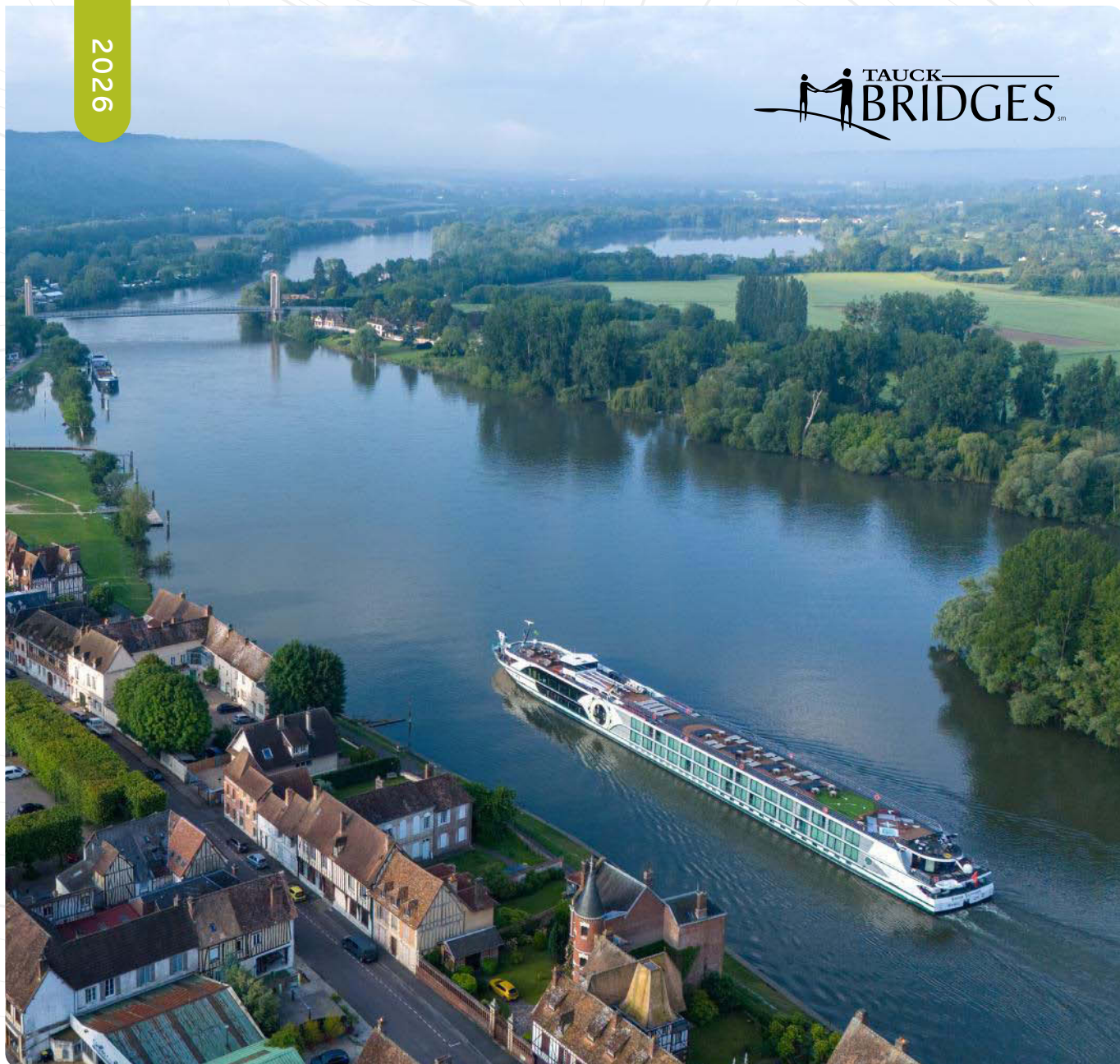



2026



# Tauck Bridges Family Adventures

*European River Cruising*



# Waterways to wander with the whole family

Aboard a Tauck river cruise, exploring with your family creates an unforgettable journey, where hands-on discovery and cultural wonders turn every moment into an adventure. Enjoy unique experiences that bring generations together, fostering connections and lasting memories that span lifetimes.

Along Europe's rivers, magic glides along winding bends and painted vineyards, from the Wachau Valley's stone-wall terraces and hilltop castles to panoramic alpine views at the summit of Switzerland's Mt. Pilatus. Discovering the world from your floating hotel entices with new discoveries every day. Fully guided by expert Tauck Directors, your family is free to enjoy the adventures ahead without the hassle.

There's more to explore along the river – roundabout sightseeing atop a Ferris wheel or on a horse-drawn carriage ride through Vienna; medieval dancing and fencing take center stage in a castle in Bratislava; the twinkling lights of holiday markets shimmering across the water allow for relaxing moments of shared memories.





## Carefree way to travel

No need to pack and unpack! On a Tauck Bridges River Cruise, your floating hotel travels with you wherever you go. By day, walk off your riverboat to explore someplace new with our expert guides. At night, join in the onboard fun, seamlessly orchestrated by our dedicated Tauck Directors who enhance your riverboat experience. Enjoy all meals, complimentary all-day beverages, including regional wine, beer and spirits, and snacks onboard. A choice of shore excursions, special meals and tastings – plus gratuities and more – are all included too.



## Onboard activities & family fun

Our family river cruises blend enriching cultural activities and exclusive experiences ashore with nonstop onboard excitement. From making new friends, dancing, group games, the plunge pool, putting green and family-friendly activities, there's always something fun happening aboard a Tauck riverboat. On shore, the fun continues with bike rides, castle dinners, dance lessons and more.



## More flexibility & comfort

Your family enjoys a balanced mix of guided sightseeing, special experiences, shore excursion choices, and walk on and off the boat flexibility to pursue your own interests. Plus, our riverboats have more spacious suites than any other ships in their class – a great way for families to travel together.

# Life Onboard

## Accommodations & dining

### Family-friendly cabins & suites

Designed with families in mind, our riverboats offer spacious, well-appointed accommodations that ensure every member of the family can relax in comfort. With a greater number of 300 sq. ft. suites than any other riverboat in Europe, we provide the flexibility families need – whether you're traveling as a trio or with multiple generations.

Each suite is thoughtfully designed with plush bedding, elegant décor, and ample storage, with options like pull-out sofas. After a day of exploring medieval castles or handcrafting chocolate, your suite becomes a perfect retreat – where comfort meets unforgettable family moments.

### Onboard dining

Aboard a Tauck Bridges riverboat, mealtime is an opportunity to gather, share stories, and enjoy regionally inspired cuisine. With two onboard dining venues and open seating, families can dine when and with whomever they choose – whether it's just your family or newfound friends from your journey.

Our chefs craft menus that celebrate each destination – think Austrian strudels or French coq au vin – while kid-friendly options ensure even the pickiest eaters find something they enjoy. Whether casual or elegant, every meal is a delicious way to connect and unwind together.





## Entertainment & Amenities

### Onboard activities

A river cruise isn't just about the destinations; it's about the unforgettable experiences you share along the way. Onboard, a variety of engaging activities ensures new discoveries continue between shore excursions.

From hands-on cooking classes to tastings that introduce everyone to the flavors of a region, every experience is designed to immerse you in the culture. Local experts bring history to life through interactive demonstrations, while lively evenings might include karaoke nights or performances by regional artists.

Whether crafting the perfect chocolate truffle or dancing to a new beat, our onboard entertainment makes every moment part of the adventure – ensuring there's always something to delight travelers of all ages.

### Onboard comfort

Enjoy the perfect mix of activity and relaxation – unwind in the plunge pool, practice your swing on the putting green, or explore new lands on our complimentary bicycles. Complimentary WiFi keeps you connected to share your experience, while the fitness center and salon offer ways to recharge and reconnect.

Beautifully designed shared spaces invite families to gather, while ample personal space ensures everyone has room to unwind and take in the passing scenery. Whether staying active or simply taking in the journey, every moment onboard is designed for comfort and connection.



# Blue Danube: Family Riverboat Adventure

*A seamless journey through Germany, Austria, Slovakia, and Hungary – bike along the Danube, explore royal palaces, play medieval games at a castle, and embark on a fun-filled scavenger hunt in Bratislava.*

8 Days from \$5,190\*

\$500 CHILD SAVINGS, CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

Day 1 - 2. **Germany.** Board your riverboat in Vilshofen and enjoy dinner before cruising to Passau. Explore the charming Old Town with options for a guided walking tour, scavenger hunt or scenic bike ride.

Day 3 - 5. **Austria.** Enjoy a scenic journey to Salzburg to explore Hellbrunn Castle, then cruise along the picturesque Wachau Valley en route to Vienna where sightseeing choices include St. Stephen's Cathedral; attend a gala dinner with live music at Palais Pallavicini.

Day 6 - 8. **Austria/Slovakia/Hungary.** Explore Schönbrunn Palace and visit the Prater amusement park. In Bratislava, tour Devin Castle, embark on a scavenger hunt, and enjoy a Slovak folkloric show.

Go to [tauck.com](https://tauck.com) for more details.

*\*From pricing based on double occupancy, Cat 1 accommodations.*

**Please note:** Children under 18 must be booked in a cabin with at least one adult.



## ★ Journey at a glance

- 1 Arrive in Germany and embark riverboat in Vilshofen
- 2 Scavenger hunt, bicycle ride, or walking tour in Passau
- 3 Linz, morning at Hellbrunn Castle and Salzburg
- 4 Cruising the scenic Wachau Valley & a Dürnstein tour
- 5 Sightseeing in Vienna and a gala evening in a palace
- 6 Explore Schönbrunn Palace and Marionette Theater
- 7 Medieval games in a castle, and a folkloric show
- 8 Fly home from Budapest, Hungary



## Aboard ms Savor

*A spacious and elegant riverboat designed for just 130 guests. Enjoy scenic views, refined comfort, and inviting social spaces for an unforgettable Danube journey.*



## 2026 Dates

Jun 18, 25\* Jul 2, 9\*

Go to [tauck.com](https://tauck.com) for up-to-the-minute availability.

\*Indicates Budapest to Vilshofen Westbound direction.



## Make traditional marzipan in Passau

In Passau, Germany, a city famous for its marzipan, you'll join a hands-on demonstration to craft your own sweet creation, experiencing a beloved confection with deep roots in European tradition and holidays.



## An exclusive evening at a palace in Vienna

Step into a fairy tale at our exclusive gala evening in Vienna's 18th-century Palais Pallavicini, where your family will dine in a gilded ballroom as musicians play, dancers waltz, and royal dreams come to life.



## Travel back to the Middle Ages...

at Slovakia's Devin Castle, where history comes to life through medieval games. Try your hand at archery, test your skills in traditional games, and enjoy refreshments fit for a knight; interactive fun for the whole family.

# Family Fun Along the Seine: Paris to Normandy

*Cruise along the Seine through the heart of France, where history and beauty intertwine. Stroll Monet's dreamy gardens, stand atop Château Gaillard like a medieval king, walk Normandy's shores and so much more.*

**8 Days from \$5,690\***

\$500 CHILD SAVINGS, CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

Day 1 - 2. **Paris.** Embark ship and meet your fellow travelers. Immerse in the magic of Paris on a guided sightseeing tour to iconic landmarks.

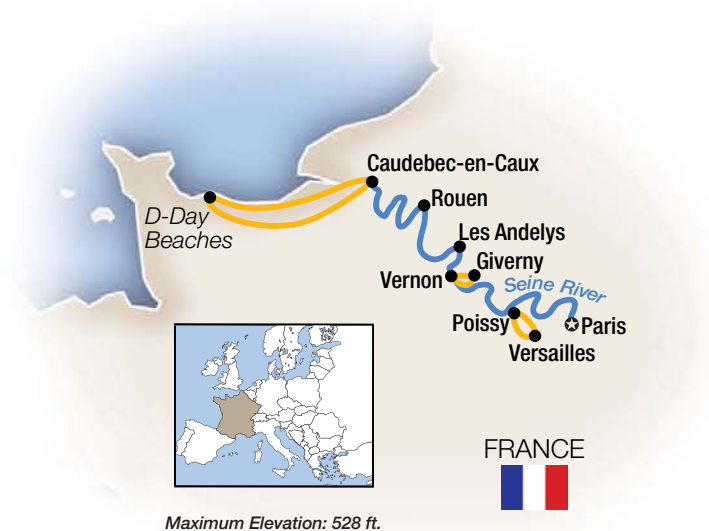
Day 3 - 6. **Vernon, Rouen, Normandy.** Sail for Vernon to explore Monet's gardens in Giverny, enjoy views from Château Gaillard, and walk in the footsteps of history at Normandy's D-Day sites. Arrive in Rouen and take part in a photo scavenger hunt before an elegant evening on the riverboat.

Day 7 - 8. **Poissy & Paris.** In Poissy, explore Versailles with a tour of the Château and its gardens. Toast to your journey with a farewell dinner while sailing to Paris, before bidding France adieu.

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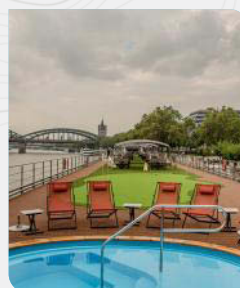
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Maximum Elevation: 528 ft.

## ★ Journey at a glance

- 1 Arrive in Paris and embark ship
- 2 Explore iconic landmarks of Paris
- 3 Cruise to Vernon with onboard activities
- 4 Visit Giverny Gardens and Claude Monet's house
- 5 Poignant visit to the D-Day beaches in Normandy
- 6 Scavenger hunt in Rouen
- 7 Château de Versailles and its gardens
- 8 Journey home from Paris



## ms Sapphire\*

*Your floating hotel features luxurious suites, gourmet dining, and exclusive amenities – a more refined experience for space & comfort.*

\* Ship may vary depending on departure date



## 2026 Dates

Jun 15, 18, 25    Jul 2, 10, 17

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*Palace of Versailles*



## Monet moments at his beloved home

Explore the treasured home of Impressionist Claude Monet, in Giverny, France. Walk the famous Japanese Bridge and view where he spent hours painting his series of water lilies called *Nymphéas*.



## WWII insights at the beaches of Normandy

Visit the D-Day Academy, where history comes to life through hands-on experiences with 1944 technology. Hear wartime broadcasts, handle authentic equipment, and explore artifacts that reveal countless stories.



## Embark on a photo hunt in Rouen

Discover Rouen on a photo scavenger hunt, admiring the Gothic cathedral that inspired Monet. See the medieval square where Joan of Arc faced her destiny and capture the city's timeless beauty through your lens.

# Holiday Magic: Danube Family River Cruise

*Twinkling lights, festive melodies, and timeless traditions dazzle along the Danube, creating a winter wonderland for all generations — every moment is wrapped in the splendor of the season.*

8 Days from \$4,990\*

\$500 CHILD SAVINGS, CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

Day 1 - 2. **Munich & Passau.** Welcome aboard your ship in Germany and cruise to Passau by morning. Choose a scavenger hunt or a Christmas-themed walking tour with a marzipan making workshop.

Day 3 - 6. **Salzburg, Dürnstein & Vienna.** Visit the Silent Night Chapel, cruise the Wachau Valley, and tour Melk Abbey. In Vienna, enjoy a visit to the Marionette Theater before an elegant evening at Palais Pallavicini.

Day 7 - 8. **Bratislava & Budapest.** Old Town Bratislava excites with medieval games and a scavenger hunt walking tour; end your journey in Budapest.

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Maximum Elevation: 1,391ft.

## ★ Journey at a Glance

- 1 Arrive in Munich & drive to embark ship on the Danube
- 2 Unique and exciting discovery choices in Passau
- 3 Salzburg and a visit the museum of "Silent Night"
- 4 Cruise the Wachau Valley / wine tasting or castle ruins
- 5 Explore Vienna by coach and on foot
- 6 Schönbrunn Palace & a gala evening at Palais Pallavicini
- 7 Immerse in Bratislava culture with medieval games
- 8 Journey home from Budapest, Hungary



## ms Savor\*

*Aboard ms Savor, spacious suites, sunlit loft cabins, and an innovative deck plan create an intimate, comfortable, and scenic Danube journey.*

*\* Ship may vary depending on departure date*



## 2026 Dates

Dec 22\*, 23, 29

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\*Indicates Budapest to Regensburg westbound direction.

Vienna



### Exclusive evening at Palais Pallavicini

When in Vienna, dine like royalty... with a luxurious, elegant night featuring a private dinner, live classical music, and a waltzing demo in an elegant Viennese palace - Palais Pallavicini, which traces back to the 15th century.



### Silent Night chapel visit in Oberndorf

A touching experience awaits at the birthplace of a beloved Christmas carol, with a tour of the Silent Night Chapel and museum, where your family will learn more about the story behind this timeless song.



### Festive holiday markets & traditions

Experience the enchantment of Europe's holiday season, from twinkling Christmas markets filled with seasonal treats to onboard festivities and décor, seasonal music, and special celebrations such as a karaoke night.

# Bon Voyage! France Family River Cruise

*From the elegance of Paris to the sun-kissed landscapes of Provence, it's a celebration of French "joie de vivre." Cruise the Rhône in luxury, experience rich history and embrace each magical moment with your family alongside.*

**8 Days from \$5,990\***

\$500 CHILD SAVINGS, CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

Day 1 - 2. **Paris.** A welcome dinner with entertainment awaits. The next day features guided sightseeing of the "City of Light" to iconic landmarks or a visit to the beautiful Palais Garnier.

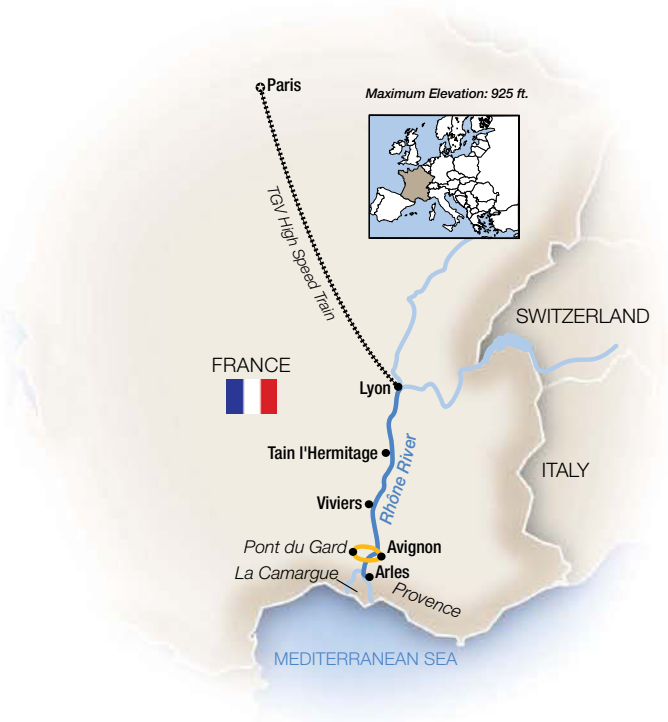
Day 3 - 6. **Lyon, Tain L'Hermitage, Avignon, Arles.** Board your riverboat in Lyon, enjoying a cabaret show. Regional flavors entice in Tain L'Hermitage, and highlights in Arles and Avignon include a Camargue ranch tour, the Palais des Papes, and the Pont du Gard.

Day 7 - 8. **Viviers & Lyon.** Enjoy a guided walking tour, a friendly game of pétanque with locals, and a farewell reception and dinner marking the end of your journey.

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## ★ Journey at a Glance

- 1 Arrive in Paris and join us for a welcome dinner
- 2 Paris sightseeing to iconic landmarks
- 3 Travel to Lyon by TGV train then embark ship
- 4 Unique discoveries in Tain l'Hermitage
- 5 Camargue cowboys, van Gogh and chocolate art
- 6 Bike ride in Avignon or a tour of Palais des Papes
- 7 Walking tour in Viviers and pétanque
- 8 Journey home from Lyon



### ms Lumière

*Custom-built with France's rivers in mind, step aboard for more spacious suites and public areas for an intimate ambiance with fewer guests onboard.*



## 2026 Dates

Jun 16, 28 Jul 10

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*Pont du Gard*



## Learn to play pétanque

Join in on the fun of the French game pétanque, where you'll team up with your fellow travelers and learn how to throw boules (balls), towards the "jack" (target ball) inside a circle - goal is to have the closest boules to the jack.



## The Wild West in France

Visit a private Camargue ranch to meet the traditional *gardians*, watch an exciting bull demonstration, and ride a hay wagon through fields of wild horses - then enjoy a rustic Provençal lunch with lively gypsy music.



## Immersive cultural discoveries

Walk in van Gogh's footsteps in Arles, explore the grandeur of Palais des Papes in Avignon, and play pétanque with locals in the medieval town of Viviers - new discoveries for the whole family to enjoy while learning together.

# Castles on the Rhine: Family Riverboat Adventure

*Cruise from historic Amsterdam to Basel on a magical Rhine cruise, where castles, folklore, and charming villages set the stage for unforgettable family memories.*

8 Days from \$5,690\*

\$500 CHILD SAVINGS, CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

Day 1 - 2. **Amsterdam.** The adventure begins with a choice to take a canal cruise, visit the STRAAT Museum, and clog painting aboard the riverboat.

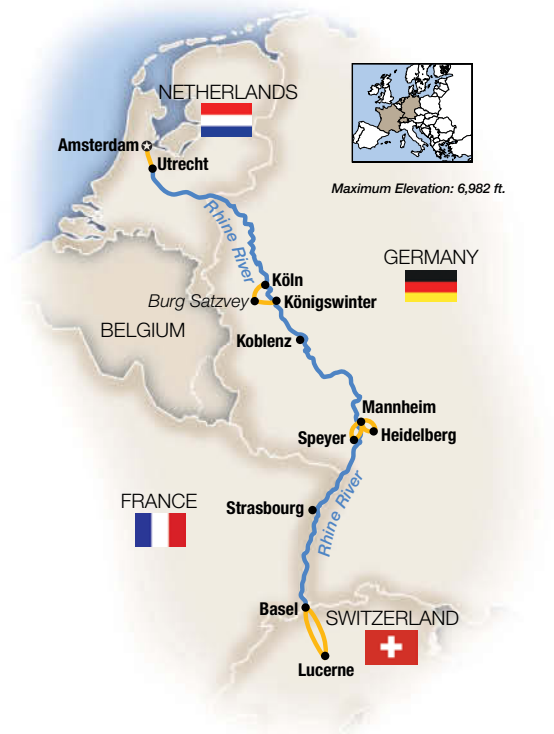
Day 3 - 6. **Germany & France.** Step back into 1920s Köln on a VR walking tour and experience a medieval dinner at Burg Satzvey. Explore a German castle with live music, ride a gondola or take a bike ride. Tour Strasbourg featuring chocolate tasting & tarte flambée.

Day 7 - 8. **Switzerland.** The journey ends with panoramic views atop Mt. Pilatus by cable car and a lively Swiss folklore show at a restaurant in Lucerne.

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## ★ Journey at a Glance

- 1 Arrive in Amsterdam and embark ship
- 2 A canal cruise in Amsterdam & a visit to the STRAAT
- 3 Enjoy a unique historical VR experience in Köln
- 4 Cable car to scenic views or bike ride along the Rhine
- 5 Heidelberg Castle or Speyer Technical Museum
- 6 Tarte flambée making in Strasbourg, or a cathedral visit
- 7 Mt. Pilatus by cogwheel rail & cable car / Folklore show
- 8 Journey home from Basel



## ms Grace\*

*Aboard your floating hotel, soak in the sun on the top deck, hit golf balls on the putting green, or relax in the plunge pool taking in the scenic views.*

\* Ship may vary depending on departure date



## 2026 Dates

Jun 10, 24 Jul 1\*, 8, 15\*, 22

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*\*Indicates Basel to Amsterdam northbound direction*

Burg Satzvey



## Embrace Amsterdam's unique culture

Glide along Amsterdam's picturesque canals with refreshments on board, then explore world-renowned street art at the STRAAT Museum, marveling at the bold murals and gaining insight into the artists behind them.



## Medieval-themed dinner at Burg Satzvey

Test your skills with archery, try on medieval armor, and learn about life in a castle before a festive banquet at a historic castle. Enjoy traditional music, storytelling, and medieval-inspired entertainment.



## Cogwheel train & gondola on Mt. Pilatus

Ascend the stunning Swiss Alps by cable car, enjoy breathtaking views from the top, & descend via the world's steepest cogwheel railway. Stroll the charming streets of Lucerne, savoring local flavors and a folklore show.

# Douro Discovery: A Family River Cruise in Portugal Plus Madrid

*Cycle Madrid's Casa de Campo and admire masterpieces at the Prado. Ride a 4x4 to ancient rock art, kayak the Douro, and sail Portugal's vineyard-clad valleys on a luxury riverboat.*

10 Days from \$6,790\*

\$500 CHILD SAVINGS, CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

Day 1 - 4. **Spain.** Begin in Madrid with a welcome dinner and live Spanish entertainment. Visit a food market, tour the Prado Museum or explore Casa de Campo on a bike ride. Visit Salamanca before crossing into Portugal to set sail on the scenic Douro Valley.

Day 5-10. **Portugal.** Cruise Portugal's Douro Valley, where you'll kayak, hike vineyard trails, and visit historic towns like Guimarões. In Porto, enjoy a choice of city excursions by foot, bicycle, or scenic boat ride.

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## ★ Journey at a glance

- 1 Arrive in Madrid for a two-night stay
- 2 Market food tour / Prado Museum / Flamenco workshop
- 3 Walking tour of Salamanca / Embark ms *Andorinha*
- 4 Castle exploring in Portugal & rock art "safari"
- 5 Cruise dramatic riverways en route to Pinhão, Portugal
- 6 Kayak on the Douro River or a vineyard hike
- 7 Bike ride in Vinho Verde region or tour of Guimarões
- 8 Cruise to Porto
- 9 Explore Porto by cable car or bike ride along the Douro
- 10 Journey home from Porto, Portugal



## Palacio de los Duques Gran Meliá

*Stay in a 19th-century palace turned hotel in the heart of Madrid boasting a rooftop pool, fine dining, and relaxing spa.*



## 2026 Dates

Jun 24 Jul 15

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*ms Andorinha, Portugal*



### “Rock Safari” in Portugal’s Côa Valley

On a thrilling “rock safari,” discover Paleolithic petroglyphs dating back over 20,000 years. Travel by 4x4 vehicles to see this UNESCO-listed open-air art gallery and learn about its dramatic reconstruction.



### Discover timeless beauty in Salamanca

Step into Spain’s Golden Age as you explore this UNESCO-listed city. Visit one of Europe’s oldest universities, where scholars have walked for more than 800 years, and marvel at the cathedrals that tower over the city.



### Exploring Madrid, your way

Choose between a scenic bike ride through Casa de Campo – Madrid’s largest park – or a guided food tour through a bustling local market, complete with tastings and a sweet finale of hot chocolate and churros.

# Tauck Bridges Calendar 2026

*Tauck Bridges departures are conveniently scheduled during school breaks and holidays.*



Book your family's vacation today!  
Call your travel advisor or Tauck at **800.468.2825**

FAMILY JOURNEYS		DAYS
ASIA, LATIN AMERICA & AFRICA		
Journey Through Japan... A Family Adventure		10
Tanzania: A Grand Family Safari		10
Costa Rica: Jungles & Rainforests		8
Mystical Peru		8
Galápagos: Wildlife Wonderland		8
EUROPE		
<b>NEW!</b> Greek Odyssey: Family Edition		8
<b>NEW!</b> The Legends of Scotland		8
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Cowboy Country		8
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