

Zurich to Amsterdam Riverboat

APRIL 14-21, 2020 on board Avalon's *ms Expression*



Cruise the Rhine River with the women of Olivia, starting in delightful Basel and ending in to extremely LGBTQ friendly city of Amsterdam. Experience castles on the Rhine, the Black Forest, fields of vividly-colored tulips in bloom and stroll along the canals learning about Amsterdam's amazing history. Included walking or city tours in most ports ensure you see the best of the best as you immerse yourself in the rich local cultures.

YOUR ITINERARY*

DAY

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2020

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2020

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 2020

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2020

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2020

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2020

MONDAY, APRIL 20, 2020

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 2020

**Itinerary subject to change*

PORT

BASEL, SWITZERLAND *(All aboard 5 pm / Overnight)*

BREISACH EXCURSION TO BLACK FOREST

STRASBOURG, FRANCE

LUDWIGSHAFEN EXCURSION TO HEIDELBERG, MAINZ

KOBLENZ / RHINE GORGE / RÜDESHEIM, GERMAN

COLOGNE, GERMANY

AMSTERDAM, HOLLAND *(overnight)*

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WHAT'S INCLUDED? WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED?

INCLUDED

- Group transfer from Zurich airport or Zurich Airport Host Hotel to the ship on April 14, 2020
- Accommodations for 8 days/7 nights on one of the finest river boat cruises in Europe
- All meals while on board
- Champagne at breakfast daily
- Beer, wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner
- Coffee, tea, juices during all meals
- Olivia entertainment and programming
- Local Entertainment
- Bottled water replenished in cabin daily
- Included sightseeing tours in each port
- Gratuities to ship crew & Avalon Cruise Director
- Olivia Staff assistance throughout

NOT INCLUDED

- Transfer from the ship in Amsterdam to the Amsterdam airport
- Optional tours
- Alcoholic beverages, bottled water, and soft drinks (except where indicated)
- Phone/Fax/Salon Services

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PRICING

PER PERSON

Deluxe Stateroom Cat. E– Early Bird \$3,499 per person/Regular \$4,599 per person

Located on the Indigo deck, the Deluxe Stateroom features small windows above the water-line, Comfort collection bed can convert to 2 singles, soft & firm pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, mini-bar, full shower with glass doors, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, and full-length closets. 172 sq. ft.

Deluxe Stateroom Cat. D– Early Bird \$3,599 per person/Regular \$4,699 per person

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Panorama Suite Cat. B– Early Bird \$4,399 per person/Regular \$5,699 per person

Located on the Sapphire deck aft, The Panorama Suite features floor to ceiling windows, Comfort collection bed can convert to 2 singles, soft & firm pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, mini-bar, bathroom with marble counter, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, sofa, and full-length closets. 200 sq. ft.

Panorama Suite Cat. A– Early Bird \$4,499 per person/Regular \$5,799 per person

Located on the Sapphire deck, The Panorama Suite features floor to ceiling windows, Comfort collection bed can convert to 2 singles, soft & firm pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, mini-bar, bathroom with marble counter, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, sofa, and full-length closets. 200 sq. ft.

Panorama Suite Cat. P– Early Bird \$4,699 per person/Regular \$6,099 per person

Located on the Royal deck, the Panorama Suite features floor to ceiling windows, Comfort collection bed can convert to 2 singles, soft & firm pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, mini-bar, bathroom with marble counter, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, sofa, and full-length closets. 200 sq. ft.

Royal Suite– Early Bird \$5,699 per person/Regular \$7,399 per person

Located on the Royal deck, The Royal Suite features floor to ceiling windows, Comfort collection bed can convert to 2 singles, soft & firm pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, mini-bar, bathroom with marble counter and two sinks, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, sofa, and full-length closets. 300 sq. ft.

ABOVE PRICING DOES NOT INCLUDE NDA (TAXES, FEES & GRATUITIES): \$499 PP

ACTIVITY LEVEL

These trips do require a level of mobility, as most of the tours are walking tours for up to 3 hours, which may include walking on cobblestone streets and stairs. A “Gentle Walkers” Group is offered on most **included** walking tours, which accommodates those needing a little extra time and sometimes a shortened version of a tour, keeping in mind as few stairs as possible. If you are bringing a portable wheel chair or collapsible travel scooter, they must be able to collapse and be stored in your cabins. They cannot be used to get around the ship, only to use while off the ship. They may be used on tours that are accessible, but that can *continued...*

be difficult because of the cobblestone streets, stairwells and need to lift them on and off curbs. If you do have limited mobility, you are required to travel with someone who can assist you.

VACATION STRETCHERS

We will be offering vacation stretchers in Zurich and Amsterdam. In Zurich, you'll visit a Cheese Factory for lunch to try local specialties and have the opportunity to make your own delicious swiss chocolate bar at a swiss chocolate factory (tastings included)! The adventure continues in Lucerne where you will take a tram up to Mt. Titlis for a beautiful 360-degree view of the Alps, In Amsterdam you might enjoy a walking tour of the Red-Light District, the LGBTQ area of Amsterdam, or spend time in Keukenhof Gardens. Information on these will be available approximately 9-11 months in advance of the trip.

AIRPORT INFORMATION

All flights should arrive into **Zurich, Switzerland (ZRH)** by 3:00 pm on April 14, 2020, for the included group transfer from the airport or airport host hotel to the ship in Basel. If you plan to make your own way to the ship, you can board the ship anytime on April 14, store your luggage, explore Basel or enjoy the lounge with light snacks and coffee/tea/water to rest before your cabin is ready at 4:00 pm. All guests should be on board by 5:00 pm.

All flights can depart **Amsterdam (AMS)** at any time on April 21, 2020, because the ship will overnight in Amsterdam on April 20. Transfer to the airport is on your own, but the ship will assist in making taxi reservations.

Please check our airline discounts page for the latest discounts:
<http://www.olivia.com/Travel/CalendarContent/AirfareDeals.aspx>.

*Please Note: In addition to the included excursions, there will be a variety of optional excursions to purchase on board. These excursions will not conflict with the included excursions. Not all optional excursions are accessible and do not include a "Gentle Walkers" group like in the included excursions. More information will be sent with final documents, and sign-ups for these will be done on board the ship only.

*Itinerary is subject to change based on weather, water levels and locks.

Please visit our website for more information on this trip and others

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