

## Illinois & Mississippi River

## **NEW American Countess**

Chicago to St Louis Sep 25-Oct 3, 2021 9 Days/8 Nts

Classic style—modern comforts. The newest gem of the American Queen Steamboat fleet, the American Countess welcomes 245 guests. Her sleek contemporary design offers plenty of open space for gathering and sharing the fun! Savor fresh, regional cuisine in the Grand Dining Room with its custom Italian fabrics and rich walnut accents and floor to ceiling windows offering panoramic views morning, noon and night! Be one of the first to experience her elegant décor as she makes her way down the Illinois and Mississippi Rivers!



\* 1 Nt Chicago Hotel Stay \* Ottawa,IL \* Peoria,IL \* Havana,IL \* Hannibal,MO \* Alton,IL

NEW LOWER PRICE FOR VERANDA CABINS! \$4299!



- \* Transportation to Bradley Airport \* Flights to / from Bradley
  - \* 1 Nt in Chicago with Breakfast
  - \* Hop on Hop off tours in each port
  - \* Premium Sightseeing Tour in Chicago
  - \* Wine, Beer & Spirits throughout cruise
- \* Cappuccino, Espresso, bottled water & soft drinks \* Entertainment

  \* Daily lectures by the Riverlorian
  - \* Award winning cuisine & gracious service





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Costs:

Cat E Inside cabin \$2799.pp twin

Cat B Outside cabin with Open Veranda \$\frac{\\$4299.pp}{\$1899.pp} \text{ twin NOW \$3499!}\$
Cat A Deluxe Outside Cabin with Private Veranda \$\frac{\\$4899.pp}{\$1899.pp} \text{ twin NOW \$3799!}\$

Plus Taxes: \$199.pp (Includes Port and Government taxes)

## FLIGHTS ARE INCLUDED IN ABOVE RATES AND HAVE BEEN APPROXIMATED FOR 2021 SAILINGS, THEREFORE COST IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE UNTIL AIR IS CONTRACTED FOR GROUP.

<u>Deposit:</u> \$800.pp due with reservation RECOMMENDED ASAP. <u>Second deposit</u> of \$800.pp due by Nov 30, 2020.

RESERVATIONS ARE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS. 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: May 11, 2021

<u>Cancellation Penalty:</u> If cancelled after deposit and before May 11, 2021 fee of \$450.pp; May 12-Jun 12, 2021 fee of 50% of total fare; May 13-July 13, 2021 fee of 75% of total fare; No refunds after Jul 13, 2021. Air penalties are not included in above and are additional if applicable.

<u>Trip Protection Coverage</u> 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: <a href="https://nta.aontravelprotect.com">https://nta.aontravelprotect.com</a> 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 answer questions about each plan. Call Friendship Tours / The Ship Shop 860-243-1630 or 800-243-1630

<u>Trip Protection Coverage</u> with CANCEL FOR ANY REASON coverage is available through Travel Insured International when purchased within 14 days of your initial deposit—ask Friendship Tours/The Ship Shop for more information

This package is subject to our full terms and conditions which can be found on our website at <a href="https://www.friendshiptours.net/tour-policies">https://www.friendshiptours.net/tour-policies</a>. Paper copies are available upon request. By signing up to participate in the tour, you are agreeing to be bound to these terms and conditions. Therefore, you must read the terms and conditions in their entirety. By signing up for the tour, making a payment and continuing to use our services, you are agreeing to be bound by the Terms and Conditions. Should you disagree with any of the terms you must speak with us before signing up for a tour.

IMPORTANT: AS OF OCTOBER 1, 2021 THE 'REAL ID' ACT GOES INTO EFFECT AND YOU MUST TRAVEL WITH A VERIFIED DRIVER'S LICENSE THAT HAS A GOLD STAR IN THE UPPER RIGHT HAND CORNER. IF YOU DON'T HAVE ONE YOU MUST TRAVEL WITH A VALID U.S. PASSPORT.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: The Ship Shop 860-243-1630 800-243-1630

