

# Switzerland

POST-RIVERBOAT VACATION STRETCHERS  
APRIL 2023



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Extend your vacation and enjoy beautiful Switzerland after our trip down the Rhine River. Our post-cruise vacation stretchers will allow you to experience the best of Switzerland by visiting the Swiss Alps, touring Lucerne, tasting Swiss cheese, making your own Swiss chocolate bar, and exploring the streets of Zurich's Old Town.

## 2-NIGHT SWITZERLAND VACATION STRETCHER (APRIL 18-20, 2023)

**\$1,299 PP DOUBLE OCCUPANCY – STANDARD ROOM**

**\$1,599 PP SINGLE OCCUPANCY – STANDARD ROOM**

### INCLUDED

- 2-night stay in a Standard Room at the **Zurich Marriott Hotel**
- Breakfast (on the ship) and lunch on own on April 18
- Breakfast and lunch on April 19
- Breakfast on departure day April 20
- Full-day tour from the ship, including a Gondola Ride to Mt. Titlis\*, a walking tour of Lucerne, and transportation to the Zurich Hotel (April 18)
- Full-day tour, including Maestrani Chocolate Factory, Appenzeller Cheese Factory, and lunch at the Cheese Factory (April 19)
  - Chocolate Factory includes a “tasting” tour and a chocolate bar making class with the opportunity to make your own chocolate bar
  - Lunch includes 2 courses (main and dessert), choice of wine, local beer, mineral water or soft drink, and coffee or tea
  - Cheese Factory includes tour and a 5-cheese sampling
- Round-trip hotel luggage portorage
- Team Olivia assistance throughout

*\*Please note that this stretcher involves a visit to high altitudes*

### NOT INCLUDED

Transfer from hotel to airport, tips to housekeepers, guides, and drivers (suggested gratuities are per person, \$5/day for guides, \$2-\$3/day for drivers, and \$5/day for housekeepers), meals not listed

### ACTIVITY LEVEL: IMPORTANT

This post-cruise Vacation Stretcher package requires a **high level** of mobility without the use of a wheelchair or scooter as most tours entail extensive walking (on cobblestone streets, uneven ground, and up and down stairs) and standing for long periods of time. If you have limited mobility but feel that you are still able to meet the activity level requirements, you are required to travel with someone who can assist you when necessary.

## 3-NIGHT SWITZERLAND VACATION STRETCHER (APRIL 18-21, 2023)

Our 3-Night Vacation Stretcher allows an extra day to shop and/or enjoy Zurich on your own! The first two days are so full, you will want this day to see more of what Zurich has to offer. We will have a hospitality desk with a local guide to offer sightseeing and restaurant recommendations.

**\$1,499 PP DOUBLE OCCUPANCY – STANDARD ROOM**

**\$2,199 PP SINGLE OCCUPANCY – STANDARD ROOM**

### INCLUDED

- 3-night stay in a Standard Room at the Zurich Marriott Hotel
- Breakfast (on the ship) and lunch on own on April 18
- Breakfast and lunch on April 19
- Breakfast on April 20 and April 21
- Full-day tour from the ship, including a Gondola Ride to Mt. Titlis\*, a walking tour of Lucerne, and transportation to the Zurich Hotel (April 18)
- Full-day tour, including Maestrani Chocolate Factory, Appenzeller Cheese Factory, and lunch at the Cheese Factory (April 19)
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  - Cheese Factory includes tour and a 5-cheese sampling
- Full day in Zurich to explore on your own (April 20)
- Round-trip hotel luggage portorage
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## ABOUT YOUR TOURS



After breakfast on board the ship, we leave Basel and head to the Alps! Your luggage will be on its way to your hotel in Zurich, so we encourage you to keep your personal and valuable items in your small personal luggage. First stop is the gondola ride up to Mount Titlis. This alone is worth the whole trip. Enjoy amazing views and unforgettable photographic opportunities. Once on the peak you have free time to explore an ice cave, walk in the snow, maybe try out the suspension bridge, or enjoy a high-altitude lunch on your own.



## **LUCERNE**

Situated on Lake Lucerne, the town is surrounded by an impressive mountainous panorama. Its beautiful lakeside setting and the nearby Rigi, Pilatus and Stanserhorn mountain ranges are among its many attractions, including souvenir and watch shops. Today's tour includes a visit to the sights of the medieval town and centuries of history, old houses, churches, world-famous wooden bridges, towers and fountains, narrow streets and romantic places. See the Spreuer Bridge, Chapel Bridge, the Lion monument, the medieval walls and fortifications, and the Town Hall. After our visit to Lucerne, we drive on to Zurich and check in at our hotel. The rest of the evening is free to rest, get dinner or explore the old town with a walk by the lake or shop.

## **APPENZELLER CHEESE FACTORY**

Enjoy a lovely morning drive through pastoral Switzerland to the Appenzeller Cheese Factory. We will have an opportunity to see how cheese is made and to sample a bit along the way. After the tour and a 5-cheese sampling, we will enjoy a delicious lunch featuring traditional local dishes. The house specialty is homemade cheese quiche, but you can also choose from Swiss sausage (bratwurst) with onion sauce and French fries or cheese noodles with onions and apple sauce. All are delicious!

## **MAESTRANI CHOCOLATE FACTORY**

The only thing better than Swiss cheese is Swiss chocolate. Your full-day tour includes a visit to the Maestrani Chocolate Factory. Watch a short film about the history of chocolate-making, then take a guided tour through the factory. You will get great insight into the production of their mouth-watering delights, with many opportunities to taste along the way. You will even have a chance to pour your own chocolate bar with your favorite toppings! And, of course, there will be plenty of time to shop for famous Swiss chocolate to bring home to friends (or for yourself)!

***\*Note that the order in which we visit each place may change***

## ABOUT YOUR HOTEL



### ZURICH MARRIOTT HOTEL

With brilliant decor and exceptional service, Zurich Marriott Hotel invites you to experience Switzerland in style. Nestled downtown along the banks of the Limmat River, the hotel offers access to iconic destinations. Stroll through the cobblestone streets of Old Town and admire medieval architecture on your way to upscale shopping at Bahnhofstrasse. Your spacious guest room features contemporary decor, pillowtop beds, free high-speed Wi-Fi and flat-panel TVs.

## NEED MORE INFO? READY TO BOOK?

**Our Travel Consultants can be reached from the US at 800-631-6277 x1 or from outside the US at 415-962-5700 x1. Due to high demand, our Vacation Stretchers sell out very quickly!**

**DEADLINE TO BOOK IS DECEMBER 31, 2022 OR UNTIL SOLD OUT.**

*Cancellation Policy: Olivia Companies, LLC is required to honor their contractual agreements with hotels, ground operators, and other outside vendors; therefore, the following cancellation fees apply: All Vacation Stretcher packages are nonrefundable. A handling fee of \$75 will be charged for any name changes to hotel and tour packages. Your booking/payment for Vacation Stretchers with Olivia Companies, LLC indicates your compliance with the above policies.*

*While we do our best to confirm hotels and itineraries in advance, they are always subject to change.*

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