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Travel Validity Period:  
1st Apr - 31st Oct 2019

## HIGHLIGHTS

### ITALY

#### ROME

- Vatican City
- Colosseum
- Sistine Chapel (Entrance Included)
- Vatican Museum (Entrance Included)
- St. Peter's Basilica
- Roman Forum
- Trevi Fountain

#### PISA

- Piazza del Miracoli
- Leaning Tower of Pisa

#### FLORENCE

- Piazza della Signoria

#### VENICE

- St. Mark's Square
- Doge's Palace
- Bridge of Sighs
- Glass Blowing Factory

### SWITZERLAND

#### LUCERNE

- Old Chapel Bridge
- Lion Monument

#### INTERLAKEN

- View overlooking the Jungfrau

#### SCHAFFHAUSEN

- Rhine Falls

#### ENGELBERG

- Mt. Titlis (Entrance included)

### AUSTRIA

#### INNSBRUCK

- Golden roof
- Swarovski Crystal Shop

#### SALZBURG

- Mozart's birthplace

### GERMANY

#### BADEN-WÜRTTEMBERG

- Lake Titisee in Black Forest
- Overnight in Rhineland

#### COLOGNE

- Cologne Cathedral

### NETHERLANDS

#### AMSTERDAM

- Zaanse Schans
- Diamond factory
- Canal cruise

### BELGIUM

#### BRUSSELS

- Royal Palace of Brussels
- La Grand-Place
- Manneken Pis

### FRANCE

#### PARIS

- Champs-Élysées
- Arc de Triomphe
- Place de la Concorde
- Louvre Museum
- Eiffel Tower (Entrance included)
- Galeries Lafayette

## 4★ HOTELS

**ROME** Pisana

**FLORENCE** Hilton Garden Inn

**VENICE MESTRE** Novotel Castellana

**SALZBURG** Mercure

**LUCERNE** Astoria

**INTERLAKEN** Bellevue Interlaken

**RHINELAND** Holiday Inn

**AMSTERDAM** Schipol Mercure

**PARIS** Courtyard by Marriott

\*Note: Hotels subject to final confirmation. Should there be changes, customers will be offered accommodation similar to this list.



## DELICACIES

### Meal Plan

12 Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, 7 Dinners

### Specialities

- Tuscan dinner with wine
- 4-course Swiss Fondue Dinner
- Authentic Black Forest Lunch
- Mussel and Fries Lunch in Brussels
- Authentic French Meal

### DAY 1

#### HOME ▶ ROME

##### Meals on Board

Assemble at the airport and take-off to Rome.

### DAY 2

#### ROME

##### Meals on Board, Local Lunch

Start the day with a **guided tour of Rome**, with the first stop at the **Vatican City**. Revel at the masterpiece of the **Sistine Chapel**, its stunning frescoed ceiling was painted by the renowned sculptor Michelangelo himself. See the immense collections of artworks in the **Vatican Museums**, and feast your eyes upon the intricate details of **St. Peter's Basilica**. Next, we will view the **Colosseum**, it is the largest amphitheatre ever built that has a capacity of up to 80,000. View the **Roman Forum**, known as the heart of ancient Rome, comprised of archaic buildings and shrines – including the ancient former royal residence. **Piazza Venezia** is located a short walk away with a massive monument dedicated to the first King of Italy. Then, marvel at the masterpiece of Trevi Fountain, the city's largest Baroque fountain.

Note: In the event if Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel is not available, it will be replaced with Colosseum without prior notice.

## EXCLUSIVES

- Win 1 diamond worth over S\$1000 per group in lucky draw
- Entrance to Sistine Chapel
- Entrance to Vatican Museum
- Entrance to Keukenhof (Seasonal)

### DAY 3

#### ROME ▶ PISA ▶ FLORENCE

##### Breakfast, Tuscan Florentine Steak dinner with wine

Make your way to **Pisa** to view the iconic **Leaning Tower of Pisa** and the tilted bell tower of the **Cathedral of Pisa**. Journey on to the centre of Italian Renaissance, the city of **Florence**. Here, you can pay a visit to the **Baptistry of St. John**, renowned for its three sets of large bronze doors with depictions of art. Then, drop by the **Piazza della Signoria** to check out their exquisite sculptures and spend time on the **Ponte Vecchio**, an old arch bridge with excellent views over the river and glittering jewellery shops along its length. Wind down in the evening with authentic Tuscan fare.

### DAY 4

#### FLORENCE ▶ VENICE

##### Breakfast, Chinese Dinner

Make your way to the heart of **Venice** via a private water taxi, a unique yet effective mode of transport for a city built on water. Then, set off on a guided tour around **St. Mark's Square** and to the famous cathedral

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church **St. Mark's Basilica** – nicknamed the 'church of gold' due to its opulent design and gold ground mosaics. Swing by the **Doge's Palace** and the **Bridge of Sighs**, two of **Venice's** main landmarks, for some breath-taking pictures to bring back as mementos. Lastly, visit a glass blowing factory to learn more about the art of Murano glassmaking, an elite trade unique to **Venice**. You may wish to go on an optional gondola boat ride through the canals of Venice, Overnight on Venice Mestre.

*Optional: Gondola Ride*

## DAY 5 VENICE ▶ SALZBURG

*Breakfast, Dinner*

Traverse through the breath-taking **Austrian Lake District** and find your way to **Salzburg**, also known as the birthplace of Mozart. A stroll through the city would leave you in admiration of their dreamy spires, romantic gardens and intricate baroque architecture, all of which contributed to the city's ranking on the UNESCO World Heritage Site list and its feature in the musical 'The Sound of Music'.

## DAY 6 SALZBURG ▶ INNSBRUCK ▶ LUCERNE

*Breakfast*

Take a journey back in time as you visit **Innsbruck**, a city rich in traditions, imperial architecture and colourful history. A must visit would be the **Golden Roof** located in **Innsbruck's Old Town**, a three-storey balcony decorated with 2,657 gold plated copper tiles. Stop by the largest **Swarovski shop** before continuing on a scenic drive to **Lucerne** via Vaduz, capital city of Liechtenstein. Take a tour of **Old Town Lucerne** with its unspoiled buildings covered with colourful murals. Here, you will also find **Bucherer**, the largest dutyfree store in Switzerland. Later, drop by the **Lion Monument** – a monument to commemorate the valour of the Swiss mercenary soldiers who lost their lives while serving King Louis XVI during the French Revolution.

## DAY 7 LUCERNE ▶ ENGELBERG ▶ MT. TITLIS ▶ INTERLAKEN

*Breakfast, Dinner – 4-course Swiss Fondue*

Start the day with an exciting excursion to **Engelberg**, where you will board a cable car and ride up to the peak of **Mt. Titlis** to enjoy the breath-taking view of the snow-capped mountainscape. At midday, travel onward to **Interlaken** where you for a marvellous view of the **Jungfrau** snowy peaks.

## DAY 8 INTERLAKEN

*Breakfast*

Bask in the nature of the **Bernese Oberland** region with its picture-perfect landscapes accentuated by countless mountain peaks and glistening lakes. Enjoy the rest of the day free at leisure for some shopping or sightseeing at your pleasure. You may wish to take part in an optional mountain railway trip to Jungfrauoch, the top of Europe.

*Optional: Jungfrauoch*

## DAY 9 INTERLAKEN ▶ SCHAFFHAUSEN ▶ LAKE TITISEE ▶ HEIDELBERG ▶ RHINELAND

*Breakfast, Lunch – Black Forest Special, Dinner*

Set off to the largest waterfall in the whole of Europe – the wild, churning waters of the **Rhine Falls in Schaffhausen**. Then, cross the border over to the enchanting **Black Forest** in Germany to Lake Titsee and attend a demonstration on the meticulous process of cuckoo-clock making and also indulge in an authentic Black Forest lunch. Transfer to the **Rhineland region** via Heidelberg for your overnight stay.

## DAY 10 RHINELAND ▶ COLOGNE ▶ AMSTERDAM

*Breakfast*

Brighten your morning with a visit to the **Cologne Cathedral** in **Cologne**, a gothic masterpiece that remains a physical testimony to the enduring strength and unwavering spirit of European Christianity. Then, depart for the capital city of the **Netherlands, Amsterdam**.

## DAY 11 AMSTERDAM

*Breakfast, Chinese Dinner*

Begin the day with a visit to the **Zaanse Schans** where you will be presented with an idyllic scene of traditional windmills, barns, cottages and museums built in typical Dutch architectural style. Watch how cheese and clog shoes are made in demonstrations by expert craftsmen, then tour Amsterdam on a **cruise** through her famous canals and take a trip to a **diamond factory**. Special program today will be a champagne tasting with lucky draw that allows 1 lucky member to walk away with diamond worth over S\$1000.

*Optional: Volendam with lunch*

*Note: During Tulips Season, Zaanse Schans shall be replaced by the Keukenhof Gardens.*

## DAY 12 AMSTERDAM ▶ BRUSSELS ▶ PARIS

*Breakfast, Mussel and Fries lunch, Chinese Dinner*

Head to **Brussels** for an orientation tour and take in the sights of the **Royal Palace of Brussels**, the official palace of the King and Queen of the Belgians. Next, take a jaunt through the **La Grand-Place**, a market square featuring architecture of an eclectic blend of Western artistic styles, which would lead you to the renowned **Manneken Pis**, a small sculpture depicting a naked boy urinating into a water fountain that represents the rebellious spirit of the city of Brussels. Carry on to **Paris**, the City of Light, where you may wish to enjoy an optional scenic Seine River cruise or a Moulin Rouge show.

*Optional: Seine River cruise*

## DAY 13 PARIS

*Breakfast, Lunch*

Begin your **Paris** adventure with a guided tour of the city – take in the sights of **Champs Élysées, Place de la Concorde, Louvre Museum** with its iconic Louvre Pyramid, and the **Palais Garnier Paris Opera House**. Stop at the Arc de Triomphe, a famed monument erected in honour of the soldiers who fought in the Napoleonic Wars. Visit the cultural icon of Paris – the **Eiffel Tower** for a panoramic view over Paris from the **second level**, then head over to the **Galleries Lafayette** – the biggest department store in Paris for souvenir shopping (subject to store's operating hours). Visit also the perfume museum of Fragonard where you will see the history of perfume and its making.

*Note: You may need to queue for Eiffel Tower due to security checks. If the timing is unsuitable, it will be replaced with Montparnasse Tower. The Galleries Lafayette is closed on Christmas and New Year's Day.*

## DAY 14 PARIS ▶ HOME

*Breakfast, Meals on Board*

Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure till it is time to transfer to the airport for your flight home.

## DAY 15 HOME SWEET HOME

We hope you enjoyed your vacation with our company and we look forward to seeing you again for your next trip.

*Suggested Excursions:  
Additional activities that complement your holidays will be at your own discretion and is entirely optional.*

- \*Minimum group size may apply.*
- Jungfrauoch: CHF189 / CHF149
- Volendam with Lunch: €49
- Seine River cruise: €25
- Moulin Rouge: €159 (seasonal)

*Tippling Guideline: (based on 15D12N)*

- €105 per person

*Notes:*

- A minimum group size of 15 passengers is required for a confirmed departure.
- The sequence of the itinerary, flight schedules and hotels are subject to change without prior notice in the event of unforeseen circumstances.
- Activities are subject to weather conditions.
- During major events, accommodation may be relocated to outside of the city or in another city without prior notice.
- In the event, if Eiffel Tower unavailable, it will be replaced by Montparnasse Tower.
- In the event if Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel is not available, it will be replaced with Colosseum entrance without prior notice.