

A SHORT BREAK THROUGH ONE OF EUROPE'S MOST **BEAUTIFUL** RIVER VALLEYS

# Rhine Discovery

## aboard mps Lady Anne

The Rhine valley radiates with year-round colour, from the lush greens of spring to vibrant reds and oranges that herald the autumn. Among this canvas of colour are rich vineyards, fairytale castles, quaint villages and picturesque towns, all waiting to be discovered. During our cruise we visit some of the most impressive places, including Rudesheim, Koblenz and Cologne, which nestle at the water's edge making it easy to venture from the comfort of our ship. It really is the perfect introduction to river cruising, taking in many highlights in a short space of time, while giving you every opportunity to relax. Even if you are an avid river cruiser, it's a great chance to enjoy a short break through one of Europe's most beautiful river valleys.



### Day 1: UK – Koblenz

We travel to Koblenz and settle aboard our ship.

### Day 2: Koblenz – Rudesheim

Casting off this morning we cruise through the dramatic narrow Rhine Gorge to reach the attractive Rhineland town of Rudesheim. You can explore at leisure or join our optional excursion which takes you to the historic spa town of Wiesbaden for a tour, before visiting the charming medieval town of Eltville. Later, why not join our optional evening excursion in Rudesheim to seek out the captivating inclined street called the Drosselgasse and enjoy some local wine tasting.

### Day 3: Rudesheim – Boppard – Koblenz

We retrace our route back down the spectacular Rhine Gorge as far as Boppard, the meeting place of six valleys. Here you can join our optional excursion to Bad Ems, Europe's oldest and most famous spa, where we meet our guide and follow in the footsteps of its impressive history and famous guests. In the afternoon we cruise to the walled city of Koblenz where a further optional excursion visits Sayn Palace and its beautiful Butterfly Garden. You can then end the day with a relaxing evening in the medieval centre of Koblenz.



The Rhine

### Day 4: Koblenz – Bonn – Cologne

The birthplace of Beethoven and former capital of western Germany, Bonn, is our destination this morning. You can explore at leisure or join our optional trip on the Dragon Rock Railway which leads to the top of Drachenfels, a hill surrounded by legends. In the afternoon we reach Cologne, a spectacular city dominated by its gothic cathedral. If you're familiar with the city then our optional excursion visiting the nearby Augustusburg Palace makes for a wonderful trip.

### Day 5: Cologne – UK

This morning we bid farewell to our captain and crew and disembark for the return journey to the UK.



Koblenz



### What our passengers say...

"I had a brilliant cruise – the Rhine Discovery. The crew were extremely helpful and the ship itself beautiful."

Mr R Weaving

5 DAYS FROM  
**£469**



### YOUR CRUISE INCLUDES

#### BY COACH

- Coach travel to the port from your local area
- Ferry crossing from Dover, Hull or Newcastle
- Hull or Newcastle: Two nights' overnight ferry crossings with cabin accommodation
- Four nights' cruise on a full board basis

To make your own way to the ship please see pages 63 & 65

2017 dates	No. of days	Coach routes	Ferry crossing
29 April	5	D1 D2 D3 D4 D5 D6 D12	Dover
5 July	5	D10 D11 D12	Dover
8 July	7	N1 N2	Newcastle
9 July	5	D3 D4 D5 D6 D12	Dover
23 August	7	H1 H2 H3 H4 H5	Hull
24 August	5	D10 D11 D12	Dover
15 November	5	D1 D2 D3 D4 D5 D6 D12	Dover

### HOLIDAY PRICES

Tour code: RHC RD

#### BY COACH per person

Code	Deck	Berth	Coach via Dover 5 days	Coach via Hull/N'castle 7 days
X3S	Passenger	3	£459	£619
X2S	Passenger	2	£469	£609
X1S	Passenger	1	£529	£679
M3S	Main Deck Standard	3	£499	£649
M2S	Main Deck Standard	2	£529	£679
M2L	Main Deck Superior	2	£579	£729
P2S	Promenade	2	£609	£759
P2X	Promenade Superior	2	£649	£799

See page 15 for deck plan and cabin occupancy

### EXCURSIONS

- NEW Spa town of Wiesbaden & medieval Eltville .....£17
- Rudesheim by night.....£27
- NEW Bad Ems, the emperor's spa.....£19
- NEW Sayn Palace & Butterfly Garden.....£23
- NEW Dragon Rock Railway .....£25
- NEW Palaces of Augustusburg & Falkenlust\*.....£29

**Pre-book package price** **£99**  
**Saving per person** **£41**

\*Please note: Augustusburg Palace is closed on a Monday and will be substituted with a visit to Cologne Cathedral



Rudesheim

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Cologne