

# EXCURSIONS

## *Danube New Year's – 7 Nights*



<b>Day</b>	<b>Arr</b>	<b>Dep</b>	<b>City</b>
28.12.	-	17:00	Engelhartszell, AT (Passau, DE)
29.12.	-	-	Cruising day
30.12.	08:30	13:30	Budapest, HU
31.12.	14:00	-	Vienna, AT
01.01.	-	-	Vienna, AT
02.01.	-	06:00	Vienna, AT
02.01.	13:00	21:00	Dürnstein, AT
03.01.	09:00	22:00	Linz, AT
04.01.	07:00	-	Engelhartszell, AT (Passau, DE)

**C**reate your very personal holiday programme with our choice of carefully chosen excursions! Each excursion is a highlight in itself: from tours through metropolises, trips through impressive landscapes to action and fun-filled excursions. In many cities you have the opportunity to visit the country and its people with your personal guide and driver.

We have compiled the excursion programme in conjunction with well-known, local agencies. We arrange the excursions and they are implemented by the local agencies, which are the excursion organisers, and thus also your contractual partners. Your A-ROSA excursion team has tried every excursion. They explored the cities, the surroundings, museums and castles themselves to provide you with the best experiences. Look forward to a variety of excursions that will make your holiday unforgettable. The excursions for your cruise can be found on the following pages.

In order to provide you with a better overview of the various offers, we have divided our excursions into five categories: Bike, Discovery, Adventure, Family and Gourmet tours. Each is assigned the corresponding symbol. Your International Host on board will happily provide you with more information.

**We wish you a great time on shore! Your A-ROSA Team.**

## A-ROSA CATEGORIES



### **DISCOVERY TOURS**

City tours, city walks or sightseeing tours.



### **GOURMET TOURS**

Sample regional specialities directly from the producers.



### **ADVENTURE TOURS**

Themed tours or excursions with unusual forms of transportation.

## BUDAPEST



### BUDAPEST CITY TOUR

While you are sitting relaxed on your coach, the highlights of Budapest will pass by: the Millennium Monument on Hősök tere (Heroes' Square) in Pest, the magnificent opera, the former stock exchange and the parliament building preserved in neo-Gothic style. During our city walking tour through the Buda hills we will pass the Matthias Church and visit the Fisherman's Bastion. From here, you can enjoy a fantastic view over the Danube and Pest. Your excursion is rounded off by a trip to Gellért Hill with its trademark 220-metre-long citadel and the Freedom Statue.

Price: € 39 | Duration: approx. 3.5 h

### EXPLORE BUDAPEST INDIVIDUALLY – ENGLISH-SPEAKING PRIVATE TOUR GUIDE FOR UP TO 5 PEOPLE

To Margaret Island, a little shopping afterwards and ending at Castle Hill? Or would you prefer to leisurely stroll along the Váci Utca and then enjoy a coffee at Café New York? You can plan your perfect day in Budapest on your own. It's up to you. With your personal guide and driver, you can explore Budapest individually.

Price: € 129 | Duration: approx. 3 h | Please note: This excursion is only bookable on request. We recommend that you make a reservation online.

### EXPLORE BUDAPEST INDIVIDUALLY – PRIVATE PEOPLE CARRIER WITH DRIVER FOR UP TO 5 PEOPLE

Travel in comfort and visit all the parts of Budapest that you really want to see. You can also book an expert tour guide at the same time if you wish.

Price: € 249 | Duration: approx. 3 h | Please note: This excursion is only bookable on request. We recommend that you make a reservation online.

### EXPLORE BUDAPEST INDIVIDUALLY – PRIVATE CAR WITH DRIVER FOR UP TO 2 PEOPLE

Your driver will take you and your partner or travel companion to various places of interest such as Castle Hill, Gellert Baths and Spa or Heroes' Square. You can also book an expert tour guide at the same time if you wish.

Price: € 229 | Duration: approx. 3 h | Please note: This excursion is only bookable on request. We recommend that you make a reservation online.

## VIENNA

### ST. STEPHEN'S CATHEDRAL AND FAMOUS COFFEE HOUSES



This walk through Vienna will take you to some of the most precious treasures from different eras. In St. Stephen's Cathedral you can see the city's history. And even away from the magnificent squares and buildings, you will discover romantic streets and idyllic backyards. Experience the finest coffee house culture in one of Vienna's most famous coffee houses, the Central or the Café Hofburg. Here you can enjoy a Viennese melange and delicious pastries. Price: € 47 | Duration: approx. 3.5 h | Meals/Drinks: Typical Viennese coffee and cake

### CONCERT AT THE KURSALON

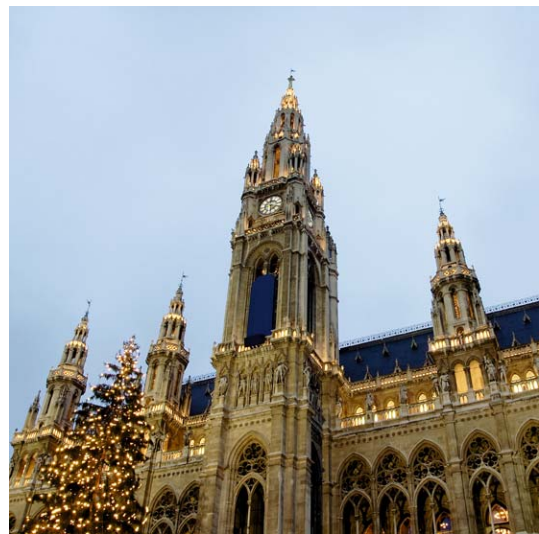


It will be an evening of superlatives! The Kursalon, built in the style of the Italian Renaissance in the 19th century by Johann Garben, is one of central Vienna's most beautiful concert halls. Once it was the location for musical events such as the Strauss brothers' famous Promenadenkonzerte or creations by the Waltz King Johann Strauss. The Salon's own orchestra Alt Wien, one of Vienna's most well-known classical music ensembles, will doubtlessly provide you with a veritable musical firework, comprising the best works of Johann Strauss and the most well-known arias by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. Virtuoso musicians, excellent opera singers and enchanting ballet soloists make for a truly unforgettable evening of highest artistic quality. A night to remember! Price: Cat. A: € 69 | Cat. B: € 59 | Duration: approx. 2 h | Note: Concert tickets only. The transfer to the Kursalon is not included.

### CITY TOUR OF HISTORIC VIENNA



On this tour, you will get to know Vienna's most historically significant sights. We will begin with a drive along the Ringstrasse with its magnificent buildings, such as the State Opera, the Museum of Art History and the Museum of Natural History, the Hofburg Palace, the Parliament Building, the city hall, the university, the stock exchange and past numerous palaces and monuments to famous composers, poets and artists. We will then continue to travel along the Prater with its famous Ferris Wheel to the Hundertwasser house, to St. Charles's Church and the Viennese Music Association. One of Vienna's landmarks can only be reached by foot due to its location - St. Stephen's Cathedral. After a brief tour on the outside, you will be taken back to your cruise ship. Price: € 39 | Duration: approx. 3.5 h



### WHERE HEAVEN AND EARTH MEET – THE EXQUISITE KLOSTERNEUBURG MONASTERY

Where Heaven and Earth meet, there is much to experience and discover. The Augustinian Klosterneuburg Monastery has witnessed over 900 years of history. Our guide will take you on an exciting tour to gain insights into the monastery's religious and secular diversity. See the famous Verdun Altar, considered unique worldwide due to its artistic importance, technical merit and substance and meaning. You'll have the opportunity to round off your visit with a wine tasting session, since Klosterneuburg Monastery is also Austria's oldest winegrowing estate. Price: € 47 | Duration: approx. 3.5 h

### EXPLORE VIENNA INDIVIDUALLY – ENGLISH-SPEAKING PRIVATE TOUR GUIDE FOR UP TO 5 PEOPLE

Do you fancy spending the whole day following in the footsteps of Empress Elisabeth, also known as Sisi? Or would you prefer to sample a bit of Viennese coffee-house culture, do a spot of shopping, take a ride in a horse-drawn carriage and then maybe head over to Danube Island? You decide exactly what you'll do, always confident that you're in good hands. Your personal tour guide will help you to explore Vienna exactly as you wish.

Price: € 259 | Duration: approx. 3 h | Please note: This excursion is only bookable on request. We recommend that you make a reservation online.

### EXPLORE VIENNA INDIVIDUALLY – PRIVATE PEOPLE CARRIER WITH DRIVER FOR UP TO 5 PEOPLE

Had an idea for a special tour? Your private people carrier for up to five people will take you to the exact sights that you want to see. You can also book an expert tour guide at the same time if you wish.

Price: € 329 | Duration: approx. 3 h | Please note: This excursion is only bookable on request. We recommend that you make a reservation online.

### EXPLORE VIENNA INDIVIDUALLY – PRIVATE CAR WITH DRIVER FOR UP TO 2 PEOPLE

Would you like to explore Vienna by yourself? Your private car for up to two people will take you to the exact sights that you want to see. You can also book an expert tour guide at the same time if you wish.

Price: € 259 | Duration: approx. 3 h | Please note: This excursion is only bookable on request. We recommend that you make a reservation online.

## DÜRNSTEIN

### DÜRNSTEIN – LITTLE CITY WALK, GRAND EXPERIENCE

The alleys of Dürnstein's historic centre are cosy and car-free. Your relaxed stroll leads you to the Collegiate Church with its blue and white spire. With its colourful painting, the precious reliefs and the four obelisks, it is one of the most beautiful baroque towers in Austria.

Price: € 27 | Duration: approx. 2 h

## LINZ

### CITY WALK OF CULTURAL LINZ

Linz has a long history. The capital of Upper Austria with its approx. 200,000 inhabitants is first mentioned in the 2nd century as a Roman *Lentia*. The main square is surrounded by houses with baroque facades and beautiful Renaissance courtyards. Discover the town hall from the 15th century and the Feichtingerhaus from the 18th century. On your walk through Linz you will see the grand official *Landhaus* in Renaissance style as well as the *Mozarthaus*. The Old Cathedral, which was the Diocese of Linz' until 1909, was the work of the famous organist Anton Bruckner. Linz was the European Capital of Culture in 2009 - let yourself be inspired by this vibrant city.

Price: € 19 | Duration: approx. 1.5 h



## EVERYTHING YOU SHOULD KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

### EXCURSION AGENCY

GLOBUS Tours GmbH, Untere Paulistrasse 16, CH-8834 Schindellegi

### PAYMENT

The excursions will be charged directly to your onboard account.

### BOOKING DEADLINES AND CANCELLATIONS

There are booking deadlines for every port. These deadlines are announced in the daily programme on board. Cancellations or rebookings after the deadline are not possible. In case of illness, the excursion for the affected person will be cancelled free of charge.

### CLIMATE AND CLOTHING

For shore excursions, we recommend stable and comfortable footwear with nonslip grip soles. In the summer months, you should be prepared for a very hot and humid climate. We recommend to bring insect repellent, sunscreen and headwear. Please also dress appropriately when visiting churches and monasteries.

### GUESTS WITH LIMITED MOBILITY

We kindly ask you to get in touch with your Guest Relation Manager or International Host as soon as possible. This allows us to advise you individually or to make the appropriate preparations on location if required.

### GOLF

It is possible to play golf in many destinations. The golf courses are very different in terms of quality and condition. Information about the location and costs can be obtained from your Guest Relation Manager or International Host on board.

### INCLUDED SERVICES

Included in the excursion price: Guided excursions, transport and admission charges. Drinks and meals are only included if mentioned in the excursion description. We always give preference to typical local specialities where meals are included, giving you the opportunity to get to know and enjoy something new. Please be aware that the meals and drinks on the excursions will not always be up to the standard of the varied range of meals you are used to aboard A-ROSA.

### LEGAL MATTERS

The excursions generally take place as described. As your contractual partner, the agencies, however, reserve the right, even without prior notice, to adapt the order or times of the excursions depending on current conditions in order to guarantee your safety. The organiser also reserves the right to exclude a participant from the trip without reimbursement of costs if her/his behaviour is not conducive to the safety, well-being or harmony of the group. The insurance policies taken out by the agencies conform to local legislation and vary widely. We therefore recommend that you take out our comprehensive river cruise insurance (please contact us for further information) before the beginning of your cruise.

### MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

Most excursions can only take place if the minimum number of participants of 20 is reached. We will inform you as soon as possible if a trip cannot take place. In this case, your booking will be cancelled and the excursion price will of course be credited to your onboard cabin account. We will also suggest an alternative excursion. For some excursions, the number of participants is limited. Registrations are always considered in the order they were made. We kindly ask for your understanding that we might not be able to accept your registration any longer if the maximum number has already been reached. Of course, we also offer alternatives in this case.

### TOUR GUIDE AND LOCAL CUSTOMS

The excursion programme gives you the opportunity to get to know interesting towns, historic places, impressive scenery, as well as different cultures, nations, customs and traditions. Tourism is still at an early stage in some of the excursion ports. The level of the local tour guides, which accompany the excursions, corresponds to the top standard of the respective country. This also applies to all coaches.

### PRICES AND DISCOUNTS FOR CHILDREN

Prices are indicated - equivalent to the onboard currency - in Euro. For many of the excursions there are discounts for children up to the age of 11. Children under the age of four can take part for free, but are not entitled a seat. More precise information can be obtained from your Guest Relation Manager or International Host.

### TICKETS

After booking, you will receive your shore excursion ticket. Please do not forget to bring it with you for the shore excursion. The excursion ticket entitles you to participate and is collected by the agency at the start of the excursion.

### TIPPING

It is a common practice to reward good service with a tip. The local tour guides will be pleased if you show your acknowledgement.

### AND FINALLY ...

Objects of value, jewellery, large sums of cash and credit cards should be left in your cabin safe, so that you can enjoy the excursions in a relaxed and carefree frame of mind. Enjoy your excursion on shore!

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