• See the work of a Slovenia-born artist and his daughter and discuss their creative processes.
• Visit an artist that works in black and white and discover what the colors represent to him.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes nearly three hours of walking and standing with some 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.

Saint-Tropez, France

STP-004OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - HIGHLIGHTS OF SAINT-TROPEZ
Date: Jul 13, 2024 Time: 11:30 AM
Duration: 2.50 Hrs Price: $319.00

OVERVIEW
Designed for travelers who prefer an added measure of intimacy and flexibility, our new Oceania Exclusive tours limit group size to just 16 guests maximum. The Oceania Exclusive format is available on specially selected shore excursions in nearly every port we visit, around the world. Ease into the jet-setting lifestyle on a walking tour, museum visit and time on your own in fabled Saint-Tropez. During your guided walking tour, you’ll explore the Old Town’s charming port and the inviting, narrow streets radiating from the waterfront. Absorb local color in the Place des Lices, where you might see a game of petanque underway in the shade of the square’s plane trees. Delight in a visit to the Annonciade Museum, where the importance of Post-Impressionism in Saint-Tropez is on vivid display in galleries housed inside a former chapel. During approximately one hour in the museum, study an inspiring collection of sculpture and painting covering the period from 1890-1940, when artists such as Seurat, Matisse and Signac were at the peak of their creativity. Relish time at your leisure to shop exclusive boutiques or for additional exploration, perhaps lingering over a regional rosé in famed Le Café, a favorite haunt of Mick Jagger and countless other glitterati.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Delve into Saint-Tropez during a walking tour of the Old Town’s quaint stone-paved lanes and squares.
• Study remarkable works by Matisse, Seurat and others at the Annonciade Museum.
• Unleash your inner célébrité while browsing chic boutiques and people-watching at legendary Le Café 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 easy walking but long periods of standing. 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, as access to the museum is limited to 25 visitors at the same time. Please note that the Annonciade Museum is closed on Tuesdays, so if your tour takes place on Tuesday, another venue will be substituted.

STP-004 HIGHLIGHTS OF SAINT-TROPEZ
Date: Jul 13, 2024 Time: 11:30 AM
Duration: 2.50 Hrs Price: $119.00

OVERVIEW
Ease into the jet-setting lifestyle on a walking tour, museum visit and time
on your own in fabled Saint-Tropez. During your guided walking tour, you’ll explore the Old Town’s charming port and the inviting, narrow streets radiating from the waterfront. Absorb local color in the Place des Lices, where you might see a game of petanque underway in the shade of the square’s plane trees. Delight in a visit to the Annonciade Museum, where the importance of Post-Impressionism in Saint-Tropez is on vivid display in galleries housed inside a former chapel. During approximately one hour in the museum, study an inspiring collection of sculpture and painting covering the period from 1890-1940, when artists such as Seurat, Matisse and Signac were at the peak of their creativity. Relish time at your leisure to shop exclusive boutiques or for additional exploration, perhaps lingering over a regional rosé in famed Le Café, a favorite haunt of Mick Jagger and countless other glitterati.

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STP-005 FOOD & WINE TRAILS: THE HISTORIC CHATEAU DE SAINT MARTIN
Date: Jul 13, 2024  Time: 11:30 AM  Duration: 7.00 Hrs  Price: $379.00

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. Enjoy a tasting and wine-paired luncheon at a historic château followed by a sightseeing tour of the Saint-Tropez Peninsula. After a leisurely drive through Provence’s quaint farmland, you’ll arrive at fabulous Château de Saint-Martin. Appreciate the winery’s lovely grounds, the 15th-century cellars and modern winemaking facilities as you stroll about the property, which has been run by women since it was built in the 18th century. At the splendid manor house, you’ll be treated to a sampling of two of their cru classé white wines paired with an olive tapenade. To culminate your visit, settle in for a luxurious and unforgettable three-course Provençal luncheon paired with three of the estate’s wines. On your return drive, you’ll make your way through the picturesque forests of the Massif des Maures. Pass the historic village of La Garde-Freinet, which has a link to generations of women. Delight in Château de Saint-Martin, an 18th-century winery led by women since it was built in the 18th century. At the splendid manor house, you’ll be treated to a sampling of two of their cru classé white wines accompanied by olive tapenade. Indulge in a delectable Provençal lunch paired with three specially selected wines from the château. Take in marvelous vistas of the Massif de Maures and its verdant woodlands from your coach. See the unspoiled inland villages of the Saint-Tropez Peninsula during your journey. Tour Saint-Tropez’s storied Old Town and relish time on your own for additional exploration.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Delight in Château de Saint-Martin, an 18th-century winery led by generations of women.
• Savor two of the château’s cru classé white wines accompanied by olive tapenade.
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• Tour Saint-Tropez’s storied Old Town and relish time on your own for additional exploration.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately two hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces and stairs 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. Given 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. 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.

STP-002OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - GRIMAUD & PORT GRIMAUD
Date: Jul 13, 2024  Time: 01:20 PM  Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $289.00

OVERVIEW
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HIGHLIGHTS
• Feel transported to Venice in Port Grimaud, a 1960s seaside village
interwoven by countless canals.

• Cross quaint arched bridges over glittering canals lined with multi-hued homes.
• Visit the superb medieval village of Grimaud, set high above the Gulf of Saint-Tropez.
• Wander immaculately preserved 15th-century streets boasting historic stone-built homes.
• 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
The tour involves 1.5 hours of walking on uneven, inclining and declining cobblestone streets, as well as approximately 30 steps to climb. 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. Order of sights visited may vary and the itinerary may be reversed.

STP-002  GRIMAUD & PORT GRIMAUD
Date: Jul 13, 2024  Time: 01:30 PM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $179.00

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes extensive walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Order of sights visited may vary and the itinerary may be reversed.

STP-003  PENINSULA OF HILLTOP VILLAGES
Date: Jul 13, 2024  Time: 01:45 PM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $319.00

OVERVIEW
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HIGHLIGHTS
• Traverse the enchanting Provençal countryside on your visit to three superb hamlets.
• See fortified stone dwellings and a monument honoring the French Resistance in Ramatuelle.
• Walk through Gassin’s maze of streets flanked by quaint homes brushed in a soft palette.
• Wander down immaculately preserved 15th-century streets boasting historic stone-built homes in Grimaud.
• Bask in glorious vistas of Provence’s magnificent landscapes and the Gulf of Saint-Tropez.
• 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 extensive walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

Minimal activity  Moderate activity  Oceania Exclusive  Beyond Blueprints  Go Green
Easy activity  Strenuous activity  Oceania Select  Culinary Discovery  Go Local
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**HELPFUL HINTS**
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**PLEASE NOTE**
This tour includes extensive walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

**STP-001  GASSIN & WINE TASTING**
**Date:** Jul 13, 2024  **Time:** 02:00 PM  **Duration:** 3.50 Hrs  **Price:** $199.00

**OVERVIEW**
Indulge in a taste of Provence’s good life on a visit to the delightful village of Gassin and a sampling at a family-run winery. You’ll travel past sun-washed mountains and vineyards to Gassin, a village perched high on a promontory just a few miles from the sea. Roam narrow, winding streets past softly hued buildings set off by contrasting shutters that give the village its definitive Provençal character. However, you’ll agree that its peerless views of the countryside and the Gulf of Saint-Tropez are what truly set Gassin apart from other French villages. Drive to a family-run château, where for generations vintners have passed on their expertise and passion for crafting fine wines. During a delectable tasting, savor the château’s unique vintages and sample other spectacular varieties produced in this premier wine-making region. From Gassin’s sweeping vistas to the intimate atmosphere of the château, the majestic and convivial sides of Provence blend beautifully on this satisfying excursion.

**HIGHLIGHTS**
- Journey through the enchanting Provençal countryside to the hilltop village of Gassin.
- Walk through a maze of streets flanked by quaint homes brushed in a soft palette.
- Bask in glorious vistas of Provence’s magnificent landscapes and the Gulf of Saint-Tropez.
- Try a variety of regional vintages at the cellars of a venerable wine château.

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

**PLEASE NOTE**
This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking and/or standing. 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. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

**STP-006  HIKE ON THE LITTORAL TRAIL OF ST TROPEZ BAY**
**Date:** Jul 13, 2024  **Time:** 02:00 PM  **Duration:** 4.00 Hrs  **Price:** $169.00

**OVERVIEW**
Hike the Sentier du Littoral, the path that follows the coast of St. Tropez, passing some of the most gorgeous beaches in the south of France. The trek will begin on the pine-lined stretch of sand that rims the Bay of Canebiers, a favorite beach because of its serenity. As the terrain changes from sandy to rocky, the guide will point out the varying flora and fauna such as black-headed gulls, one of the most abundant birds in the littoral zone. Other beaches along the way include bamboo-bordered Moutte and alluring Salins. In time, the guide will select the best spot for a beach break, during which you might enjoy a refreshing swim, bask in the sun or simply take in the scenery. Considering how glamorous St. Tropez has become, it is hard to imagine that until Brigitte Bardot arrived in 1956 to shoot the film “And God Created Woman,” it was little more than a fishing village.

**HIGHLIGHTS**
- Follow a coastal path along some of the most beautiful beaches in the south of France.
- Listen to the guide’s enlightening commentary regarding the flora and fauna.
- Enjoy free time relaxing and swimming at one of the most spectacular beaches.

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

**PLEASE NOTE**
This tour includes approximately 2 hours of moderate walking/standing; there will be some gravel, rocky and sandy surfaces guests will need to negotiate. Guests will have 60 minutes of free time at a beach to spend at their leisure. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

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

**LRN-001  FASCINATING FLORENCE**
**Date:** Jul 14, 2024  **Time:** 08:15 AM  **Duration:** 10.00 Hrs  **Price:** $269.00

**OVERVIEW**
Admire the artistic and architectural wonders of graceful Florence on this enlightening tour with ample free time. Enjoy a lovely drive through the inspiring Tuscan countryside to Florence, a city straddling the Arno River and home to countless masterpieces in its UNESCO World Heritage site historic center. Visit the Galleria dell’Accademia, where Michelangelo’s iconic David, carved from a single piece of marble, keeps eternal watch has become, it is hard to imagine that until Brigette Bardot arrived in 1956 to shoot the film “And God Created Woman,” it was little more than a fishing village.

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

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**HIGHLIGHTS**
- Behold the idyllic landscapes of Tuscany as you drive to Florence’s UNESCO World Heritage site historic center.
- Gaze at Michelangelo’s imposing David, carved from one block of marble, in the splendid Galleria dell’Accademia.
- 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.
- View Donatello’s stirring Annunciation in the wonderful Franciscan Gothic Basilica di Santa Croce.
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- Enjoy a higher level of personal attention and flexibility on this Oceania Exclusive small group tour.

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**OVERVIEW**
Designed for travelers who prefer an added measure of intimacy and flexibility, our new Oceania Exclusive tours limit group size to just 16 guests maximum. The Oceania Exclusive format is available on specially selected shore excursions in nearly every port we visit, around the world. Admire the artistic and architectural wonders of graceful Florence on this enchanting tour with ample free time. Enjoy a lovely drive through the inspiring Tuscan countryside to Florence, a city straddling the Arno River and home to countless masterpieces in its UNESCO World Heritage site historic center. Visit the Galleria dell’Accademia, where Michelangelo’s iconic David, carved from a single piece of marble, keeps eternal watch over myriad masterworks. You’ll delight in the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, also known as Il Duomo, begun in 1296 and crowned with a superb octagonal cupola designed by the Renaissance architect Brunelleschi. Nearby you’ll find the painter 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. Marvel at Basilica di Santa Croce, Italy’s largest and most renowned Franciscan Gothic church, where many of Italy’s illustrious citizens are entombed, including Michelangelo, Galileo, Rossini and Machiavelli. Learn that one of the church’s most prized works of art is Donatello’s Annunciation, a moving sculpture in carved and gilded stone. Appreciate generous time for additional exploration and let magical Florence serve as your muse.

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**LRN-002  MEDIEVAL MAGIC - SIENA & SAN GIMIGNANO**
*Date: Jul 14, 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 Podesta. 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.
- Delight in Siena’s shell-shaped Piazza del Campo, an expansive
HIGHLIGHTS
• 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-012 FLORENCE’S FINEST: ACCADEMIA AND UFFIZI
Date: Jul 14, 2024     Time: 08:15 AM
Duration: 10.00 Hrs     Price: $469.00

OVERVIEW
Examine the masterpieces held in two of Florence’s superlative museums, the Galleria dell’Accademia and the Gallerie degli Uffizi, and partake in lunch at one of the city’s most exclusive hotels. You’ll learn Florence owes much of its splendor to the infamous Medicis, who when not busy scheming also cultivated some of the greatest artists of the Renaissance. In the Galleria dell’Accademia, stand in awe before Michelangelo’s colossal David, carved from a single block of marble and observable from almost every angle due to its placement in a spacious vaulted recess. Study some of Italy’s most revered works of art in the 16th-century Gallerie degli Uffizi, where Italian masters including Cimabue, Giotto, Masaccio, Piero della Francesca, Botticelli, Leonardo da Vinci and Michelangelo are well represented beside exquisite works by Flemish, Spanish, Venetian, French and German artists. Sit for a delectable lunch at either the Hotel Savoy or the Grand Hotel Baglioni, venues offering luxury and style in Florence’s heart. Appreciate time on your own to stroll or shop along Via dei Tornabuoni and Via della Vigna Nuova, where world-class boutiques from the likes of Armani, Gucci, Dolce & Gabbana, Prada and more await.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes an extensive amount of walking, plus any walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. It is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The Academy of Fine Arts is closed on Mondays. Shops will be closed during bank holidays. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.
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 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, umbrella 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.

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 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.
• 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.

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 visited or visited may vary.

Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

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 Vireggio 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-GL4 TUSCAN ORGANIC FARMING EXPERIENCE
Date: Jul 14, 2024 Time: 08:15 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 Diaccoroni 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 each venue. The excursion may not be suitable for those guests with food

LRN-004 FLORENCE & PISA
Date: Jul 14, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 10.50 Hrs Price: $199.00

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 nested 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-019 THE UFFIZI GALLERY
Date: Jul 14, 2024 Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 10.00 Hrs Price: $289.00

OVERVIEW
Your day commences with a one-and-a-half-hour journey by air-conditioned motor coach through the lovely Tuscan countryside. On arrival in Florence, visit Piazzale Michelangelo, a panoramic viewpoint that provides an excellent city view. Then, proceed through Florence passing Piazza della Signoria, a unique outdoor sculpture gallery, as well as a 14th-century bridge over the Arno River. Upon arrival at the Uffizi Gallery, enjoy your approximate 90 minute guided exploration of the world’s finest collections of work by classic Florentine and Tuscan painters. The collection was born from the immense wealth of the Medici Family, who
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commissioned work from numerous Florentine masters. Here, you will admire the original pieces by artists such as Leonardo Di Vinci, Michelangelo, Raphael, as well as the famed Birth of Venus painting by Botticelli. After your enlightening visit, proceed by foot to a local restaurant and enjoy a Florentine luncheon. After lunch, view the Duomo of St. Maria del Fiore, known for its arched roof. One of the world’s largest unsupported structures, the roof became a symbol of the city’s great power in the 13th century. You will also see the Giotto’s Bell Tower, as well as the Baptistry. After your exploration, enjoy independent time to browse the many shops in Florence or explore on your own. Then re-board your motor coach for the scenic drive back to the pier. Please note: As this excursion involves substantial walking for approximately two-and-a-half hours, as well as stair climbing at the Uffizi Gallery, it is not recommended for guests with walking difficulties. It is recommended that guests wear flat, comfortable shoes. It is also recommended that guests dress conservatively for the church visits. Ladies must cover their knees and shoulders, while gentlemen must wear pants. The order of sights visited may vary.

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

**Date:** Jul 14, 2024  **Time:** 08:30 AM  **Duration:** 9.50 Hrs  **Price:** $189.00

**OVERVIEW**

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 ½ hours by coach. Advance reservations for some of the sites are highly recommended; please inquire at the Shore Excursion desk for details.

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

**Date:** Jul 14, 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 baptistery. 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 Roman Tuscany to enfold 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.
SHORE EXCURSIONS

LRN-027  CINQUE TERRE ON YOUR OWN
Date: Jul 14, 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-034  VOLterra & TUSCAN SHEEP FARMING
Date: Jul 14, 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 Volterranse, a Protected Designation of Origin cheese. Although it can be eaten after just three weeks of aging, longer aging lends it a spiciest 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: Jul 14, 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: Jul 14, 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...
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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-016  FLORENCE ON THE LIGHTER SIDE
Date: Jul 14, 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 wereusted 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-003  FLORENCE ON YOUR OWN
Date: Jul 14, 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 the marvelous Boboli Gardens.
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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: Jul 14, 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 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 palpable 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 arcade 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: Jul 14, 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 palpable 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.

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• Delight in the ornate circular baptistery, less known but possibly as alluring as the Leaning Tower.
• See the stately cemetery, a superbly restored arcade 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.
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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LRN-011 FOOD & WINE TRAILS: SUVERETO & SUPER TUSCAN ESTATE, TUA RITA

Date: Jul 14, 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 Tuscan wines were born from a group of their current vintages. Hail the audacious spirit of these Tuscan wine entrepreneurs as you enjoy their exceptional bounty. Raise a glass to your unforgettable sojourn to this jewel of Tuscany.

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.
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• Taste 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
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: Jul 14, 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.

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• 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-030 DISCOVERING THE LIGURIAN COAST BY RUBBER BOAT

Date: Jul 14, 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- BOCCELLI SEASIDE & FLAVORS
Date: Jul 14, 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 Alpemare 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 Bocelli’s exclusive Alpemare 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: Jul 14, 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.

LRN-026 EASY FLORENCE
Date: Jul 14, 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 to watch Italian craftsmen create 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.
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Porta Romana
Piazza Signoria
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Piazzale Michelangelo

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Spend hours relaxing, dining and enjoying a wine tasting at a Tuscan

OVERVIEW
Duration: 7.00 Hrs  Price: $159.00

LRN-035   WINE TASTING & LUNCH AT SAN MINIATO
Date: Jul 14, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM
Duration: 6.50 Hrs  Price: $159.00

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.
• 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-033   FLORENCE OPEN AIR SIGHTSEEING & WALKING TOUR
Date: Jul 14, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM
Duration: 7.00 Hrs  Price: $99.00

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LRN-GG1   MASSACIUCCOLI NATURAL LAKE & ORGANIC WINES
Date: Jul 14, 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
organic beer.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
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discretion over some uneven and natural surfaces. 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.
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.

LRR-013  HIGHLIGHTS OF LUCCA
Date: Jul 14, 2024  Time: 02:30 PM

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 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
• 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 guest’s 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.

OLB-001  THE MADDALENA ISLAND EXPERIENCE
Date: Jul 15, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM

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 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-002 SCENIC COSTA SMERALDA
Date: Jul 15, 2024     Time: 09:00 AM
Duration: 4.50 Hrs     Price: $139.00

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.

OLB-005 THE MANY FACETS OF COSTA SMERALDA
Date: Jul 15, 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 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. 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.
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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 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-009 RAMBLING AND TASTING IN SARDINIA
Date: Jul 15, 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 nestsles 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 Nuraghic 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.

Rome (Civitavecchia), Italy

CIV-GG2 ENVIRONMENTAL WINE CIRCLE EXPERIENCE
Date: Jul 16, 2024 Time: 08:00 AM
Duration: 5.00 Hrs Price: $259.00

OVERVIEW
Savor a tasting of organic wines at a farm that operates in an environmentally friendly manner that is completely sustainable. A delightful drive through the gorgeous Tuscan countryside will bring you to Trebotti, a family-owned farm and winery that follows natural agricultural practices. It is among the first farms in Italy to measure and certify its carbon footprint with the goal of achieving zero climate-altering emissions. To that end, Trebotti uses renewable energy, minimally tills the soil, employs closed-cycle composting and recycles its wine-making materials. Instead of cutting the grass with a gas-powered tractor, the farm uses an organic lawn-mower—Jane, the donkey. This circular economy eliminates waste and doesn’t negatively affect the environment. Following an enlightening tour of the farm, you will sample a selection of wine. Some of them may be

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free of sulfites, others might be made entirely with native grapes, while still others may be sparkling.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Visit a farm and winery that operates with zero carbon emissions.
• Observe the farm’s eco-friendly, circular practices that eliminate waste.
• Sample a selection of organic wines paired with local delicacies.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour contains easy walking/standing for approximately 2 hours on uneven traditional farm ground plus any additional walking at the guests’ discretion during free time. This tour is not recommended for guests in 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 will be some irregular rock steps to negotiate inside the Etruscan cave. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Participants must be 21 years of age to participate in the wine tasting.

CIV-001  ROME - THE ETERNAL CITY
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:15 AM
Duration: 10.00 Hrs  Price: $279.00

OVERVIEW
Revel in the epochal highlights of Rome on this comprehensive coach and walking tour. Begin your exploration of the Eternal City at its heart, the Vatican City’s inspiring expanse of Saint Peter’s Square, a vast, circular plaza that can hold over 300,000 people and is surrounded by a breathtaking colonnade. Enter Christendom’s largest sanctuary, Saint Peter’s Basilica, and admire the high altar where the Pope celebrates mass, the splendid gilt and bronze throne in the apse and the intensely stirring Pietà, one of Michelangelo’s most revered works. From atop Aventine Hill, behold the imposing remains of the Roman imperial palaces and the Circus Maximus, site of thrilling chariot races such as those depicted in the movie Ben Hur. Driving into central Rome, you’ll glimpse vestiges of the glory and majesty of the Roman Empire in the ruins of the ancient Forum and the infamous Colosseum, where gladiators valiantly clashed, often pitted against wild beasts. Appreciate time on your own to dine in a trattoria, browse inviting shops or simply wander through the history-steeped streets of spellbinding Rome.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Marvel at sumptuous Saint Peter’s Basilica, which houses the pope’s high altar and Michelangelo’s Pietà.
• View the ruins of the Circus Maximus, where chariot races exhilarated thousands, and the imperial palaces.
• Basque in the grandeur of the Forum and the storied Colosseum, site of gruesome entertainments.
• Enjoy a higher level of personal attention and flexibility on this Oceania Exclusive small group tour.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear conservative, 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 available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. If Saint Peter’s Basilica is closed for a religious celebration, the guide will give commentary from the exterior. Lunch is on your own.

CIV-002  VATICAN CITY AND ROME HIGHLIGHTS
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:15 AM
Duration: 10.50 Hrs  Price: $289.00

OVERVIEW
Explore the Eternal City on this panoramic tour, taking in many of the city's vestiges of the glory and majesty of the Roman Empire in the ruins of the ancient Forum and the infamous Colosseum, where gladiators valiantly clashed, often pitted against wild beasts. Appreciate time on your own to dine in a trattoria, browse inviting shops or simply wander through the history-steeped streets of spellbinding Rome.

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• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE
This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. If Saint Peter’s Basilica is closed for a religious celebration, the guide will give commentary from the exterior. Lunch is on your own.

CIV-001OE  OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - ROME - THE ETERNAL CITY
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:15 AM
Duration: 10.00 Hrs  Price: $479.00

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. Revel in the epochal highlights of Rome on this comprehensive coach and walking tour. Begin your exploration of the Eternal City at its heart, the Vatican City’s inspiring expanse of Saint Peter’s Square, a vast, circular plaza that can hold over 300,000 people and is surrounded by a breathtaking colonnade. Enter Christendom’s largest sanctuary, Saint Peter’s Basilica, and admire the high altar where the Pope celebrates mass, the splendid gilt and bronze throne in the apse and the intensely stirring Pietà, one of Michelangelo’s most revered works. From atop Aventine Hill, behold the imposing remains of the Roman imperial palaces and the Circus Maximus, site of thrilling chariot races such as those depicted in the movie Ben Hur. Driving into central Rome, you’ll glimpse vestiges of the glory and majesty of the Roman Empire in the ruins of the ancient Forum and the infamous Colosseum, where gladiators valiantly clashed, often pitted against wild beasts. Appreciate time on your own to dine in a trattoria, browse inviting shops or simply wander through the history-steeped streets of spellbinding Rome.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Marvel at sumptuous Saint Peter’s Basilica, which houses the pope’s high altar and Michelangelo’s Pietà.
• View the ruins of the Circus Maximus, where chariot races exhilarated thousands, and the imperial palaces.
• Basque in the grandeur of the Forum and the storied Colosseum, site of gruesome entertainments.
• Enjoy a higher level of personal attention and flexibility on this Oceania Exclusive small group tour.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear conservative, 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 available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. If Saint Peter’s Basilica is closed for a religious celebration, the guide will give commentary from the exterior. Lunch is on your own.
Lunch is on your own. The coach is air-conditioned.

HELPFUL HINTS
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes a one-mile walk from the coach to the basilica. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. If Saint Peter’s Basilica is closed during religious celebrations, your guide will give commentary from the exterior.

LUNCH
In a cozy café. As a final treat, pass by opulent Saint Peter's Basilica and wine and drive along the Tiber River to Viale Washington, a Baroque area detailing Roman Jewish life and ritual. Relish a typical Roman lunch with wine and drive along the Tiber River to Viale Washington, a Baroque area detailing Roman Jewish life and ritual. Relish a typical Roman lunch with

OVERVIEW
Reveal the fascinating history and landmarks of Rome’s Jewish population through the centuries on this enlightening tour. Upon arrival in the Eternal City, you'll enjoy a panoramic drive past the Baths of Caracalla's ruins, Capitoline Hill, Piazza Venezia and the Colosseum. During your guided walking tour of the Jewish Quarter, stroll along lively Via Portico d'Ottavia, 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.

Oceania Exclusive - VATICAN CITY AND ROME HIGHLIGHTS
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:15 AM  Duration: 10.50 Hrs  Price: $459.00

CIV-018 JEWISH QUARTER & ROME HIGHLIGHTS
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:15 AM  Duration: 10.50 Hrs  Price: $229.00

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 Eternal City on this panoramic tour, taking in many of the city’s most meaningful monuments, and study the treasures contained within the Vatican. You’ll see the Pyramid of Cestius and the ruins of the great Circus Maximus, site of thrilling chariot races. View the Forum, the Arch of Constantine and the Colosseum, symbol of the power of Imperial Rome.

Pass the gorgeous Piazza del Popolo, the lovely Villa Borghese gardens, the Aurelian Walls, built to defend Rome against Barbarians, and Piazza Venezia, dominated by the impressive monument to King Victor Emmanuel II. Enjoy free time for lunch on your own and visit the spectacular Vatican Museums, beginning in the magical Pine Cone Courtyard. Walk through the Gallery of the Candelabra, the Gallery of Tapestries and Gallery of Geographical Maps, arriving at the magnificent Sistine Chapel. Here, you’ll behold the brilliantly restored Michelangelo frescoes of the Genesis and Last Judgment as well as other priceless masterpieces adorning the hallowed walls. Enter Christendom's largest sanctuary, Saint Peter’s Basilica, and admire the high altar where the pope celebrates mass, the splendid gilt and bronze throne in the apse and the intensely stirring Pietà, one of Michelangelo's most revered works.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Relax on your coach as you pass myriad sights including the Circus Maximus, where chariots once sped.
- Gaze at superb landmarks such as the Colosseum, the Forum, Piazza Venezia and the Villa Borghese gardens.
- Meander through the opulent Vatican Museums, passing through one dazzling gallery after another.
- See one of humanity’s most beautiful and recognizable artistic achievements, Michelangelo’s frescoes for the Sistine Chapel.
- Marvel at sumptuous Saint Peter’s Basilica, which houses the pope’s high altar and Michelangelo’s Pietà.
- Appreciate time on your own for lunch as a refreshing respite during your day of fabulous sightseeing.

HELPFUL HINTS
- Wear conservative, 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 one-mile walk from the coach to the basilica. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. If Saint Peter’s Basilica is closed during religious celebrations, your guide will give commentary from the exterior. Lunch is on your own. The coach is air-conditioned.

CIV-002OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - VATICAN CITY AND ROME

OVERVIEW
Reveal the fascinating history and landmarks of Rome’s Jewish population through the centuries on this enlightening tour. Upon arrival in the Eternal City, you'll enjoy a panoramic drive past the Baths of Caracalla's ruins, Capitoline Hill, Piazza Venezia and the Colosseum. During your guided walking tour of the Jewish Quarter, stroll along lively Via Portico d'Ottavia, built in 146 BC and to this day the center of Jewish life in Rome. See the Jewish Ghetto, where the anti-Semitic Pope Paul IV decreed in 1555 that Jews must live, and learn that this tiny district, the smallest in Rome, was isolated for more than three centuries behind towering walls. Visit the palatial Tempio Maggiore di Roma, built in 1904 and the city's main synagogue, and the captivating Museo d'Arte Ebraica, a small museum detailing Roman Jewish life and ritual. Relish a typical Roman lunch with wine and drive along the Tiber River to Viale Washington, a Baroque area where you'll have time on your own to shop, explore or sip a cappuccino in a cozy café. As a final treat, pass by opulent Saint Peter’s Basilica and ponder the diverging history of the city’s Christians and Jews.
Piazza del Popolo. Enjoy free time for shopping or exploration after being dropped off in Rome. 

• Drive beside iconic landmarks such as the Colosseum, Capitoline Hill and Saint Peter’s Basilica.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes a substantial amount of walking. It is not recommended for guests with walking difficulties. Travel time to Rome is approximately 1 ½ hours by coach in each direction. The synagogue visit may be delayed, shortened or eliminated due to services, ceremonies or security reasons at any time. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

CIV-013 PANORAMIC ROME
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM
Duration: 6.00 Hrs  Price: $199.00

OVERVIEW
Experience Rome’s enthralling historic beauty and architecture during this orientation tour specially designed for guests with mobility concerns. After arriving in the Eternal City, you’ll pass the riverfront Lungotevere, the Vatican Walls, which delineate the Vatican City, and the Ara Pacis, a 1st-century BC altar dedicated to peace. Continue along the Roman Walls and the wonderful Villa Borghese gardens before entering the Old Town near the ancient Porta Pinciana. You’ll drive down lively Via Vittorio Veneto, around which much of Fellini’s La Dolce Vita was filmed, and make your way to quintessential landmarks including the white marble Victor Emmanuel II Monument, the Roman Forum, the Colosseum, the Arch of Constantine, the Circus Maximus and Saint Peter’s Basilica. After concluding your panoramic tour, you’ll alight from your coach and enjoy time on your own starting from elegant Piazza del Popolo, which is a few minutes’ walk from memorable landmarks such as the Trevi Fountain and the Spanish Steps, as well as some of Italy’s finest shopping avenues, Via del Corso, Via Frattina and Via del Tritone. You’re certain to appreciate how this tour brings you up close to Rome’s marvels from the comfort of your coach.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Survey Rome from your comfortable coach on this panoramic tour to many of the city’s key sites.
• View landmarks in and around the Vatican City, including Saint Peter’s Basilica and the Vatican Walls.
• Travel beside the Roman Walls, the Villa Borghese gardens and down Via Vittorio Veneto, site of Fellini’s La Dolce Vita.
• Admire grand remains of the Roman Empire, such as the Colosseum and the Circus Maximus.
• Enjoy free time for shopping or exploration after being dropped off in enchanting Piazza del Popolo.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes some free time, during which guests will not have the services of a guide and the amount of walking will be 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. Saint Peter’s Basilica may be closed at times for security reasons.

CIV-034 BOCELLI MUSIC & ART
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM
Duration: 9.50 Hrs  Price: $399.00

OVERVIEW
Enjoy a private piano concert and lunch at a restaurant in Rome and see the Eternal City’s signature attractions on a panoramic tour. Your immersion into all things Roman will begin with an enlightening drive through the capital, during which you will see icons such as the Colosseus, Trevi Fountain and Circus Maximus, the massive stadium where the Romans once held chariot races. It will also serve as the venue for the piano concert of Italian classics with an accomplished singer as accompaniment. During the inspired lunch that follows, wines produced on the Tuscan estate of Andrea Bocelli’s family will complement each course. The sommelier will describe the characteristics of the wines and how the Bocells produce them. You will then view even more iconic locations such as St. Peter’s Square while exploring Vatican City.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Enjoy a private piano concert and singing performance at a restaurant overlooking Rome.
• Savor a four-course lunch accompanied by wines that Andrea Bocelli’s family estate produces.
• Spend hours driving around Rome and Vatican City, admiring the most iconic landmarks.

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.

CIV-GG3 THE GREEN HEART OF OSTIA
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM
Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $129.00

OVERVIEW
Enjoy a leisurely walk around a former landfill that has been converted into a coastal pond that attracts hundreds of species of birds. You will find Centro Habitat Mediterraneo near the mouth of the Tiber River in the Ostia neighborhood of Rome. A dump site there was supposed to be developed as an oceanarium, but the residents of Ostia voted to turn it into a nature reserve instead. The transformation has been a success from the beginning. The reserve now features an informative nature center and a winding walkway, viewing platforms and a lookout tower for bird-watching. Kingfishers, marsh harriers, flamingos, purple herons and little grebes are the five most commonly spotted birds. But there are plenty...
of others, including European bee-eaters, black redstarts and chiffchaffs, an olive-brown warbler named for its distinct repetitive song. During free time in Ostia, you may also catch sight of Tor San Michele, a fortified tower that Michelangelo designed in the 16th century.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Walk through a nature reserve that occupies a site that was once a landfill.
• Observe some of the hundreds of species of birds that now flock to the protected reserve.
• Spend free time in Ostia, where you may shop and see a tower that Michelangelo designed.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour contains easy to moderate walking / standing for approximately 3 hours over unpaved ground, some inclines, grass and bushes, plus any additional walking at the guests’ discretion during free time. 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. This tour is not recommended for guests in a wheelchair.

CIV-003 ROME ON YOUR OWN
Date: Jul 16, 2024 Time: 08:45 AM
Duration: 10.00 Hrs Price: $139.00

OVERVIEW
Uncover the glories of Rome at your own pace with ample time for independent exploration. During your drive into the city, you’ll be accompanied by a knowledgeable tour escort who will provide you with insight and guidance. Wherever in Rome you choose to go, you’ll find that a veritable cornucopia of superlative sites awaits you, including Piazza Navona, the Pantheon, Castel Sant’Angelo, the Roman imperial palaces and the adjoining Circus Maximus and Colosseum. You might begin by strolling to the nearby Spanish Steps and the Trevi Fountain, where Anita Ekberg and Marcello Mastroianni famously frolicked in Fellini’s cherished La Dolce Vita. Perhaps you long to see the Michelangelo masterpieces held in the Vatican City or examine countless artistic treasures in the Galleria Borghese. Descend into the fascinating Catacombs and reach Trevignano, a picturesque town on the north shore of Lake, north of Rome, and is built on a lava cliff. You’ll make your way to an esteemed winery; here you will walk in the vineyard and the staff of the winery will explain the wine making process. Taste a sampling of its vintages, as well as silky olive oil and fluffy bread produced locally. Delight in the ambiance of this quaint resort town. You might stroll the lake promenade, treat yourself to ice cream, browse for souvenirs or just relax and enjoy the superlative setting. Drive along the lake’s picture-perfect perimeter to the tiny town of Anguillara, where you’ll appreciate free time to enjoy the charismatic expanse of Lake Bracciano, which lies within a dormant volcanic crater.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Rejoice in the shining expanse of Lake Bracciano, which lies within a dormant volcanic crater.
• Discover the enchanting lakeside village of Anguillara, where you’ll enjoy free time for exploration.
• Savor wine, bread and olive oil produced using age-old methods at a well-regarded winery.
• Browse the winery’s products, which make for perfect gifts or a delectable treat back on your ship.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately ½ mile of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces and inclines to negotiate. Please remember to take local currency and dates, during holidays and on Sundays. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary, depending on traffic or local conditions. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.
authentic Roman cuisine as you are. Your Culinary Center chef will lead the way through Rome’s frenetic Mercato Trionfale, a collection of some 200 stalls overflowing with every imaginable local delicacy, including organic chicken and quails. All the while, you will be noshing on irresistible samples such as local wine and roasted pig. Free time to wander about Campo de’ Fiori square follows, an experience made even more deliciously entertaining with a map of the chef’s favorite gourmet shops in hand. Incredibly, it is just a prelude to a sumptuous lunch of classic Roman pasta dishes at a restaurant behind the Spanish Steps that the chef holds in high esteem. To round out the experience, you will head to a rooftop in the neighborhood for a farewell beverage and to drink in the panoramic view.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Accompany your Culinary Center chef through the stalls in bustling Mercato Trionfale.
• Sample a variety of local specialties and beverages at the market.
• Spend free time in Campo de’ Fiori square, perhaps stopping at the chef’s favorite places.
• Dine on classic pasta dishes at a restaurant that the chef favors behind the Spanish Steps.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 3 to 4 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. 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.

CIV-GL1  BEST LOCAL ROMAN FOOD SCOOP
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 08:45 AM  Duration: 8.00 Hrs  Price: $269.00

OVERVIEW
Walk through Lungotevere, one of the oldest sections of Rome, and sample a multitude of classic Italian treats. Your culinary immersion will begin at Campo de Fiori, where you will meander a bustling outdoor marketplace with stalls full of colorful produce, aromatic spices and classic Italian condiments. Crudites will be offered, allowing you to see just how tasty raw vegetables can be, especially when dipped in seasoned fresh-pressed olive oil. You will then walk to a bakery for a pizza tasting, on to a chocolate shop to sample confections and then to Sant'Eustachio, a coffee shop that makes its espresso with water from an ancient aqueduct. The proprietors will explain how they ensure the freshest ingredients and highest quality. A refreshing dessert follows at Giolitti, which may be Rome’s oldest, if not finest, gelato shop. You will then enjoy free time around Navona Square, a wonderfully atmospheric area built over a stadium from the 1st century.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Taste an array of classic Italian treats in one of the Rome’s oldest sections.
• Expect to sample crudites, pizza, chocolate confections, coffee and gelato.
• Spend free time exploring atmospheric Navona Square.

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

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

CIV-005  AN INSIDER VIEW OF THE VATICAN
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM  Duration: 10.00 Hrs  Price: $999.00

OVERVIEW
Appreciate exclusive access to areas of the Vatican City that are off-limits to the general public and enjoy ample free time to explore Rome. Upon arrival in the Eternal City, enjoy approximately 3 ½ hours to shop, sightsee and lunch on your own before traveling to the transcendent Vatican. Embark on your tour at the Bronze Gate, which boasts outstanding Bernini sculptures, and visit the exquisite Vatican Museums and Saint Peter’s Basilica, including some private sections. Delight in access to the pope’s personal place of worship, the Niccoline Chapel, which is adorned with extraordinary 15th-century frescoes by Fra Angelico. Marvel at the ingenious double-helix Bramante Staircase, which allows people to ascend without meeting those descending. In the Carriage Museum, study carriages, automobiles and sedan chairs used by the popes, and in the Pinacoteca, see wonderful paintings that include Raphael’s Crowning of the Virgin, Leonardo’s Saint Jerome and Deposition from the Cross by Caravaggio. Another off-limits experience awaits in the glittering Sala degli Ori, where precious Etruscan jewels dating back to the 8th century BC are beautifully displayed. Conclude your fabulous tour in Saint Peter’s Treasury, where invaluable objects showcase the opulence of the exalted Vatican City.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Enjoy several hours of time on your own to shop, sightsee and savor lunch before your tour begins.
• Indulge in an exclusive tour of the Vatican that provides access to areas that are typically off-limits.
• Tour the enthralling Vatican Museums, Saint Peter’s Basilica and the private Niccoline Chapel.
• View rarely seen corners of the Vatican such as the astonishing Bramante Staircase.
• Examine conveyances of the popes in the Carriage Museum and priceless paintings in the Pinacoteca.
• Wonder at centuries of accumulated riches in Saint Peter’s Treasury and the Sale degli Ori.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
• Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
• Men should wear jackets.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes over four hours of strenuous guided walking over approximately 2 ½ miles, plus any additional walking at the guest’s discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour sequence, as requested by the Vatican, will require guests to retrace their steps through areas already viewed when visiting the Carriage Museum. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Lunch is on your own and there is a cafeteria on site. Certain areas on the tour, such as the Niccoline Chapel or
SHORE EXCURSIONS

Saint Peter’s Treasury, may on occasion be closed for Vatican functions. On those occasions, they will be substituted with other areas of the Vatican considered equally private and exclusive. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. This tour cannot operate on Sundays or Catholic holidays. The Vatican is a very popular attraction in Rome that draws large numbers of visitors. Neither the cruise line or the local tour operator have any control over crowds at the venues. Given this, guests should be prepared to wait in lines and understand the tour scheduling can only be approximate. This tour must be purchased no later than 10 days prior to the operating date. Cancellations made within 10 days or less are subject to a 100 per cent cancellation penalty.

CIV-030  HOP ON - HOP OFF ROME
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM  Duration: 9.00 Hrs  Price: $149.00

OVERVIEW
Immerse yourself in the wonders of Rome 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. With your complimentary pass in hand, board a hop-on, hop-off bus until you reach the first stop of your choice. You might ride to the Vatican’s glorious Saint Peter’s Basilica or massive Castel Sant’Angelo, originally the mausoleum of the Roman Emperor Hadrian. Spend as much time as you desire in each location, as the buses operate throughout the day on a continuous loop around Rome’s must-see landmarks. When on the bus, avail yourself of the route map and headphones that describe each destination. You might explore the iconic Spanish Steps, the Trevi Fountain and the breathtaking Colosseum, an amphitheater that held as many as 50,000 spectators, who came to watch mock naval battles and gladiators fight to the death. Perhaps leave the bus at the astounding monument to King Victor Emmanuel II in Piazza Venezia and stroll to the marvelous Pantheon. With the convenience and flexibility of your hop-on, hop-off option, you’ll feel as if the best of radiant Rome is within easy reach.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Visit iconic attractions of the Eternal City with the use of an unlimited hop-on, hop-off bus pass.
• Hear informative recordings about every destination and take a map while aboard the double-decker buses.
• Hop off at key locations including the Vatican, The Trevi Fountain, the Colosseum and Piazza Venezia.
• 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.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses 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 primarily at the guest’s discretion during the stops. There may be steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. 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. This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking over some cobblestones and steps plus any additional walking at the guests’ discretion during free time. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

CIV-038  THE JOY OF OLIVE OIL
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM  Duration: 4.50 Hrs  Price: $139.00

OVERVIEW
Enjoy a farm-to-table lunch at a country estate after an enlightening walk through Tarquinia, an enchanting village within Tuscia, the province more commonly known as Viterbo. As you meander through the winding streets of the village, you will get a great sense of history as this area was once the stronghold of the Etruscans. Known for its ancient necropolis and medieval architecture such as the palazzo that now holds the Etruscan National Museum, hilltop Tarquinia also offers extraordinary views of the Tyrrhenian Sea. The panoramas from the nearby estate Casale Poggio Nebbia will be just as magnificent. It too perches on a hill with sweeping views of the sea. The restaurant at this working farm serves organic dishes prepared according to family recipes handed down from generation to generation. The courses will be thoughtfully paired with local wines, so you will come away with a deeper understanding of the province’s simple, yet wonderfully distinctive cuisine.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Discover the charms of Tuscia, a picturesque province better known as Viterbo.
• Walk through the medieval town of Tarquinia and take in the sweeping views.
• Dine on a farm-to-table meal prepared with organic ingredients grown on the property.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking over some cobblestones and steps plus any additional walking at the guests’ discretion during free time. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

CIV-037  A TASTE OF THE ENCHANTING TUSCIA
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM  Duration: 4.75 Hrs  Price: $159.00

OVERVIEW
Enjoy a farm-to-table lunch at a country estate after an enlightening walk through Tarquinia, an enchanting village within Tuscia, the province more commonly known as Viterbo. As you meander through the winding streets of the village, you will get a great sense of history as this area was once the stronghold of the Etruscans. Known for its ancient necropolis and medieval architecture such as the palazzo that now holds the Etruscan National Museum, hilltop Tarquinia also offers extraordinary views of the Tyrrhenian Sea. The panoramas from the nearby estate Casale Poggio Nebbia will be just as magnificent. It too perches on a hill with sweeping views of the sea. The restaurant at this working farm serves organic dishes prepared according to family recipes handed down from generation to generation. The courses will be thoughtfully paired with local wines, so you will come away with a deeper understanding of the province’s simple, yet wonderfully distinctive cuisine.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Visit iconic attractions of the Eternal City with the use of an unlimited hop-on, hop-off bus pass.
• Hear informative recordings about every destination and take a map while aboard the double-decker buses.
• Hop off at key locations including the Vatican, The Trevi Fountain, the Colosseum and Piazza Venezia.
• 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.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses 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 primarily at the guest’s discretion during the stops. There may be steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. 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. Audio tours are available in nine languages. Air conditioning mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking over some cobblestones and steps plus any additional walking at the guests’ discretion during free time. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

CIV-038  THE JOY OF OLIVE OIL
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM  Duration: 4.50 Hrs  Price: $139.00

OVERVIEW
Watch extra-virgin olive oil being produced at a mill in Canino and savor its extraordinary flavor when drizzled over local specialties. Along the way, you will pause for photos of two medieval churches near the town of Tuscania – Santa Maria Maggiore and the Basilica of San Pietro. The latter is so atmospheric and architecturally spectacular that it was used as a set for the Academy Award-winning film “Romeo and Juliet.” The nearby town of Canino is known more for its olive oil, which carries a Protected Designation of Origin that guarantees that it is produced, processed and prepared locally using traditional methods. You will gain an understanding of those time-honored steps while touring the Canino oil mill. The extra-virgin variety must be cold-pressed within 12 hours of harvesting, giving it an intense green color, low acidity and a medium fruity taste. As you will see, it perfectly complements the Italian specialties that you will be served.

HIGHLIGHTS
• See the steps involved in producing extra-virgin olive oil at a mill in Canino.
• Enjoy a tasting of the olive oil on locally made specialties that complement its taste.
• Snap photos of two medieval churches in the town of Tuscania.

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

PLEASE NOTE
Walking on this tour is mainly at the guests' discretion at the stops they choose to visit. The tour is available to wheelchair guests who have a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the bus and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Those with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability. Weather appropriate clothing; an umbrella; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are suggested. Guests wishing to enter religious sights must wear the appropriate clothing. Shoulders and knees should be covered.

CIV-042  VITERBO & ETRUSCAN LUNCH
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM
Duration: 7.00 Hrs  Price: $259.00

OVERVIEW
Overview Get a historical perspective of Viterbo on a guided walk through its medieval quarter and enjoy a classic Etruscan lunch in one of its finest restaurants. Although the majority of Viterbo was destroyed in World War II, it was rebuilt and today the town's oldest district looks much like it did in the 13th and 14th centuries. Even older defensive walls enclose the area and the architectural gems within it. There you will find the papal palace, churches containing the tombs of several popes and one charming piazza after another. Your lunch at an atmospheric restaurant in Viterbo will reflect the culinary customs of Etruscan cuisine. For a refreshing treat afterwards, you will sample a selection of gelatos, a frozen dessert that the Romans are credited with inventing in the 16th century. The gelatos may be flavored with seasonal fruits, dark chocolate or hazelnuts.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Walk through the beautifully restored, wall-enclosed medieval district in Viterbo
• Dine on Etruscan-inspired cuisine at a traditional restaurant in town.
• Enjoy a sampling of gelatos flavored with seasonal ingredients.

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

PLEASE NOTE
PLEASE NOTE Any food allergies must be noted when booking the tour. 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. Viterbo City Center is mainly cobblestones and includes some steps. 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.

CIV-BB1  BEYOND BLUEPRINTS - ROME
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $259.00

OVERVIEW
Tour two modern centers for the arts with an architectural historian that will explain their cutting-edge designs and construction challenges. As an introduction to bold design, you will first see La Nuvola, a convention center with a cloud-shaped structure that seems to float within the main building. That glimpse sets the stage for your in-depth tour of MAXXI, Italy's first national museum of contemporary art. Architect Zaha Hadid describes her creation as a campus for art designed to embody the chaotic fluidity of modern life. As you will discover, MAXXI is a dynamic interactive space with curved concrete walls and suspended black staircases. Following lunch at the museum's Mediterraneo restaurant, you will visit the Auditorium Parco della Musica, a remarkable music complex that architect Renzo Piano designed. When an ancient Roman villa was unearthed during construction, the new building had to be modified to keep the ruins intact. The details make for a fascinating story.

HIGHLIGHTS
• See La Nuvola, a convention center with an unusual cloud-like structure inside.
• Follow an architectural historian through Italy's first national museum for contemporary art.
• Learn how a bold new music complex had to be redesigned around the ruins of a Roman villa.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 2½ hours of walking over mainly flat and even surfaces. 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. If cancellation of this tour is made within 3 days of arrival in the excursion port, there will be a 100% cancellation fee charged to the guest's shipboard account.

CIV-036  OPEN TOP PANORAMIC ROME TOUR
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM
Duration: 5.00 Hrs  Price: $139.00

OVERVIEW
See Rome from the top of a double-decker bus and enjoy unobstructed 360º views of the most well-known attractions and enlightening commentary that describes their significance. Upon arriving at the city center, you will hop aboard and begin a panoramic drive that will take you past one Roman landmark after another. You will see the extraordinarily beautiful Basilica of Santa Maria Maggiore, the ruins of the Colosseum and the site of the massive Circus Maximus, an ancient chariot racetrack that was also used for gladiator fights and other barbaric public spectacles. Other highlights include the elaborate monument honoring the first king of unified Italy in the Piazza Venezia, the Castel Sant'Angelo fortress on the banks of the Tiber River, and the Spanish Steps, perhaps the most famous gathering place in Rome. In 1821 English poet John Keats died in a house overlooking the steps that has since been turned into a museum.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Drive through Rome and admire the landmarks from the top of a double-decker bus.
• Enjoy unobstructed views of ancient icons such as the Colosseum and Circus Maximus.
• View architectural highlights ranging from the Spanish Steps to the ornate Piazza Venezia.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour is primarily panoramic in nature with walking at the guest's discretion during stops. 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. Weather appropriate clothing; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended.

CIV-039 FARMER’S BREAKFAST IN TOLFA
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM  Duration: 4.50 Hrs  Price: $139.00

OVERVIEW
Explore the medieval mountain village of Tolfa and work up an appetite for the hearty breakfast to follow at a rural estate. While traveling inland through the volcanically formed mountains, you will pass through the atmosphere streets of Tolfa. Highlights include the ruins of the Frangipani castle, a 13th-century palace that once housed the area’s governor, and the Saint Egidio Church, which is named for the patron saint of Tolfa. During free time, you might head for the central piazza to take in the spectacular views of the landscape that you will drive through on the way to the country estate. The working ranch offers a wonderful setting for your farmer’s breakfast of mixed bruschetta, vegetable omelet and local cheeses.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Travel through the scenic mountainous landscape that surrounds the village of Tolfa.
• Explore the medieval village of Tolfa with a guide and on your own.
• Enjoy a hearty farmer’s breakfast at a country estate that is also a working ranch.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking over some cobblestone surfaces, 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. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested. Guests wishing to enter religious sights must wear the appropriate clothing. Shoulders and knees should be covered.

CIV-041 ITALY’S HIDDEN GEMS: BRACCIANO LAKE
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM  Duration: 5.75 Hrs  Price: $199.00

OVERVIEW
OVERVIEW View Lake Bracciano from several vantage points, including the towns of Trevignano Romano and Bracciano. One of the largest, clearest bodies of water in the region, Lake Bracciano is volcanically formed unlike the glacial lakes to the north. A natural reserve of forests and olive groves borders much of the lake making for a serene setting, formed unlike the glacial lakes to the north. A natural reserve of forests and olive groves borders much of the lake making for a serene setting. The lake is fed by water from the Mount Bracciano peak

HIGHLIGHTS
• Explore the medieval village of Tolfa and work up an appetite for the hearty breakfast to follow at a rural estate. The working ranch offers a wonderful setting for your farmer’s breakfast of mixed bruschetta, vegetable omelet and local cheeses.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 2.5 hours of moderate walking/standing. There are 4 stops throughout the tour and there are opportunities to climb stairs. Coaches do not have a lift and entering and exiting must be done via stairs.

CIV-GL2 HIS MAJESTY THE TRUFFLE
Date: Jul 16, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM  Duration: 5.50 Hrs  Price: $269.00

OVERVIEW
Enjoy a leisurely walk through the woods with a truffle hunter and a dog specially trained to sniff out the prized subterranean mushrooms. Truffles grow near the roots of trees such as birch oaks and hornbeams and prefer well-drained soils. Expert truffle hunters know where to find them and fiercely guard the locations, as gourmands covet these aromatic, flavorful delicacies, sometimes paying huge sums for the rarer ones. As you follow the truffle hunter and dog through the forest, you will learn about the local species of truffles and their characteristics. Watching the dog in action will be quite the treat, as it has a knack for finding truffles at peak ripeness. The lagotto romagnolo is the traditional truffle-hunting breed in Italy, although many other breeds can be trained to point out a buried truffle. As the perfect end to your truffle-hunting adventure, you will sample a selection of truffle-based specialties.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Watch a specially trained dog find truffles growing underground deep in the woods.
• Gain insight into the world of rare truffles, which are coveted among gourmet chefs.
• Sample classic Italian specialties made even more flavorful with local species of truffles.

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

PLEASE NOTE
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. 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-002  A CRUISE TO CAPRI  
**Date:** Jul 17, 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 windsing 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:** Jul 17, 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.
- 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/standing, mainly at guests’ 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.
SHORE EXCURSIONS

NAP-003OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - POMPEII AND SORRENTO
Date: Jul 17, 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 as well as the haunting, plaster casts of victims who were overcome by volcanic fumes. After a satisfying lunch at a first-rate restaurant, your tour 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 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 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 hot 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: Jul 17, 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 as well as the haunting, plaster casts of victims who were overcome by volcanic fumes. After a satisfying lunch at a first-rate restaurant, your tour 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 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 hot 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-007 POMPEII & HERCULANEUM
Date: Jul 17, 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. 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 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 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 hot 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.
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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: Jul 17, 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.

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: Jul 17, 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 strategic clifflop 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.
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-GL3 AMALFI COAST ORGANIC FOOD & WINE TOUR
Date: Jul 17, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM  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.

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-005 HISTORIC HERCULANEUM
Date: Jul 17, 2024  Time: 08:45 AM  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: Jul 17, 2024  Time: 08:45 AM  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 Museum, founded in the 18th-century by Charles of Bourbon.
• 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: Jul 17, 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 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 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 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-001OE OCEANIA EXCLUSIVE - HIGHLIGHTS OF NAPLES
Date: Jul 17, 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 enduring of Naples’ many gifts.

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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-GL1 SAN MARTINO SECRET HILLS & Funicular Ride
Date: Jul 17, 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...
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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 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: Jul 17, 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 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: Jul 17, 2024  Time: 09:30 AM  Duration: 7.00 Hrs  Price: $249.00

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

NAP-WT1 WELLNESS-VOLCANIC THERMAL BATHS AND NAPLES!
Date: Jul 17, 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 Phlegreian 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 Phlegreian 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.

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Easy activity  Oceania Select  Culinary Discovery  Go Local
Evening excursion  ADA Accessible  Food & Wine Trails  Wellness Tour
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 dishes 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.

NAP-015 CAMPI FLEGREI GRAND TOUR
Date: Jul 17, 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.

NAP-016 A JOURNEY CALLED PASTA
Date: Jul 17, 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.
- 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.

Messina (Sicily), Italy

MNA-004 BEAUTIFUL TAORMINA & MT. ETNA
Date: Jul 18, 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 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
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.
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 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: Jul 18, 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 clifftop 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.
• 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: Jul 18, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM Duration: 7.00 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 wineyard’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: Jul 18, 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 is a surging wine region, with ample praise heaped on its vintages by Wine Spectator, Wine Enthusiast and Food & Wine magazines. You’ll journey to the celebrated Vivera winery, a multi-generational family enterprise producing wines that are elegant, spicy and mineral-driven with depth and complexity, which has earned them ratings of 90+ points from Wine Spectator and Wine Enthusiast. Savor a four-course Sicilian lunch paired with five Vivera wines followed by a tour of the estate, the surprisingly elegant flavors of this rugged landscape’s bounty lingering on your tastebuds.

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
• 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-002 HIGHLIGHTS OF MESSINA**

**Date:** Jul 18, 2024  **Time:** 09:00 AM, 01:00 PM  
**Duration:** 3.50 Hrs  **Price:** $119.00

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

**Date:** Jul 18, 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**
- 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-008 SICILIAN WINE**

**Date:** Jul 18, 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 varietals 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.
OVERVIEW
Journey to the stunning archaeological site of Tindari, a bewitching landscape of turquoise water, sinuous sandbars and precipitous cliffs. 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.

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: Jul 18, 2024  Time: 09:15 AM  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 cliffs. 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

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

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 over 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: Jul 18, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM  Price: $199.00

OVERVIEW
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HELPFUL HINTS
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• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE
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MNA-014 GANZIRRI LAKE’S & MESSINA
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OVERVIEW
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• Learn about the aquaculture of mollusks.
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- 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
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**MNA-010 EXPLORE TAORMINA ON YOUR OWN**
**Date:** Jul 18, 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**
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-015 MAMERTINO PATH WINE EXPERIENCE**
**Date:** Jul 18, 2024  **Time:** 10:00 AM  **Duration:** 5.00 Hrs  **Price:** $259.00

**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 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.

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.

**MNA-GG1 ART ECO DESIGN IN A RECYCLING FACTORY**
**Date:** Jul 18, 2024  **Time:** 09:45 AM, 01:15 PM  **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 in order to participate. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested. There are steps to reach the upper floors and no lift/ramps.

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Istanbul, Turkey

IST-005 PANORAMIC ISTANBUL

Date: Jul 20, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM
Date: Jul 21, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs  Price: $79.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
• Cross the first suspension bridge built across the glittering Bosphorus, which divides Europe from Asia.
• Marvel at the myriad architectural influences found in the city’s churches, synagogues, mosques and houses.
• Take in landmarks included in Istanbul’s UNESCO World Heritage site designation.
• Discover an astonishing amount of merchandise available at over 4,000 shops in the Grand Bazaar.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is available to wheelchair guests who are able to make their way on and off the coach. Comfortable, flat walking shoes are strongly recommended. When Grand Bazaar is closed (on Sundays), the visit will be replaced by Spice Market and the tour duration will be shortened by 30 min. The order of the sites visited may change to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public. 

IST-012 BEYLERBEYI PALACE & ASIAN ISTANBUL

Date: Jul 20, 2024  Time: 01:00 PM
Date: Jul 21, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $89.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
• Journey to the Asian side of Istanbul across the world’s fifth-longest suspension bridge.
• Tour the luxurious 19th-century Beylerbeyi Palace, a 26-room royal residence designed by a sultan.
• Take in the palace’s elaborate decoration, impressive Islamic artwork, royal stables and panoramic Bosphorus vistas.
• View the modern Sakirin Mosque, featuring numerous arches and circular design.
• Relish delicious tea and absorbing views of Istanbul’s Old Town and the Marmara Sea.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

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

IST-008 OTTOMAN WONDERS WITH VISIT TO SPICE MARKET

Date: Jul 20, 2024  Time: 01:15 PM
Date: Jul 21, 2024  Time: 08:40 AM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs  Price: $129.00

OVERVIEW
This tour takes you to two splendid destinations in Istanbul. Starting with a visit to the magnificent Beylerbeyi Palace, a 19th-century royal residence, built by Sultan Abdul Aziz, contains 26 rooms and several large halls and was designed for use as a summer palace and guest house for foreign dignitaries visiting the Ottoman Empire. You’ll discover that the 19th-century royal residence, built by Sultan Abdul Aziz, contains 26 rooms and several large halls and was designed for use as a summer palace and guest house for foreign dignitaries visiting the Ottoman Empire. View an elaborately decorated reception hall, which features a twisting staircase surrounded by splendid examples of Islamic art and style. Notice the Egyptian hasir, or reed mats, on the floors and examine the solid marble pool and fountain. After your interior tour, admire the royal stables and terraced gardens, which offer sweeping views of the cobalt Bosphorus. On the shores of the glittering Marmara Sea, find the contemporary Sakirin Mosque, a feast of circular design and futuristic arches, and the Salacak neighborhood, where you’ll savor tea and marvel at enticing views of Istanbul’s historic Old Town as you review your precious memories of Asian Istanbul’s delights.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Tour the luxurious 19th-century Beylerbeyi Palace, a 26-room royal residence designed by a sultan.
• Take in the palace’s elaborate decoration, impressive Islamic artwork, royal stables and panoramic Bosphorus vistas.
• View the modern Sakirin Mosque, featuring numerous arches and circular design.
• Relish delicious tea and absorbing views of Istanbul’s Old Town and the Marmara Sea.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

PLEASE NOTE
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Rejoice in the stunning architecture and enticing aromas of Istanbul on this alluring tour of the Suleymaniye Mosque and Topkapi Palace, the latter included as jewels of Istanbul’s UNESCO World Heritage site designation, and roam a fragrant market. Travel to Suleymaniye Mosque, a magnificent monument atop the waterfront skyline of Istanbul. It is a work, which typifies the Ottoman Empire at its peak, and holds the graves of Sultan Suleymaniye, and the greatest imperial architect of the era, Mimar Sinan. Upon the hill where the Acropolis of Byzantium once stood, discover the walled Topkapi Palace, official residence of Ottoman sultans for nearly 400 years. Marvel at its mosques, expansive harem and elaborate pavilions, where rich collections of French, Japanese and Chinese porcelain are on display. You’ll visit the sprawling and exotically fragranced Spice Market, constructed in 1664 as part of an imperial mosque complex, and experience the sights, sounds and smells of its seemingly endless supply of spices, dried fruits and locally made merchandise such as jewelry and pottery. You’ll long remember your immersion into Istanbul’s bewitching wonders.

**HIGHLIGHTS**
- Admire key landmarks included in Istanbul’s UNESCO World Heritage site designation.
- Visit the Suleymaniye Mosque, which symbolizes the Ottoman Empire at its peak.
- Explore gorgeous Topkapi Palace, the long-time residence of Ottoman sultans.
- Survey Topkapi Palace’s extensive harem, impressive fountains and ornate pavilions.
- Wander the bustling Spice Market, which brims with spices, dried fruits and myriad locally produced products.

**HELPFUL HINTS**
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

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

**IST-019 ISTANBUL LANDMARKS**
**Date:** Jul 20, 2024  **Time:** 01:15 PM  **Duration:** 5.00 Hrs  **Price:** $109.00

**OVERVIEW**
Visit several iconic landmarks recognized by UNESCO as pearls of Istanbul’s World Heritage site designation and roam a bustling bazaar on this arresting tour. Travel to the early 17th-century Blue Mosque, the world’s only mosque featuring six minarets, and whose colorful moniker derives from the 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles that adorn the interior. Nearby, you'll notice the remains of the city’s ancient hippodrome, once a popular circus for entertainment and sporting events, especially chariot racing, during the glory days of Constantinople. Visit remarkable Hagia Sophia, first erected by Emperor Constantine in AD 325 as a Greek Orthodox Christian basilica, later converted to an Ottoman imperial mosque and now a museum, a storied sanctuary nominated by many historians to be the 8th Wonder of the World. Gaze at the sculptural minarets towering above the dome and learn they were added in 1453 after Istanbul's conquest. You’ll enjoy an approximately one-hour stroll through the spectacular Grand Bazaar, Turkey’s oldest and largest covered marketplace, and find a staggering wealth of merchandise in its more than 4,000 shops, a delightful end to your illuminating excursion.

**IST-023 DISCOVER THE HISTORICAL BOSPHORUS**
**Date:** Jul 21, 2024  **Time:** 09:00 AM  **Duration:** 4.00 Hrs  **Price:** $199.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
• Wander the bustling Spice Market, which brims with spices, dried fruits and locally made merchandise such as jewelry and pottery.
• Survey Bible-themed mosaics and frescoes at the Chora Museum, esteemed for its mosaics and frescoes that depict themes from the Bible. At the Basilica Cistern, the largest of several hundred ancient cisterns lying beneath Istanbul, marvel at the more than 300 beautiful columns of various designs that support its vaulted brick roof. You’ll stroll the sprawling and exotically fragranced Spice Market, constructed in 1664 as part of an imperial mosque complex, and experience the sights, sounds and smells of its seemingly endless supply of spices, dried fruits and locally made merchandise such as jewelry and pottery.

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

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

IST-002    MAGNIFICENT LEGACIES WITH VISIT TO SPICE MARKET
Date: Jul 20, 2024   Time: 02:00 PM
Date: Jul 21, 2024   Time: 08:30 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs   Price: $119.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
• Visit the enchanting Rustem Pasa Mosque, renowned for its use of red Iznik tiles.
• Survey Bible-themed mosaics and frescoes at the Chora Museum, once a Greek Orthodox church.
• Explore the stunning Basilica Cistern and view its barrel-vaulted brick roof, which is supported by over 300 columns.
• Wander the bustling Spice Market, which brims with spices, dried fruits and myriad locally produced products.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

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

IST-004    CRUISE ON THE BOSPHORUS
Date: Jul 20, 2024   Time: 01:30 PM
Date: Jul 21, 2024   Time: 08:40 AM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs   Price: $129.00

OVERVIEW
Blend an exploration of a renowned private Turkish museum with a scenic Bosphorus cruise for an especially enjoyable and illuminating tour. Take a leisurely drive through Istanbul to the marvelous Sadberk Hanım Museum, which is the first private museum in Turkey and is attractively housed in a restored waterfront villa. You’ll examine an impressive collection of Ottoman art and furnishings, beguiling Anatolian antiquities and captivating Islamic art. After your museum visit, board a boat for a cruise along the picturesque Bosphorus, which snakes through Istanbul, dividing its European and Asian portions. Along the strait’s heavily populated shores, view spectacular vistas of seaside mansions, mosques, palaces and the imposing Rumeli Hisari, or Bogazkesen Castle, a 15th-century medieval fortress. Gliding along with sea breezes wafting around you, revel in the idyllic charm of this seagoing excursion filled with postcard-perfect sights.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Visit the inviting Sadberk Hanım Museum, a private museum located in a restored seaside villa.
• Survey the museum’s intriguing displays of Ottoman, Anatolian and Islamic art and antiquities.
• Cruise the glittering Bosphorus, sighting mosques, palaces and mansions on the European and Asian sides.
• Sail past the Rumeli Hisari, a stately 15th-century medieval fortress.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes approximately one hour of walking. There will be a staircase to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The order of the sites viewed or visited may vary to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. The Sadberk Hanım Museum is closed on Wednesdays and will be replaced with a visit to the Spice Market instead.
SHORE EXCURSIONS

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IST-025 THE KEBAP CULTURE
Date: Jul 20, 2024  Time: 01:30 PM
Date: Jul 21, 2024  Time: 01:30 PM, 12:00 PM
Duration: 3.00 Hrs  Price: $249.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
• Enjoy a huge selection of mezes and kebaps that have become synonymous with Istanbul.
• Delight in the highly social kebab culture that pervades the entire dining experience.
• Ask the chef questions about how the mezes and kebaps are prepared and cooked.

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

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

IST-026 MORE THAN A MEAL, AN EXPERIENCE
Date: Jul 20, 2024  Time: 01:30 PM, 02:30 PM
Date: Jul 21, 2024  Time: 10:30 AM, 11:30 AM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs  Price: $249.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
• Enjoy traditional dishes that have been creatively prepared with an unconventional twist.
• Savor a multi-sensory dining experience that goes far beyond the meal alone.
• Recognize how Aseka restaurant perfectly reflects the hip and creative Karakoy district.

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

PLEASE NOTE
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IST-GL2 OTTOMAN INNS OF ISTANBUL
Date: Jul 20, 2024  Time: 01:30 PM
Date: Jul 21, 2024  Time: 09:15 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $119.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
• Wander through historical Ottoman inns where foreign and local merchants stayed.
• Learn how the trade system worked during the Ottoman period and how it has changed.
• Ride the subway along a route that was constructed nearly 150 years ago.
• See the extraordinary neoclassical and art nouveau architecture in the Beyoglu district.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes about 2½ hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the public.
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IST-024 TOUR GOLDEN HORN & BALAT DISTRICTS
Date: Jul 20, 2024  Time: 01:45 PM
Date: Jul 21, 2024  Time: 09:15 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $199.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
• Cruise the famed Golden Horn, a natural harbor named for its golden hue at sunset.
• Meander through Balat, one of Istanbul’s oldest and most ethnically diverse districts.
• Enjoy Balat’s vibrant, fashionable ambiance while admiring its colorful architecture.

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

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

IST-013 ISTANBUL BY NIGHT
Date: Jul 20, 2024  Time: 07:30 PM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs  Price: $209.00

OVERVIEW
Enjoy a panoramic drive through the most historical areas of Istanbul at night, when the city will be illuminated and absolutely mesmerizing. To reach the Old Town, you will cross Galata Bridge, which spans the Golden Horn, a waterway named for the shimmering golden color it takes on as the sun sets. You will then pass the so-called new mosque, which was built and named after Sultan Ahmed I and whose colorful moniker derives from the 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles that adorn the interior. Nearby, you’ll notice the remains of the city’s ancient hippodrome, once a popular circus for entertainment and sporting events, especially chariot racing, during the glory days of Constantinople. Experience the remarkable Hagia Sophia and stand in awe of the green and purple columns supporting the massive dome, purple being a sacred color of the Byzantine Empire. Atop the hill where the Acropolis of Byzantium once stood, you’ll discover the walled Topkapi Palace, official residence of Ottoman sultans for nearly 400 years and now a museum focused on the imperial era. Following a delightful buffet lunch at an exclusive Istanbul hotel, savor time on your own at the Grand Bazaar, the world’s largest and oldest covered market, the perfect way to cap off your marvelous excursion.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Tour key landmarks included in Istanbul’s UNESCO World Heritage site designation.
• Visit the 17th-century Blue Mosque, which features six minarets and an interior showcasing 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles.
• See the remains of the hippodrome, popular for sporting events during Constantinople’s heyday.
• View breathtaking Hagia Sophia, which many historians consider the 8th Wonder of the World.
• Explore gorgeous Topkapi Palace, the long-time residence of Ottoman sultans.
• Relish a tasty buffet lunch at a chic hotel before appreciating free time at the famed Grand Bazaar.

HELPFUL HINTS
• Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
• Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
• Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

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

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- View the 15th-century kitchen complex in Topkapi Palace.
- Browse a market full of aromatic spices, roasted nuts and Turkish Delights.
- Savor a traditional, multi-course Turkish lunch at a popular Istanbul restaurant.
- Enjoy authentic Turkish Baklava before returning to the ship.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

**PLEASE NOTE**

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

**IST-GL1 OLD NEIGHBORHOODS OF ISTANBUL**

**OVERVIEW**

Explore three distinctly different neighborhoods on the Asian side of the Bosphorus, each enchanting in its own way. A drive through the Eurasia Tunnel will bring you to the Kuzguncuk district, which has long been admired for its history of peaceful coexistence. Jews, Greeks, Armenians and Turks live there in harmony side by side, and you will notice a mosque, church and synagogue right next to each other. Later, you will pass the

**HELPFUL HINTS**

- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**PLEASE NOTE**

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

**IST-1CT CHEF LED TOPKAPI KITCHENS & SPICE MARKET**

**OVERVIEW**

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

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- View the 15th-century kitchen complex in Topkapi Palace.
- Browse a market full of aromatic spices, roasted nuts and Turkish Delights.
- Savor a traditional, multi-course Turkish lunch at a popular Istanbul restaurant.
- Enjoy authentic Turkish Baklava before returning to the ship.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

**PLEASE NOTE**

This tour includes approximately 3 hours of easy to moderate walking. There may be some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and those with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability. Tour sequence may vary based upon the ship’s arrival and/or to avoid congestion. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. This experience is limited, those wishing to participate should book early.
Kuleili Military High School where Kemal Atatürk, the founder and first president of the Republic of Turkey, studied. It is on the way to Cengelkoy, another area known for its civility. There, in the shade of a 700-year-old plane tree, you will enjoy a beverage and the serenity. The fishing village of Kanlica is known first and foremost for its firm, creamy yoghurt made with castor sugar. You will enjoy a cup of the yoghurt in the village now synonymous with it.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Travel from Europe to Asia on a five-minute drive through the Eurasia Tunnel.
- Observe a harmonious neighborhood where different ethnicities live side by side.
- Admire the serenity of Cengelkoy, another well-known highly civil neighborhood.
- Sample a style of Turkish yoghurt in a town synonymous with it.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes about 1½ hours of walking. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns should evaluate their ability and stamina before joining the tour. Guests who go ashore do so with the understanding that they will be mixing with members of the general public.

IST-GL3 ASIAN ISTANBUL - FROM KADIKOY TO MODA
Date: Jul 21, 2024  Time: 09:00 AM
Duration: 6.50 Hrs  Price: $129.00

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

HIGHLIGHTS
- Take a ferry across the Golden Horn, one of the primary inlets of the Bosphorus.
- Explore the creative, gentrified neighborhood of Moda and pause for a cup of coffee.
- Meander through the hip neighborhood of Kadikoy and enjoy a traditional lunch.

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

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

Bozcaada (Troy), Turkey
BOZ-001 BOZCAADA WALKING TOUR
Date: Jul 22, 2024  Time: 08:15 AM, 01:15 PM
Duration: 2.50 Hrs  Price: $59.00

OVERVIEW
Enjoy a sweeping view of Bozcaada Town from atop a 15th-century castle and then stroll the town’s captivating streets, admiring the Turkish and Greek architecture. Known as Tenedos in ancient times, the island of Bozcaada now boasts a namesake resort-style town that the hilltop castle dominates. Built during the reign of Ottoman sultan Mehmet II, the castle still looks impenetrable. While exploring its interior, you will have the opportunity to walk the ramparts atop the stone walls, affording you panoramic views of the marina and Bozcaada’s delightful town center. After descending into the downtown, you will likely stroll the pedestrian-friendly street that divides the Turkish district from the Greek district. The former features cobblestoned lanes, while the latter district was laid out in a grid pattern. In time, you will pause for a glass of locally produced wine such as karalahna and then be free to explore further on your own.

HIGHLIGHTS
- Take in the view of Bozcaada Town while exploring a hilltop 15th-century castle.
- Walk through atmospheric Bozcaada Town admiring the Turkish and Greek architecture.
- Pause for a glass of locally produced wine before exploring further on your own.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes about 1½ hours of walking. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns should evaluate their ability and stamina before joining the tour, as it involves walking over cobblestone streets and negotiating steps in the castle.

BOZ-002 HIGHLIGHTS OF BOZCAADA
Date: Jul 22, 2024  Time: 08:30 AM, 01:30 PM
Duration: 3.50 Hrs  Price: $89.00

OVERVIEW
Behold the natural beauty of Bozcaada Island on a scenic drive and then explore Bozcaada Town for a remarkably comprehensive understanding of the popular resort area. While pausing at the 19th-century Polente Lighthouse, you will be treated to a sweeping view of the sea and the rugged coast dotted with windmills that provide the island’s electricity. Farther south, you will stop at Agia Paraskevi, a Greek Orthodox monastery constructed over a holy spring in the 18th century. Following free time to meander the grounds, you will continue on to Aquarium Beach. Its name comes from the clarity of the water, which allows all sorts of fish to be seen from the shore. You will then explore the 15th-century hilltop castle that dominates this part of the island. Be sure to see the excavated Greek amphorae and ancient tombstones before descending into Bozcaada Town to explore its pedestrian-friendly, visually pleasing Turkish and Greek districts.
**OVERVIEW**

**BOZ-005 WINING & DINING BOZCAADA-STYLE**

This tour includes limited walking, mainly at the guests’ discretion during stops. The tour is available to guests that utilize a wheelchair and are able to make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them. Tour involves walking over cobblestone streets and steps at the castle. Restrooms are available at both stops. The order of the sites visited or viewed may vary.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

- **•** Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

**PLEASE NOTE**

Take in the immense natural beauty of Bozcaada while driving around the island before visiting an esteemed vineyard for a wine tasting. Sights along the way will include the modern windmills that power the island, the 18th-century Agia Paraskevi monastery and Aquarium Beach, which is named for its water clarity and abundant fish. While touring Corvus Vineyard on the southern hills of the island, you will discover why it is such an ideal spot for growing grape varieties such as Cuvax, as well as Merlot and Cabernet Franc. The name Corvus is derived from the Latin word for “raven,” and an illustration of the bird adorns each bottle. The wines for the tasting will be chosen upon your arrival and may include a deep-ruby blend made with Cabernet Sauvignon and Karasakiz. You will be in good company, as Queen Elizabeth and Pope Benedict XVI have sampled Corvus wines while visiting Turkey.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- **•** Enjoy a panoramic view of Bozcaada Island’s coastline from a 19th-century lighthouse.
- **•** See the windmills that supply electricity to the triangular-shaped island.
- **•** Take in the view of Bozcaada while exploring a hilltop 15th-century castle.
- **•** Walk through atmospheric Bozcaada Town admiring the Turkish and Greek architecture.

**BOZ-003 EASY BOZCAADA AND WINE TASTING**

**Date:** Jul 22, 2024  **Time:** 09:30 AM  **Duration:** 2.50 Hrs  **Price:** $249.00

**OVERVIEW**

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**BOZ-006 DELICACIES OF BOZCAADA**

**Date:** Jul 22, 2024  **Time:** 10:15 AM, 11:15 AM  **Duration:** 3.00 Hrs  **Price:** $139.00

**OVERVIEW**

OVERVIEW Become immersed in Bozcaada’s culinary traditions by dining on the day’s fresh catch at a waterfront restaurant in Old Town that has become an institution. While walking along the atmospheric cobblestone streets, you will learn about the history of the island, which was known as Tenedos in ancient times. As a prelude to your meal, you will indulge in a cup of Turkish black tea, which is traditionally brewed in two stacked kettles known as a çaydanlık. The tea is typically strong, poured into small tulip-shaped glasses and sipped without cream. Mastic cookies will be served as an accompaniment. Later, at the restaurant Yakamoz, you will sit down to a three-course lunch that will revolve around the local seafood. Although the menu often changes based on what freshest and readily available, you can expect to dine on grilled baby octopus, zucchini tempura and grilled sea bass or sea bream.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- **•** Begin your culinary immersion with a cup of Turkish black tea at an Old Town café.
- **•** Settle in for a traditional three-course seafood lunch at the waterfront restaurant Yakamoz.
- **•** Hear about the history of Bozcaada while walking through the streets of Old Town.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

**PLEASE NOTE**

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

**BOZ-005 WINING & DINING BOZCAADA-STYLE**

**Date:** Jul 22, 2024  **Time:** 10:15 AM, 11:15 AM  **Duration:** 2.50 Hrs  **Price:** $149.00

**OVERVIEW**

OVERVIEW Tour the vineyards of the Talay Winery and sample a selection of premium wines and mezes that reflect the terroir and cuisine, respectively. Two brothers established the winery in 1948 as a Talay family enterprise and over the years they have planted about 20 varieties of grapes in various vineyards in the area. As you meander through one of the vineyards, you will learn about the qualities of the soil, how the prevailing winds influence the grapes and the method for harvesting the grapes, many of which are indigenous. A tasting follows at a restaurant that the Talay family owns in Bozcaada. While discovering even details about the viticulture, you will sample five different wines that will likely include a dry light-colored white made from the native grape Vasilaki. Local cheeses, marinated artichokes, grilled eggplants with tahini and squid ink fish tempura may be among the mezes.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- **•** Learn about the qualities of Bozcaada’s native grapes while touring a family vineyard.
- **•** Sample a generous selection of wines made from a variety of grapes grown on Bozcaada.
- **•** Enjoy mezes made with locally sourced ingredients that complement the wines.

**HELPFUL HINTS**

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

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• Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

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BOZ-004  TASTE OF BOZCAADA & WINE TASTING
Date: Jul 22, 2024  Time: 10:30 AM
Duration: 4.00 Hrs  Price: $299.00

OVERVIEW
Sample wines perfectly paired with lunch dishes that reflect the local cuisine, an experience that will enhance the scenic drive to the esteemed Corvus Vineyard. As you head toward the western tip of Bozcaada Island, you will pause for photos of the Polente Lighthouse. It overlooks the sea at a breezy spot near a collection of modern windmills that provide power to the island. You will also stop to browse the 18th-century Agia Paraskevi monastery before reaching nearby Corvus Vineyard, which Turkish architect Resit Soley founded in 2002. The vineyards blanket the southern hills of the island, an ideal spot for growing grape varieties such as Cavus, Merlot and Cabernet Franc. During the wine sampling that follows the enlightening tour of the vineyard, you will notice an illustration of a raven on each bottle's label. It is a nod to Corvus being the word for raven, one of the world's smartest creatures.

HIGHLIGHTS
• Take a scenic drive around Bozcaada Island, which was called Tenedos in ancient times.
• See working windmills along the breezy coastline and an 18th-century monastery.
• Gain an understanding of the terroir at Corvus Vineyard during an enlightening tour.
• Sample a selection of Corvus wines paired with Turkish delicacies.

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

PLEASE NOTE
This tour includes a minimal walking mainly at the guests' 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.
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