# **\$SILVERSEA**Tour Programme

Silver Whisper 4827 / 9 Days

October-09-2018 / October-18-2018 Monte Carlo, Monaco / Lisbon, Portugal



Date		Arrive	Depart
9	Monte Carlo, Monaco		
10	Monte Carlo, Monaco		6:30 AM
10	Cannes, France	12:00 PM	11:00 PM
11	Barcelona, Spain	5:00 PM	
12	Barcelona, Spain		10:00 PM
13	Palma de Mallorca, Spain	9:00 AM	5:00 PM
14	Cartagena, Spain	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
15	Malaga, Spain	8:00 AM	7:00 PM
16	Cádiz, Spain	8:00 AM	11:00 PM
17	Portimão, Portugal	8:00 AM	6:00 PM
18	Lisbon, Portugal	8:00 AM	

# **General Information**

#### ORGANISED SHORE EXCURSIONS

Booking Direct with Silversea gives you peace of mind. Our local tour operators are fully insured and have been comprehensively vetted. In the unlikely event of issues with a Silversea tour, we assume responsibility and the ship will wait for our delayed shore excursion. These are important factors when comparing value. Looking for a special program with your travelling companions? In a nod to our Italian heritage, let us reserve for you our Silver Shore "Privato" service - a private vehicle with driver and/or guide. Create your own itinerary or leave it to us. This service is available in most ports which you can reserve on MySilversea (my.silversea.com) or at the Shore Concierge desk onboard for a truly tailor-made arrangement. Please bear in mind as we traverse many far reaching destinations, the local infrastructure varies and is beyond our control. Road conditions and vehicles available locally may not be up to standards we are accustomed to. Guides and drivers may speak with a heavy accent at times depending on the port of call. Be assured however that at Silversea, we contract only the best tours and best operators available at each destination. Please Note: Silversea reserves the right to make any changes or modify a tour in case of unforeseen circumstances and/or to ensure the safety and comfort of our guests.

#### **BOOKING & CANCELLATION DEADLINES**

Shore excursions must be purchased on or before the booking deadline for each port of call. Tours are available on a first-come, first-served basis; some tours are very popular with guests often ending up being wait-listed: in order to avoid disappointment, it is therefore suggested to book in advance via my.silversea.com from 120 - 7 days prior to sailing. Last-minute requests to participate on excursions are subject to space availability, which in some cases may not be determined until departure time pier-side. Please note that certain shore excursions may have different reservation deadlines and may incur cancellation fees if cancelled after the deadline. Unless otherwise indicated in the tour description for a particular shore excursion a 100% cancellation fee will be charged for shore excursions cancelled within 48 hours of the scheduled start time. If changes or cancellations are required once onboard, tickets must be returned to the Shore Concierge desk within the cancellation deadline period.

#### ONLINE ADVANCE RESERVATION OF SHORE EXCURSIONS

For those of you that are not aware, at Silversea you can pre-reserve your excursions at leisure prior to your journey on the internet, log on to MySilversea (my.silversea.com) up to 7 days prior to your sailing date. If you have pre-reserved your excursions on line, your tickets will be delivered to your suite upon embarkation and all charges will be billed to your shipboard account.

#### ON BOARD RESERVATIONS

Once on board, you may also reserve and purchase your shore excursions. You will find a consolidated tour booking form in your suite and at the Shore Concierge desk. Select the tours in which you wish to participate, then leave the completed and signed form at the Shore Concierge desk prior to the booking deadline indicated. Tour tickets will be delivered to your suite and your selected excursions charged to your shipboard account. Overland and exclusive excursions must be pre-paid by credit card through your reservation agents. If still available they may also be purchased on board. Shore excursions require a minimum number of participants in order to operate as described. If this minimum number is not met, Silversea reserves the right to offer the programme at a different rate or to cancel the specific departure.

#### SHORE EXCURSION PRICING

Prices are generally quoted per person, per tour, with the exception of Silver Shore Privato or group-designated excursions. Prices are subject to change without notice. Please visit MySilversea (my.silversea.com) for the most up-to-date information. Discounts for children under 12 years of age are available on some, but not all tours. Prices for children, if available, will be adjusted onboard. Please meet with the Shore Concierge team prior to your excursion to discuss the availability of children's pricing.

#### **ON-TIME TOUR DEPARTURES**

As a courtesy to fellow guests, tour departures generally will not be announced unless there is an unforeseen change. Departure times from the ship are published in the ships daily newspaper, the Silversea Chronicle. Guests are kindly requested to proceed ashore at least ten minutes prior to the tour departure time. The Shore Concierge team will be pier-side to direct you to the appropriate transportation. When the ship is at anchor, guests must allow additional time to tender ashore.

Silversea Cruises reserves the right to adjust itineraries and tour departures as local conditions dictate. Please note that pier departure times are also listed in MySilversea (my.silversea.com)

#### **TOUR SUITABILITY**

At Silversea we offer a broad range of activities for our guests of all physical capabilities. Some excursions are decidedly only for the physically fit and active guest. Each excursion offered is clearly identified with an activity level to assist you. For your safety and enjoyment and that of your fellow guests, please be certain you're selecting excursions that meet your physical capability. We therefore encourage guests to review the tour description carefully including the PLEASE NOTE section which includes useful information and attend the port talks onboard. If you still have any questions or concerns regarding this, please contact Shore Concierge (shoreconcierge@silversea.com) prior to your cruise or visit the Shore Concierge desk for more detailed information once onboard.

#### ON LAND SILVER SHORE CONCIERGE SERVICES

Let Silversea Cruises customise a special event or excursion exclusively for you. Expert Shore Excursion professionals are available to assist with knowledgeable suggestions, personalised planning and coordination of all private, independent touring including area highlights, flightseeing, water sports and more. To take advantage of this service, requests should be submitted no later than 30 days prior to sailing and guests must have a deposited or fully paid cruise booking. Strict cancellation policies apply to your confirmed, exclusive programme. When calling or emailing, please have your booking number available. There is a service fee of \$100 per port to secure your arrangements, however this fee will be applied to your confirmed programme in that port. Call +1.800.968.9518 or e-mail: <a href="mailto:shoreconcierge@silversea.com">shoreconcierge@silversea.com</a> The Shore Concierge may be contacted by phone, to arrange tailor-made tours, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (East Coast time U.S.) You may leave a detailed message when calling outside of these hours. You may also e-mail your request for your personalised programme.

#### ONBOARD SHORE CONCIERGE TEAM

Whether you wish to participate in an organised shore excursion or bespoke tailor-made tour, Silversea's experienced Shore Concierge team are happy to assist you in ensuring your shore- side experiences are nothing less than a memory that lasts forever.

The Shore Concierge team is available onboard on sea days from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Office opening hours in port may vary whilst staff is shore-side assisting you on tour. Please refer to the Silversea Chronicle for daily office opening hours. When contemplating a tailor-made program onboard, please contact the Shore Concierge team as early as possible at the beginning of your cruise, as time may be a factor in reaching local contacts. Please be aware that once arrangements have been confirmed, 100% cancellation fee will be applied. Unfortunately, we are unable to change or cancel airline tickets, car rental, hotel or any other reservations you made previously with your travel agent or on your own. In many ports of call there may be a local hospitality representative on board to provide additional information, for two hours after the ship's arrival. In some ports, local information may be found in the tourist information centre ashore.

#### PORT TALKS

Throughout your cruise we'll be offering Port & Shore Excursion information given by our Shore Concierge Manager and Destination Consultant prior to arrival in each port of call. Our aim is to give you a travel experience that goes beyond the ordinary and many of your questions about our ports of call will be answered in these briefings, giving you more time to enjoy and immerse yourself in each port. The information is presented in the theater or is pre-recorded and played on your in-suite entertainment system.

#### SILVERSEA SHUTTLE SERVICE

Complimentary transportation may be provided by Silversea when the local town is beyond a reasonable walking distance from the port. This service may not be possible in ports where a strong taxi union exists, preventing Silversea from providing a complimentary shuttle. The availability and schedule for this service will be announced onboard and listed in the Silversea Chronicle. We are not able to advise this in advance. Operationally, intervals between shuttle bus departures could be affected by local traffic. Silversea is not liable for any unforeseen delays. There will be a break in service for driver meal times. Shuttle service is offered during the day only. The shuttle service is designed to augment local transportation; guests requiring more flexibility may prefer not to wait for a shuttle and secure a taxi at their own expense.

#### CHILDREN ON TOUR

To ensure the safety of our younger guests, participation by children in certain shore excursions may be restricted. To ensure the safety of our younger guests, children up to the age of 8 years old are only permitted to participate in suitable Silver Shore Excursions and the shuttle service, if the vehicles are equipped with the correct safety harness and seating equipment, to accommodate a child. Such harnesses' and secure seating cannot be guaranteed. Alternately guests may use their own approved safety seat, booster seat or harness as long as they are compatible with the local touring vehicle and can properly secure the young guest. Silversea reserves the right to refuse children under the age of 8 years old on any tour on the basis of safety.

#### **GRATUITIES**

Gratuities for local guides and drivers are not included in the excursion price. It is customary to tip tour guides and drivers. Such gratuities if extended, should be done so on a voluntary, individual basis.

#### **MOBILE TELEPHONES**

As a courtesy to fellow guests, kindly refrain from using mobile telephones while on tour so as not to interfere with the guide's explanation. Most tours make frequent stops, allowing time for guests to use their mobile telephones. We appreciate your understanding in this matter.

#### **SMOKING**

For reasons of safety and comfort, smoking is not permitted on any tour vehicles used by Silversea. Your understanding in this matter is appreciated.

#### VIDEO/PHOTOGRAPHY CHARGES

At some museums, sites and monuments, photography and/or the use of video cameras may not be allowed or may incur a charge. These charges are not included in the tour price and are at guests' own expense.

#### **SHOPPING STOPS**

While our organised excursions are not generally geared to the serious shopper, some tours allow for short shopping stops as indicated in the tour description. In the interest of all tour participants, guests should adhere to the allotted time and return to the tour vehicle promptly as advised by the tour guide or ship's escort. Please Note: The selection of shops is generally left to the discretion of the tour operator. Silversea does require that establishments be reputable, of general interest to our quests and offer quality goods. However, all purchases are the responsibility of the individual.

#### **ADDITIONAL TERMS & CONDITIONS**

Silversea Cruises Ltd. and its associated or affiliated companies act solely as agents for airlines, motorcoach companies, railroads and other service providers. The provisions in the cruise ticket contract govern Silversea Cruises Ltd.'s responsibility to guests and Silversea Cruises Ltd. shall not be liable in any manner, for any reason, with respect to other services provided. Silversea Cruises Ltd. cannot be held responsible for conditions prevalent ashore at ports of call. Some of these conditions might preclude individuals with disabilities from safe or practical participation in organised shore excursions. Silversea Cruises Ltd. cannot accept responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delay in rail, plane, vessel or other services, sickness, weather, strikes, war, quarantine or other causes. These tour descriptions are a general overview of the programme and are subject to change. Our local operator reserves the right to substitute other sites if local situations, including holidays, closures, weather, delays, congestion, etc. require. Silversea Cruises Ltd. reserves the right to adjust shore excursion pricing.

#### **INSURANCE**

The extent of insurance coverage in foreign countries varies widely and depends on their laws and customs. It is suggested that guests consider short-term health and accident policies from their own insurance company prior to leaving home. Silversea Cruises, Ltd. cannot assume liability for baggage or other personal effects lost or damaged while those items are in the custody of an airline, hotel or other service provider. Baggage is always 'at owner's expense' at all times.

# **Activity Level and Icon Definition**



#### Minimal Activity

Excursions are easily paced without the need for excessive walking or physical activities. Being able to board motor coaches and negotiate steps can be encountered.



#### **Evening Excursion**

The excursion is taking place in the evening.



Full participation may include a limited number of



A meal is included in the excursion.



#### Moderate Activity

steps, uneven surfaces and/or periods of standing.



#### **New Excursion**

This shore excursion is brand new to Silversea.



#### Extensive Activity

Full participation requires being in good physical condition and may involve inclines, steps, uneven surfaces and/or extended periods of standing.



#### Privato

Silversea Privato excursions include private use of a local driver and car. Please see the Shore Concierge for more information and reservation.



#### Adventure Tour – Physically fit

Active excursions are recommended only for those guests in good physical health, with considerable amounts of physical activity.



#### Limited Space Available

Please be aware that there is only limited space available on this tour. Places are delivered on a first come first served basis.



#### Wheelchair and disabled-friendly tours

Guests in a standard wheelchair must be accompanied by their own helper and be able to board a motor coach, van or boat. Once on tour you will be unattended. We kindly ask you to inform the Shore Concierge staff promptly at embarkation when using a wheelchair. For guests with serious mobility issues please contact the Shore Concierge staff promptly so they can help make arrangements. In certain ports wheelchair accessible vehicles are available at an extra charge and advanced reservation.



The shore excursion is offered on a complimentary basis as part of a free shore excursion promotion (the "Promotion"). Please check your booking terms and condition or up to 7 days MySilversea to determine whether your booking qualifies for the Promotion. If your booking does not qualify for the Promotion there will be a cost associated with this shore excursion.

## October 10 2018, Wednesday

# Cannes - France

#### CNE-B / NICE & PARFUMERIE FRAGONARD

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$119; Duration:5.00 hrs

Leaving the hustle and bustle of Cannes behind, discover the picturesque cities of Nice and Grasse with their historic landmark buildings. Nice's assets include its climate, light, fine ochre façades and colourful markets. Drive the Promenade des Anglais and discover its many treasures: the variety of its historical and architectural heritage attests to the many successive influences of its past. Continue to Grasse to a perfumery house where all of their products are made in their own factory, the earliest of these editions dates back to 1928.

Depart the pier for the 45-minute drive to Nice, the capital of the French Riviera.

#### Nice

Enjoy a panoramic city tour along the 'Promenade des Anglais', a splendid palm-lined boulevard stretching along the Baie des Anges. See in amazement landmarks like the legendary Negresco, an imposing hotel with its Belle Epoque façade, and the Russian Orthodox Cathedral, built with pink bricks, light grey marble and vivid colour ceramics, all sitting beneath six onion-shaped domes that lend an exotic touch to the Nice landscape.

Next, visit the Old City, where tall houses tightly-packed across narrow streets are often festooned with bright flowers or hanging laundry, and designed to provide shade and keep the streets cool during the long, hot summers. A stop is made for a leisurely stroll along the Cours Saleya, the elegant promenade of Old Nice, which is now lined with shops and restaurants.

Following your visit and some free time; re-board your coach to reach the capital of perfume, Grasse.

#### Grasse

The historic perfume factory in the heart of the Old Town is one of the oldest in Grasse, for the present premises housed perfume making from their construction in 1782. In 1926 they took the name of Perfumeries Fragonard as a tribute to the famous painter Jean-Honoré Fragonard. Here on a daily basis they produce perfumes, cosmetics and soaps in a setting imbued with respect for tradition.

Enjoy a guided tour, during which you can discover the various procedures involved in creating and producing the aromatic products. At the end of the tour, you may admire 3,000 years of perfume history in the private museum.

Afterwards, re-join your transport for the 45-minute return drive to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking over uneven surfaces and cobblestone streets for approximately 700m (about one half mile). This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended.

#### CNE-C / FRENCH WINE TASTINGS

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$119; Duration:4.00 hrs

Discovering a wine also means exploring its origin and meeting the people behind its production. Delight in the flavours and distinction of Provence when you visit two wineries as they extend you a warm, gracious welcome. Provence is the world's largest wine region specializing in dry rosé, and Provençal rosé is currently a rising favorite among American wine lovers.

Depart the pier to Les Arcs on a scenic 45-minute drive to learn the secrets of this region's wines.

#### La Maison des Vins

La Maison des Vins Côtes de Provence was created under the aegis of the winemakers of the appellation to help you discover the diversity of their wines in a unique space. Upon arrival at the Chateau La Maison des Vins, a wine specialist welcomes you to the specially designated rooms of the wine house and gives a precise description of the appellation, learning the history, geography, and production of the wines. You are shown how to properly serve, to evaluate, to smell and to taste the wines. Afterwards enjoy a tasting of 3 wines; white, red and rosé with toasts of special breads.

Continue your tour with a 25-minute scenic drive to Taradeau for a visit to Le Chateau de Saint Martin.

#### Le Château de Saint Martin

With exceptional architecture, a rich cultural heritage, and a range of refined wines, this vineyard has made an art of welcoming visitors and has been in the same family since 1740. The charming Château de Saint Martin has nearly always been managed, with one exception, by women. The château produces refined and character-filled 'Cru Classé' wines and has been supplying these to fine restaurants and cellars all over the world for decades from an exceptional architectural setting bursting with history and culture. The magnificent underground cellar is also part of the visit during which you learn about the history of the château and its wines.

Enjoy a chocolate tasting along with a selection of wines and learn traditional winery techniques associated with the château.

Following this unique visit and tasting, re-join your coach for the return drive to Cannes and your awaiting ship.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking with some steps and periods of standing and is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Comfortable walking shoes are recommended. Guests must be at least 21 years old to be served alcoholic beverages.

#### CNE-E / ANTIBES & PICASSO MUSEUM

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$109; Duration:4.00 hrs

Experience the splendid beauty and landmarks of Antibes during this delightful, half-day sightseeing excursion. The natural beauty remains in the Vieille Ville (old town), with the ramparts along the sea and the long, arched protective wall along the port. Discover the Picasso museum, in the Chàteau Grimaldi, between the covered market on the Place Massena and the ramparts. Picasso worked here in the chàteau in 1946, and his studio is part of the museum.

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximately one-hour drive to Antibes via the coastal road. En route, pass through the scenic Cap d'Antibes. Located on the city of Antibes, this lovely peninsula is famous for its elegant villas and wonderful vistas.

#### Old Town Walking Tour

Upon arrival in Antibes, take a guided walking tour through the Old Town. Discover the fascinating history and landmarks of this medieval enclave, its ramparts along the sea, famous Port Vauban, the largest European marina, and the flowery Safranier District. Following your walking tour and some free time, continue to the Picasso Museum.

#### Picasso Museum

Picasso enthusiastically worked here and created numerous works, drawings and paintings. Following his stay in 1946, Pablo Picasso left on deposit 23 paintings and 44 drawings. During your visit, marvel at the large collection of notable works, drawings and paintings on display, including the Joy of Living, Satyr, Centaur Fauna and the Trident, Slimer Urchins, Sea Urchins Woman, Still Life with Owl and the Three Urchins, and more.

Afterward, re-board your coach and commence the approximately one-hour drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking for approximately one mile (about 1.6 kilometres), at times on inclined surfaces, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and five steps at sites visited. The walk from the bus parking area to the museum is extensive. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. The tour sequence may vary.

#### CNE-F / CANNES CINEMA WALKING TOUR

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$89; Duration:3.50 hrs

Explore Cannes' Old World charm and view where the renowned film festival is held during this picturesque, half-day walking tour through the heart of the city. Walk the Old Quarter, or Le Suquet, La Croisette where the Cannes Film Festival is held and finish with some free time for refreshments.

#### Old Quarter Walking Tour

Depart the pier for the uphill walk to the Le Suquet area, also known as the 'Old Quarter', in the heart of Cannes. As you stroll along the narrow streets, admire the window boxes, colourful shutters and fountains, then pass by the city's quaint restaurants and shops. En route, a photo stop is made at the Le Suquet Old Town Viewpoint to take in magnificent panoramic views of the city, Lerins Islands and Esterel Mountains.

#### La Croisette

Next, walk down to the world-famous La Croisette with its Convention Centre, or 'Palais des Festivals'. Upon arrival, see where the red carpet is laid down on the stairs for the movie stars in attendance during the two weeks of the renowned Cannes Film Festival.

#### Provencal Markets and Tastings

Afterward, continue on to Mediterranean fish and food specialities from the region accompanied by a glass of wine at a small restaurant in the old city.

Following your visit and some free time, return to the pier via the waterfront and old harbour.

Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of walking for approximately 1.55 miles (about 2.5 kilometres), at times on inclined surfaces, with some steps to negotiate in the Old Town. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. The tour sequence may vary. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

#### CNE-G / CANNES BY SEGWAY

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$169; Duration:3.00 hrs



Discover the scenic beauty and charm of Cannes in a unique new way during this fun-filled, half-day excursion via Segway. Feel the sensations of freedom on new generation Segways as your guide escorts you around this exciting city from the panoramic Croisette, via Rue d'Antibes and luxury hotels.

#### Segway Tour

After receiving your safety briefing, helmet and instructions, board your Segway for a guided sightseeing tour of Cannes. Along the way, take in splendid panoramic views and photo opportunities of the coast, city and sea from the top of the historical area.

#### Cannes Landmarks and Croisette Boulevard

Pass by the city centre, Palm Beach area, Palais des Festival, home of the Cannes Film Festival, and famous Croisette Boulevard, or 'Promenade de la Croisette'. Approximately 1.24 miles (about two kilometres) in length, picturesque Croisette Boulevard stretches along the entire coast of Cannes on the Mediterranean Sea, and is lined with elegant shops, restaurants and hotels.

#### Luxury Hotel

A refreshment stop is made in the garden of a luxury hotel property along Croisette Boulevard. Afterward, re-board your Segway and commence the short ride back to the pier.

Please note: This tour must be reserved or cancelled a minimum of 30 days prior to arrival in Cannes, France. This tour involves an extensive amount of activity, and is recommended for guests in good physical condition. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe sneakers and sun protection are recommended. Guests must be at least eight years old to participate on this tour. Guests must weigh less than 200 pounds to participate on this tour. Space on this tour is extremely limited; we suggest you book well in advance to avoid disappointment.

## Silver Shore "Privato"

Explore the surrounding at your leisure during your private tour. Customize your own itinerary or choose to see and overview of the area's highlights. Please note: This tour is non-refundable if cancelled within 48 hours prior to arrival in the port. Actual vehicle type varies depending on availability. Guide is English-speaking. The price, exclusive of meals, entrance fees and gratuities, is per vehicle. Therefore, when making your reservation, please indicate the number of vehicles, not the number of guests. Only one person in the party needs to reserve this program. Please see the Shore Concierge Office on board the ship to arrange your individual itinerary

CNE-V / SILVER SHORE PRIVATO: PRIVATE CAR & GUIDE (HALF-DAY)	DIFFICULTY	$\bigcirc$
Price:\$999 ; Duration:4.00 hrs ; Capacity:2		<u></u>
CNE-X / SILVER SHORE PRIVATO: PRIVATE VAN & GUIDE (HALF-DAY)	DIFFICULTY	<b>0</b> 000
Price:\$1199 ; Duration:4.00 hrs ; Capacity:6		$\overline{\underline{\mathbb{Z}}} \leqslant$
CNE-M / SILVER SHORE PRIVATO: CôTE D'AZUR BY VINTAGE AUTO & DRIVER (HALF DAY)	DIFFICULTY	<b>0</b> 000
Price:\$999 ; Duration:4.00 hrs ; Capacity:2		

Explore the Côte d'Azur at your leisure during this half-day sightseeing tour via a chauffeur-driven vintage automobile. Depending on availability at the time of booking and season, your vintage automobile might be a 1935 Auburn, 1971 Buick, 1959 Chevrolet, Duesenberg, 1985 Series IV Excalibur, 1932 Ford Model A, 1966 Ford Mustang, or a 1956 Rolls Royce Silver Cloud.

Depart the pier with your English-speaking driver and discover the Côte d'Azur at your own pace. You may opt for destinations suited to your individual tastes and preferences, or choose to see an overview of the highlights located between Cannes and. Monaco Popular routes include a

drive to the outskirts of Monaco, which overlooks the world-renowned Principality, or possibly along one of the spectacular 'Corniche' roads or coastal road offering breath-taking vistas overlooking the coast.

Noteworthy sights to be seen include the, Promenade des Anglais ,the Old Town of Nice, Chagall Museum, Place Massena, Castle Hill of Eze, Villa & Jardins Ephrussi de Rothschild, and or Saint-Paul-de-Vence, among others. Your exclusive tour of the Côte d'Azur concludes back at the pier.

Please note: This tour is non-refundable if cancelled within 48 hours prior to arrival in the port. Actual vehicle type cannot be guaranteed, and varies depending on availability at the time of booking. Most vehicles are not air-cooled, but do have seatbelts. Since most of the vintage automobiles are convertibles, sun protection is recommended. Participation is limited to 2 guests per car. The price, exclusive of meals, entrance fees and gratuities, is per vehicle. Therefore, when making your reservation, please indicate the number of vehicles, not the number of guests. Only one person in the party needs to reserve this program. Please see the Shore Concierge Office on board the ship to arrange your individual itinerary. Space on this tour is extremely limited; we suggest you book well in advance to avoid disappointment.

## October 12 2018, Friday

# Barcelona - Spain

#### BCN-A / GAUDÍ'S BARCELONA

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price: \$99; Duration: 5.00 hrs

Discover the whimsical art of the city's most famous architect, Antonio Gaudí, during this scenic, half-day sightseeing tour of Barcelona. Depart the pier for the drive through the centre of the city towards the north and Colonia Güell.

#### Colonia Güell

A jewel of modernism still relatively unknown to the big public, Colonia Güell remains today as one of the most secret treasures of Catalan architecture genious Antoni Gaudí. Conceived as an industrial village to accommodate factory workers, Gaudi was in charge of building the church of the installations and even though the temple remained unfinished, the crypt is considered a culminating point of his works: the construction including for the first time practically all of his architectural innovations. After a guided visit, your tour continues on with a visit to the Church of the Holy Family, or, 'La Sagrada Familia'.

#### La Sagrada Familia

This monumental but unfinished church is Gaudí's most famous masterpiece. Its towering spires are Barcelona's most prominent landmark. Many of the steeples Gaudí envisioned have not yet been built, and much of the structure is still exposed to the heavens. Take a walk around this unfinished church on an exterior visit for photos before continuing your drive through the Eixample District.

#### **Eixample District Tour**

The Eixample District is home to some of Barcelona's most stunning examples of Modernist architecture, especially along the elegant Passeig de Gracia. Important buildings such as the Pedrera House, the Batllo House and the Ametller House line this impressive thoroughfare.

#### Casa Batlló

Next, a visit is made to Casa Batlló. Originally a residence of a wealthy industrialist, Gaudí completely renovated the building between 1904 and 1906, and its façade is unsurpassed in the entire city. There are no corners; even the walls are rounded and the tile roof depicts the back of a dragon. Your guided walking tour of this Gaudí masterpiece includes the impressive main floor and rooftop, which features whimsical chimneys and offers spectacular views over the city.

Following your visit, re-board your coach for the return drive to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking, with several steps to negotiate at the Casa Batlló (4 floors). It is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. Barcelona's City Government will no longer allow motor-coaches to drive by or stop near the Sagrada Familia. Respectful attire that covers the shoulders and knees should be worn in order to enter the crypt. Photos and video are not allowed inside the crypt. Motor-coaches are required to park in a parking lot approximately 2-3 blocks away from the Sagrada Familia. This will add an approximate 10 to 15 minute walk to and from Sagrada Familia (30 minutes total) and the order of sites visited may vary.

#### BCN-B / GOTHIC QUARTER & PUBLIC MARKETS

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$99; Duration: 4.00 hrs



From the comfort of your coach, enjoy the views of Columbus Monument, the Old Port's installations, the Noucentist Avenue of Via Laietana and the Roman City Walls, until reaching the millenary heart of Barcelona and immersing in your enchanting traditional Markets walk through the ancient Barri Gotic - the Gothic Quarter.

#### Gothic Quarter

An island within the urban metropolis with narrow streets of ancient stone and historical buildings, the Gothic Quarter hosts the eternal administrative core of the city, with both the Palau de la Generalitat (Catalan Government palace) and l'Ajuntament (Town Hall), located on opposite sides of the over five centuries old Sant Jaume's Square. Follow your guide too through the vestiges of the Old Roman City of Barcino, medieval palaces and squares such as Plaça del Rei and Barcelona's main Cathedral of Santa Eulalia.

#### **Public Markets**

Just across Via Laietana, the oldest "path" in town, you will also visit the renewed Mercat of Santa Catarina, a place to taste a market snack and the flavour of local life, indeed a magnificent showcase of tradition, architectural innovation and recent archaeological excavations.

#### La Boqueria

A lovely route which will bring you to the very entrance of the Mercat of La Boqueria, Barcelona's most popular and colourful market, where time will also be provided to enjoy the lively atmosphere of the place and sample local products, direct from a market stall.

#### Las Ramblas

Returning to the maze of the Gothic area, and on your way to Barcelona's world famous boulevard of Las Ramblas, you will discover with your guide some of the city's most beautiful and hidden corners such as the square and church of Sant Felip Neri (architect Antoni Gaudí's daily place of confession), the alleys of the Medieval Jewish Ghetto, El Call, or the charming surroundings of the medieval Cathedral of Santa María del Pí. Of course, your tour could not be completed without a stroll through the widely known and always vibrant tree-shaded Las Ramblas. Free time will be provided for you to browse among the souvenir and traditional goods shops of the area, finishing your tour with a visit to Plaça Catalunya, Barcelona's main square and the real hub between the old and the new city.

Please note: This tour requires approximately three hours of moderate walking over flat, inclined and uneven surfaces with extended periods of standing. This tour is not recommended for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. The tour sequence may vary to avoid congestion.

#### **BCN-C / BARCELONA CITY SIGHTS**

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$69; Duration:3.50 hrs



Experience the beauty of Barcelona during this scenic panoramic tour of the city and its surrounding areas.

#### Olympic Port

Departing the pier, your immersion into Barcelona's history will be immediate with a pass by the Columbus Monument and the Old Port, while on your way to the Arc de Triomf and the Ciutadella Park; both the legacy from the 1888 World Exhibition and, the latter, once the garrison that protected the city. After a short drive arrive at Barcelona's Olympic port and enjoy some free time to really experience this window into the Mediterranean and the seducing atmosphere of this beautifully renovated restaurant and yacht's promenade.

#### Passeig de Gracia

Going back from shore side into town, your coach will proceed through Marina Avenue towards Diagonal until reaching the worldwide famous boulevard of Passeig de Gràcia; the tribute to modernism hosting Barcelona's most famed buildings, among those Antoní Gaudi's Casa Mila and Casa Batlló.

#### Montjuic Hill

Complete this panoramic tour with a drive through Plaça Espanya, the Fair and Congress Palace and María Cristina Avenue on the way to Montjuic Hill. Enjoy a photo stop from a scenic Montjuic's mirador with some of the best views over the city.

Return on your coach to the pier and your ship.

Please note: This tour requires a minimal amount of walking; however, all guests must be able to embark/disembark the coach via steps. Guests are not allowed to remain on the vehicle during any of the stops. This tour is suitable for guests with limited mobility and those who utilise a wheelchair (foldable wheelchairs only). The tour sequence may vary. Wear comfortable clothing and flat walking shoes for the stops and free time.

#### BCN-D / HELICOPTER OVER BARCELONA

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$199; Duration:0.67 hrs



Experience the beauty of Barcelona from a unique perspective during this scenic and exhilarating flight-seeing excursion over the coast of Barcelona city.

Depart the pier for the brief transfer to the helipad on Barcelona's harbour. Upon arrival, receive your safety and tour briefing before boarding the helicopter and commencing your 10-minute flightseeing tour.

After lift-off, marvel at the natural boundaries of Barcelona, including the mountains, rivers and the sea. In addition, take in splendid views from the coast of Barcelona where you will be able to see from a distance the most iconic landmarks as the city gates, the Forum, Torre Agbar, Gaudí's temple - La Sagrada Familia, Tibidabo Hills, avenues, and squares.

Your tour concludes with a brief transfer back to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires a minimal amount of walking and is suitable for guests with limited mobility, able to climb in and out of the helicopter. Tour is priced based on a minimum of three guests per helicopter; the helicopter may not be exclusive to Silversea if all seats are not occupied. Seating on the helicopter is at the discretion of the pilot, based on weightand balance of the aircraft (window seat cannot be guaranteed). Maximum participant weight is 242 pounds (110 kg/17 stone). Provider reserves the right to weigh all passengers before boarding the helicopter to confirm passenger weight. Guest will have to occupy and pay two spaces if over weight limit. Flight route may vary and the tour's operation is subject to favourable weather conditions; please also note that aircraft weight balance might occasionally be altered by unforeseen atmospheric conditions (excessive Summer heat peak, for example) and if safety scales read negative, provider are obliged by law to cancel all flights in such a case. The helicopter flies through the coast of Barcelona to minimise noise. Guests should be comfortable flying in a light weight aircraft and not suffer from motion sickness. All guests must bring their passports. Participation is very limited; we suggest you book early.

#### **BCN-E / MONTSERRAT**

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$229; Duration:7.00 hrs



Discover the splendid beauty and history of Montserrat in a unique new way during this full-day excursion via rack railway train to the top of Montserrat ridge. See the Monastery and all its grandeur and then have lunch at a local restaurant.

#### Scenic Drive to Montserrat

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximate 75-minute drive towards Montserrat, Catalan for the 'Sawed Mountain'. One of Europe's oldest and most unusual geological formations, the Montserrat ridge is an amazing and massive mountain chain of rock spurs that rise skyward in the middle of the Catalan countryside.

#### Mountain Train Ride

Upon arrival at the village of Monistrol, board a rack railway train for a breath-taking ride to the abbey of a secluded millenary Benedictine community perched amongst the peaks at a height of over 2,000 feet (610 metres) above sea level. Marvel at the spectacular panoramic views over Catalonia, learn about the local history and lore, and take a guided stroll to the main square.

#### Montserrat Monastery

Next, a visit is made to the Monastery. Here, see 'La Moreneta', the legendary Black Madonna, which presides over the basilica and has been darkened by the smoke of millions of candles throughout the centuries.

#### Shopping and Lunch

Afterward, some free time is made available for browsing and shopping before proceeding for lunch at a local restaurant. At the conclusion of this excursion, walk back to your coach and commence the approximate 75-minute drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and train. Walking in Montserrat is at the discretion of each guest. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes, and sun protection are recommended. Proper attire is required to enter the monastery; shorts and bare shoulders are not permitted. Space on this tour is extremely limited; we suggest you book well in advance to avoid disappointment. If a religious service is taking place, guided groups might not be allowed inside, but guest could explore the temple independently on their own. Due to the local political situation, transportation strikes may occur which could affect the railway portion of this programme. Queuing is to be expected if wishing to touch the Black Virgin when open to the public (times might change without notice).

#### BCN-G / CLUB DE GOLF DE BARCELONA

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$599; Duration:7.00 hrs



Escape for a day of play at one of Barcelona's top golf courses, Club de Golf de Barcelona. The two golf courses were designed by José Maria Olazábal, the well-known professional Spanish golf player, who has enjoyed success on both the European Tour and the PGA Tour. The golf is

open to the public 12 months a year and offers a practice course. This sprawling club has a Club House that provides facilities such as, open air and air conditioned swimming pool, tennis courts, a sauna and restaurants

The first course is 18 holes and is where the Spanish Professional Championship took place. It is an excellent course for keen golfers who enjoy a challenge and a bit of competition. The second course, has 9 holes, and makes for an excellent and an enjoyable day of golf for both amateurs and professionals.

Positioned so that it has a spectacular view of the Montserrat Mountains, this day of golf will make for a very enjoy able, and scenic, day.

This golfing excursion includes private transfers between the pier and the course, an English speaking escort, green fee and shared cart rental. Course One is 18 holes and is Par 72. Course Two is 9 and is Par 31. This excursion is recommended for average to experienced golfers. Club rental is not included and payment can be made to the club directly. Lunch and beverages are available for purchase in the club house. Bring local currency and a credit card. All guests must wear a collar or mock shirt only, tailored trousers/shorts/skirts, and socks and closed-toe shoes suitable for golfing. Price is based on 4 guests, with two guests sharing one cart.

#### Silver Shore "Privato"

Explore the surrounding at your leisure during your private tour. Customize your own itinerary or choose to see and overview of the area's highlights. Please note: This tour is non-refundable if cancelled within 48 hours prior to arrival in the port. Actual vehicle type varies depending on availability. Guide is English-speaking. The price, exclusive of meals, entrance fees and gratuities, is per vehicle. Therefore, when making your reservation, please indicate the number of vehicles, not the number of guests. Only one person in the party needs to reserve this program. Please see the Shore Concierge Office on board the ship to arrange your individual itinerary

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## October 13 2018, Saturday

# Palma de Mallorca - Spain

PMI-A / PALMA HIGHLIGHTS DIFFICULTY

Price:\$59; Duration:3.50 hrs

Experience the scenic beauty and historic legacy of the Balearic Islands during this memorable sightseeing tour of Palma. Palma de Mallorca comes as a surprise to many people - it is stylish, sophisticated, intimate, yet bursting with life. Located on the southern shores of Mallorca, the island's capital city looks out over the sparkling blue seas of the Mediterranean.

Depart the pier for the brief drive to the hilltop location of Bellver Castle.

#### Bellver Castle

Upon arrival at this beautifully-restored former royal stronghold, walk from the coach parking area and across a drawbridge en route to the entrance. During your walking tour inside the castle, see the arcades gracing the circular courtyard and interesting artefacts in a number of rooms. Staircases lead to the upper levels, which offer spectacular views and photo opportunities over Palma and the distant mountains.

#### City Sights

After re-boarding the coach, your drive continues into the city centre, and passes through residential and commercial areas. Upon arrival at the downtown coach parking area, commence your guided walking tour through the historic Old Quarter. Palma's most beautiful and impressive section, it is filled with stately Mallorcan buildings and home to the majestic La Seo Cathedral.

#### La Seu Cathedral

With its huge flying buttresses, the La Seu Cathedral looms over the Parque de la Mar. The dramatic sides of this great edifice rise up in Gothic splendour. The sight has drawn admiration from numerous literary figures, including the French writer, George Sand. During your visit, marvel at the cathedral's breath-taking interior. The rose window is said to be the world's largest.

From here the walking tour continues through the Old Quarter. Along the way, your guide points out major highlights reminiscent of the golden vears of Mallorcan nobility.

Following your visit, re-board the coach and drive back to the port along the seafront, which features the yacht-filled marina on one side, and hotels and restaurants on the other. You may choose to proceed directly to the ship, or remain in town and return to the pier at your leisure.

Please note: This tour requires an extensive amount of walking, with many steps leading up to the Bellver Castle and Cathedral, and is not recommended for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. The tour sequence may vary. Should the Cathedral be closed due to a Sunday, Bank Holiday or special event, the jewish quarter and noble quarters will be visited instead.

#### PMI-B / VINTAGE TRAIN TO SOLLER VILLAGE

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$89; Duration:4.00 hrs

Discover some of the most scenic parts of Mallorca during this picturesque ride on the Soller Railway, and a visit to the lovely village of Soller. The railway is characterized, amongst other things, by the fact that it is narrow gauge, the track width being 914 mm (approximately 1-yard), which is infrequent nowadays; moreover its rolling stock is extremely varied and meticulously finished, and maintained using traditional methods. Depart the pier for the approximate 50-minute sightseeing drive through Palma, and on to the Son Reus Train Station.

#### Soller Railway Journey

Upon arrival, board the historic Soller train. The Soller Railway has been running a daily train service along the 17-mile (27-kilometre) route between Palma de Mallorca and Soller, without interruption, since 1912.

Your scenic, 45-minute journey is an enchanting voyage highlighted by beautiful panoramic views of the Mallorcan Mountains, orange groves and small, fairy tale like villages. Pass through 13 tunnels and numerous bridges before arriving at Soller. After some free time in the beautiful village of Soller, board a coach for the drive back to the ship.

#### Soller

Set in a lush valley of orange groves between the mountains and the sea, Soller is popular with day trippers who arrive on the vintage train from Palma and seem to do little but sit outside the cafes in Placa Constitucion soaking up the atmosphere and the sun.

Explore this beautiful village in the middle of the mountains with lovely bars and shops, the pretty church of San Bartolomé, and the Town Hall.

After some free time, return to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking on uneven pathways, with some steps to negotiate at Soller Station. Total distance walked is approximately 1000 m (.62 miles). The train is not air-conditioned or wheelchair-accessible, and has wooden seats. The train journey is not exclusive to Silversea guests.

#### PMI-C / VALDEMOSSA & DEIá

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$259: Duration:6.50 hrs

Discover some of the most scenic parts of Mallorca and visit the island's most outstanding attractions during a visit to Valldemossa, the Son Marroig Lookout and the lovely village of Deiá. The drive up to Valldemossa and along the coast to Deia is one of the most breathtaking and stunning drives in Mallorca. With spectacular scenery across the Mediterranean Sea and countryside this makes a great drive.

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximate 30-minute drive to Valldemosa, which is renowned for its picturesque setting on the slopes of Mallorca's northern mountain range. Upon arrival, a visit is made to the Carthusian Monastery.

#### Carthusian Monastery

This 17th-century monastery, also known as 'Cartuja', is famous for its beautiful cloisters and gardens. More importantly, it housed two illustrious guests, composer Frédéric Chopin and novelist George Sand, during the winter of 1838-39. A guided tour of the monastery includes the cloisters, the 18th-century pharmacy, the former monks' cells and the rooms once occupied by the famous couple.

#### Theatre of King Sancho

Next, proceed to the adjacent Theatre of King Sancho for a brief piano recital of Chopin's music, then stop for a glass of wine or a soft drink at a nearby restaurant. Afterward, re-board your coach for the drive along a winding road and past cliffs more than 1,300 feet (390 metres) high en route to the picturesque village of Deiá. Before reaching Deiá, a photo stop is made at Son Marroig.

#### Son Marroig

This stunning estate is renowned for its picturesque setting on the slopes of Mallorca's northern mountain range. Formerly the residence of the Archduke Ludwig Salvatore of Austria, the home (now a museum) offers spectacular views of the coastline and Foradada, a locally-renowned rock formation rising from the sea. Leaving Son Marroig, your drive continues on to Deiá.

#### Deiá

Perched on a hillside amidst olive and almond trees, this quaint village with its red-roofed houses has been a favourite among writers and artists for many years. Upon arrival, some free time is made available to explore the village's narrow, winding streets. A visit is then made to the deluxe hotel, *La Residencia*, where lunch is served at the hotel's famous *El Olivo* restaurant.

#### El Olivo Restaurant (or Café Miró at La Residencia Hotel)

Renowned as one of the best and most romantic restaurants in Spain, it has received the Award of Excellence by the prestigious *Wine Spectator* magazine for four consecutive years. After lunch in your exclusive surroundings, re-board the coach for the return drive to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires an extensive amount of walking over uneven pathways, approximately 800 m (.50 mile). This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those guests that utilise a wheelchair. Participation is extremely limited. We suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

#### PMI-D / BIKING IN PALMA

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$109; Duration:4.00 hrs

Indulge your senses with the fresh air, great outdoors and scenic beauty of Palma during this memorable bicycle tour through the historic Old Town. Together with your English speaking guide, discover all of the "must see" spots in a fun, safe, insightful and most important, eco-friendly way. Learn of the history, the traditions and of the present of this fascinating city.

#### Palma de Mallorca

Once ashore, meet your guide, receive your safety briefing, bicycle and helmet, then follow the dedicated bicycle lane along the bay and into the city. Your route proceeds for approximately 100 yards (about 91 meters) on top of the old city wall before entering the small and shady alleyways of the Old Town.

En route, discover churches, small monasteries and old aristocrat's mansions featuring cozy patios and enchanting small plazas. Along the way, your guide offers interesting commentary about your surroundings, and points out interesting sights.

Halfway through the ride, a refreshment stop is made at a local tavern before continuing on your bicycle tour, which concludes back at the pier.

Please note: The total route travelled is 6-8 miles (10-12 kilometres) over mostly flat surfaces. This tour is only recommended for guests in good physical condition and is not recommended for guests with limited mobility or guests who utilise a wheelchair. Safety equipment is provided and must be worn. Participation is limited and we suggest booking early as to avoid disappointment.

#### PMI-E / HELICOPTER FLIGHTSEEING OVER PALMA

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$499; Duration:2.00 hrs



Embrace the spectacular beauty of Palma de Mallorca in a unique new way during this unforgettable flight-seeing excursion via helicopter. Turn your day in Mallorca into an unforgettable experience and see stunning views making memories for a lifetime.

#### Helicopter Flightseeing

Depart the pier for a scenic 30-minute drive to the Son Bonet Airport. Upon arrival, receive your safety briefing and passport check, and then board your awaiting helicopter for a breathtaking, 30-minute flight-seeing excursion.

Your flight-seeing route sweeps over the roofs of Palma, along the impressive cliff facing west and through the Serra de Tramuntana. From here, pass over idyllic beaches, hidden bays, bustling ports, picturesque mountain villages, and remote interior sections.

At the conclusion of this memorable flight-seeing excursion, return to the airport, re-board your coach and commence the approximate 30-minute drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a minimal amount of walking, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and helicopter. This tour is not suitable for guests who are pregnant, with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Guests are required to carry a valid passport to participate on this tour. Minimum age to participate is 6 years old. Maximum weight per guest is 110 kg (243 lbs. / 17 Stone). Operation of this tour is subject to weather conditions. Space on this tour is extremely limited; we suggest you book well in advance to avoid disappointment.

#### PMI-F / VALLDEMOSSA & LA GRANJA

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$59; Duration:4.50 hrs

Experience the exquisite beauty and flavours of Mallorca during this delightful, half-day sightseeing excursion. Drive to Valldemosssa and La Granja; in La Granja discover how this place was greatly valued in Roman times. La Granja is the result of many periods and changes and today is a mixture of both stately and rustic styles.

#### Son Marroig

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximately 45-minute drive along the rugged northern coast to Son Marroig. En route, pass by majestic mountains, beautiful pine forests and groves of almond and olive trees. Upon arrival at Son Marroig, a stop is made for wonderful views and photo opportunities of Majorcan's northern coastline.

#### Valldemossa and Carthusian Monastery

Next, re-board your coach and continue on to Valldemossa, one of the most beautiful villages on the island. Nestled in a valley on the northern mountain range of Mallorca, Valldemossa is surrounded by mountains and woodland. Upon arrival, visit the famous Carthusian Monastery, which is now a museum. Afterward, some free time is made available for browsing and exploring Valldemossa at your leisure, and shopping for local handicrafts such as ceramics, honey, olive wood goods and almond oil beauty treatments.

#### La Granja and Wine Tasting

Your final stop is at La Granja de Esporles. Surrounded by beautiful fountains and lush formal gardens, this superb, 17th-century Majorcan manor house was built by a noble family on the site of a 10th-century farm belonging to monks. Upon arrival, some free time is made available to explore the grounds and interior of the house, which is now a museum. During your visit, stop by the wine cellar for an opportunity to sample local wines and Majorcan specialities. At the conclusion of your visit, re-board your coach and commence the approximately 30-minute drive back to the pier via Esporles Village.

Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of walking for approximately 0.6 miles (about 900 metres), at times over uneven surfaces, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and 40 steps at La Granja. Walking in Valldemossa and at La Granja is at the discretion of each guest. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Guests must be at least 21 years old to participate in tastings of alcoholic beverages.

#### PMI-G / CAVES OF DRACH

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$69; Duration:5.00 hrs

Unveil the mystery of Mallorcan pearls during this half-day journey to the renowned Caves of Drach, and a subterranean classical concert at one of the world's largest underwater lakes. The caves have formed by water being forced through the entrance from the Mediterranean Sea, and some researchers think the formation may date back to the Miocene. There is an underground lake situated in the caves called Martel Lake. Depart the pier for the approximately one-hour drive to the island's interior, and a visit to the village of Montuiri.

#### Montuiri

Visit the Factory & Museum in Montuiri with more than 7.000 sqm, where you can follow the complete Manufacturing Process of the Pearls & Jewels:

The creation of the Pearl nucleus, the baths with its unique formula, and the manual knotting of the necklaces and bracelets using a technique that has not changed in the last 100 years. All this in the hands of more than 50 operators that you can see working live, as this is the only factory of Mallorca pearls that can still be visited on the island. The history of the Mallorca pearls, dates back to the early twentieth century, when Japan interrupts its production of cultured pearls because of WW1. In order to meet the international demand, the Pearl production is introduced in Mallorca, in small workshops where the natural process of the oyster is artisanal produced. The store exhibition, with more than 2.500 sqm is considered the largest exhibition of pearls in the country. More than 3.000 designs of jewelry in Natural pearls, Cultured pearls and Majorca Pearls.

#### Caves of Drack

Next, re-board your coach for the drive to the Caves of Drach, or 'Cuevas del Drach', located near Porto Cristo. Perhaps as famous as the pearls, the caves were believed to have been discovered in the 12th century. In 1929, a visitor's entrance was built at the caves, and in 1935, the caves' interior was artistically illuminated for the first time. Today, the caves offer a surreal experience to visitors strolling through their ancient rooms. Dramatic lighting highlights the grottoes and silhouettes of immense stalagmites and stalactites.

During your walking tour inside the cave, see formations with names like 'Snow Mountain', 'The Ruined Castle', and 'Diana's Baths' en route to the shore of Lake Martel, one of the largest subterranean lakes in the world. Here, a short concert of classical pieces is accompanied by the interplay of shadows and light against the water.

Following your exploration of the caves, re-board the coach for the approximately one-hour return drive to the ship in Palma.

Please note: This tour requires an extensive amount of walking, with 120 steps to negotiate in the caves. This tour is not recommended for guests with limited mobility or guests who utilise a wheelchair. No photography or video is permitted in the caves.

#### Silver Shore "Privato"

Explore the surrounding at your leisure during your private tour. Customize your own itinerary or choose to see and overview of the area's highlights. Please note: This tour is non-refundable if cancelled within 48 hours prior to arrival in the port. Actual vehicle type varies depending on availability. Guide is English-speaking. The price, exclusive of meals, entrance fees and gratuities, is per vehicle. Therefore, when making your reservation, please indicate the number of vehicles, not the number of guests. Only one person in the party needs to reserve this program. Please see the Shore Concierge Office on board the ship to arrange your individual itinerary

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# October 14 2018, Sunday

# Cartagena - Spain

CAR-A / CARTAGENA!

DIFFICULTY

Price:\$89; Duration:4.00 hrs

Discover why Cartagena was such a crossroads of culture and one of the most important cities in the ancient world during this half-day tour. Cartagena is a charming, compact, coastal city that became great during the Roman times when Hannibal set off from it with his elephants on his journey to Rome.

#### Castillo de la Concepcion

From the pier, a short coach ride will bring you to the boarding point for the panoramic lift that will bring you up to the highest point in Cartagena. At its peak is the Castillo de la Concepcion that offers sweeping views of the city and across the port. While the castle was important throughout the history of Cartagena, today it is known as Castillo de los Patos (ducks) as it is now home to peacocks and ducks.

#### Roman Theatre

Board the coach and proceed to the Roman Theatre. The site was discovered in 1988 and following a large excavation project, the site is now open to visitors. The Museum allows you to see how the Theatre looked in Roman times. Many of the remains that were discovered during the excavation are on display. However, the highlight is when you enter the theatre itself and experience to enormity of the site.

#### Old Quarter

From the theatre walk to the Old Quarter and see the several Modernist (also known as Art Nouveau) town houses built in the city's last period of splendour between the late 19th and early 20th centuries, all of which have interesting stories to tell. Enjoy some free time for either a refreshment (at your own expense), or browse the fashion shops along Calle Mayor, the main street in town.

Re-board your coach and return to the pier area and your ship.

Please Note: This tour requires a considerable amount of walking, approximately 3500m (2.25 miles) with several steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate in the Roman Theatre. Comfortable clothing, sturdy walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. It is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. The order of sites visited may vary.

#### CAR-B / BEST OF MURCIA

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$99: Duration: 4.50 hrs

Located in the foothills of the Sierra Carascoy is Murcia, which dates from the 9th century and offers an array of architectural delights. Murcia is one of Spain's least known regions, even among Spaniards themselves, and first-time visitors are often surprised by the diversity of this small region and the friendliness of its people. Despite its growing popularity, the region remains relatively unspoilt compared to the more crowded Costa del Sol and Costa Blanca. Fruits and market-garden products are important to the Murcian economy, and are exported all over Europe. Depart Cartagena by coach for the approximate 1-hour journey through the foothills of the Sierra Carrascoy.

#### Murcia

Your destination is the Capital of the province Murcia. Settled by the Moors in the 9th century and conquered by the Christians in the 13th century, this bustling city offers an array of architectural delights.

#### Monastery of the Virgin of Fuensanta

Your first stop is the Monastery of the Virgin of Fuensanta (the Patroness of Murcia). Enjoy a panoramic view of the Murcian orchards, the most productive in both fruits and vegetables in all of the Mediterranean.

You'll also visit the Cathedral in Cardenal Belluga Square, where you will see three different architectural styles, Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque. Next to the Cathedral you'll see the Episcopal Palace.

#### Royal Casino

The Royal Casino of Murcia is one of the most historic buildings, situated in the heart of the city centre not far from the cathedral, has a mixture of different artistic styles. In 1983 it was declared a National historic building. The Royal Casino of Murcia Society, founded on 11th June 1847, first started in the mansion of Marqués and later various other properties were acquired to form the present layout.

Although, this is still an acting private club, the ground floor is being kept open to public and cultural events. After a period of decline in the second half of the 20th century, the Royal Casino of Murcia Society has recently been revived considerably. Between 2006 and 2009 the building was completely refurbished and King Don Juan Carlos I granted the Casino the title 'Real' (Royal). Very complete refurbishments was done including structures, foundations, floors, walls, roofs and all of the decorative features including historic furniture, lamps and artwork. Many of the rooms were restored to their original decor and added latest technology throughout the building.

You'll also have some free time for a stroll on your own near the cathedral before boarding the coach to return to Cartagena.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking for approximately 3500m (2.25 miles) over paved and cobblestone surfaces with some steps. It is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. The order of visits may vary, which could depend on group sizes. We recommend wearing comfortable clothing, walking shoes and sun protection.

#### CAR-C / JUMILLA WINE REGION

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$129; Duration:5.50 hrs

Jumilla is a small town and name of the province's most important wine-producing region. Located to the northwest of the capital city of Murcia, it is an area made up of wide valleys separated by a chain of rocky mountains. Jumilla has had an important wine making tradition for centuries and today is recognized as ones of Spain's most promising wine regions. It has begun to receive international acclaim for its Monastrell based wines, which are conquering markets the world over.

Depart the pier in your coach for the approximate 1.5-hour drive through the countryside.

#### **BSI Winery**

Your first visit will be at BSI winery which is the first producer of wines in the Jumilla wine growing area, that export more than half their production. Enjoy a visit to see the vats and barrels, learning the history and characteristics of the different Jumilla wines, along with a taste of two of their productions.

#### Viña Elena

Continue your tour to the Viña Elena, one of the oldest family-run bodegas in the region. Originally known as Bodegas Pacheco, the bodega will give you a chance to take a step back in time to witness the impressive evolution that has made the business what it is today. Have the opportunity to taste three of their wines.

After visiting the wineries re-board your coach for the drive back to the pier and your ship.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking for approximately 1500m (1 mile) and some standing at times during the winery tours. This tour is not suitable for guests utilising a wheelchair or those with limited mobility. We recommend wearing comfortable clothing, flat, walking shoes and sun protection. The order of visits may vary.

#### CAR-D / CARTAGENA BY SEGWAY

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$109; Duration:1.50 hrs



Explore the history and cultures of Cartagena in a unique new way during this fun-filled and exciting excursion via Segway. Accompanied by your guide, learn the epic history of this beautiful city.

#### **Segway Tour**

After receiving your safety and operating instructions, board your Segway and depart the pier for a guided tour of Cartagena. Along the way, discover why Cartagena was a crossroad of cultures and one of the most important cities in ancient times.

#### Roman Theatre

Your route features historical, monumental and commercial pathways through Cartagena. Highlights include vestiges of a period of Roman colonisation dating from the 3rd century B.C., including the magnificent remains of the Roman Theatre. Discovered by sheer chance only 20 years ago, this spectacular historic site remains in a state of ongoing restoration to this day.

After spending time with your coordinator during this ride through history you will be accompanied back to the pier area.

Your Segway tour concludes at the pier and your ship.

Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of activity and is recommended for those guests in good physical shape. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Guests must weigh more than 88 pounds (40 kilograms/6.3 stone) and less than 265 pounds (120 kilograms/19 stone) to participate on this tour. Guests must be at least 4.6 feet (140 centimetres) and less than 6.5 feet (200 centimetres) in height to participate on this tour.

#### CAR-E / CULINARY STROLL THROUGH CARTAGENA

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$119: Duration:3.50 hrs

Experience the splendid flavours, traditions and landmarks of Cartagena on-foot during this delightful, half-day excursion to the city's Old Quarter. The best way to discover a country is with your senses; to see, taste, smell, feel and hear.

#### Old Quarter

Depart the pier for a scenic walking tour of this beautiful ancient city. Along the way, see the many wonderful sights of the historic Old Quarter and learn how everyday life has evolved here over the last 2,500 years.

#### Paella and Tapas Demonstration

Next, proceed to a local restaurant for a memorable and informative paella and tapas demonstration. Discover the secrets to preparing some of their many diverse forms, assist in the preparation of a paella and two different types of tapas, then dine on the dishes you have helped to prepare.

Following your cooking lesson and meal, proceed to a wine tasting featuring superb wines from nearby regions such as Jumilla and Yecla, which has been renowned for its wine production for over 2,000 years. Jumilla has had an important wine making tradition for centuries and today is recognized as one of Spain's most promising wine regions. It has begun to receive international acclaim for some of its wines, which are conquering markets the world over. Yecla is a Spanish Denominación de Origen (D.O.) for wines located around the town of Yecla, in the northernmost corner of the region of Murcia. Findings from excavations have confirmed that grape growing and wine production has been practiced in this area for over two thousand years.

Afterward, you may opt to return to the pier on-foot, or remain in the city for additional sightseeing and shopping, and return to the ship at your leisure.

Please note: This tour involves an extensive amount of walking for approximately 1.25 miles (2 kilometres), at times over uneven surfaces. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Guests must be at least 21 years old to participate in tastings of alcoholic beverages. The tour sequence may vary. Space on this tour is extremely limited; we suggest you book well in advance to avoid disappointment.

#### CAR-F / THE ANDALUSIAN-SPANISH HORSE

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$139; Duration:3.50 hrs

Explore the history, training and talents of purebred Spanish horses during this memorable, half-day excursion to a traditional hacienda.

#### Andalusian Horse Ranch, Stallions and 'Stampede' Show

Depart the pier for the short drive to a traditional, privately-owned and run ranch. Upon arrival, proceed for a welcome reception with coffee and biscuits, observe a presentation of the ranch's best stallions and take in an impressive 'stampede' show featuring these elegant, graceful and noble steeds.

#### Ranch Tour, Meet the Horses, Tapas, and Horse-and-Dance Performance

Next, take a guided tour of the ranch. Along the way, learn about the breeding, training and management of these beautiful, purebred Spanish horses, and meet some of the docile, friendly mares and foals. Afterward, relax with a delightful selection of Spanish tapas, locally-made in an area famous for its wine and olive oil production. Your tour concludes with a traditional Andalusian horse-and-dance performance. At the conclusion of your visit, re-board your coach and commence the short drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking and standing for approximately 383 yards (about 300 metres), at times over grassy, gravel, muddy and uneven surfaces, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Guests are advised to wear lightweight, comfortable clothing with flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection if visiting during summer. Guests are advised to wear warm, comfortable clothing with flat, closed-toe walking shoes, and bring sun protection and a weatherproof jacket from the ship if visiting during winter. The tour sequence may vary.

#### CAR-G / CARTAGENA BY TROLLEY TRAIN

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$69; Duration:2.00 hrs

Discover Cartagena in a unique new way during this scenic and relaxing sightseeing excursion via trolley train.

#### Cartagena, Trolley Train-Ride, Monuments, Military Buildings, Modernist Palaces, City Centre

Depart the pier aboard a trolley train for a picturesque ride through Cartagena, parts of which date back 3,000 years. Along the way, learn about the legacy of the city whilst marvelling at the monuments, military buildings, beautiful Modernist palaces, and historical city centre.

#### Landmarks, Highlights, Refreshment Stop

During this fun-filled, narrated trolley tour, your guide points out the most interesting and popular areas and highlights of the city. A refreshment stop is made to enjoy a beverage, and watch the locals pass by. Afterward, re-board the trolley-train and commence the short ride back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking for approximately 547 yards (about 500 metres), with a few steps to negotiate to board/de-board the trolley train. This tour is suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing with flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection is recommended. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

## Silver Shore "Privato"

Explore the surrounding at your leisure during your private tour. Customize your own itinerary or choose to see and overview of the area's highlights. Please note: This tour is non-refundable if cancelled within 48 hours prior to arrival in the port. Actual vehicle type varies depending on availability. Guide is English-speaking. The price, exclusive of meals, entrance fees and gratuities, is per vehicle. Therefore, when making your reservation, please indicate the number of vehicles, not the number of guests. Only one person in the party needs to reserve this program. Please see the Shore Concierge Office on board the ship to arrange your individual itinerary

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#### CAR-Y / SILVER SHORE PRIVATO: PRIVATE VAN & GUIDE (FULL-DAY)

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$1599; Duration: 8.00 hrs; Capacity: 6



## October 15 2018, Monday

# Malaga - Spain

#### AGP-A / MáLAGA HIGHLIGHTS

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$69; Duration:4.00 hrs

Explore the splendid landmarks, attractions and architecture of the capital of the Costa del Sol during this scenic, half-day visit to Málaga, a historic and culturally rich provincial capital which has long lived in the shadow of the iconic Andalucian cities of Granada, Córdoba and Seville. Yet, it has rapidly emerged as the province's city of culture with its so-called 'mile of art' being compared to Madrid, and its dynamism and fine dining to Barcelona.

Depart the pier for the approximate 30-minute sightseeing drive along Alameda Boulevard en route to the hilltop location of Gibralfaro.

#### Gibralfaro

As you walk along the ramparts crowning the 560-foot (168-metre) summit, take in splendid views over the city, the harbour and the bullring. Afterward, re-board the coach for the drive back down to the city centre.

#### **Alcazaha**

From City Hall, take a brief walk to the Alcazaba. At the foot of this ancient fortress, view the excavated ruins of a Roman amphitheatre. The restored Alcazaba dates back to the 11th century, when the king of Granada ordered the fortress built and modelled on the style of the Alhambra. After the Christian conquest, the Catholic kings took over the Alcazaba, and King Philip IV used it as his Málaga residence. Leaving the Alcazaba, your walk continues on to the cathedral.

#### Cathedra

The cathedral's splendid interior is highlighted by exquisitely-carved choir stalls, and other fine examples of Spanish Renaissance sculpture.

Following your visit, some free time is made available to explore the surrounding area before re-boarding your coach for the drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires an extensive amount of walking, with stairs to negotiate at Gibralfaro and Alcazaba. Total distance on foot is approximately 1200m (.75 miles). It is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. The order of sites visited may vary. Proper attire is required to enter the Cathedral; no shorts or bare shoulders are permitted inside. We recommend wearing sturdy walking shoes and sun protection.

AGP-B / THE ALHAMBRA!

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$199; Duration:9.00 hrs

Experience the history and grandeur of one of Spain's most famous attractions during this full-day visit to Granada and the Alhambra Palace. Granada rose to fame when the Moors transferred the seat of their diminishing dominions to this city, which is located amidst the low foothills of the Sierra Nevada. Granada's crowning glory is the Alhambra, the Moorish citadel complex with its splendid palace overlooking the city. Depart the pier for the approximate 80-mile (129-kilometre) drive to Granada, with a comfort stop made en route.

#### The Alhambra

Upon reaching the Alhambra, the last capital of the Moors, meet the local guides and begin a walking tour of its magnificent buildings and gardens. A short walk takes you to the entrance of the vast complex. Begun in 1238 by the Moorish ruler Ibn el-Ahmer, the fortified hilltop complex became a world-renowned centre of art and culture. It was so impressive that the Christian conquerors of the day could not bear to destroy it. Today, the legendary Alhambra remains Spain's most outstanding symbol of Moorish heritage.

#### Royal Palace

Follow the guide through a maze of pathways and corridors to the Palacio Arabe. Its splendid interior captivates with an endless procession of intricately-carved ceilings, and beautiful tiled floors, walls, arches and fountains. Of special note is the impressive marble colonnade leading to

the Court of Myrtles and the Patio of the Lions. This famous courtyard, with its alabaster basin supported by 12 marble lions, is among the most photographed sites in Spain.

#### Generalife

Your walk continues along landscaped pathways to the Generalife, site of the Moorish rulers' summer palace. Its location on higher ground made it a pleasant and cool retreat. The gardens are renowned for their terraced flowerbeds, fountains and spectacular views of the city.

A short walk brings you for lunch to the Ruta del Veleta restaurant. After lunch, take a short drive to San Cristobal viewing point to make some panoramic pictures of the city of Granada, before commencing the return drive to Málaga.

Please note: This tour requires an extensive amount of walking (2.5 hours) inside the Alhambra. Distance on foot is approximately 1600m (1 mile). The drive between the pier and Granada is approximately two hours in each direction. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended.

Reservation note: due to a change in the reservation system of the Alhambra, the tickets are available approximately 2 months prior the call. Untill then, this tour can be booked on request only. The waitlisted bookings will be cleared following the order of reservation date. A message will be e-mailed to Silversea Guests to inform the new status of the booking.

#### AGP-C / THE VILLAGE OF MIJAS

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$69; Duration:4.00 hrs

Discover the beauty and charm of a typical Andalusian village during this scenic visit to Mijas. Mijas is both a charming traditional mountain villageand sophisticated, cosmopolitan city. The village emerges amidst evergreen pine trees, inviting you to explore its nooks and crannies and photograph the famous donkey "taxis".

Depart the pier for the scenic, one-hour drive from Málaga to Mijas. En route, proceed along Málaga's main avenue, which is lined by the City Hall, the old Customs Building and the main Post Office. Next, head out of Málaga and follow the Costa del Sol road, passing through the resorts of Torremolinos and Benalmadena. At Fuengirola, your drive turns inland and follows the winding road up to Mijas. Upon arrival, leave the coach in the parking area and explore the city centre on-foot.

#### Mijas

Gleaming white houses greet your arrival in this picturesque village situated at an altitude of 1,280 feet (384 metres). Many of the buildings in Mijas are decorated with iron grilles and brilliant flowers spilling over the walls. Its superb location and typical Andalusian ambience make Mijas a popular tourist spot.

Your guided tour begins with a walk through the narrow cobblestone streets, then ascends to the upper terraces with a visit in a small wine exposition, sampling a glass of wine is included. Some free time is then made available to explore the area at your leisure, or browse the Andalusian crafts found in the market centre. Another option is a ride on the Mijas donkey-taxi (be sure to establish the fare before starting out). Following your visit, re-board your coach for the one-hour return drive to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires a moderate amount of walking some of which is over cobbled surfaces, with some steps to climb. Total distance covered is approximately 500m (.30 miles). It is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Order of sights may vary. Traffic can affect the tour itinerary.

#### AGP-D / PICASSO & OLD MáLAGA

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$69; Duration:4.50 hrs

Málaga is not only the capital of the Costa del Sol, but also a cultural reference on a national and international level. Since opening in 2003, the Picasso museum has surpassed the most optimistic forecasts, enabling visitors to enjoy over two hundred major works by an artist considered to be the towering genius of 20th-century world painting.

#### Málaga

Depart the pier by walking into the city of Málaga, one of the oldest cities in the world, founded in the 8<sup>th</sup> century founded by the Phoenicians. Your first stop is Calle Larios, the main shopping street of Málaga.

Next, cross Constitution Square, then walk along Calle Granada to the Plaza de la Merced. Here, discover Picasso's birthplace and an exhibition about the famous artist, then proceed to the highlight of the tour, the Picasso Museum of Málaga, or 'Museo Picasso Málaga'.

#### Picasso Museum

The Picasso Museum is permanently housed in the Palacio de Buenavista, a 16th-century historical building that is adorned with the Andalusian architecture of the day, along with a unique blend of Renaissance and Mudejar elements. Museo Picasso Málaga was created in response to Pablo Picasso's own desire for his work to be present in the city where he was born on October 25, 1881. The museum was created thanks to

Christine and Bernard Ruiz-Picasso, the artist's daughter-in-law and grandson, whose donations constitute the core of the collection. It was also made possible thanks to the efforts of the Junta de Andalucía, which coordinated the major project of setting up a museum devoted to the artist whose styles and techniques changed the course of modern art.

#### Bodega El Pimpi

Following your guided museum visit, proceed to the Bodega El Pimpi for some tapas accompanied by wine.

Afterward, you may opt to return directly to the pier, or remain in the city for further exploration before taking the shuttle back to the pier.

Please note: This tour has very limited space and we suggest you book early to avoid disappointment. This tour requires a moderate to extensive amount of walking depending on guest's walking ability. Total distance walked is approximately 1500m (1 mile) with periods of standing and some stairs. We recommend wearing comfortable and appropriate clothing for museum visit, sturdy walking shoes and sun protection.

#### AGP-E / KAYAKING THE MARO CLIFFS

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$89; Duration:5.00 hrs

Experience the pristine natural beauty of Málaga in a unique way during this scenic and invigorating sea-kayaking journey. Your destinations will take you to beautiful places that include spectacular cliffs, caves and corners only accessible by kayak.

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximate one-hour drive to Nerja. Upon arrival, safety and paddling instructions for negotiating individual and two-person kayaks.

#### Kayaking Málaga

Your guided kayaking tour commences along a route that includes the magnificent natural area of Nerja and the Maro Cliffs. Along the way, enter small caves, waterfalls, seagull habitats and many other places that are only accessible from a small craft. Frequent stops are made to explain the curiosities and elements of the landscape. A stop is also made upon reaching Maro Beach for a refreshing swim before commencing the kayak journey back to Nerja.

Following your kayaking journey, re-board the coach for the return drive to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires an extensive amount of activity, and is recommended only for guests in good physical condition. This tour is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. The total kayaking time is approximately 2.5 hours. This tour uses mostly two-person sea kayaks, and all guests must paddle. All equipment is provided. Guests are encouraged to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and a towel from the ship. Operation of this tour is dependent upon prevailing sea conditions and weather, and may be adjusted or cancelled at the discretion of the tour operator without prior notice. There is a weight restriction of 110kg (242.5 lbs.).

#### AGP-F / SPECTACULAR HISTORIC RONDA

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$99; Duration: 8.00 hrs

Indulge your senses with the spectacular beauty of Andalusia without the crowds typically found in coastal resorts during this full-day visit to charismatic Ronda. The city is famous worldwide for its dramatic escarpments and views, and for the deep El Tajo gorge that carries the rio Guadalevín through its centre.

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximate 2-hour drive to Ronda. En route, proceed inland and through the scenic Serrania Mountain region.

#### Ronda

Ronda's cultural background combines Moorish influence with Christian Spanish remains. However, most visitors come here because of Ronda's unique setting in which two parts of the town come together astride the breath-taking 300-foot-deep (90-metre) Tajo Gorge. The gorge's steep cliffs plunge into the Guadalevin River ravine. It was this near-impregnable location that kept Ronda in Muslim hands until 1485, when Catholic kings finally conquered it. Upon arrival, see the 13th-century Almocabar Gate, which provided access to the castle, town and the 16th-century Carlos V Gate.

#### Bullring

Your walking tour commences along the ring road towards the bullring, which dates back to the Catholic kings and is recognised as the oldest bullring in Spain. From here, pass through the Paseo Blas Infante for a spectacular panoramic vista over the Tajo Gorge, then proceed towards Plaza España across the 18th-century New Bridge, whose central part was formerly used as a prison and is today the symbol of the town.

#### Bosco House

A stop is made for a visit the Salesian San Juan Bosco House, which is renowned for its beautiful ceramics and gardens, and excellent views to the other side of the Tajo Gorge. Next, continue past the House of the Moorish Kings, the 18th-century Palace of the Marquis of Salvatierra and the well-preserved Arab baths that date from the 13th century.

#### Mondragón Palace

Your walking tour then passes by the Plaza del Gigante, site of the Mondragón Palace. Constructed in 1314 by Abolemic, the King of Ronda, it has been the residence of many kings and governors ever since.

#### Santa María La Mayor

Your tour concludes with a brief visit to the 13th-century church, 'Santa María La Mayor', a former mosque that was converted into a church by King Ferdinand. Following your guided visit, some free time is made available for lunch and further exploration on your own.

After lunch on your own, re-board the coach for the return drive to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires a moderate amount of walking, and is an interesting alternative for guests who have previously visited Málaga and Granada. Total distance walked is approximately 1400m (1 mile). This tour is suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilize a wheelchair, guests must be able to transfer from chair. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Tour sequence may vary. Lunch is not included in the price of the tour; we suggest you bring local currency.

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Price:\$1099 ; Duration:8.00 hrs ; Capacity:2		

Experience the history and grandeur of one of Spain's most famous attractions during this full-day visit to Granada and the Alhambra Palace in your private car with your exclusive licensed guide, who will join you at the Alhambra.

Granada rose to fame when the Moors transferred the seat of their diminishing dominions to this city, which is located amidst the low foothills of the Sierra Nevada. Granada's crowning glory is the Alhambra, the Moorish citadel complex with its splendid palace overlooking the city.

Depart the pier in your air-conditioned private car for the approximate 80-mile (129-kilometre) drive to Granada.

#### The Alhambra

Upon reaching the Alhambra, the last capital of the Moors, meet the local guides and begin a walking tour of its magnificent buildings and gardens. A short walk takes you to the entrance of the vast complex. Begun in 1238 by the Moorish ruler Ibn el-Ahmer, the fortified hilltop

complex became a world-renowned centre of art and culture. It was so impressive that the Christian conquerors of the day could not bear to destroy it. Today, the legendary Alhambra remains Spain's most outstanding symbol of Moorish heritage.

#### Royal Palace

Follow your guide through a maze of pathways and corridors to the Palacio Arabe. Its splendid interior captivates with an endless procession of intricately-carved ceilings, and beautiful tiled floors, walls, arches and fountains. Of special note is the impressive marble colonnade leading to the Court of Myrtles and the Patio of the Lions. This famous courtyard, with its alabaster basin supported by 12 marble lions, is among the most photographed sites in Spain.

#### Generalife

Your walk continues along landscaped pathways to the Generalife, site of the Moorish rulers' summer palace. Its location on higher ground made it a pleasant and cool retreat. The gardens are renowned for their terraced flowerbeds, fountains and spectacular views of the city.

Following your visit, proceed to the Ruta del Veleta restaurant for lunch. After lunch, take a panoramic drive through Granada's city centre before commencing the approximate 80-mile (129-kilometre) return drive to Málaga.

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Reservation note: due to a change in the reservation system of the Alhambra, the tickets are available approximately 2 months prior the call. Untill then, this tour can be booked on request only. The waitlisted bookings will be cleared following the order of reservation date. A message will be e-mailed to Silversea Guests to inform the new status of the booking.

#### AGP-N / SILVER SHORE PRIVATO: THE ALHAMBRA BY PRIVATE VAN

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$2599; Duration:8.00 hrs; Capacity:6



Experience the history and grandeur of one of Spain's most famous attractions during this full-day visit to Granada and the Alhambra Palace in your private van with your exclusive licensed guide, who will join you at the Alhambra.

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## October 16 2018, Tuesday

# Cádiz - Spain

#### XRY-A / VIVA LA PEPA

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$49; Duration:2.50 hrs

Enjoy an amusing walking excursion dedicated to the bicentenary celebrations of 'The Pepa' - the signing of the Spanish constitution in the year 1812. An official guide will give you an overview of the history of the signing during a pleasant stroll through the old town of Cadiz.

#### Old Town

Leaving from the port of Cadiz towards the Plaza España you will find a monument dedicated to the event. During the tour you will meet two 19<sup>th</sup> Century "characters" in typical Andalusian style dress - Mr. Ramon Power Giralt (a member of the Spanish Parliament) and Lolita Gaditana. In an amusing and distinctive, anecdotal-style these two characters will describe how people lived during this fascinating era.

The stroll continues through streets, gardens and squares, where you will find other places of interest relating to this epoch, including the Church of Carmen, Plaza de San Antonio, Calle Ancha, and the Plaza de San Francisco. Being the oldest town in Western Europe, Cadiz is a great setting for a walking tour steeped in history and making it one of the most important towns of the 17th and 18th centuries.

Please note: This tour requires a moderate amount of walking for approximately 3,000m (1.86 miles) over some cobblestone and unpaved surfaces. It is not recommended for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. We recommend guests wear comfortable clothing, walking shoes and bring sun protection.

XRY-B / SEVILLE!

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$149; Duration:9.00 hrs

Experience the splendid beauty and architecture of Seville during a full-day sightseeing excursion to this historic city.

Few cities in Spain can rival the charm of Seville. Carmen, Don Giovanni and the Barber of Seville are just a few among the many artistic works that were inspired by this traditional Andalusian town. Founded by Julius Caesar, Seville later became the capital of the Moorish Empire and the highlight of the Spanish Renaissance.

Depart the pier for the scenic, approximately 75-mile (120-kilometre) drive to Seville, with a comfort stop made en route. Upon arrival, begin with a sightseeing drive through the city then continue with a walking tour through the historic centre.

#### Seville

During your guided tour of the Mudejar-styled Reales Alcazares, explore its lavish courts, apartments and gardens. Christian kings erected this palace, modelled after the Alhambra in Granada, in the 14th century to replace the original palace built by Moorish rulers in 1181. Continue to Seville's famed landmark, a 270-foot (81-metre) weathervane tower known as 'La Giralda'. The tower is all that remains of a former mosque. From here, proceed to the Seville Cathedral.

#### Seville Cathedral

Construction on this magnificent Cathedral started in the early 1400s, and took more than a century to complete. The interior of the Cathedral features splendid works of art, and contains the tombs of the Spanish monarchs and Christopher Columbus. Leaving the Cathedral, proceed for a visit to Seville's Old Jewish Quarter.

#### Old Quarter

King Fernando III forced Jews to live in this former ghetto, known as 'Barrio de Santa Cruz'. Whitewashed houses line narrow, winding alleys and the walls of picturesque courtyards burst with brilliant flowers. Today, many of the buildings house souvenir shops, art galleries and cafés.

Next, you have approximately 1.5 hours leisure time for shopping and lunch on your own at one of the area's many restaurants before reboarding your coach for a drive exiting Seville. After passing by Plaza America, a photo stop is made at the Plaza de España, a monumental square built for the 1929 World's Fair Plaza, before returning to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires an extensive amount of walking (approximately 2.5 hours). It is not suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair. Proper dress is required to enter the Cathedral; no shorts or bare shoulders are permitted inside. The Alcázar

may close for special events, such as a visit by the royal family, in which case the Casa Pilatus will be substituted. The tour sequence may vary. Comfortable clothing, flat shoes and sun protection is recommended.

#### XRY-C / JEREZ & CELLARS OF BODEGA TRADICIÓN

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$159; Duration:4.00 hrs

Indulge your senses with the exquisite beauty and flavours of Jerez during this scenic, half-day excursion arranged exclusively for Silversea guests.

Depart from the port of Cádiz and be provided a panoramic tour before you leave the city behind and drive approximately 30 minutes to Jerez.

#### Jerez de la Frontera

The charming Andalusian town of Jerez de la Frontera is well-known for its sherry wine, its origins extending back nearly 3000 years. The production of sherry wine closely follows the regions political history, influenced by the Phoenician, Greek, Roman, Moorish, Spanish and British empires. The Phoenicians originally introduced wine production to this area of Spain. Slowly, with each consecutive political shift in Cadiz, aspects of what would eventually become sherry were introduced. With the Age of Exploration came the exponential growth of Cadiz as a trading port, and a starting point for ships headed to the New World. With this era came a need for a wine that would not spoil during long journeys, thus sherry became a staple for all ships (also expanding its popularity across the world).

#### Cellars of Bodega Tradicion

Continue the tour with a visit of one of the famous sherry bodegas in Jerez. During this guided tour through the wine cellar, your guide will go into great detail about the history and production of sherry. Bodega Tradicion is the only bodega in Jerez whose production focuses exclusively on the oldest of the wines and brandies.

The Bodega uses the soleras system to produce their Sherry; the wines are then hand-bottled. Sherries produced here will be classified as VOS - vinum optimum signatum - aged for more than 20 years and VORS - vinum optimum rare signatum - wine aged more than 30 years. These categories not only indicate the age of the wines, but their extraordinary quality. The highest quality Amontillado, Oloroso, Palo Cortado and Pedro Ximénez are all produced here.

#### Joaquin Rivero Collection

View the Bodega's art gallery which contains a selection of paintings from the Joaquin Rivero Collection of Spanish Art. A section of the winery has been carefully restored and will house a permanent exhibition of these major works of art which all visitors will be able to enjoy. The Joaquin Rivero Collection is one of the most important on public display in the whole of Andalusia. It is a private collection and brings together 300 major works by the great masters of Spanish Art from the 15th to the 19th centuries.

All the artistic movements that have characterized Spanish Painting over the centuries are represented as are the great names that have shaped the history of Western Art: Zurbarán, Velazquez, Hiepes, Labrador, Valdés Leal, Goya, Maella, Lucas Velazquez, Madrazo, Lucas Villamil, Carlos de Haes and many others. You will experience a unique journey through Spanish history and its art.

The visit concludes with a delightful tasting of the various sherry's, as an oenologist explains in detail the characteristic of the different sherry's nose, colour, palate and recommendations how to pair them with food. The wine tasting will be accompanied by a local and traditional snack. Enjoy these specialties accompanied in the background by a flamenco guitar player.

There seems to be nowhere more quintessentially Spanish than Jerez de la Frontera in Andalucía. After you have been immersed in this city's flavours, make your way back to the port in Cadiz.

Please note: This tour requires a moderate amount of walking and it is suitable for guests with limited mobility. However, it is not recommended for those who utilise a wheelchair. Comfortable clothing, flat shoes and sun protection is recommended.

XRY-E / ROYAL EQUESTRIAN SCHOOL & SHOW

Price:\$99; Duration:5.50 hrs

## XRY-H / SCENIC CáDIZ & FLAMENCO

DIFFICULTY



Price:\$109; Duration:2.50 hrs

Francis

In the early 16th century, Cádiz served as a launching point for the journey to the newly discovered lands of America. Later raided by Sir Francis Drake, in the struggle to gain control of trade with the New World, the city managed to withstand a siege by Napoleon's army. In the early 19th century it became the bastion of Spain's anti-monarchist, liberal movement, as a result of which the country's first Constitution was declared here in 1812. Some of the city's 18th century walls still stand and the old, central guarter is famous for its picturesque charm.

Depart the port area on your motor coach for an approximate 1-hour panoramic drive through the city.

#### Old Town

The old city looks quite Moorish in appearance and is intriguing with narrow cobbled streets opening onto small squares where the golden cupola of the cathedral looms high above long white houses. Get to know the Parque Genoves, one of the major areas of greenery of the town. Between the Parque Genoves and the attractive Caleta Beach you will find the Castillo of Santa Catalina, which is formed by the remains of the old canal that once crossed Cádiz. Pass by the 18th Century Baroque and neo-classical Cathedral. It has a dome of yellow tiles, which forms the chief landmark of the city. See also the old tobacco factory and the Town Hall in the Plaza de San Juan de Dios.

Exit the bus at the Plaza de España, where you will see a fine monument to the first Spanish constitution of 1812.

#### Flamenco Performance

After a short walk you arrive at the flamenco tavern "La Cava", the setting for tapas and an authentic flamenco performance. This is a traditional tavern with a distinctive flamenco feel to its decoration and furnishings; the design is in wood, glass and wrought iron. Flamenco is the music of Spanish gypsies, influenced by both Western and Moorish sources. Sit back and drink in a traditional performance of its staccato, balletic dances, its haunting ballads and its fiery guitar music.

Please note: This tour requires a minimum amount of walking to and from the bus with some inclines. This tour is suitable for guests with limited mobility or those who utilise a wheelchair; as long as guests can transfer in and out of chair. We recommend guests wear comfortable clothing, walking shoes and bring sun protection.

XRY-I / GOLF AT MONTE CASTILO

Price:\$239; Duration:7.00 hrs

Depart the pier for the approximately 40-minute transfer to Monte Castilo Golf Club. Upon arrival, register at the clubhouse and prepare for your day of golf at one of the best courses in Europe.

#### 18 Holes

All you need to enjoy is in an unforgettable private setting, where the facilities of the Monte Castilo Golf Club satisfies the tastes of the most demanding player.

Course designer, Jack Nicklaus, was the greatest and most charismatic Spanish golfer of all time, and the most honoured at international level. He is considered one of the Ten Top Goulf courses in Spain.

Please note: This golf excursion requires moderate activity and includes green fees, buggy and roundtrip transportation. Proper golf attire is required. Soft or hard spikes are permitted. Course Information: 18 Holes, 6015 yards (5500m), par 72.

## Silver Shore "Privato"

Explore the surrounding at your leisure during your private tour. Customize your own itinerary or choose to see and overview of the area's highlights. Please note: This tour is non-refundable if cancelled within 48 hours prior to arrival in the port. Actual vehicle type varies depending on availability. Guide is English-speaking. The price, exclusive of meals, entrance fees and gratuities, is per vehicle. Therefore, when making your reservation, please indicate the number of vehicles, not the number of guests. Only one person in the party needs to reserve this program. Please see the Shore Concierge Office on board the ship to arrange your individual itinerary

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## October 17 2018, Wednesday

# Portimão - Portugal

POA-A / THE ALGARVE

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$109; Duration:4.00 hrs



Experience the exquisite beauty and allure of the Algarve during this scenic visit to Lagos, the magnificent Ponta da Piedade coastline and the fashionable resort of Carvoeiro.

Depart the pier for the approximately 30-minute drive to Lagos, one of the oldest settlements in the Algarve.

#### Lagos

Upon arrival, take a guided walking tour of the town, once an important Moorish trading post. The older part of Lagos is still circled by the city walls that were constructed during the 16th century when it was the residence of the governors of the Algarve and the fort, Ponta da Bandeira, by Batata beach is part of the 17th century fortifications that were added to protect the town.

Stroll about the narrow streets of Lagos then proceed to the main square to see the city's highlights. Included is a visit to the beautiful Church of San Antonio for a look at its famous 'Golden Chapel'. Exquisitely decorated, every inch of its gilt and carved interior is filled with a fantasy of cherubs struggling with animals and fish. Following your tour, some free time is made available for you to explore Lagos on your own before reboarding your coach for the drive south to Ponta da Piedade.

#### Ponta da Piedade

The craggy coastline of the Ponta da Piedade is bordered by dramatically eroded cliffs that shelter a series of picture-perfect coves, and is acclaimed to be one of the most scenic areas of the entire Algarve. Full of grottos, unknown bays and quiet beaches, the Ponte da Piedade is particularly captivating when viewed from the sea. After taking in scenic coastal views, your drive continues farther along the coast en route to the resort town of Carvoeiro.

#### Carvoeiro

This small, attractive hideaway is highlighted by a spectacular setting between red sea cliffs and the surrounding hills. Once a secluded fishing village, the resort now boasts expensive villas and holiday apartments. The centre of Carvoeiro isn't very big and there are just two roads leading down into the town where they meet in a small square behind the beach. There are plenty of shops in town and the beach, Praia do Carvoeiro is a beautifully sheltered sandy bay and spreads out just in front of the square with cliffs protecting it on either side. There are bars and cafés ideally placed around the square to enjoy the view.

After a refreshment stop, time is made available for you to explore the area on your own, browse the boutiques, or simply marvel at the stunning ocean view and dramatic cliffs

Following your visit, re-board the coach for the approximately 30-minute return to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires a moderate amount of walking and it is suitable for guests with limited mobility and those who utilise a wheelchair. Guests must be able to embark/disembark the coach via steps. On Mondays and Public Holidays the Golden Chapel in Lagos is closed and cannot be visited, only an outside viewing. We recommend wearing comfortable clothing, flat shoes and sun protection.

#### POA-B / THE MOORISH CITY OF SILVES

DIFFICULTY



Price: \$99; Duration: 3.50 hrs

Silves is famed for its imposing Moorish red brick castle that dominates the town's skyline, sleepy cafés line streets close to the river Arada and offer a relaxed ambience unique to the region. Below the castle is the gothic cathedral which is the only example of a gothic religious building in southern Portugal.

Depart the pier for the approximately 30-minute drive inland to Silves. Once the Moorish capital of the Algarve, it was a place of grandeur with glittering minarets, bustling bazaars and three circuits of walls that guarded the city.

#### Silves

Upon arrival, take a brief walk uphill to the Archaeological Museum. Built on the site of a 19th century residence where the water reservoir was discovered, this became the centrepiece of the museum. In an excellent state of preservation, it dates back to the Almohade period (12th - 13th

centuries) and made out of Silves sandstone it is around 20 metres (22 yards) in depth. It is considered an example unique to Portugal as it has a helix staircase with three windows to ensure easier access to the water. These are features rare to Arab architecture.

Next, take a brief walk to the Moorish Castle, the highlight of Silves. Most of the massive walls and the Gothic Cathedral built by Alfonso X of Castile are still intact. Below the remains of the castle is an impressive underground water reservoir that serves the town to this day.

Some free time is made available to explore the area before re-boarding your coach for the drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour requires an extensive amount of walking on cobblestone streets, and an uphill hike to the castle. This tour is not recommended for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair. A minibus is provided for guests unable to make the uphill walk to the castle. Cranes may be in place due to ongoing archaeological works inside the Silves Castle, but the beauty of this small city is still preserved. The tour sequence may vary. On Sundays and Public Holidays, the Archaeological Museum is closed. A visit to Caldas de Monchique will be substituted.

#### POA-C / LAGOS & SAGRES

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price: \$99; Duration: 4.50 hrs



Explore the picturesque, most westerly region of Portugal along the coast of the Algarve and visit the towns of Sagres and Lagos.

Depart the pier for the approximately 45-minute drive west to Cape St. Vincent and explore the historical places related to and significant of many Portuguese discoveries.

#### Cape St. Vincent

Named after the martyred St. Vincent, the cape is the site of numerous naval battles, including those between Admiral Rodney and the Spanish in 1780, and Admiral Jervis and Admiral Nelson against the Spanish fleet in 1797. As you stand on Europe's westernmost point, admire a steadfast lighthouse whose guiding beam safely directs hundreds of ships past the cape every year. What happened here six centuries ago led to the discovery of the world as we know it today. Before then only the bravest of Mediterranean sailors dared to venture beyond the "Pillars of Hercules" (Strait of Gibraltar), and none was foolhardy enough to sail past the rugged cliffs which marked the end of the known world. All that changed in the 1400s: the world was opened up to discovery, exploration and settlement; and Portugal and other countries went on to acquire overseas empires and great wealth. All this was due mainly to the foresight and determination of one man, Portugal's scholarly Prince Henry.

#### Sagres

Some consider Sagres to have been the headquarters of Prince Henry the Navigator's School of Navigation. The school may have been within the 17th-century fortress that was defended from the shore by mighty ramparts, and from the sea by towering cliffs. Prince Henry is also reputed to have created a shipbuilding yard in the small natural harbour below.

#### Lagos

Under the Moors, Lagos became an important trading post. After the Christians re-conquered Lagos in 1241, the town was a favoured residence of Henry the Navigator. The town faces an easterly direction and is set around a sheltered harbour with the Ponta da Piedade headland providing shelter to the largest beach on the western side of the Algarve, Meia Praia. The exposed cliffs of the Ponta da Piedade are regarded as the best natural feature of southern Portugal with grottos, arches and sea caves.

Following your guided walking tour, some free time is made available for you to browse its guaint, narrow streets at your leisure.

At the conclusion of your visit, re-board the coach for the approximately 30-minute return drive back to the pier in Portimão.

Please note: This tour requires a moderate amount of walking with some steps to negotiate, and is suitable for guests with limited mobility and guests who utilise a wheelchair; able to embark/disembark the coach via steps. Some surfaces are uneven, paved and or cobblestone. We recommend guests wear comfortable clothing, walking shoes and bring sun protection.

#### POA-E / QUINTA DOS VALES ESTATE & ALVOR

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price:\$139; Duration:3.50 hrs



Discover the Old World village of Alvor and the award-winning wines of the Quinta dos Vales estate during this delightful, half-day sightseeing excursion.

#### Alvor

Depart the pier for the short drive past Praia da Rocha and on to Alvor, a delightful little fishing port with a history that extends back to the Classical Era. The Moors first occupied this area in 716 and there are ruins of a wealthy Roman villa located slightly inland from the present village. Although an earthquake destroyed most of the traditional Moorish village in 1755, you can still see remains of Alvor's history in places such as the 16th century Igreja Matriz with its beautiful Manueline arches and pillars. The charm of the old town with its narrow cobbled streets leading down to the harbour on the lagoon of the river estuary still remains.

Upon arrival, take a guided walking tour of Alva. Afterward, some free time is made available to explore the village at your leisure.

#### Quinta Dos Vales

Next, re-board the coach and drive to Quinta dos Vales for a guided walking tour of the property, its sculpture garden and vineyards. From vine to bottle, the Quinta dos Vales wine philosophy is based on quality, as opposed to quantity. This may be the reason Quinta dos Vales have very quickly become one of the leading wine producers in the upcoming Algarvean wine market. Proof of their success is in the number of medals and awards, over 100 since 2008. Following your tour, proceed to the well-preserved Tasting Room of the Manor House for a tasting of the award-winning red, white and rose wines produced here, accompanied by a splendid selection of Portuguese specialities.

At the conclusion of your visit, re-board your coach and commence the short drive back to the pier.

Please note: This tour involves a moderate amount of walking for approximately 547 yards (about 500 metres), at times over uneven surfaces, with a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach and at the sites visited. This tour is suitable for guests with limited mobility, but is not wheelchair-accessible. Lightweight, comfortable clothing, flat, closed-toe walking shoes and sun protection are recommended. Guests must be at least 21 years old to participate in tastings of alcoholic beverages. Space on this tour is very limited; we suggest you book in advance to avoid disappointment.

#### Silver Shore "Privato"

Explore the surrounding at your leisure during your private tour. Customize your own itinerary or choose to see and overview of the area's highlights. Please note: This tour is non-refundable if cancelled within 48 hours prior to arrival in the port. Actual vehicle type varies depending on availability. Guide is English-speaking. The price, exclusive of meals, entrance fees and gratuities, is per vehicle. Therefore, when making your reservation, please indicate the number of vehicles, not the number of guests. Only one person in the party needs to reserve this program. Please see the Shore Concierge Office on board the ship to arrange your individual itinerary

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## October 18 2018, Thursday

# Lisbon - Portugal

LIS-E2 / POST CRUISE TOUR & AIRPORT TRANSFER: SNAPSHOTS OF LISBON

**DIFFICULTY** 



Price: \$79; Duration: 3.50 hrs

BODY>Discover the highlights of Portugal's charming capital city during this picturesque, half-day sightseeing excursion through Lisbon.

The Alfama Quarter and Alto do Parque BelvedereDepart the pier for the scenic drive to the Alfama Quarter, the oldest part of Lisbon. En route, your guide points out notable landmarks from your coach. Upon arrival, experience the ambience and intrigue of this ancient quarter's kasballike layout, which features alleyways and narrow, cobbled streets lined by closely-packed rows of Moorish-styled houses. From here, continue to the city centre, where a brief photo stop is made at the Alto do Parque Belvedere for magnificent views overlooking the city.

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25 April Bridge and Christ the King StatueNext, re-board your coach and drive across the beautiful 25 de Abril Bridge. The twin of San Francisco's Golden Gate Bridge, it was built by the same company. Once across the span, another photo stop is made at the base of the Monumento Cristo Rei. This 361-foot (108-metre) statue portrays the Sacred Heart, and was inspired by the statue of Christ the Redeemer overlooking Rio de Janeiro.

Jeronimos Monastery and Belém TowerAfter crossing back over the bridge again, a brief exterior photo stop is made at the splendid Jeronimos Monastery, a 16th-century architectural masterpiece designed in the Gothic Manueline style. Leaving the monastery, continue on to the Belém Tower, a prominent city landmark that dominates the bank of the Tagus River. From the motorcoach, admire the lavishly decorated tower from which Portuguese explorers were once given a rousing send-off.

Monument to the DiscoveriesYour last stop is at the nearby Monument to the Discoveries. This monumental sculpture was erected to commemorate the 500th anniversary of the death of Prince Henry, the mastermind navigator behind Portugal's voyages of exploration and subsequent fantastic wealth.

Leaving the Belém area, your tour coach will return to the port to disembark any participants who may be in transit to the next cruise before continuing on to the Silversea Hotel and finally to the Lisbon Airport.

Please note: This tour is available for guests with flights after 3:00 PM or those participating in a Silversea post-cruise hotel programme. Tour requires a minimal amount of walking and is suitable for guests with limited mobility and who utilise a wheelchair. There are a few steps to negotiate to get on/off the coach. The sites on this tour are mostly viewed by coach; walking at the sites is at the discretion of each guest. Lightweight, comfortable clothing and sun protection are recommended. The order of sites visited and actual duration of the tour may slightly vary.