



An evening in Monaco

EUROPEAN ENCOUNTER

16 Days from NZ\$2865

All this included

- 15 nights in superior tourist class hotels - see pages 60-63.
- Accommodation based on your choice of twin or triple-share with private facilities.
- 15 Continental breakfasts (B) and 8 three-course dinners (D) - as per itinerary.
- Hotel tips, local taxes and service charges.
- Experienced, professional Tour Manager and Driver.
- Modern air-conditioned coach with reclining seats.
- Ferry transport as per itinerary.
- Sightseeing as per Included Highlights below and pages 14-15.



VISIT 10 COUNTRIES

- Belgium (in transit)
- Netherlands
- Germany
- Switzerland
- Liechtenstein
- Austria
- Italy
- Vatican City
- France
- Monaco



Vatican City

Included Highlights

All these highlights along with city sightseeing are included in your tour price!

Amsterdam:

- Visit a fishing and cheese village
- Bicycle tour of the Dutch countryside
- Visit a cheese farm & clog maker's house
- See the city by night

Lucerne:

- See the Wooden Chapel Bridge
- Scenic Alpine drive
- Cable car or cog railway ride up to Mount Pilatus (subject to weather conditions)

Liechtenstein:

- Visit the capital Vaduz

Rhone Valley:

- Scenic River Cruise (summer departures only)
- See the Lorelei Rock

Brenner Pass:

- Scenic drive past vineyards, orchards & castles

Venice:

- Private motorboat to the historic islands
- See Piazza San Marco, Bridge of Sighs, the Doges' palace & St. Mark's Square
- Murano glass-blowing demonstration

Rome:

- See Piazza Venezia, Trevi Fountain, Pantheon, Piazzas Navona, Colosseum & Roman Forum

Vatican City:

- See St. Peter's Basilica

Florence:

- Walking tour with a local guide
- See the Duomo, Basilica Santa Croce, Giotto's Bell Tower, the Baptistry & Piazza della Signoria
- Florentine leather craft demonstration

Pisa:

- See the Leaning Tower

French Riviera:

- Visit a French Perfumery
- Scenic Drive along the Riviera coast
- Visit Monaco & see the Royal Palace

- Visit a Monte Carlo casino
- Visit Nice and enjoy the beach

Avignon:

- Visit Avignon & see the Papal Palace

Lyon:

- Visit the old town

Burgundy:

- See the Chablis & Burgundy vineyards
- See Fontainebleau Château

Paris:

- Evening Tour of Illuminations
- See the Eiffel Tower, Arc de Triomphe, the Louvre, the Champs Elysées & Notre Dame Cathedral

FREE TIME

...to explore and do your own thing, as well as take part in our 'Optional Extras' (at extra cost). See pages 16-17 for more details. Here's a sample:

- Amsterdam:** • Evening Canal Cruise
- Swiss Alps:** • Cable Car to the top of a mountain
- Tyrol:** • White Water Rafting
- Venice:** • Gondola Ride
- Rome:** • Guided Imperial Rome Tour
- Florence:** • Tuscan Hills Feast with entertainment
- Paris:** • Famous Parisian Cabaret Show & Dinner



Itinerary

DAY 1: London to Amsterdam. Meet your Contiki Crew and see the White Cliffs of Dover. Travel through Belgium to the Netherlands and the lively city of Amsterdam. (D)

DAY 2: Amsterdam. Bicycle ride through Edam. Free day to explore, perhaps visit Anne Frank's House or the Van Gogh Museum. (B)

DAY 3: Amsterdam to Rhine Valley. To Germany to learn how beersteins are crafted and maybe try some Rhine Riesling wine. (B,D)

DAY 4: Rhine Valley to Lucerne. Picturesque drive into Switzerland. Tonight stay in our special hotel atop Mt. Pilatus (weather conditions permitting). (B,D)

DAY 5: Lucerne. A whole day to enjoy mountains, lakes and shopping. (B,D)

DAY 6: Lucerne to Innsbruck. Scenic alpine drive to the capital of the Tyrol, Innsbruck. Time to explore and shop. (B,D)

DAY 7: Innsbruck to Venice. Over the Brenner Pass into Italy. Travel to the historical islands of Venice for sightseeing and free time to explore. Time later for a gondola ride. (B)

DAY 8: Venice to Rome. Through Tuscany and Umbria to Rome for our sightseeing tour. (B)

DAY 9: Rome. Full day free to explore Rome. Maybe see the treasures of the Vatican City, the Spanish Steps or check out the shops. (B,D)

DAY 10: Rome to Florence. Through the Tuscan countryside to Florence for our guided walking tour and free time to shop or visit one of the famous museums. (B)

DAY 11: Florence to French Riviera. Visit Pisa to see the Leaning Tower. Breathtaking drive along the coast to the French Riviera. (B,D)

DAY 12: French Riviera. Shops, beach, maybe spot someone famous. The day is yours to enjoy. Tonight Monaco and Monte Carlo. (B)

DAY 13: French Riviera to Lyon. Visit a French perfumery and Avignon. Tonight explore the gastronomic capital of France, Lyon. (B)

DAY 14: Lyon to Paris. Free time at the Château Fontainebleau, then on to Paris for your first glimpse of this beautiful city. (B,D)

DAY 15: Paris. City sightseeing this morning with the afternoon free to explore Paris. Tonight maybe join us for dinner and a cabaret show. (B)

DAY 16: Paris to London. Travel north past World War I battlefields to Calais and our ferry crossing to England. (B)

Refer to www.contiki.com/encounter



CODE: BBHX SUMMER 2008

Start London	End London	NZ\$ Per Person	Start London	End London	NZ\$ Per Person
MAR 28	✓ APR 12	3375	JUL 11	JUL 26	3729
APR 4	APR 19	3375	JUL 13	✓ JUL 28	3729
APR 11	APR 26	3375	JUL 15	JUL 30	3729
APR 18	✓ MAY 3	3375	JUL 16	JUL 31	3729
APR 27	MAY 12	3375	JUL 18	✓ AUG 2	3729
APR 30	MAY 15	3375	JUL 23	AUG 7	3729
MAY 2	✓ MAY 17	3375	JUL 25	AUG 9	3729
MAY 4	MAY 19	3375	JUL 27	✓ AUG 11	3729
MAY 7	MAY 22	3375	JUL 28	AUG 12	3729
MAY 11	✓ MAY 26	3375	JUL 30	AUG 14	3729
MAY 14	MAY 29	3375	AUG 1	✓ AUG 16	3729
MAY 16	MAY 31	3555	AUG 3	AUG 18	3729
MAY 21	✓ JUN 5	3555	AUG 6	AUG 21	3729
MAY 23	JUN 7	3555	AUG 8	✓ AUG 23	3729
MAY 25	JUN 9	3555	AUG 10	AUG 25	3729
MAY 28	✓ JUN 12	3555	AUG 13	AUG 28	3555
MAY 30	JUN 14	3555	AUG 15	✓ AUG 30	3555
JUN 2	JUN 17	3555	AUG 17	SEP 1	3555
JUN 4	✓ JUN 19	3555	AUG 22	SEP 6	3555
JUN 6	JUN 21	3555	AUG 27	✓ SEP 11	3555
JUN 9	JUN 24	3555	AUG 29	SEP 13	3555
JUN 13	✓ JUN 28	3555	AUG 31	SEP 15	3555
JUN 15	JUN 30	3555	SEP 5	✓ SEP 20	3555
JUN 18	JUL 3	3555	SEP 7	SEP 22	3555
JUN 22	✓ JUL 7	3555	SEP 12	SEP 27	3555
JUN 23	JUL 8	3555	SEP 14	✓ SEP 29	3555
JUN 25	JUL 10	3555	SEP 19	OCT 4	3555
JUN 27	✓ JUL 12	3555	SEP 21	OCT 6	3555
JUN 29	JUL 14	3555	SEP 26	✓ OCT 11	3555
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JUL 7	✓ JUL 22	3729	OCT 11	OCT 26	3375
JUL 9	JUL 24	3729	OCT 13	✓ OCT 28	3375

BBHX:

- Single room supplement: NZ\$885.
- 5% Triple share reduction.
- ✓ = guaranteed departure.
- Start 7.30am & end approx. 6.30pm.

WWHZ:

- Single room supplement: NZ\$755.
- 5% Triple share reduction.
- Start 7.30am & end approx. 6.30pm.
- For details of Oct 07 - Mar 08, please ask Contiki or your travel agent.

For earlybird tour deals see page 132. For Travel Insurance see page 131.

CODE: WWHZ WINTER 08/09

Start London	End London	NZ\$ Per Person	Start London	End London	NZ\$ Per Person
OCT 18	NOV 2	2995			
OCT 23	NOV 7	2995			
OCT 25	NOV 9	2995			
NOV 1	NOV 16	2965			
NOV 8	NOV 23	2965			
NOV 15	NOV 30	2965			
NOV 20	DEC 5	2965			
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JAN 29	FEB 13	2865			
JAN 31	FEB 15	2865			
FEB 7	FEB 22	2865			
FEB 14	MAR 1	2865			
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MAR 5	MAR 20	2865			
MAR 7	MAR 22	2865			
MAR 12	MAR 27	2865			
MAR 14	MAR 29	2865			
MAR 19	APR 3	2865			
MAR 21	APR 5	2865			
MAR 26	APR 10	2865			

EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT

OFFER 1 SAVE UP TO NZ\$179
OFFER 2 SAVE UP TO NZ\$89

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