



## Cruise Details

Name:	Windmills, Tulips and Belgian Delight with Jewels of Europe
Reference:	SCENICTUST190427-1
Operator:	Scenic River Cruises
Cruise Type:	River
Cruise Rating:	Luxury
Ship:	Scenic Amber
Regions:	Dutch Waterways
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Departs On:	19 Apr 27
Departs From:	Amsterdam
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Arrives On:	10 May 27
Arrives At:	Budapest
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Cruise Nights:	21
Total Vacation Days:	22

## Itinerary

### Day 1: Amsterdam (Netherlands)

Welcome to Amsterdam. The Netherlands' capital is a treasure trove of architectural beauty, galleries filled with masterpieces, 16th century canals, narrow cobbled laneways, and streets busy with cyclists. Often referred to as the 'Venice of the North', much of the UNESCO-listed canal system exists today as it did hundreds of years ago. It's particularly charming in spring, when the signature Dutch tulips are in full bloom.  
Board your ultra-luxury 5-star Scenic Space-Ship this afternoon, meet your fellow guests and raise a glass to the start of a fascinating journey ahead of you at this evening's welcome reception.  
Please book your flight to arrive into Amsterdam prior to 06:00 PM.

Arrives On: 19 Apr 27

### Day 2: Dordrecht (Netherlands)

Enjoy a relaxed morning on board before arriving in Dordrecht. As one of the oldest cities in Holland, it dates back to the 11th century. Dordrecht was once an important merchant city, drawing its wealth from wood, grain and wine. More than 1,000 historic monuments can be found in its historic centre, many of which have been reborn as restaurants, museums and theatres.

**Scenic Freechoice:** Choose from one of the following excursions this afternoon:

**Walking tour of Dordrecht:** Admire the city's picturesque streets, winding canals and historic buildings on a walking tour. Highlights include Groothoofd Quay, the Grote Kerk (Great Church) and the Old Water Tower.

**Delft pottery factory visit:** Delft is a charming city famed for its blue and white pottery. Enjoy a guided tour before visiting the 17th century pottery factory where master painters still decorate in the traditional manner.

**Excursion to Kinderdijk:** Windmills are an icon of Dutch culture and the traditional village of Kinderdijk boasts 19 of them. Explore the town and the role these World Heritage-listed windmills play in agricultural life, on an experience only available with Scenic.

**Cycle to Kinderdijk:** Enjoy a leisurely ride through the Dutch countryside on this easy, flat cycling route from Dordrecht to the World Heritage-listed village of Kinderdijk and its iconic windmills. Pedal along peaceful canals in an e-bike by charming villages, and picturesque dikes, taking in views of lush pastures and traditional waterways.

Arrives On: 20 Apr 27

### Day 3: Veere (Netherlands)

Dock this morning in the 13th century town of Veere, considered one of the most stunning in the Netherlands. Known as the 'Pearl of Walcheren', it is dotted with striking heritage buildings like the magnificent Grote Kerk, the elegant Town Hall, and the unique Schotse Huizen (Scottish Houses) that represent the town's strong history of trade with Scotland.

**Scenic Freechoice:** Choose from the following for your morning excursion:

**Guided tour of Veere:** Travel to the nearby town of Veere for a guided tour of its many charms, including the port area, Scottish merchant houses, impressive church and 15th century town hall. Enjoy some free time before returning to the ship.

**Excursion to the Delta Works:** This fascinating series of dams was designed to protect the population on the Delta plain from flooding. As well as being an impressive feat of engineering, it's essential in protecting low-lying areas of the Netherlands from surges and flooding.

On board later today, you can savour locally grown oysters in the ultimate 'farm-to-table' experience, with the shellfish brought directly from the icy waters of the North Sea.

Arrives On: 21 Apr 27

### Day 4: Antwerp (Belgium)

Crossing the border this morning, you'll dock in Antwerp, Belgium's second city and one of the world's most important seaports. Despite being bombed extensively during World War II, it retains its medieval heart, cobbled lanes, riverside fortress and impressive cathedral. Today, Antwerp is famed for its vibrant fashion, entertainment, and culinary

scenes.

**Scenic Freechoice:** These interesting Freechoice excursions are available today:

**Walking tour of Antwerp:** Join your local guide on a walking tour of Antwerp, known as the diamond capital of the world. Explore sights such as the impressive Cathedral of Our Lady, Steen Castle, the medieval fortress, and main square lined with extravagant buildings.

**Craft beer & chocolate pairing:** Belgium's culinary reputation is renowned for chocolate and beer. Find out why these two work so well together on this unique tasting journey.

**Excursion to Ghent:** Visit one of Belgium's most historic cities and join a local guide to explore its wealth of medieval buildings, charming canals and factories, relics of its industrial past that have been reborn as cultural hotspots.

Arrives On: 22 Apr 27

#### Day 5: Arnhem (Netherlands)

Arrive in Arnhem after lunch. Located at the edge of the Veluwe Nature Reserve, the city offers a beautiful landscape surrounded by dense forest, lush green parklands and riverside promenades. Arnhem also played an important role in World War II and the campaign ultimately helped bring about the end of the conflict. This evening, learn about The Netherlands' famed tulips and how they are grown during an engaging on board lecture.

**Scenic Freechoice:** Explore your way this afternoon with one of these excursions:

**Arnhem Airborne Museum:** Visit the Airborne Museum, which gives an in-depth account of the Battle of Arnhem. Follow in the footsteps of the British servicemen who parachuted into the city in September 1944 after long years of German occupation.

**The Netherlands Open Air Museum:** Learn about the lives and traditions of Dutch people through the ages at the Netherlands Open Air Museum. Your local guide will take you on an exploration of this fascinating 44-hectare outdoor museum, to see replicas of historic houses, mills and farmhouses.

**Palais Het Loo:** Art lovers will enjoy the Palais Het Loo. Dating back to 1685, it served as the royal family's summer home for centuries and is now an incredible museum showcasing the family's rich history, elaborate decor, art collection and grand gardens.

Arrives On: 23 Apr 27

#### Day 6: Hoorn (Netherlands)

Spend this morning in Hoorn, a prosperous trading centre from the Middle Ages to the 17th century and once a bustling Dutch East India Company port. Its main harbour, Binnenhaven, is lined with beautiful warehouses, while there are many historic buildings and monuments

throughout town, including a well-preserved city gate first built in 1578.

**Scenic Freechoice:** Explore the region with one of today's selection of Scenic Freechoice activities:

**Guided tour with tastes of Hoorn:** Join a local guide for a walking tour of Hoorn and its inner harbour. You can also sample some local delicacies, such as fish and cheese.

**Cheese farm:** Learn the tradition of cheesemaking in the Netherlands. Meet a local producer, tour the farm and discover the secrets behind their long-standing techniques.

**Ancestry of the Kitchen – traditional Dutch apple pie making class:** Recipes hold a special place through the generations. Become part of the family in the kitchen today as you learn to make an authentic Dutch apple pie with a local cook.

**Cycling tour of Hoorn:** Join your local guide on an active cycling tour of Hoorn. See some of the key sights of the city, like the Oosterkerk (the Old Church), as you cycle towards IJssel Lake dyke, the biggest lake in The Netherlands.

This afternoon, enjoy some time at leisure as you cruise towards Amsterdam. Relax with a massage (additional cost), or head to the Salt Therapy Lounge only available on Scenic, which has natural anti-viral, anti-inflammatory and anti-bacterial properties.

**Scenic Enrich**

**Fabrique des Lumières:** Experience an exclusive after-hours visit to the immersive digital art installation Fabrique des Lumières. Sip a glass of Champagne as you step inside the former 19th century gas works, admiring the works of the world's most renowned artists projected onto the 17 metre high walls, accompanied and complemented by a musical soundtrack.

Arrives On: 24 Apr 27

#### Day 7: Amsterdam (Netherlands)

Today is a celebration of spring. Join your fellow guests on an excursion to the legendary Keukenhof Gardens, home to the nation's most magnificent array of tulips. In a truly breathtaking kaleidoscope, more than seven million tulips from 800 varieties are carefully arranged into artistic patterns and vibrant displays. This is one of the most magical gardens in the world, seen at its most colourful moment.

Return to Amsterdam this afternoon for free time to explore this city steeped in history, art and cycling culture. Cruise the canals, do as the locals do and hop on a bike, visit the Rijksmuseum to see masterpieces by Rembrandt, Vermeer and Van Gogh, or take a poignant walk-through Anne Frank's House.

Arrives On: 25 Apr 27

#### Day 8: Amsterdam (Netherlands)

Enjoy the day exploring Amsterdam. A labyrinth of narrow laneways and canals lined with beautifully preserved 17th-century buildings and charming cafés, the city is a delight to wander.

Arrives On: 26 Apr 27

### Day 9: Amsterdam (Netherlands)

Today is the annual King's Day celebration across The Netherlands. This national holiday marks the birthday of King Willem-Alexander and every city bursts into life with vibrant orange decorations, street parades, live music, parties and more. Due to local road closures and other restrictions on King's Day, you will spend today exploring the surrounding regions outside of Amsterdam.

**Scenic Freechoice:** Explore your way with one of these excursions:

- Excursion to Zaanse Schans: Enjoy a guided visit to Zaanse Schans, a picturesque open-air heritage village just outside Amsterdam that brings the Netherlands' industrial past to life. Stroll past iconic working windmills set along the river, traditional green wooden houses, and artisan workshops.
- E- bike cycling: The Netherlands is known as the bicycle capital of the world, with more bikes than cars and thousands of kilometres of cycle paths. Ride through charming countryside and quaint villages with a local guide, who will share information about everyday life of the Dutch people, many of whom you will see getting around on two wheels.
- Excursion to De Haar Castle: Traverse the Dutch countryside to the fairytale castle of De Haar where you will be awed by the sight of towers, turrets, and red-brick walls reflected in the surrounding moat. Tour the castle and learn of its aristocratic past.

Arrives On: 27 Apr 27

### Day 10: Cologne (Germany)

Arrive in the 2,000 year old city of Cologne early this afternoon. Cologne suffered extensive damage during World War II but was painstakingly restored over the following decades. Set out on a walking tour of the Old Town, admiring its historic buildings, beautiful squares and the World Heritage-listed Cologne Cathedral. Then enjoy some free time to explore the city on your own.

**Scenic Enrich**

Gala Dinner and classical concert at La Redoute: An exclusive experience awaits you this evening. Travel to Bonn by coach and the magnificent La Redoute recital hall, built in 1792 by the last Elector of Cologne. Sit down to a lavish dinner accompanied by classical music whose previous guests include Queen Elizabeth II, Princess Diana and US Presidents. Your Scenic Space-Ship will meet you in Bonn later that evening.

Arrives On: 28 Apr 27

### Day 10: Bonn (Germany)

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### Day 11: Port information not found

Relax on board this morning as you cruise through the picturesque Rhine Gorge, where the landscapes could have been pulled from the pages of a fairytale. This 65 kilometre stretch of the river is dotted with some 40 hilltop castles and fortresses that span a period of 1,000 years. Look out for the Lorelei statue, dedicated to the tragic legend of a beautiful maiden whose voice enraptured sailors as she avenged her sweetheart's betrayal.

This afternoon, disembark in Rudesheim, a picturesque town surrounded by steep vineyards that have been cultivating wine for more than two millennia. The charming town centre is filled with half-timbered houses lining cobbled streets, quaint shops selling trinkets such as cuckoo clocks, as well as a smattering of wine taverns and open-air beer gardens.

**Scenic Freechoice:**

Make your selection from this afternoon's Scenic Freechoice excursions:

**Siegfried's Musikkabinett Museum:** Visit Siegfried's Musikkabinett Museum, where a local guide will introduce you to the weird and wonderful mechanical musical instruments. Then explore on your own or take the cable car up to the Niederwald Monument.

**Hike and cable car:** Join a local guide for a hike through the rolling vineyards of Rudesheim and enjoy spectacular views of the countryside and Rhine River below. Start with a cable car up to the Niederwald Monument before returning to town on foot.

Arrives On: 29 Apr 27

#### Day 11: Rudesheim (Germany)

Arrives On: 29 Apr 27

#### Day 12: Miltenberg (Germany)

Relax on board this morning as you cruise towards Miltenberg. You may like to book a massage in the spa~ or relax in the exclusive Salt Therapy Lounge, which has natural anti-viral, anti-inflammatory and anti-bacterial properties.

This afternoon, dock in Miltenberg. Located on the banks of the River Main, this historic town is one of the best preserved in Germany, home to hundreds of pastel-coloured half-timbered houses and one of the country's oldest inns, Zum Riesen. Today is all about connecting with culture and meeting the locals, an experience that is unique to Scenic guests.

**Scenic Freechoice:**

This afternoon, choose from the following Scenic Freechoice experiences that will immerse you in local life:

**Wertheim tour and winery:** Start your excursion in Miltenberg, another historic town filled with half-timbered houses for an orientation tour and some free time. Then travel to the nearby town of Wertheim to visit a local winery to meet the vintner and learn about the production process.

**Gamburg Castle tour:** Visit the town of Gamburg for a guided tour of Gamburg Castle. Here you will also meet the Baron and Baroness for a private reception and learn about their modern aristocratic life over a glass of sparkling wine.

**Miltenberg hike:** Be immersed in the elegant Franconian landscape on a guided hike through the hills and forests encircling Miltenberg. Led by an expert local guide, this active walk reveals panoramic views of the Main

River, ancient vineyard terraces, and timeless villages. Along the way, discover the region's quiet charm and hear stories of its medieval past.  
Tastes and treasures of Miltenberg: Step into the local life of Miltenberg as you seek out the town's finest local producers, from artisanal butchers and bakers to independently run Schnapps producers, offering an authentic taste of Franconian craftsmanship.  
Schnapps tasting: After an orientation tour and free time in Miltenberg, visit a local schnapps distiller to understand how this flavoured liqueur is produced. Enjoy a tasting of the multiple flavours before transferring to the town of Wertheim where you will meet your ship.

Arrives On: 30 Apr 27

#### Day 12: Wertheim (Germany)

Arrives On: 30 Apr 27

#### Day 13: Würzburg (Germany)

With its lavish Baroque and Rococo architecture, you'll be captivated by the glamorous port of Würzburg. This city straddles the Main River in the heart of Franconian wine country. Surrounded by undulating vineyards, Würzburg is home to a World Heritage-listed palace, a dominating hilltop fortress, the 15th century Old Main Bridge, and three universities, including Bavaria's oldest.

**Scenic Freechoice:**  
Discover more of the region on one of this morning's excursions:  
Walking tour and Würzburg Residence: Visit the Würzburg Residence, a Baroque palace surrounded by manicured gardens, for a guided tour to see its many valuable paintings, tapestries and period furniture. Then take a short stroll into the city for some free time.  
Romantic Road to Rothenburg: From Würzburg, drive by coach to Rothenburg along the picturesque Romantic Road, an important trading route during the Middle Ages. Take a guided tour of the well-preserved medieval old town and enjoy some free time to explore on your own.

This afternoon, sit back with a drink on the Sun Deck or in the privacy of your suite as you enjoy the scenery while cruising towards to city of Bamberg.

Arrives On: 01 May 27

#### Day 14: Bamberg (Germany)

Dock in charming Bamberg after lunch. You could spend this morning relaxing in your spacious suite or enjoying the vistas of the Main River from the Sun Deck.  
This World Heritage-listed town has surprises at every turn. Intersected by rivers and canals, Bamberg's Old Town is resplendent with cobblestoned streets and well-preserved medieval buildings. Admire the charming Town Hall which occupies an island on its own, a Gothic and Romanesque-style cathedral, and the Old and New Residences – comprising an episcopal palace, a quaint 'Little

Venice' and a 12th century castle that teeters on the highest of the seven hills.

**Scenic Freechoice:** Stay in Bamberg or choose to explore further afield:

**Guided tour of Bamberg Old Town:** Bamberg is known for its charming World Heritage-listed Old Town, one of Europe's largest intact old town centres. Learn about its fascinating history as you wander through stunning Medieval and Baroque buildings on a guided city tour.

**Excursion to Coburg:** Journey via coach to Coburg, which was the seat of Queen Victoria's husband Prince Albert and has close ties to the British royal family. Visit the impressive castle, which looks over the city, and is considered one of the largest and best-preserved forts in Germany. Its museum houses a large collection of carriages, weapons, armoury and paintings by renowned artists.

Arrives On: 02 May 27

### Day 15: Nuremberg (Germany)

Arrive in Nuremberg, Bavaria's second-largest city, where the Old Town is protected by an ancient city wall. The city is dominated by one of the most significant imperial forts of the Holy Roman Empire, the 12th century Imperial Castle, which was the preferred residence of German kings.

Behind its charming facade, Nuremberg also has a turbulent history. During WWII, the city was favoured by the Nazis for party rallies and many of the anti-Jewish laws began here. By 1945, the city was reduced to rubble, including large sections of the Imperial Castle and Old Town. After the war, Nazi leaders were tried here for their war crimes.

**Scenic Freechoice:** Make your choice from today's Scenic Freechoice experiences:

**Guided tour of Nuremberg Old Town:** Drive into Nuremberg's city centre, passing by the ancient city walls, then join your local guide for a walking tour of the Old Town to see the Imperial Castle, St. Egidien's Church and the market square.

**World War II tour:** Your local guide will highlight the main events that occurred in Nuremberg during the Nazi regime. Learn about this dark time in Germany's history and visit some of the most important sites.

**Nuremberg's Castle and City Walls:** The historic city of Nuremberg is yours to explore during this active walking tour. Follow the cobblestone streets surrounding the Imperial castle and admire the impressive city walls that remain since medieval times.

Arrives On: 03 May 27

### Day 16: Regensburg (Germany)

You will arrive in Regensburg today. Boasting a staggering 2,000 year history, Regensburg has one of Germany's best preserved medieval town centres, with more than 900 of its Romanesque and Gothic buildings listed as World Heritage sites. Within its narrow laneways, the city lays claim to having the highest concentration of bars in the country.

**Scenic Freechoice:** Today, Regensburg offers a selection of Scenic Freechoice activities to choose from:

**Walking tour of**

Regensburg: On the confluence of three rivers in Bavaria, Regensburg is known as the best-preserved medieval city in Germany. Guests will join a walking tour with a local guide to see the old stone bridge, the Church of St. James, and the Porta Praetoria.<br /><br />Weltenburg Abbey: Take a ferry through the Danube Gorge to Weltenburg Abbey, the oldest monastery in Bavaria, founded by monks in approximately 600AD. Explore the Abbey and Cloister Church, then sample the award-winning beer produced on site since 1050.<br /><br />Thurn und Taxis Active Walking Tour: Join an active walking tour from the ship to Thurn und Taxis castle, for a guided tour followed by free time. Thurn und Taxis is a German noble family who can trace their history back to the 12th century.<br /><br />Cycle to Walhalla Memorial: Cycle through the wonderful scenery of the Danube Valley along the river and through the countryside, to Walhalla Memorial. Commissioned by King Ludwig I of Bavaria, Walhalla Memorial honours notable Germans from past centuries.</span></p>

Arrives On: 04 May 27

### Day 17: Passau (Germany)

<p><span>Arrive in Passau early this morning. Set at the meeting point of three rivers and close to the border with Austria, it was an important trading point for centuries. It was also a significant town in the Holy Roman Empire and the charming Old Town was mostly built by powerful prince-bishops in an Italianate style.</span></p><p><strong>Scenic Freechoice: </strong><span><br />Take your pick from the following Scenic Freechoice excursions.<br /><br />Full day excursion to Salzburg: Cross the border into Salzburg, Austria, a storybook city surrounded by alpine peaks and best known as the home of Mozart and The Sound of Music. On a guided tour, learn about its art and music scene, visit Mozart's birthplace, and see the vast Hohensalzburg Fortress. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant and some free time.<br /><br />Full day excursion to Český Krumlov: Journey to the Czech town of Český Krumlov, a World Heritage site brimming with charm. Explore with your local guide, admire the well-preserved Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque architecture, and enjoy lunch in a local restaurant.<br /><br />Highlights of Passau: Join your local guide on a walking tour, admiring the brightly coloured buildings that line the waterways. Visit St. Stephens Cathedral, originally built in the year 450 but destroyed by fire in 1662 and rebuilt in the Baroque style.</span></p>

Arrives On: 05 May 27

### Day 18: Dürnstein (Austria)

<p><span>Spend this morning in Dürnstein, a small and picturesque town in Austria's picturesque Wachau Valley. Enjoy some free time to explore this World Heritage-listed town, perched on the edge of the Danube River and surrounded by ancient, terraced vineyards.</span></p><p><strong>Scenic Freechoice: </strong><span><br />Today offers a variety of Scenic Freechoice excursions to choose from:<br /><br />Göttweig Abbey: Founded in the sixth century, the abbey burned down during the 18th century and rebuilt to be one of the most

magnificent in the Wachau Valley. Your local guide will show you its magnificent frescoes as well as the staircase, the largest Baroque staircase in Austria.<br /><br />Wachau Valley wine tasting: The Wachau Valley is one of the prominent regions for wine growing in Austria. Today you'll visit a local winemaker and learn about the age-old traditions of winemaking while sampling the delicious wines produced on site.<br /><br />UNESCO Wachau Valley e-bike experience: Join your guide on a bicycle tour along the Danube to the quaint village of Krems. Pass by charming villages and rolling vineyard landscapes. You will have time to stop along the way to enjoy the breathtaking views of the Danube.</span></p>

Arrives On: 06 May 27

#### Day 18: Krems (Austria)

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#### Day 19: Vienna (Austria)

<p><span>Welcome to Vienna, the capital of Austria and a centre of art, music and culture. The city fostered the musical geniuses Mozart and Beethoven, and oozes charm with magnificent Baroque buildings, ample green spaces, a vibrant coffee-house scene, and masterpiece-filled galleries and museums.<br /><br />Join your local guide and take a coach ride from the ship to Vienna's city centre, where you will embark on a walking tour to see highlights such as the Opera House, St. Stephen's Cathedral and Belvedere Palace. The ship will be docked overnight, so this afternoon you are free to wander around the city or relax on board your Scenic Space-Ship.</span></p><p><strong>Scenic Enrich</strong><br /><span>Classical concert at Palais Liechtenstein: Breathe in the opulence and luxury of Palais Liechtenstein this evening as you relish an exclusive private classical concert. Enjoy a glass of fine Austrian Sekt and listen to the timeless music of Strauss and Mozart performed by a renowned orchestra. Accompanied by ballet dancers and vocalists, and surrounded by world-famous art, this will be a concert that you'll remember for a lifetime.</span></p>

Arrives On: 07 May 27

#### Day 20: Vienna (Austria)

<p><span>Wake this morning with Vienna on your doorstep. A city full of grandeur, Austria's Imperial capital is famous for having the world's most beautiful boulevard, The Ringstrasse, and for the legacy of the Habsburg monarchy. Slow down and spend a full day exploring Vienna or venture further afield.</span></p><p><strong>Scenic Freechoice: </strong><span><br />Choose from today's Scenic Freechoice activities:<br /><br />Cycle to Danube Island: Explore a different side of Vienna on a guided e-bike tour to Danube Island, a recreational playground where locals come for bathing, boating, cycling and relaxing on its beaches and open spaces.<br /><br />Excursion to

Bratislava: Travel to Bratislava, Slovakia's capital since independence in 1993. This modern multicultural metropolis has an intriguing history. The glorious Old Town and well-preserved hilltop castle contrast with its brutalist socialist architecture. Your local guide will show you Bratislava Castle, the Hlavné Námestie, the main square and the Old Town Hall.<br /><br />Klosterneuburg Abbey guided tour and wine tasting: Visit Austria's oldest wine estate, Klosterneuburg Abbey, which has been producing wine for 900 years. Explore the serene halls and magnificent Imperial Apartments, before a guided tasting inside the historic winery.</span></p>

Arrives On: 08 May 27

### Day 21: Budapest (Hungary)

<p><span>This morning you will arrive in Budapest, the capital of Hungary and one of Europe's most diverse and vibrant cities. Divided by the Danube, with Buda on one side and Pest on the other, this city became united in 1873 when a newly built bridge connected the two. It's an architectural treasure trove comprising styles from Gothic to Art Nouveau and everything in between. It is also well known for its hot springs and thermal baths and has a vibrant nightlife scene.</span></p><p><strong>Scenic Freechoice: </strong><span><br />Choose from a range of Scenic Freechoice activities on offer this morning:<br /><br />Budapest in depth: Explore this magical city by coach. Starting in Buda, see the Várkert Bazár before crossing the Margaret Bridge to the Pest side to see Széchenyi Square and Elizabeth Square. End your tour with a mesmerising piano recital at the Institute for the Blind.<br /><br />Budapest's past and present: This walking and coach tour will give insight on Budapest's communist past and life today as part of the European Union, including the 1956 Hungarian revolution and the significant Jewish events that have shaped modern culture.<br /><br />Hospital in the Rock: Go underground to explore the labyrinths of the Hospital in the Rock, set underneath the city's Castle district. The complex was built as a secret hospital during WWII and was later converted to a nuclear bunker.<br /><br />Guided hike of Buda: Strap on your walking shoes for a beautiful hike through the Buda district of the city. On your walk, see Várkert Bazár and beautifully landscaped gardens, all while enjoying great views over the Danube River and the city architecture.<br /><br />Hungarian culinary market tour: This foodie tour in Budapest promises an unforgettable journey through the city's culinary delights. Visit the bustling Grand Central Market and other locations for tasting the local delicacies, and hear fascinating stories about the city's traditions.</span></p><p><span>This afternoon is at leisure. Your ship will remain docked in Budapest overnight, so you may like to head out and discover some of the city's famed nightlife.</span></p>

Arrives On: 09 May 27

### Day 22: Budapest (Hungary)

<p><span>Your journey concludes this morning. After one final breakfast on board, depart with a lifetime of memories.</span><span>Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the

UK.

Due to new restrictions on cruise ships at Amsterdam's city docks, your cruise is now likely to embark and/or disembark at a port outside central Amsterdam. If your ship does not have a central Amsterdam docking, Scenic will provide a central Amsterdam meeting point and transfers to your ship as required. These changes are required by local authorities and are in line with our booking terms which allow changes to berthing or dock locations and ports where operationally necessary. You will be advised of the confirmed docking location prior to departure.

This itinerary is a guide only and may be amended for operational reasons such as high and low water. As such, the cruise may operate altered from that stated above. Please refer to our terms and conditions.

~Massage services are an additional cost.

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