THE ENCHANTING RHINE

START WITH A 7-NIGHT CRUISE FROM AMSTERDAM TO BASEL, FOLLOWED BY 2 NIGHTS IN LUCERNE AND ENDING WITH 2 NIGHTS IN ZURICH

12 DAYS · TRAVEL TO AMSTERDAM & RETURN FROM ZURICH OR REVERSE



Enjoy a tour of Amsterdam's legendary canals, lined with narrow buildings, cafés and the house where Anne Frank once lived in hiding. Visit Cologne and its majestic Gothic cathedral, then relax on board as you cruise the stunning Rhine River Gorge, lined with ruins of medieval castles and fortresses. Next you'll experience the university town of Heidelberg before wandering the streets of Strasbourg in Alsace. Conclude your journey amid Switzerland's snow-capped vistas and cosmopolitan cities with a boat ride across the tranquil waters of Lake Lucerne.



DAILY PROGRAM FEATURES

DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Amsterdam €	EMBARKATION
		Welcome Dinner
2	Amsterdam	City tour and canal cruise
3	Cologne	City tour and cathedral visit
	Koblenz	Evening walk
4	Rhine Gorge	Cruise past Rhine castles
	Rüdesheim	Wine tasting
		OR Gondola ride
		OR Rheingau bike tour
		Siegfried's Mechanical
		Music Museum
		OR Rüdesheimer Coffee
5	Mannheim	Heidelberg excursion
		OR Heidelberg Philosopher's
		hike
		OR Speyer excursion
6	Strasbourg	City tour
		OR Old Town bike tour
		OR Strasbourg hike
7	Breisach	Riquewihr walking tour
		OR Breisach and Freiburg
		excursion
		OR Breisach bike tour
	Basel	Free time
8	Basel	DISEMBARKATION
		City tour
		Transfer to Lucerne
9	Lucerne	Walking tour
10	Lucerne	Lake cruise
		Transfer to Zurich
11	Zurich	City tour
		Free time
12	Zurich	Return flight home

Embark 7-Night Cruise (can also be booked as cruise only)

Note: Bike tours and hikes subject to weather.

For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.com

INCLUDED FEATURES

- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in an outside stateroom - most staterooms offer revolutionary twin balconies
- » Shore excursions in every port with personal headset included
- » Limited Edition Tours
- » Entertainment on demand in all staterooms featuring free high-speed internet access, hit Hollywood movies, extensive music library and English language TV stations
- » Complimentary Wi-Fi access on board
- » Terry bathrobes and white-on-white plush bedding in all staterooms
- » Fine dining with all meals included during your cruise
- » Multiple dining venues
- » Unlimited red and white wines from Europe's great wine regions, beer and soft drinks with every lunch and dinner on board
- » Bottled water in every stateroom replenished daily
- » Cocktail Reception, Welcome Dinner and Captain's Gala Dinner
- » Transfer from the ship in Basel to hotel in Lucerne
- » 2 nights hotel in Lucerne (or surrounding area) at the Radisson Blu Lucerne or Hotel Schweizerhof Lucerne (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » 2 nights hotel in Zurich at the Hotel Schweizerhof Zurich, Zurich Marriott Hotel, Steigenberger Bellerive au Lac, Zurich or Eden au Lac Zurich (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Special highlights including lectures, theme dinners, cooking demonstration, onboard music performances and afternoon/evening piano music
- » Bicycles to explore on your own and guided bicycle tours
- » Services of a professional Cruise Manager
- » All English language on board in a nonsmoking environment (smoking permitted only on the Sun Deck)
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways
- » All local taxes

YOUR ITINERARY

Day 1, ARRIVE IN AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS – EMBARKATION. Arrive in Amsterdam and board your luxurious river cruise ship. Meet your fellow travelers tonight at the Welcome Dinner. (D)

Day 2, AMSTERDAM. The famous canals of Amsterdam await discovery on your city tour. Begin with a scenic canal cruise and see the tall narrow homes lining the water, the Skinny Bridge and the house where Anne Frank and her family lived in hiding during WWII. Next, you'll walk to Begijnhof, known for its historic buildings dating back to the Middle Ages and have some free time to explore. Later, enjoy a panoramic city tour on which you'll see the Royal Palace, Westerkerk and stop for photos at a Dutch windmill before returning to the ship. This afternoon depart for Germany. (B,L,D)

Day 3, COLOGNE, GERMANY – KOBLENZ. Your guided tour of Cologne this morning includes the Old Town, Cathedral Square and the city's majestic Gothic cathedral. Afterwards, you'll have free time to visit some of the local shops or have a coffee at a quaint café. This afternoon the ship cruises to Koblenz and moors overnight. (B,L,D)

Day 4, RÜDESHEIM. This morning, cruise through the picturesque Rhine Gorge, admiring its many castles and fortress ruins and the legendary Lorelei Rock. This afternoon you will arrive in the winemaking town of Rüdesheim where you will have the option to take one of three excursions: wine tasting with a local vintner, a gondola ride above the town to see the Niederwalddenkmal Statue, or a guided bike tour along the Rhine River to one of Germany's best wine regions. Later you'll have free time to explore the Drosselgasse, the town's most famous and charming street, a narrow passage lined with shops and taverns. This evening, visit Siegfried's Mechanical Music Museum, home to a remarkable collection of old robotic and self-playing musical instruments, or join us for some Rudesheimer Coffee. The ship sails overnight. (B,L,D)

Day 5, MANNHEIM – HEIDELBERG. Arrive in Mannheim, where you have a choice of one of three excursions this afternoon. Your first option is a half-day excursion to the historic university town of Heidelberg, where you will visit the red-walled castle with its Great Vat (a 49,000-gallon wine cask) and enjoy beautiful views of the Neckar Valley and the city below. Or, for your second option, enjoy a hike up the Philosopher's Path to a panoramic view point of Heidelberg. Your third option is a city tour of Speyer one of Germany's oldest cities, known for its cathedral, numerous churches and the medieval Altpörtel (Old Gate). This evening, the ship continues onward to Strasbourg, France. (B.L.D)

Day 6, STRASBOURG, FRANCE. Capital city of France's Alsace region, Strasbourg is situated on the Rhine at the German border. After arriving this morning, enjoy either a panoramic bus tour or guided bike tour that will take you past the Orangery, the town's oldest park, the European Parliament and the Place de la Republique. Afterwards, explore on foot with a walking tour of the lovely "La Petite France" neighborhood, where you will see the Gothic cathedral with its famous astronomical clock. You also have the option of exploring Strasbourg on a guided hike that begins at the Orangery and makes its way to the cathedral. The remainder of the day is yours to spend as you wish before the ship departs tonight. (B,L,D)

Day 7, BREISACH, GERMANY. You have three exciting excursions to choose from today. The first is a walking tour of Riquewihr, a picturesque town renowned for its historic architecture and for its Riesling wines. A second option is a tour of the beautiful towns of Breisach and Freiburg, where you will visit the historical city center and Freiburg's Münster, a Gothic cathedral constructed of red sandstone. Your third choice is guided bike tour of Breisach that takes you through the Rheinau woods. Tonight, the ship cruises towards Switzerland. (B,L,D)

Day 8, BASEL, SWITZERLAND - DISEMBARKATION - LUCERNE. Disembark after breakfast for a city tour of cosmopolitan Basel. A longtime center for banking, commerce and trade, Basel's glorious past is still evident in its medieval Town Hall and exquisite old homes. After free time for lunch

ENHANCED CRUISES AT NO ADDITIONAL COST

WINE CRUISES (see pages 100-103 for more information) Add a unique, epicurean dimension to your itinerary.

Complimentary Bonus Features:

- Special tours and tastings at local wineries and private cellars
- ◆ Learn about winemaking in renowned vineyards
- Onboard wine pairings with award-winning cuisine
- A wine expert that leads tastings and discussions

Embark dates: 2016 - Nov 7, Nov 14, Nov 16 2017 - Mar 25, Apr 1, Jul 27, Aug 5, Nov 9. Nov 11, Nov 18 on your own, depart for postcard-perfect lakeside city of Lucerne. You will visit the Lion Monument en route, a dramatic sculpture that honors the Swiss Guards who once protected the French kings. Arrive in Lucerne mid-afternoon and check into your hotel. (B)

Day 9, LUCERNE. After breakfast, enjoy a walking tour of this medieval gem. You will see some of the city's lovely cobblestone streets, monuments, fountains, public squares, covered bridges and colorful frescoed buildings. The afternoon offers free time to shop for Swissmade watches, knives and delicious chocolates. (B)

Day 10, LUCERNE - ZURICH. This morning, take a leisurely cruise across the tranquil waters of Lake Lucerne to Vitznau, here you will board a motor coach for a scenic drive through the countryside, passing Alpine Lakes and small villages. You will stop in one, Brunnen, where you will have a chance to explore and try local cuisine. Later arrive in Zurich, check into your hotel and spend the rest of the day at your leisure. (B)

Day 11, ZURICH. Your morning city tour of Switzerland's largest city, Zurich, includes Grossmünster Abbey (which offers exceptional views of Zurich), St. Peter (which boasts the world's largest church clock face), Old Town, Town Hall and Fraumünster Abbey, home to five world-famous Chagall windows. The afternoon and evening are free for you to explore the town on your own. (B)

Day 12, DEPART ZURICH. After breakfast, bid farewell to Switzerland and prepare for your return flight home. (B)



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DATES & PRICES (USD)

START DATE	START CITY	EMBARK DATE	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	11-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
2016					
Nov 7*	Amsterdam	Nov 7	AmaPrima	\$2,899	\$4,059
Nov 9	Amsterdam	Nov 9	AmaCerto	\$2,799	\$3,959
Nov 10*	Zurich	Nov 14	AmaPrima	\$2,799	\$3,959
Nov 12*	Zurich	Nov 16	AmaCerto	\$2,799	\$3,959
Nov 21	Amsterdam	Nov 21	AmaPrima	\$2,799	\$3,959
Dec 22★	Zurich	Dec 26	AmaPrima	\$2,899	\$4,059
Dec 24★ 2017	Zurich	Dec 28	AmaCerto	\$2,899	\$4,059
Mar 25*	Amsterdam	Mar 25	AmaSonata	\$2,499	\$4,179
Mar 28*	Zurich	Apr 1	AmaSonata	\$2,599	\$4,279
Apr 1*	Amsterdam	Apr 1	AmaKristina	\$2,599	\$4,279
Apr 8	Amsterdam	Apr 8	AmaSonata	\$2,699	\$4,379
Apr 11	Zurich	Apr 15	AmaSonata	\$2,899	\$4,579
Apr 15	Amsterdam	Apr 15	AmaKristina	\$2,899	\$4,579
Apr 18	Zurich	Apr 22	AmaKristina	\$3,099	\$4,779
Apr 22	Amsterdam	Apr 22	AmaSonata	\$3,099	\$4,779
Apr 25	Zurich	Apr 29	AmaSonata	\$3,199	\$4,879
Apr 29 May 2	Amsterdam Zurich	Apr 29 May 6	AmaKristina	\$3,199 \$3,199	\$4,879 \$4,879
May 2 May 4	Amsterdam	May 6 May 4	AmaKristina AmaPrima	\$3,199	\$4,879 \$4,879
May 6	Amsterdam	May 6	AmaSonata	\$3,199	\$4,879
May 7	Zurich	May 11	AmaPrima	\$3,199	\$4,879
May 9	Zurich	May 13	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5.079
May 13	Amsterdam	May 13	AmaKristina	\$3,399	\$5,079
May 16	Zurich	May 20	AmaKristina	\$3,399	\$5,079
May 20	Amsterdam	May 20	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5,079
May 23	Zurich	May 27	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5,079
May 27	Amsterdam	May 27	AmaKristina	\$3,399	\$5,079
May 30	Zurich	Jun 3	AmaKristina	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 3	Amsterdam	Jun 3	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 6	Zurich	Jun 10	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 10	Amsterdam	Jun 10	AmaKristina	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 15	Amsterdam	Jun 15	AmaPrima	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 17	Amsterdam	Jun 17	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 18	Zurich	Jun 22	AmaPrima	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 20	Zurich	Jun 24	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 24 Jun 29	Amsterdam	Jun 24 Jun 29	AmaKristina	\$3,399	\$5,079
Jun 29 Jul 1	Amsterdam Amsterdam	Jun 29 Jul 1	AmaPrima AmaSonata	\$3,399 \$3,299	\$5,079 \$4,979
Jul 2	Zurich	Jul 6	AmaPrima	\$3,299	\$4,979 \$4,979
Jul 4	Zurich	Jul 8	AmaSonata	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 8	Amsterdam	Jul 8	AmaKristina	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 13	Amsterdam	Jul 13	AmaPrima	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 15	Amsterdam	Jul 15	AmaSonata	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 16	Zurich	Jul 20	AmaPrima	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 18	Zurich	Jul 22	AmaSonata	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 22	Amsterdam	Jul 22	AmaKristina	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 27*	Amsterdam	Jul 27	AmaPrima	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 29	Amsterdam	Jul 29	AmaSonata	\$3,299	\$4,979
Jul 30	Zurich	Aug 3	AmaPrima	\$3,299	\$4,979
Aug 1*	Zurich	Aug 5	AmaSonata	\$3,299	\$4,979
Aug 5	Amsterdam	Aug 5	AmaKristina	\$3,299	\$4,979
Aug 8	Zurich	Aug 12	AmaKristina	\$3,299	\$4,979
Aug 10	Amsterdam	Aug 10	AmaPrima	\$3,299	\$4,979
Aug 12	Amsterdam	Aug 12	AmaSonata	\$3,299	\$4,979
Aug 13	Zurich	Aug 17	AmaPrima	\$3,399	\$5,079
Aug 15	Zurich	Aug 19	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5,079
Aug 19	Amsterdam	Aug 19	AmaKristina	\$3,399	\$5,079
Aug 22 Aug 26	Zurich	Aug 26 Aug 26	AmaKristina	\$3,499	\$5,179 \$5,170
Aug 26 Aug 29	Amsterdam		AmaSonata AmaSonata	\$3,499 \$3,599	\$5,179 \$5,279
Sep 2	Zurich Amsterdam	Sep 2 Sep 2	AmaKristina	\$3,599 \$3,599	\$5,279 \$5,279
Sep 2	Zurich	Sep 2	AmaKristina	\$3,599	\$5,279 \$5,279
Sep 9	Amsterdam	Sep 9	AmaSonata	\$3,599	\$5,279 \$5,279
Sep 12	Zurich	Sep 16	AmaSonata	\$3,599	\$5,279 \$5,279
Sep 16	Amsterdam	Sep 16	AmaKristina	\$3,599	\$5,279
Sep 19	Zurich	Sep 23	AmaKristina	\$3,599	\$5,279

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Sep 21	Amsterdam	Sep 21	AmaPrima	\$3,599	\$5,279
Sep 23	Amsterdam	Sep 23	AmaSonata	\$3,599	\$5,279
Sep 24	Zurich	Sep 28	AmaPrima	\$3,599	\$5,279
Sep 26	Zurich	Sep 30	AmaSonata	\$3,599	\$5,279
Sep 30	Amsterdam	Sep 30	AmaKristina	\$3,599	\$5,279
Oct 3	Zurich	Oct 7	AmaKristina	\$3,499	\$5,179
Oct 5	Amsterdam	Oct 5	AmaPrima	\$3,599	\$5,279
Oct 7	Amsterdam	Oct 7	AmaSonata	\$3,499	\$5,179
Oct 8	Zurich	Oct 12	AmaPrima	\$3,399	\$5,079
Oct 10	Zurich	Oct 14	AmaSonata	\$3,399	\$5,079
Oct 14	Amsterdam	Oct 14	AmaKristina	\$3,399	\$5,079
Oct 17	Zurich	Oct 21	AmaKristina	\$3,199	\$4,879
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Oct 28	Amsterdam	Oct 28	AmaKristina	\$3,099	\$4,779
Oct 31	Zurich	Nov 4	AmaKristina	\$2,999	\$4,679
Nov 2	Amsterdam	Nov 2	AmaPrima	\$2,999	\$4,679
Nov 4	Amsterdam	Nov 4	AmaSonata	\$2,999	\$4,679
Nov 5*	Zurich	Nov 9	AmaPrima	\$2,799	\$4,479
Nov 7*	Zurich	Nov 11	AmaSonata	\$2,799	\$4,479
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Nov 18*	Amsterdam	Nov 18	AmaSonata	\$2,799	\$4,479
Dec 26★	Zurich	Dec 30	AmaKristina	\$2,899	\$4,579

- * Wine Cruise
- ★ New Year's Cruise

Extra hotel nights in Amsterdam

Per person per night from \$240 (double), \$460 (single)

Extra hotel nights in Zurich

Per person per night from \$240 (double), \$480 (single)

Extra hotel nights in Basel

Per person per night from \$425 (double), \$750 (single)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

Please ensure international flights arrive on the applicable date above.

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

AMACERTO, AMAKRISTINA, AMAPRIMA & AMASONATA

CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	\$299
С	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	\$899
BB	Cello	French/Outside Balcony	\$1,399
BA	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	\$1,599
AB	Cello	French/Outside Balcony	\$1,799
AA	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	\$1,999
AA+	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	\$2,599
SS	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	\$3,199

Port Charges: Additional \$168 per person

Single Suppl. for Cruise: 50% of twin price; AA+ and Suite 100% of twin price

Single Suppl. for Pre- or Post Cruise Land Arrangements: \$640 per person

Bedding: Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds

Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)



Amakristina, Amastella & Amaviola



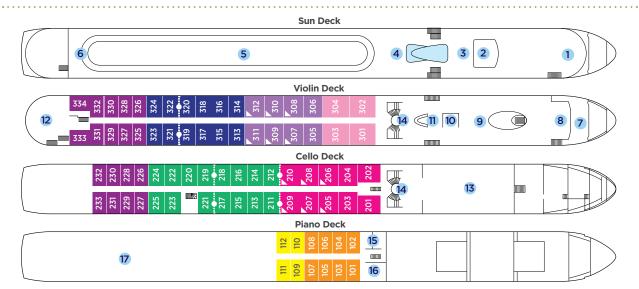






AMAKRISTINA, AMASTELLA & AMAVIOLA

The 158-passenger AmaKristina, AmaStella and AmaViola offer spacious staterooms with our exclusive twin balconies, a choice of dining venues, a heated pool with swim-up bar, in-room Internet access and more.



Note: Elevator reaches Main Restaurant, Lobby/Main Lounge and staterooms on Violin and Cello Deck (does not reach Piano Deck or Sun Deck).

Suite Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 350 sq. ft.

Cat. AA Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 235 sq. ft.

Cat. AB Cello Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 235 sq. ft.

Cat. BA Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 210 sq. ft.

Cat. BB Cello Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 210 sq. ft.

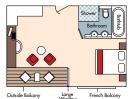
Cat. C Violin & Cello Deck / French Balcony - 170 sq. ft.

Cat. D Piano Deck / Fixed Windows - 160 sq. ft.

Cat. E Piano Deck / Fixed Windows - 160 sq. ft.

Staterooms can become adjoining by request.
 Up to triple occupancy.

Category Suite



Category AA & AB



Category BA & BB



Deck Plan

- Lower Sun Deck
- 2 Navigation Bridge
- 3 Bicycles
- 4 Heated Pool
- 5 Sun Deck
- 6 Walking Track
- 7 Al Fresco Terrace
- 8 Observation Lounge
- 9 Main Lounge & Bar
- 10 Gift Shop
- 11 Reception
- 12 The Chef's Table restaurant
- 13 Main Restaurant
- 14 Elevator
- 15 Massage & Hair Salon
- 6 Fitness Room
- 17 Crew Cabins

Technical Data

Built: AmaKristina - 2017 AmaStella - 2016 AmaViola - 2016 Length: 443 ft. Width: 38 ft.

Crew: 51 Staterooms: 79 Passengers: 158

Registry: Switzerland









AMASERENA, AMAVENITA, AMASONATA, AMAREINA, AMAPRIMA & AMACERTO



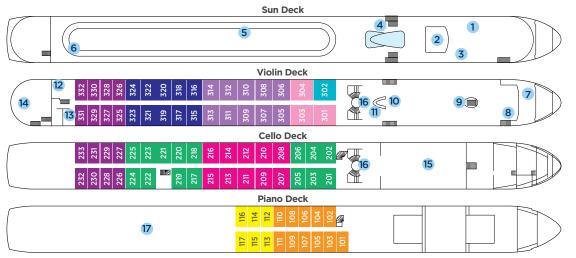






AMASERENA, AMAVENITA, AMASONATA, AMAREINA, AMAPRIMA & AMACERTO

These ships in Europe accommodate 164 passengers and feature twin balcony staterooms, heated swimming pool, hair and massage services, fitness room, stunning glass elevator and much more.



Note: Elevator reaches Main Restaurant, Lobby/Main Lounge and staterooms on Violin and Cello Deck (does not reach Piano Deck or Sun Deck).

Suite	Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 300 sq. ft.
Cat. AA+	Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 290 sq. ft.

Cat. AA Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 235 sq. ft.

Cat. AB Cello Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 235 sq. ft.

Cat. BA Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 210 sq. ft.

Cat. BB Cello Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 210 sq. ft.

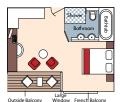
Cat. C Violin & Cello Deck / French Balcony - 170 sq. ft.

Cat. D Piano Deck / Fixed Windows - 160 sq. ft.

Cat. E Piano Deck / Fixed Windows - 160 sq. ft.

Cat. AA+ slightly modified (i.e. no bathtub or one sink); refer to website for floorplan

Category Suite



Category AA & AB



Category BA & BB



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Length: 443 ft. Width: 38 ft. Crew: 51 Staterooms: 82

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