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# ZURICH PRE-CRUISE VACATION STRETCHERS APRIL 11-14 AND 12-14, 2020



Zurich, Switzerland at night





Old Town Zurich, Switzerland

# SWITZERLAND

Plan to arrive early and enjoy beautiful Switzerland before our trip down the Rhine. Our pre-cruise packages will allow you to experience the best of Switzerland, exploring the streets of Zurich's Old Town, tasting Swiss cheese, making your own Swiss chocolate bar and visiting the Swiss Alps.

# OPTION 1 – ZURICH THREE-NIGHT PRE-PACKAGE APRIL 11-14, 2020 DAY 1 – April 11, 2020 (-/-/-)

Welcome to Zurich! Check in begins at 2:00 pm. Have peace of mind by getting in a day before tours begin.

#### Hotel 25 Zurich

Opened in April of 2017, the Hotel 25 Zurich has modern amenities, great location and convenience. Our hotel is located by the train station near Old Town, steps away from the traditional Langstrasse district - famous for its subculture and night owls, the Swiss National Museum, and Lake Zurich. All rooms feature extremely comfortable beds, FREITAG bag, sustainable toiletries, flat-screen TV, minibar, UE boom Bluetooth speakers and free high-speed Wi-Fi. All guests enjoy an iMAC workstation at the business corner, and free mini and bike rentals.

#### Standard Package includes the "M" Room

These 194 sq. ft. M rooms offer a queen-size bed and rain shower. Sink is located in the bedroom. All rooms overlook the neighboring urban landscape.

#### Superior Package includes the "L" Room

The 269 sq. ft. L rooms offers a choice of king-size or twin beds. All rooms have city views. Separate bathroom with a rain shower in the center of room is a unique highlight!





M Standard Room







M Standard Room

L Superior Room

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Pour your own chocolate

# DAY 2 - April 12, 2020 (B/-/-)

Today is free to rest, or to explore the Old town with a walk by the lake or shopping. Enjoy the services of a local guide to help plan your day today.

Appenzeller Cheese Factory

# DAY 3 - April 13, 2020 (B/L/-)

### Appenzeller Cheese Factory

Enjoy a lovely morning drive through pastoral Switzerland to the Appenzeller Cheese factory. We will have an opportunity to see how cheese is made and to sample a bit along the way. After the tour and 5-cheese sampling, we will enjoy a delicious lunch featuring traditional local dishes. The house specialty is homemade cheese quiche, but you can also choose from Swiss sausage (bratwurst) with onion sauce and French fries or cheese noodles with onions and apple sauce. All are delicious!

#### Maestrani Chocolate Factory

The only thing better than Swiss cheese is Swiss chocolate, so our next stop is the Maestrani Chocolate factory. Watch a short film about the history of chocolate-making, then take a guided tour through the factory. You will get great insight into the production of their mouth-watering delights, with many opportunities to taste along the way. You will even have a chance to pour your own chocolate bar with your favorite toppings! And, of course, there will be plenty of time to shop for famous Swiss chocolate to bring home to friends (or for yourself)!

\*Note that the order in which we visit each place may change

# DAY 4 - April 14, 2020 (B/-/-)

#### **Mount Titlis**

This morning we leave Zurich and head to the Alps! The gondola ride up to Mount Titlis alone is worth the whole trip. Enjoy amazing views and unforgettable photographic opportunities. Once on the peak you have free time to explore an ice cave, have a snow ball fight, or enjoy a high-altitude lunch. We will transfer to the ship together after our day at Mount Titlis.

#### Zurich Three-Night Pre-Package includes:

- Three-night stay in an M Standard or L Superior Room at the Hotel 25 Zurich
- Breakfast on April 12, 13 and 14. Lunch on April 13
- All hotel taxes and luggage porterage
- Full-day tour including Maestrani Chocolate Factory, Appenzeller Cheese Factory and lunch at the Cheese Factory on April 13
  - Chocolate factory includes a tour and a chocolate bar making class with the opportunity to make your own chocolate bar
  - Lunch includes 2 courses (main and dessert), choice of wine, local beer, mineral water or soft drink, and coffee or tea
  - o Cheese factory includes tour and a 5-cheese sampling
- Full-day tour including a Gondola Ride to Mt. Titlis and transfer to the ship on April 14
- LGBT-friendly, English-speaking guides
- Hospitality desk at the Hotel 25 on arrival day of April 11, and local assistance on April 12 and after returning from tours on April 13.
- \*Please note that this stretcher involves extended visits to high altitudes

#### Not included:

- Tips to housekeepers, guides and drivers (Suggested gratuities are per person, \$5/day for guides, \$2-\$3/day for drivers and \$5/day for housekeepers.
- Meals, other than noted above (-/-/-) B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, D=Dinner





Old Town Zurich at Night





The Alps view from the top of Gondola

#### Gondola Ride to Mount Titlis

Snowball Fight!

#### OPTION 1: ZURICH THREE-NIGHT PRE-PACKAGE PER PERSON PRICE: STANDARD (M Room Hotel 25 Zurich) \$1,299 PER PERSON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY \$1.699 PER PERSON SINGLE OCCUPANCY

SUPERIOR (L Room Hotel 25 Zurich) \$1,399 PER PERSON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY \$1,899 PER PERSON SINGLE OCCUPANCY

# OPTION 2 – ZURICH TWO-NIGHT PRE-PACKAGE APRIL 12-14, 2020 Day 1 – April 12, 2020 (-/-/-)

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# DAY 2 - April 13, 2020 (B/L/-)

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#### Zurich Two-Night Pre-Package includes:

- Two-night stay in an M Standard or L Superior Room at the Hotel 25 Zurich
- Breakfast on April 13 and 14. Lunch on April 13
- All hotel taxes and luggage porterage

- Full-day tour including Maestrani Chocolate Factory, Appenzeller Cheese Factory and lunch at the Cheese Factory on April 13
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  - Lunch includes 2 courses (main and dessert), choice of wine, local beer, mineral water or soft drink, and coffee or tea
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  - Full-day tour including a Gondola Ride to Mt. Titlis and transfer to the ship on April 14
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- Hospitality desk with local guide assistance at the Hotel 25 on arrival day of April 12, and local assistance after returning from tours on April 13.
- Olivia staff assistance throughout

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# **OPTION 2: ZURICH TWO-NIGHT PRE-PACKAGE PER PERSON PRICE:**

STANDARD (M Room Hotel 25 Zurich) \$999 PER PERSON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY \$1,399 PER PERSON SINGLE OCCUPANCY

SUPERIOR (L Room Hotel 25 Zurich) \$1,199 PER PERSON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY \$1,599 PER PERSON SINGLE OCCUPANCY

#### ACTIVITY LEVEL FOR BOTH PACKAGES – Easy-Moderate

The tours to the Chocolate Factory and Cheese Factory are all by bus, with a small amount of walking involved. Be aware that Mt. Titlis has an altitude of 9,934 ft. Guests must be able to get on and off the bus on their own.

# **Reserve Early!**

# The deadline to sign-up for these packages is January 3, 2020. However, please note that due to limited space, packages will sell out prior to that date.

# Please call (800) 631-6277 or (415) 962-5700 option 1 with any questions or to book now!

Cancellation Policy: Olivia Companies, LLC is required to honor their contractual agreements with hotels, ground operators, and other outside vendors; therefore, the following cancellation fees apply: All Vacation Stretcher packages are non-refundable.

A handling fee of \$75 will be charged for any name changes to hotel and tour packages. Your booking/payment for vacation stretchers with Olivia Companies, LLC indicates your compliance with the above policies.