

# Rhine River



**April 11-19, 2021**  
**Amsterdam to Basel**



**Experience the Viking Touch aboard the Viking Longships:**

- Shore excursions included • Wine & Beer with Lunch and Dinner
- English speaking crew members offer a high level of hospitality
- Comfortable and modern staterooms • Casual dining in elegant style
- Transportation to airport—based on a minimum # of passengers

**From Only**  
**\$2699.pp!**



Explore one of Europe's best-loved rivers, the Rhine. Discover the turreted fortresses, grand cathedrals, historic cities, medieval towns and spectacular scenery of the Middle Rhine—a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Taste the region's renowned white wines, the roots of its terraced vineyards reaching back to Roman times. Savor the various culinary traditions of Alsace. From Amsterdam and Cologne to Basel, this journey reveals a rich landscape of beauty and culture.

**Amsterdam**—Transfer to ship and free time to enjoy the area before you set sail.

**Kinderdijk, The Netherlands**—A UNESCO World Heritage site—tour of the network of windmills—enter a working windmill for a tour of its living quarters & mechanisms.

**Cologne**—Germany's fourth largest city. Stroll through old town and tour Germany's largest cathedral. Spend your free time on the waterfront enjoying local shops

**Koblenz & Rudesheim, Germany**—a lively and informative tour of Ehrenbreitstein Fortress. Cruise the scenic Middle Rhine with turreted castles and fortresses. Arrive in Rudesheim in the late afternoon—spend time in the pedestrian-only Drosselgasse.

**Speyer, Germany**—Cruise through beautiful scenery into mid-morning. Enjoy a tour of this historic town including the Speyer Cathedral built in the 11th century.

**Strasbourg, France**—after your guided tour, enjoy your free time in this picturesque city tasting the renowned Alsatian cuisine including regional dessert specialties and exploring this blend of French and German cultures.

**Breisach, Germany**—the gateway to the Black Forest—see a working cuckoo clock – making demonstration, and learn how black forest cake is made—yum!

**Basel, Switzerland**—Transfer to the airport for our flights home



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Turn Over....

**Costs:**

Cat F	Standard Outside	\$2699.pp twin
Cat E	Standard Outside	\$2799.pp twin
Cat D	French Balcony	\$3299.pp twin
Cat C	French Balcony	\$3499.pp twin
Cat B	Veranda	\$3599.pp twin
Cat A	Veranda	\$3799.pp twin

Taxes are included in the above fare. Air is NOT included in above fare.

**\*Air Cost:** If booked and deposited in the month of March 2020, the roundtrip airfare from Boston is \$499.pp

**Deposit:** \$1000.pp due with reservation **RECOMMENDED ASAP. RESERVATIONS ARE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS.** If ship fills or Viking River Cruises releases our space, The Ship Shop has no control over that. Space is subject to availability at time of deposit. Check with the Ship Shop at any time for current availability on this sailing.

**Final Payment:** Paid one month after deposit. Pay your final payment by check and receive 3.3% discount. Ask Ship Shop for details.

**Cancellation Penalty:** If cancelled after deposit and before November 20, 2020 fee of \$300.pp; Nov 21-Dec 21, 2020 fee of 35% of total fare; Dec 22, 2020-Jan 22, 2021 fee of 50% of total fare; Jan 23-Feb 16, 2021 fee of 75% of total fare; No refunds after Feb 16, 2021. Air cancellation fees are not included and are additional to these penalties.

**Trip Protection Coverage** is strongly recommended. Aon Affinity administers the NTA Travel Protection plan designed specifically for members of the National Tour Association.

The Pre-existing medical condition exclusion can be waived by purchasing the Enhanced Plan within 14 days of your deposit or initial payment. Purchase of the plan within this time period also provides eligibility for the Financial Insolvency benefit. Traveling companions / roommates are required to take the same plan (Basic or Enhanced) in order to be properly covered. Premium is non-refundable once paid. Three ways to enroll:

**Website:** <https://nta.aontravelprotect.com> Tour Operator Location #076068. You can view plan details on this site.

**Call Aon 1-800-388-1470.** Tour Operator Location #076068. Customer service agents can also answer questions about each plan.

**Call Friendship Tours / The Ship Shop 860-243-1630 or 800-243-1630**

Friendship Tours/The Ship Shop arranges components of the tours and does not own or operate the independent suppliers of services including motorcoaches. Trips modified or cancelled are at the discretion of the cruise line/supplier. Trip Protection Insurance is strongly recommended. Friendship Tours/ The Ship Shop reserves the right to adjust the cost based on fuel surcharges. Itinerary is subject to change based on river conditions.

**Proof of Citizenship:**

**U.S. Citizens:** Valid Passport required—must be valid 6 months past the return date

**Non U.S. Citizens** are responsible for obtaining proper documentation for travel.

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