

  
Terroirs Travels  
*Prestige Wine Adventures*

# SAVOIE POST CRUISE GROUP



## Day 1 : Wednesday, July 24, 2024

Disembark your ship and meet your guide and driver.

You will transfer to **Annecy** (4h).

En-route stop on the way for a break.

Lunch will be at your **hotel's restaurant**.

This afternoon you will **visit Annecy with your guide**. Annecy is one of the most beautiful and popular resort towns of the French Alps. The picturesque town of Annecy is also called the Venice of Savoy because it is traversed by numerous canals. When you come to Annecy, you must go to the old city for a good stroll. This ancient city is full of 17th-century buildings. There are good places to take pictures by the canals and alleys. Every weekend, there will be a lively market here, where you can see artists painting on the street, as well as a variety of interesting small shops, attracting tourists from all over the world to stop by.

Discover among the many sites, the imposing 12th century **Palais de L'Isle** located in the middle of the Thiou river. The Palace of the Islands is located on a small island in the river in the old town of **Annecy**. It is a small triangular castle built in 1132. The Palace of the Island was once the residence of the lord of Annecy, and soon became the administrative headquarters of the Count of Geneva, and later the mint and prison, respectively. A small museum is now set up here to showcase the local history.

Transfer back to your hotel at the end of the day and check in.

Dinner will be at leisure.

Overnight at Impérial Palace\*\*\*\*in Annecy

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## Day 2 : Thursday, July 25, 2024

Breakfast at your hotel

Today will depart for the Mont Blanc area (2h)

**Mont-Blanc** is the highest peak of the Alps and forms part of the French border with Italy. Soaring to an altitude of 4,810 meters, Mont Blanc is always covered in snow, explaining why it's called the "White Mountain."

Start your day with a ride on board the **Montenvers train** that will allow you to discover the **Mer de Glace**. With a length of 7 km and a depth of more than 200 meters, the Mer de Glace, also known as the Sea of Ice, is France's largest glacier. Hop on board for an extraordinary, exhilarating journey through Chamonix-Mont-Blanc Valley. After a 20-minute climb, you'll arrive at the terminal some 1,913 metres high. The view is simply stunning.

Transfer to Chamonix after your visit (30mins).

You will get some time to visit the city and get **lunch** in a **typical chalet restaurant**. **Chamonix's** surrounding breathtaking scenery is without a doubt its main draw, but the town itself is also charming. The old district of Chamonix is teeming with chic mountain hotels, artisanal food stores, bakeries, and sidewalk cafés.

You will then stroll to the **Aiguille du Midi cable car from the town's center**. A two-stage cable car can transport you from the town center to 3842 meters in about 20 minutes, where you can take in breathtaking views of the French, Italian, and Swiss Alps.

On your way back to Annecy, you will stop in **Megeve**. Megeve is considered by many to be one of the most beautiful ski-resorts in the world. Nestled in an exceptional setting, with an extraordinary history and heritage of international renown, Megève has an authentic, unique and timeless soul.

Transfer to your hotel at the end of the day.

Dinner will be at leisure.

Overnight at Impérial Palace\*\*\*\*in Annecy

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## Day 3 : July 26, 2024

Breakfast at your hotel

Today you will start your day with an easy hike. Transfer to the **Gorges du Fier** (25 minutes). Hike this spectacular narrow canyon on a footbridge affixed to the rock face 25 meters above the river. The Gorges du Fier are natural gorges carved by the Fier river, right next to Annecy. A suspended footbridge was built in 1869 on the side of the cliffs, allowing visitors to walk in between the gorges to discover their natural beauty.

You will then head south towards Bourget Lake (1h) and discover the **Savoie southern wine region**. The Savoie wine region is distinctly alpine, with towering white-capped mountains and pristine lakes all around. The vineyards themselves are adapted to this mountainous environment, growing sometimes on 80-degree slopes that seem to touch the sky. The Savoie region produces 23 different grape varieties, due to the great diversity of the soil and terrain. A wine tasting trip in Savoie takes you far from Bordeaux, Burgundy and the Loire Valley and gives you an opportunity to try exciting and rare grape varieties that you can't find anywhere else.

Enjoy visits to **Savoie wineries** with wine tastings. You will get the opportunity to discover **local cheeses** as well. Lunch will be at a **local restaurant**.

Transfer back to your hotel at the end of the day

Dinner will be at leisure

Overnight at Impérial Palace\*\*\*\*in Annecy

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## Day 4 : July 27, 2024

Breakfast at your hotel

Meet your guide in the hotel lobby

Today, you will discover **Annecy Lake**. Lake Annecy was formed 18,000 years ago during the melting of Alpine glaciers.

Today choose among the following options (not included in the tour price) or enjoy a day at leisure:

**MORNING OPTION 1 - Hike to the Angon waterfall with your guide for 2.5 hours.**

The Angon waterfall is a magnificent 60-meter high waterfall that attracts nature lovers and canyoning enthusiasts. Nestled in the heart of the Bornes massif, it is accessible by a small path that runs along the cliff and offers beautiful views of Lake Annecy.

**MORNING OPTION 2 - Enjoy 3-hour canyoning in the Angon Canyon.** A refreshing activity in the middle of nature, in a magnificent fresh water course. On the program : slides, swimming in pools, jumps and small abseils up to 15 meters high, will allow you to discover the joys of white water in a friendly and relaxed atmosphere.

**MORNING OPTION 3 -** For those with an adventurous spirit and big thrills enthusiasts, book a **paragliding 30-minutes flight above Lake Annecy**. The view is just crazy, no wonder why Annecy is the most famous paragliding site in Europe, and one of the best in the world! The paragliding session usually starts from Forclaz pass or the small town of Talloires.

Enjoy a **lunch at leisure** in the **charming village of Talloires**.

Continue your discovery of Annecy Lake in the afternoon.

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AFTERNOON OPTION 1 - You will enjoy a **bike ride on Annecy Lake**. Discover hidden gems and make memories of a lifetime. Lake Annecy Bike Trips combine the best cycling in the world in a relaxed environment, discover the perfect balance of riding and relaxation on this unique bike tour.

AFTERNOON OPTION 2 - Board a **sailing catamaran (from 2 to 12 people)** for an unforgettable trip on Lake Annecy. Take the helm, hoist the flag and set sail? or just enjoy the present moment! The Boat offers private cruises (only) with skipper. Ideal to discover Lake Annecy and spend an unforgettable moment: sailing, swimming, aperitif...

AFTERNOON OPTION 3 - Enjoy the **lake and its area at your own leisure**. Walk around the lake, rent pedal boats or spend some time on one of Annecy's beautiful beaches. You can also continue to discover Annecy or enjoy your hotel Spa.

AFTERNOON OPTION 4 - Today you will depart for the **Gorges de Centron for a Rafting 1.5-hour session (from 2 to 12 people)**. By crew of 5 to 8 people you will go for a ride aboard a raft on the most bucolic section (10 km) of the Isère river. Accompanied by a guide specializing in white water sports, you will have a good time through the Gorges de la Pucelle and the Centron rapids (class III/IV-).

Transfer back to your hotel after your activity and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

**Farewell dinner** at your hotel

Overnight at Impérial Palace\*\*\*\*in Annecy

**Day 5 : July 28, 2024**

Breakfast at your hotel & check out

Meet your driver in the hotel lobby

Two group transfers to **Geneva International Airport** for your flight home

End of services - Have a safe trip back !

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# PRICING

## Tour price

Price per person based on a minimum of 26 paying participants	2850 €
Single supplement	1030 €

## Day 4

3-hour canyoning option— 90 euros / person

30-minute paragliding flight — 175 euros / person

Rafting 1.5-hour session - additional vehicle included

255 euros / person (based on a minimum of 2 paying participants)

235 euros / person (based on a minimum of 4 paying participants)

215 euros / person (based on a minimum of 7 paying participants)

2-hour bike rental on Annecy lake - 55 euros / person

2-hour Catamaran cruise -130 euros / person

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# PRICE INCLUSIONS

4-night accommodation at the IMPÉRIAL PALACE\*\*\*\* in Annecy in **Prestige rooms**, breakfast and city taxes included

Visits and activities as mentioned in the itinerary

English-speaking driver with private deluxe coach for :

- full-day on day 1, 2, 3 & 4
- the transfer on day 5

English-speaking local guide for full-day on day 1, 2, 3 & 4

Lunch on day 1, 2, 3 - 2-course menu, mineral water, wine (1/3 bottle) and coffee

Dinner on day 4 - aperitif, 3-course menu, mineral water, wine (1/3 bottle) and coffee

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## **DEPOSIT AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE**

30% deposit will be due at time of booking.  
2nd deposit of 30% will be due by January 1st, 2024.  
Final payment will be due by April 1st, 2024

Payment is made in Euros to Inland Travel by credit card (Visa, Mastercard or American Express)

## **CANCELLATION POLICY**

Prior to March 15th, 2024; 60% of the First Deposit is non-refundable and Inland Travel will charge a 3% administrative fee.

- Between March 31st 2024 and April 29th 2024; Inland Travel will charge 30% of the trip.
- Between April 30th 2024 and May 31st 2024; Inland Travel will charge 70% of the trip.
- After May 30th, 2024; Inland Travel will charge 100% of the trip.

We strongly recommend that travelers purchase trip cancellation/interruption insurance. Every cancellation must be notified to Terroirs Travels by email. Within 30 days of receiving written notification of the cancellation, refund will be processed

## **DURING THE TRIP**

Each tour that will be cancelled, modified, interrupted or shorten for any reason by the client during his stay, will not give right to any refund or any compensation. Each additional fee due to a modification or addition requested by the client, will be charged to the client.

## **UNFORSEEN CIRCUMSTANCES**

Trip costs do not include items not specified in the itinerary. Although Inland Travel will make every effort to adhere to this itinerary, on rare occasions it may be necessary to make an adjustment to these arrangements. Should such adjustment be necessary, a substitute will be offered when and where possible. Inland Travel cannot accept liability if war, terrorist activities, civil unrest, exceptional closures of airports and seaports, and any other event outside the control of Inland Travel, occurs and causes cancellations, delays, holidays changes or extensions'

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## **PASSPORTS AND VISAS**

Each individual traveler is responsible for obtaining any travel documents and verifying entry requirements necessary for each country of travel on your tour. INLAND TRAVEL is not responsible for providing this information or documentation. Each individual traveler is responsible for any expenses incurred as a result of delays or itinerary changes related to his lack of appropriate travel documents and are therefore ineligible for any refund from INLAND TRAVEL.

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