

Northumberland
— FINE FOOD —



Taste & Tour

October 14 to 27, 2025



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Northumberland Fine Food

We are taking the Tasting Lounge on tour!

Our first big trip to Europe with our kids changed our lives, and planted the seed for what has become a dream come true with the creation of Northumberland Fine Food. Since that first trip, we made a commitment to show our kids as much of the world as we could afford and let them experience other cultures through travel and food.

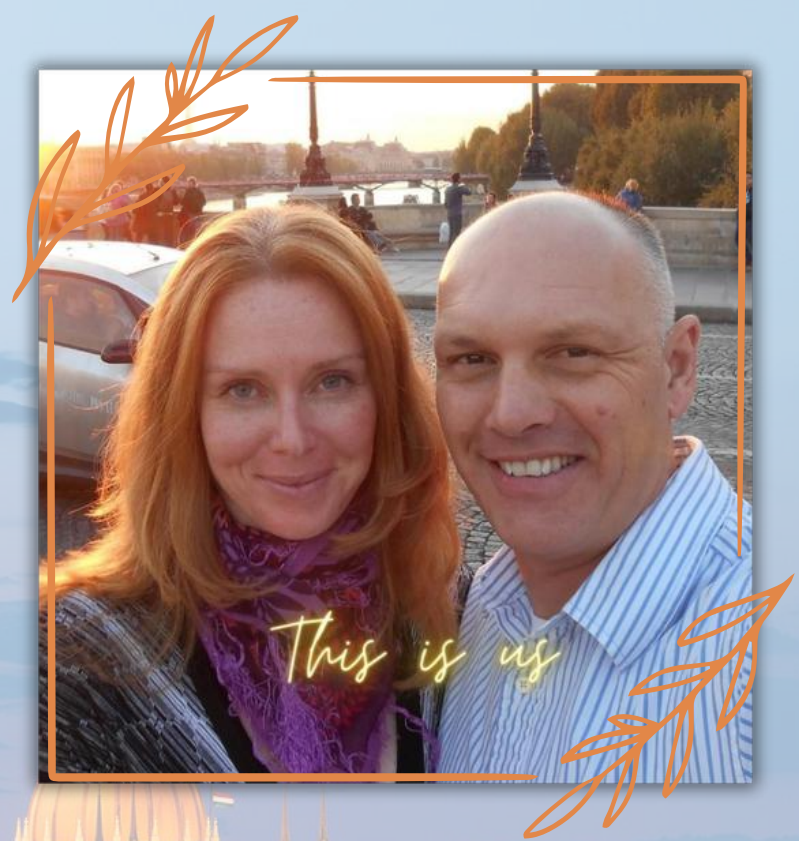
We saw how other people and cultures celebrated food, its loving preparation, beautiful presentation, and the time spent in the partaking of it. We were enthralled. As we travelled, we continually saw and experienced it, and we came to embrace it. Wine was to be celebrated as part of dining, even with simple fare. We enjoyed great meals in restaurants of all types from small family businesses with mismatched furnishings to elegant dining with beautiful linens and serving ware.

We feel passionately that great food, and all it can offer, is within everyone's reach. All you need are simple, but great ingredients, a few nice tools, some basic skills, and a willingness to try. With these ideas in tow, we let our minds drift to the possibility of opening a store that could allow us to share our passion and experiences with others.

We are now coming up to our first-year anniversary of Northumberland Fine Food, and we want to celebrate the little gateway that our store has created for people to enjoy food and each other's company. We invite you to join us as we take the Tasting Lounge on the road (or river!) and make new memories together.

Tour, Taste, and Celebrate Living Well!

Jen & Scott





Your Expedia Cruises Hostess Angela MacNeil



My husband Greg and I relocated to Brighton and love the sense of community here and within Northumberland County.

When I came across the opportunity to work with Expedia Cruises things seemed to fall into place. A perfect location as well as a brand I have trusted for years.

I've always had a passion to visit new places, learn new things and meet new people. I've been lucky enough to place pins on my map for over 25 years and I look forward to placing many more. I've visited Cuba, Mexico, Dominican Republic, Costa Rica, Florida, California, Nevada, eastern and western Canada, cruised the Greek Isles from Athens to Venice along with a land stay in Italy which included Venice, Tuscany and Rome. Most recently I've been to Los Cabos and Cartagena, Columbia. Up next, Portugal and Spain!

I am very excited to be working with Jen & Scott of Northumberland Fine Food as we partner in bringing you an amazing cruise through the heart of Europe on the Danube. We are offering unique experiences you won't find anywhere else and as part of the Expedia Cruises team in Cobourg, the very best value for your travel dollar. Join us on this dream trip of a lifetime and let me take care of all the details so you can simply enjoy your experience and have fun.

Welcome aboard!

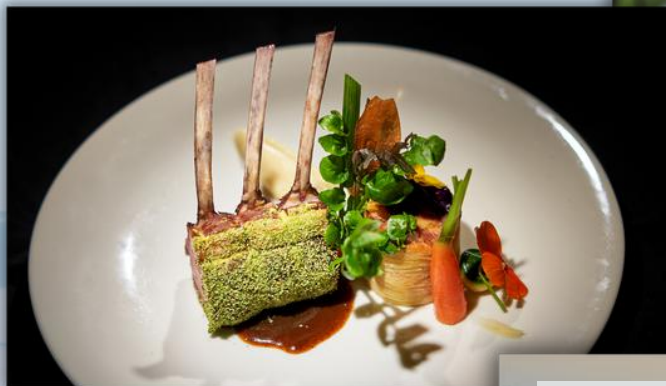




The Tasting Lounge is going on the road (river) for a “Taste & Tour” discovery on the Danube. Join Jen & Scott as they take you back to the very place where their inspiration for Northumberland Fine Food began.

Feel the romance of Old-World Europe as we travel through the very heart of the continent. Where empires were built, kings and queens were crowned and some of the world’s greatest music was composed by the likes of Mozart & Beethoven. We will sample local favourites such as Czech Beer in Prague, Sachertorte in Vienna, apricots and Gruner Veltliner wine in the Wachau Valley and Stuffed Cabbage or Goulash in Hungary along with some “secret” food tastings. Accompany Jen & Scott as they explore Grand European cities that remain forever timeless like Vienna, Bratislava and Budapest. Admire the beauty of Salzburg or the Czech Republic’s charming mountain town, Český Krumlov. From grand abbeys and fortresses to plentiful iconic UNESCO World Heritage Sites, we will be romanced by the Danube and create lasting memories for us to share in the Tasting Lounge for years to come.

Guests can choose from a variety of cuisines on board



Cuisine such as these lambchops



A waiter prepares to serve guests at AmaLea's Main Restaurant

Our fine dining is often enjoyed in the company of fellow cruisers



Fresh Seafood



Unlimited wine, beer and soft drinks are available with lunch and dinner



Medallions D'Agneau en Croute de Moutarde



Savour our lovely Desserts

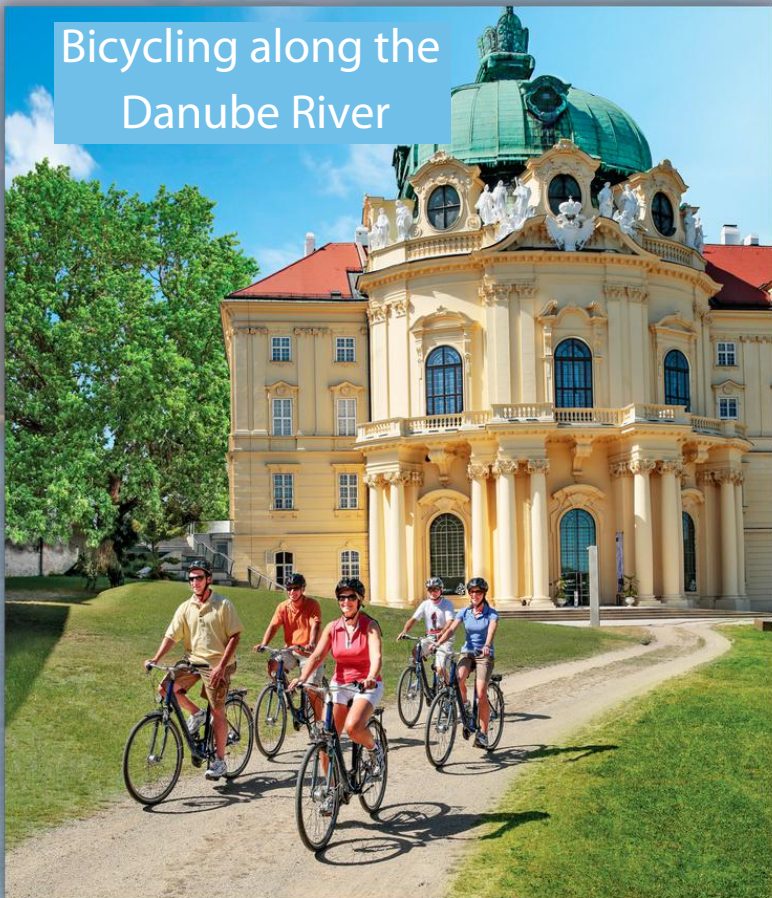
Budapest, Hungary



Budapest, Hungary



Bicycling along the
Danube River



Wachau Valley,
Austria





Vilshofen, Germany



Passau, Germany



Vienna, Austria



Linz, Austria

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October 14 Brighton

Meet at Northumberland Fine Food and board our private motorcoach to Pearson Airport for the overnight flight to Prague.

October 15 Prague

Arrive Prague, private coach transfer to hotel & check-in. Welcome evening reception with AmaWaterways hostess.

October 16 Prague

Experience the wonders of Prague and its historic city center that is a recognized UNESCO World Heritage Site on your city tour or you can hike to the Grand Castle. See Rudolfinum and the Hundertwasser Dancing House. Visit the 1,000 year old Prague Castle and St. Vitus before walking over the romantic Charles Bridge to the old Market Square where you will find the capital's famous Astronomical Clock.

October 17 Prague

Beer has a long and illustrious history in the Czech Republic with the first brewery known to have existed in 993. Pilsner Urquell was created in 1842 being the first pilsner ever made, whilst Budweiser came into being in the city of Budweis. Beer is a core part of the country's national identity, so much so the Czechs are the biggest consumers of beer in the world.

Join a Czech beer tasting and discover for yourself.

October 18 Vilshofen

Vilshofen Depart from Prague via motorcoach and enjoy a stop in Regensburg, one of Germany's best preserved medieval cities and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Discover Regensburg on a guided walking tour showcasing the city's architectural highlights, including the Old Town Hall and the Porta Praetoria. Continue your journey to Vilshofen where you will board your luxury river cruise ship. Cap the day off with an exclusive Oktoberfest celebration! Overnight Vilshofen.





October 19 Passau

Explore Vilshofen's beautiful old town before cruising to Passau, known as the City of Three Rivers. Choose from the "City of Three Rivers" walking tour, Passau Castle Hike or River Inn Bike Tour.

October 20 Linz

There are several excursions on offer today. Take a full-day excursion to Salzburg and tour the historic city center, Mirabell Gardens, Residenz Square and the Old Market. En-route to Salzburg, stop at Mondsee, home of the famed Basilica St. Michael – think "The Sound of Music" wedding scene. Instead of Salzburg choose a full-day excursion to the charming Czech mountain town of Cesky Krumlov. Stroll its cobblestone streets, marvel at the picturesque Baroque and Renaissance-style buildings and tour Krumlov Castle, one of Europe's largest castle complexes. Alternatively, enjoy a relaxing cultural mile bike tour along the Beautiful Blue Danube. Whichever adventure you select, you will also have the opportunity to take a brief walking tour of charming Linz.

October 21 Weissenkirchen

Today you will cruise thorough the Strudengau and Wachau valleys. Once in Weissenkirchen choose to join a walking tour in Durnstein along cobblestone streets to the Baroque Stiftkirche and then visit Melk's magnificent Benedictine Abbey. If you are up to a more active adventure, choose to hike up to the fortress where Richard the Lionheart was once held, or bike along the Danube through the Wachau Valley. Alternatively you can choose to visit a local apricot grower and enjoy the region's finest apricot treats. Later this Evening you will be treated to a special wine tasting of locally grown, world-renowned Riesling and Gruner Veltliner in Weissenkirchen.





October 22 Vienna

The “City of Waltzes” offers a treasure trove of gems and today’s tour showcases them, including the majestic Opera House and the former Imperial Palace. We’ll conclude in the historic city center with a visit to St. Stephen’s Cathedral. If you are interested in a more active tour, choose a guided bike ride through Vienna. Afternoon at leisure to enjoy this beautiful city and all it has to offer. Perhaps those who want to participate will get dressed in their finest tonight for an “Elegant Evening in Vienna”, stay tuned for more details!

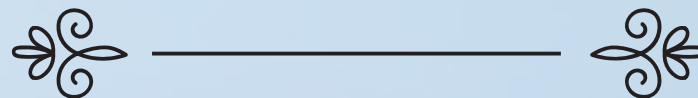
October 23 Bratislava

Host to the crowning ceremonies of 11 Hungarian kings and queens between 1536 and 1830, Bratislava certainly has earned the title “Coronation City of Kings” as you will discover during your walking tour. Or choose a special “Tastes of Slovakia” tour. If you prefer more action, choose a hike up to Bratislava Castle and enjoy the magnificent views of the city.

October 24 Budapest

Today you will have the opportunity to visit both the BUDA (hilly) and PEST (flat) sides of the Danube River. Start on the Buda side following our guide through the Castle District and marvel at the fairytale turrets of Fisherman’s Bastion. Gaze upon the breathtaking panorama below and see Matthias Church, renowned for its striking tower and colorful mosaic roof. If you prefer to be more active, hike to Budapest’s Castle Hill. In the afternoon, explore the treasures of Pest, admiring the colossal Hungarian Parliament Building, Heroes’ Square and the moving “Shoes on the Danube Bank” memorial





October 25 Budapest

Say good-bye to new friends you've made on the AmaLea as you disembark the vessel and transfer to the hotel. Balance of day at leisure.

October 26 Budapest

Today we venture off for a "Hidden Budapest Tour" to explore this gem of a city on the Danube.

October 27 Budapest

Private coach transfer to Budapest airport for our flight home. On arrival at Pearson, board our awaiting motorcoach for the return to Northumberland Fine Food. Welcome Home! We hope you enjoyed our inaugural "Taste & Tour" and look forward to travelling with you again in the future. Watch for details on our reunion picture party of this trip!

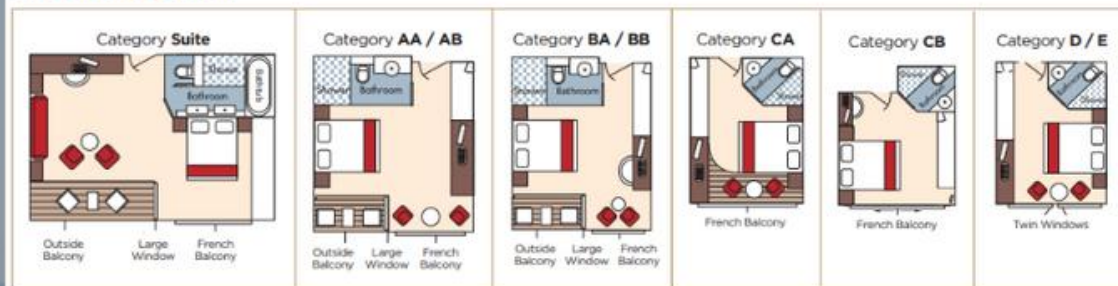


Your Riverboat AmaLea



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Stateroom Layouts



Note: Stateroom layouts are not to scale. Staterooms 201 & 202 are slightly modified

Technical Data

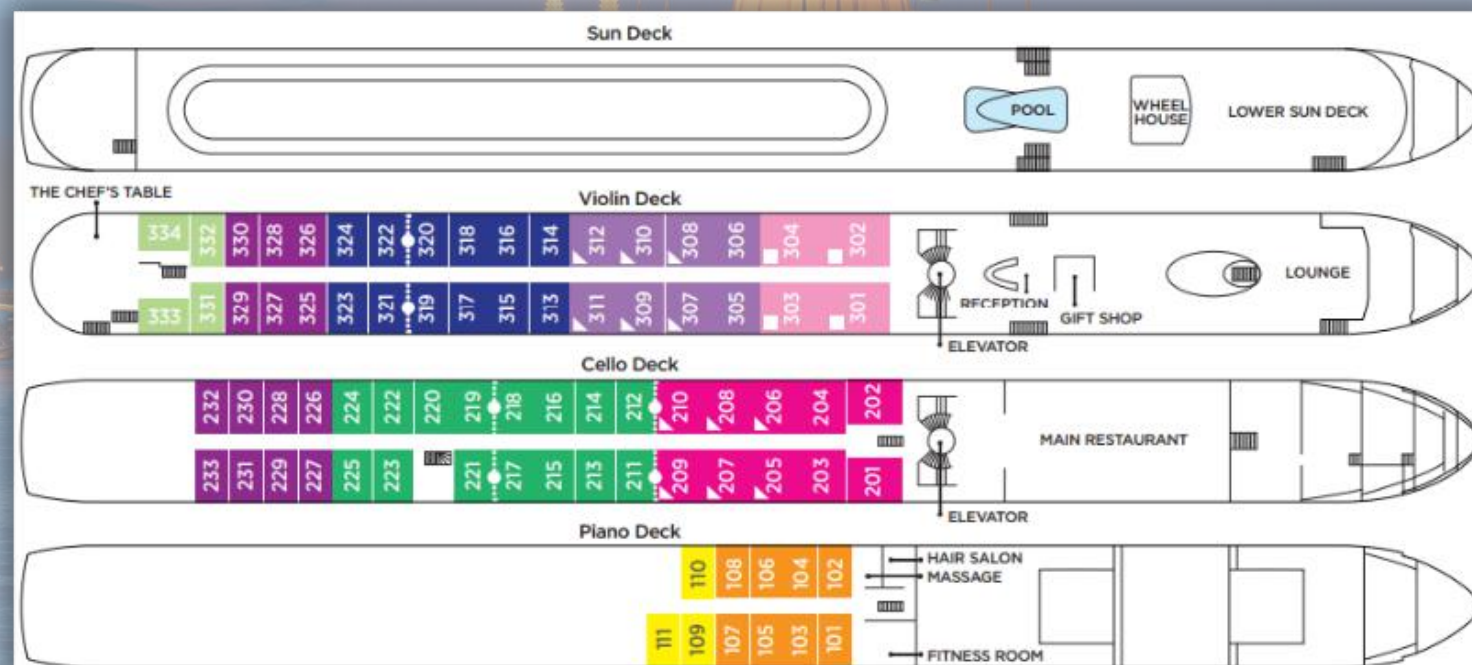
Length: 443 ft.
Width: 38 ft.
Crew: 51
Staterooms: 78
Passengers: 156
Registry: Switzerland

Category	Deck / Stateroom / Size
Suite	Violin / French & Outside Balcony / 350 sq. ft.
AA	Violin / French & Outside Balcony / 235 sq. ft.
AB	Cello / French & Outside Balcony / 235 sq. ft.
BA	Violin / French & Outside Balcony / 210 sq. ft.
BB	Cello / French & Outside Balcony / 210 sq. ft.

Category	Deck / Stateroom / Size
CA	Violin & Cello / French Balcony / 170 sq. ft.
CB	Violin / French Balcony / 155 sq. ft.
D	Piano / Fixed Windows / 160 sq. ft.
E	Piano / Fixed Windows / 160 sq. ft.

AmaLea DECK PLAN

- Lower Sun Deck
- Navigation Bridge
- Bicycles
- Heated Pool
- Sun Deck
- Walking Track
- Al Fresco Terrace
- Observation Lounge
- Main Lounge & Bar
- Gift Shop
- Reception
- The Chef's Table Restaurant
- Main Restaurant
- Elevator
- Massage & Hair Salon
- Fitness Room
- Crew Cabins



Elevator on AmaLea reaches the Violin, Cello and Piano Deck (does not reach the Sun Deck).

Suite, Violin Deck



Category AA Stateroom



Category AB Stateroom



Category BA Stateroom



Category BB Stateroom



Category CA Stateroom



Category CB Stateroom



Category D Stateroom



Category E Stateroom



Tour Cost per person in CDN \$ based on twin share,

Following rates INCLUDE Special Promotional Pricing, subject to change at any time.
Stateroom allotment and location on ship is subject to limited availability.



Special Promotional Pricing



Book now to avoid disappointment and for best rates!

- Category E twin window stateroom – \$7180.00 cheque / \$7403.00 by credit card -----
- Category D twin window stateroom – \$7380.00 cheque / \$7609.00 by credit card -----
- Category CB french balcony stateroom – \$8080.00 cheque / \$8330.00 by credit card ---
- Category CA french balcony stateroom – \$8580.00 cheque / \$8846.00 by credit card --
- Category BB twin balcony stateroom – \$9380.00 cheque / \$9670.00 by credit card -----
- Category BA twin balcony stateroom – \$9780.00 cheque / \$10083.00 by credit card ----
- Category AB twin balcony stateroom – \$9980.00 cheque / \$10289.00 by credit card ---
- Category AA twin balcony stateroom – \$10280.00 cheque / \$10598.00 by credit card -
- Category Suite twin balcony stateroom – \$11280.00 cheque / \$11670.00 by credit card

SAVE - \$1700 per couple!
SAVE - \$2100 per couple!
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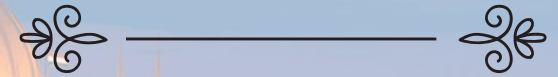
Solo traveller rates available upon request



Tour rates include the following unless otherwise noted for land stay portion in Prague & Budapest:

- 3 nights hotel in Prague / 2 nights hotel in Budapest (Marriott or similar)
- All hotel taxes
- Baggage handling at each property
- Daily Breakfast at each hotel
- City tour of Prague or Prague Castle Hike*
- Hidden Budapest Tour* or Czech Beer Tasting*
- Regensberg Walking Tour* during transfer to Vilshofen
- Coach Transfers in Europe, including Prague airport to hotel, hotel in Prague to ship in Vilshofen, Budapest ship to hotel, Budapest hotel to airport.
- English speaking AmaWaterways host or hostess at the hotel in Prague
- Welcome Reception at the hotel in Prague

*Subject to availability



Tour rates include the following unless otherwise noted for the river cruise portion:



- Deluxe stateroom accommodations during your 7-night Danube River cruise
- All daily shore excursions during the cruise with English-speaking expert guides
- All gourmet meals onboard featuring early riser coffee and croissants, a rich breakfast, festive lunch, afternoon tea & coffee with cake, cookies & sandwiches and multi-course dinner daily
- Choice of dining options at no additional cost including the Main Dining Salon and the intimate Chef's Table Restaurant where the Chef prepares the meal in person.
- Free flowing red and white wine from the local regions, as well as beer or soft drinks at lunch & dinner daily
- Captain's Welcome Champagne Reception & Gala Dinner and Captain's Farewell Champagne Reception & Gala Dinner plus themed dinners during your voyage
- Complimentary cocktail hour offering a "Happy Hour Menu" on five evenings for an hour before dinner (Captain's Receptions on the other two evenings)
- Coffee, tea, ice-water and iced-tea are included all day
- Cappuccino, latte and espresso can be requested free of charge during all meals
- Bottled water, fluffy bathrobes and slippers are provided in each stateroom
- Complimentary use of fitness room and equipment
- Complimentary daily wellness and fitness program with qualified instructor
- Complimentary use of the swimming pool on Sun Deck
- Complimentary use of the AMA bicycles and helmets in each port
- Complimentary in-stateroom movies
- Unlimited Internet onboard – subject to availability in some locales
- On board elevator operating between Violin, Cello and Piano Deck
- Piano music during afternoon tea & coffee time as well as during the evening
- Use of AmaWaterway's Quietvox headsets for your shore excursions
- Services of our professional English-speaking Cruise Director
- All gratuities for the crew on board and the Cruise Manager



These rates do not include:

- Beverages & meals other than those specified as included
- Use of stateroom telephone for calls made other than within the ship
- Items purchased in the gift shop and other personal charges (i.e. hair salon/massage)
- Optional shore excursions such as Secret Food Tours & “Special Night in Vienna”
- Gratuities to all guides/staff on pre/post land portions & shore excursions
- Round-trip airfare from your home gateway
- Travel insurance (highly recommended)
- Items of a personal nature
- Optional purchases
- Coach service to/from Pearson Airport



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Documentation: Canadian passport valid 6 months beyond scheduled return date.



Interim Payment of \$1750 per person at time of booking which becomes a non-refundable agency fee.

2nd Interim Payment: \$2500 pp by Feb 02, 2025 which becomes a non-refundable agency fee

Final Payment: balance due Jun 02, 2025 which becomes a non-refundable agency fee.

Form of Payment: we accept cash, cheque, money order, MasterCard or Visa.

NOTE: **SAVE credit card processing fees** by making **ALL payments by cheque or bank draft.**

"Taste & Tour along the Danube with Jen & Scott"

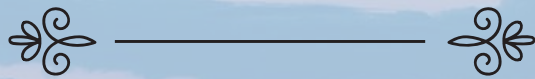
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Insurance Coverage:

We strongly recommend you purchase travel insurance to protect you and your investment. Your Expedia Cruises consultant will explain your options and the benefits of purchasing coverage at time of deposit.



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