

SCENIC°

LUXURY CRUISES & TOURS

RIVER CRUISE FOR WINE LOVERS

\$1,200
per person
group
discount



BORDEAUX AFFAIR

8 Days  Bordeaux > Bordeaux | July 11 - 18, 2022 | Scenic Diamond




Vive la Bordeaux

French river cruising has never been more elegant or refined than on a cruise through the beautiful Bordeaux region. Arrive in Bordeaux and embark on your wonderful cruise through this spectacular region. Sample Grand Cru Classé wine, delight in a classical concert at Château d'Agassac and get lost in the wonder of medieval villages.

Cruise pricing starting from **\$3,395** per person



All-inclusive highlights

- 5-star Scenic Space-Ship featuring Scenic Sun Lounges
- 1 exclusive Scenic Enrich experience 
- Scenic Culinaire 
- Your choice of 16 Scenic Freechoice activities 
- Up to five on board dining options, from casual to fine dining 21 meals – 8 breakfasts (B), 6 lunches (L) and 7 dinners (D)
- Complimentary beverages all day throughout your cruise
- Butler service for all guests throughout your cruise
- Exclusive Scenic Tailormade available throughout your cruise
- The freedom of our e-bikes – electronically assisted bicycles
- Cruise Director to guide and assist
- Expert local guides
- Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout your cruise
- All tipping and gratuities

Wine Host Bio



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SKINNER

Mike & Carey Skinner

Skinner Vineyards and Winery, El Dorado

Inspired by the discovery that his great-great-grandfather, a Scottish miner named James Skinner, had owned and operated one of the first wineries in California 150 years earlier, Mike and Carey Skinner reestablished Skinner Vineyards & Winery in 2006 and resurrected the family's wine-making legacy. Today, they pay homage to the family history and the wines of France by making award-winning Rhône-inspired wines that express the distinct qualities of their meticulously farmed, high elevation Sierra Foothills vineyards. We invite you to join Mike and Carey Skinner for an adventure in the world-famous Bordeaux region of France, and experience breathtaking scenery as we sail on the Garonne and Dordogne rivers.

For Reservations & Information, please contact:



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Day 01 Bordeaux

Welcome to Bordeaux, a city of wine, history and spectacular architecture. On arrival, your friendly crew will welcome you aboard the luxurious Scenic Diamond for your seven night cruise.

Meals: D

Day 02 Bordeaux > Saint-Émilion

Enjoy a pleasant morning cruise on the Dordogne River to Libourne. While cruising, perhaps try your hand at a masterclass in French cuisine in Scenic Culinaire. Spend the afternoon in the nearby town of Saint-Émilion, an absolute visual feast and the jewel of this ancient wine growing region. You'll also get to explore the underground catacombs of the Monolithic Church – a true highlight.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 03 Libourne

Freechoice: Enjoy a guided tour of Libourne and view its quaint 16th century town-houses and Gothic church. Alternatively, explore the estate of Château de La Rivière for a wine tasting, or view the eclectic city of Bergerac and enjoy foiegras tasting at a local farm. Perhaps join your on board culinary team for a cooking lesson in Scenic Culinaire this afternoon.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 04 Blaye

Discover the remarkable Blaye region today.

Freechoice: Stroll through the town on a guided tour, or take an active walk through the Citadel of Blaye. Alternatively, join a 30 kilometre roundtrip cycle along the Captain's Road. Perhaps join your on board culinary team for

a cooking lesson in Scenic Culinaire this afternoon.

Enrich

Set in spectacular surrounds in the Médoc countryside, Château d'Agassac is truly enchanting. Soak in the ambience while live musicians perform classical masterpieces for your exclusive enjoyment.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 05 Médoc

Freechoice: This morning, immerse yourself in the scenic Médoc wine region and discover why it is regarded as the world's leading red wine producer, then sample the region's finest at one of its spectacular estates. Or, cycle throughout this beautiful region stopping along the way for a wine tasting.

Freechoice: This afternoon, discover the Carriages Museum in the enchanting Bourg Castle, including a walk through the 16th century passageway to the guards rooms and see the immense WWII oil tanks. Alternatively, visit Château Eyquem and learn its fascinating

history while sampling some of the extraordinary wines produced on site.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 06 Cadillac

Freechoice: Venture into the Sauternes region for a delicious wine tasting at the prestigious Château de Rayne Vigneau, or cycle through the rolling vineyards of Sauternes to taste the exquisite Grand Cru Classé wines of Château Lafaurie Peyraguey. Alternatively, take a walking tour of Cadillac including a visit to Château de Cadillac, a truly beautiful château that dates back to the 15th century.

Meals: B.L.D

8Day 07 Bordeaux

Discover the World Heritage-listed city of Bordeaux with its idyllic boulevards and architecture.

Freechoice: Shop with a Chef at a local food market before cooking up a storm during your exclusive cooking lesson in Scenic Culinaire, or enjoy

a guided tour of Bordeaux. Alternatively, for the more energetic, cycle the historic regions of Bordeaux. Back on board, enjoy a tasting of fresh oysters delivered straight from the waters of Arcachon Bay.


Meals: B.L.D

Day 08 Bordeaux

Disembark and transfer after breakfast to Bordeaux airport with memories of a truly unforgettable journey. This itinerary is a guide only and may be amended for operational reasons such as high and low water. As such, the cruise may operate altered from that stated above.

Meals: B

Key

-  Scenic Enrich
-  Freechoice
-  Scenic Culinaire

Meals: Breakfast (B).
Lunch (L). Dinner (D).

Please note: Preview itinerary subject to change.



 River cruise  Cruise start/finish
 Enrich  Freechoice  Overnight