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## **Scenic Embarks on Full European River Cruise Program for the First Time in Two Years – With Rhine Sailings Leading the Way**

*Scenic is offering free air or savings of up to \$3,000 per couple across select departures this year.*

Hollywood, FL - June 2022 – Luxury all-inclusive cruise line, Scenic, is happy to announce a return to its full European river cruise program – the first since 2020. After operating a small number of sailings in the Bordeaux region, as well as on the Douro and Rhine rivers in summer 2021, this year will be the luxury cruise line’s first full schedule since the onset of the global pandemic.

Scenic is set to operate more than 300 itineraries throughout Europe this year, sailing the Rhine, Main, Danube, Moselle, Seine, Rhône, Garonne, Gironde, Dordogne and Douro rivers. The 2022 season also introduces new shore experiences.

A top draw for many European river guests is the eight-day Rhine Highlights voyage from Amsterdam to Basel, with stops in Cologne, Koblenz, Heidelberg, Baden-Baden and Strasbourg. Guests will be welcomed in Germany with a ride on the country’s oldest cog railway, visits to local wineries for ample tastings and a truly enthralling private concert within the Baroque Palace of Rastatt in Germany.

France is also high on the list of pent-up consumer demand as Scenic has some new offerings and a special guest chef sailing. The 11-day Flavors of Bordeaux offers guests extraordinary landscapes, delicious fare and refined winemaking while traveling along the three waterways of this bountiful region. Guests visit the Rémy Martin estate to taste Cognac, have ample opportunity to sample some of the finest wines in the world as numerous vineyards are on the roster, and enjoy the freshest of seafood from the clear waters of Arcachon Bay. New to this voyage is a visit to Bordeaux’s immersive exhibition, [Les Bassins de Lumières](#), housed in a cavernous former submarine base, now transformed into a vast center for digital art. Scenic guests will enjoy exclusive after-hours access to enjoy the stunning displays without the crowds.

The 11-day South of France itinerary sails round-trip from Lyon and gives guests the opportunity to explore many of France’s most food-focused regions along the Rhône River. This is all in addition to the already gourmet-packed itinerary with visits to Mâcon, Chalon-sur-Saône, Tain L’Hermitage, Avignon and Viviers.

The 5-star Scenic Space-Ships offer all-inclusive luxury experiences - from private butler service and unlimited complimentary beverages and spirits including mini-bar re-stocked daily, to six on-board dining

options and a wellness area and fitness center. And guests will never have to reach for the wallet or purse as everything (except a haircut or massage) is included: tips and gratuities, expert local guides, all Scenic Freechoice activities that allow for a more personalized vacation, plus Scenic Enrich events which are exclusive to Scenic and its guests.

Scenic Luxury Cruises & Tours has grown over its 36-year plus history to include award-winning river and ocean cruises and handcrafted land journeys that take guests to many of the world's most fascinating destinations. Since 2008, Scenic has set the benchmark for truly all-inclusive, luxury five-star river cruises in Europe and Southeast Asia as well as on Egypt's Nile on board a private luxury charter. In 2019, Scenic introduced Scenic Eclipse, The World's First Discovery Yacht™, a 228-guest ultra-luxury ship, and plans to deliver a second yacht, Scenic Eclipse II, in 2023. Scenic is part of Scenic Group, which includes Emerald Cruises, Mayflower Cruises & Tours and Evergreen Tours.

Scenic can be found on Twitter at @ScenicLuxury, on Facebook as @ScenicCruises and on Instagram as @Scenic.luxurycruisestours.

Additional information on these and other cruises, brochures and reservations can be obtained via travel advisors; or in the USA: [www.scenicusa.com](http://www.scenicusa.com), phone (844) 788-7985, [info@scenicusa.com](mailto:info@scenicusa.com). Brochures can also be downloaded directly from the websites.

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