



# HISTORIC FRANCE

## PARIS, NORMANDY & THE LOIRE VALLEY

This handcrafted itinerary will delight all your senses. Come for the magic and wonder of Paris, The City of Light, but stay for the charm of the French countryside and historic seaside. Join Cooper's Hawk hosts Tom Koenigsberg — Chief Strategy Officer for Cooper's Hawk — and his wife, Kris Koenigsberg, Cooper's Hawk Brand Ambassador and resident Francophile, to travel through some of the most historic, fascinating, and beautiful areas of France. Explore battlefields and beaches, cities and medieval towns, gardens and vineyards, and chateaux and palaces. Taste French wines, ciders, cheeses, and delicious cuisines.

This unique Wine Club tour will provide a moving journey through World War II history, iconic sites, fairytale vistas, and experiences you'll never forget. There is limited space, so sign up now for this amazing tour!



OCTOBER 2 - 11, 2024 | HISTORIC FRANCE



tuesday, october 01, 2024

# DEPART U.S.

Board your overnight flight from your home city.

wednesday, october 02, 2024

# ARRIVE IN PARIS, FRANCE

Bienvenue: Welcome to Paris! After claiming your luggage and clearing customs, you'll be transferred to your hotel. This evening, the wonder of Paris at night will truly come to life during a sightseeing cruise on the Seine River, where you will discover just why it's called The City of Light! After the cruise, we'll celebrate your arrival with a Welcome Dinner at a local restaurant.

*Meals Included – Dinner*

*Hotel – Mercure Paris Centre Tour Eiffel Hotel or similar*

## HIGHLIGHTS

**Seine River Cruise**

**Welcome Dinner**



# PARIS – GIVERNY – ROUEN – DEAUVILLE

Depart Paris to visit the home and gardens of master impressionist painter Claude Monet at Giverny. We'll continue to Rouen to visit Notre-Dame de l'Assomption Cathedral, then enjoy lunch in the city, with time to stroll along the lovely cobblestoned Rue du Gros-Horloge leading to the square where Joan of Arc was burned in 1431. We will overnight in Deauville and enjoy dinner at a local restaurant.

*Meals Included – Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner*

*Hotel – Hôtel Barrière Le Royal Deauville or similar*

## HIGHLIGHTS

**Giverny**

**Notre-Dame de l'Assomption Cathedral**

**Rue du Gros-Horloge**

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# DEAUVILLE — EXCURSION TO HONFLEUR — CAEN — BEUVRON-EN-AUGE

After breakfast, enjoy the city of Deauville at your leisure. We'll depart late morning to Honfleur for lunch at a local restaurant, then travel to Caen for an in-depth look at Mémorial de Caen during a guided tour. We'll stop in Beuvron-en-Auge along the Route du Cidre for a cider tasting, then return to Deauville for an evening at your leisure.

*Meals Included – Breakfast, Lunch*

*Hotel – Hôtel Barrière Le Royal Deauville or similar*

## HIGHLIGHTS

Mémorial de Caen

Cider Tasting



# DEAUVILLE — NORMANDY LANDING BEACHES — SAINT-MALO

Today is a full day of touring, with a morning departure and lunch on your own in Omaha Beach, Normandy. We'll start the tour in Sainte-Mère-Église to see the Airborne Museum (located next to the bell tower where American paratrooper John Steele's parachute got caught). Then, we'll visit Utah Beach, Pointe du Hoc, Omaha Beach, and Arromanches-les-Bains (Gold Beach) before ending the day at the Normandy American Cemetery and Memorial in Colleville-sur-Mer. We'll overnight in Saint-Malo, with dinner at a local restaurant.

*Meals Included – Breakfast, Dinner*

*Hotel – Oceania Saint-Malo or similar*

## HIGHLIGHTS

**Airborne Museum**

**D-Day Beaches**

**Normandy American Cemetery and Memorial**

**Omaha Beach**



# SAINT-MALO — MONT-SAINT-MICHEL

In the morning, visit the famous Abbey of Mont-Saint-Michel, which is spectacularly perched on a rocky isle in the Gulf of Saint-Malo. You'll have free time to explore the area on your own before we visit Hôtel de l'Abbaye for a tasting of some of its quality wines. We'll return to Saint-Malo for an evening at your leisure.

*Meals Included – Breakfast*

*Hotel – Oceania Saint-Malo or similar*

## HIGHLIGHTS

**Abbey of Mont-Saint-Michel**

**Wine Tasting at Hôtel de l'Abbaye**



# SAINT-MALO – LOIRE VALLEY AREA – BLOIS

Travel to the Loire Valley to visit a goat farm, learn about its cheese production, and enjoy a cheese tasting of local chèvre, a specialty of the region. Next, we'll tour the lovely Château de Chenonceau, where Catherine de Medici lived in the 16th century, with an audio guide. We'll continue to Blois for your two-night stay.

*Meals Included – Breakfast, Lunch*

*Hotel – Mercure Blois Centre or similar*

## HIGHLIGHTS

**Goat Farm and Cheese Tasting**

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**Château de Chenonceau**

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# BLOIS — CHATEAU COUNTRY

After breakfast, visit the market in Blois with free time to browse and shop. Then, we'll travel to the jewel of the French Renaissance: Château de Chambord. After some free time for lunch, we'll continue to Les Caves du Père Auguste to visit its troglodyte wine cellars and enjoy a presentation of its winemaking processes. Our tour of the cellars will include a wine tasting of five Appellation d'Origine Contrôlée (AOC) wines accompanied by local charcuterie and chèvre. Afterward, we'll enjoy a guided tour of Château de Nitray, where we'll visit the wine warehouses that have operated for 250 years and learn about the wine-making process. Then, we'll take part in the Initiation to Oenology Course with a wine pairing, followed by dinner.

*Meals Included – Breakfast, Dinner*  
*Hotel – Mercure Blois Centre or similar*

### HIGHLIGHTS

**Château de Chambord**

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**Les Caves du Père Auguste**

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**Initiation to Oenology Course**

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# BLOIS – VERSAILLES – PARIS

After breakfast, depart for the town of Versailles — built during Louis XIII’s reign — to visit the second-largest market in France and the oldest market in Versailles. You’ll have some free time to explore the market before we visit the lavish, 17th-century baroque Palace of Versailles, built by the Sun King, Louis XIV, with its magnificent State Apartments, Hall of Mirrors, and Royal Chapel. Your guide will bring the palace’s history to life during your visit, and you’ll have time at leisure to stroll through parts of the elegant 250-acre gardens. Louis XIII originally purchased Versailles and its surrounding land to serve as his hunting lodge. Later, his son, Louis XIV, decided to make it his seat of government, and in 1682, he installed his impressive court and numerous noble visitors in sumptuous surroundings, a symbol of absolute monarchy. Tonight in Paris, we’ll enjoy dinner at a popular local restaurant.

*Meals Included – Breakfast, Dinner*  
*Hotel – Le Méridien Etoile or similar*

## HIGHLIGHTS

### Palace Of Versailles

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# PARIS

A morning guided sightseeing tour of Paris takes you past Notre-Dame Cathedral — where Napoleon was crowned emperor in 1804 — to admire its amazing 13th-century stained-glass Rose Window. The tour will then take us past the Latin Quarter, Les Invalides, Paris Opéra, Place de la Concorde, and Arc de Triomphe. We'll drive by the Seine River and its beautiful bridges, where you can stop to take photos of the iconic Eiffel Tower from one of the best panoramic viewing points. The remainder of the day will be free to explore on your own, and your Tour Director will be on hand for suggestions. Tonight, we'll celebrate the success of your tour with a Farewell Dinner at a popular local restaurant.

*Meals Included – Breakfast, Dinner*  
*Hotel – Le Méridien Etoile or similar*

## HIGHLIGHTS

**Sightseeing Tour**  
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**Farewell Dinner**  
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# DEPART PARIS, FRANCE

After breakfast, your Globus custom tour comes to an end with individual transfers to the airport.

*While we do our best to outline the planned itinerary, all events listed are subject to change. Whenever adjustments are needed, our Tour Director will ensure appropriate alternative plans. Impromptu changes can occur due to local issues.*

## mobility guidelines

*While there are no long walking tours or hikes, on select days, the itinerary will require that guests be comfortable on their feet for longer periods. We often tour wineries, cellars, and other historic locations that may have uneven cobblestones and stairs. We've endeavored to find a balance so there is ample time to relax and enjoy lunch or a unique site. Your Tour Director will give you an explanation of each day's activities the day prior, including the amount of activity involved. Please advise us of any mobility issues at the time of booking so we can work with our ground handlers to best accommodate you.*

## inclusions

### INCLUDED

9 nights' accommodations at superior, deluxe hotels

Sightseeing, tours, activities, & attractions as shown

Breakfast daily, 3 lunches, 6 dinners.  
Lunches & dinners include two glasses of wine.

Tour Director, Cooper's Hawk host

Private coach throughout

Taxes

Gratuities for Tour Director & coach driver

### NOT INCLUDED

International airfare

Meals when not mentioned as included

Room service & personal room charges

Excess baggage & portorage

Local guide gratuities

Trip cancellation and travel insurance

Additional pre/post nights



### rates

**\$8,537**

Double occupancy (per person)

**\$9,917**

Single occupancy

*Space is limited on this tour, and it will be sold on a first-come basis upon receipt of deposit. You must have a valid passport for travel to France. Your U.S. passport must be valid for six months beyond your return date. Please read through the booking terms and conditions for further details and important information.*

### deposit & final payment

**\$2,000 DEPOSIT (NON-REFUNDABLE)**

per person, due upon making reservations

**FINAL PAYMENT**

due by July 21, 2024

*This tour requires a minimum of 15 participants to operate at the prices shown. Falling below 15 participants might create additional cost. A non-refundable deposit of \$2,000 per person is due upon making reservations. Final payment will be due July 21, 2024. Forms of payment include MasterCard, Visa, and American Express.*

### airfare

*Airfare is not included, but we are happy to assist you in securing your air tickets. You need to arrive in Paris, France, on October 2, 2024, which means you need to depart the U.S. on October 1, 2024. An arrival transfer will be included. Your first event will be a sightseeing cruise on October 2, so we recommend you land by 2 p.m. Your departure home from Paris is on October 11, 2024, at a convenient time for your flight itinerary.*

### land cancellation policy

*This tour is non-refundable. Trip cancellation and travel insurance are recommended and will be quoted at the time of booking. If we have a waitlist, we may be able to assist with a name change instead of a cancellation on land only. Name changes have a \$200 per person administrative fee. There is no guarantee we will have someone to take your spot, in which case full cancellation fees will apply. Air tickets are non-refundable from the time of ticketing. No name changes are allowed on air tickets.*

### reservations



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