

# Romantic Europe

## Highlights of the tour

- A complete all inclusive value for money tour with maximum quality sightseeing and minimum travelling time
- Stay in conveniently located & comfortable hotels like Thistle, Holiday Inn, Jury's Inn, Mercure, NH, etc., throughout your holiday
- A complete value for money tour
- Daily Continental breakfast and Indian Jain / Vegetarian lunches included
- Daily Indian Jain / Vegetarian / Non-Vegetarian dinners included
- Choice of a local meal in 03 different countries
- Guided city tour of London and Paris
- Visit Swaminarayan Temple
- Ride the famous London Eye
- Visit the famous Madame Tussauds Wax Museum
- A unique experience of crossing the English Channel by a fast ferry from Dover to Calais



- Visit the Louvre Museum
- Visit Fragonard Perfume Museum and Showroom
- Cruise on the River Seine
- Visit 3rd level of the Eiffel Tower
- Guided visit of Versailles Palace and Gardens
- Full day at Eurodisney – a super fun, stress-free and adventure experience
- Chance to see the Lido Show
- Gala dinner in Paris with great music, unlimited wine and soft drinks
- City tour of Geneva - the Garden City
- Stay in Chamonix – a picturesque town at the foot of Mont Blanc
- Visit to the Mer De Glace Glacier – A Sea of Ice
- Visit Bern, the Swiss capital and the city accorded the World Heritage Status
- See the famous glacier falls deep inside the mountain – The Trummelbach Falls
- Experience the top of Europe - Jungfrauoch with Champagne lunch included
- Visit the scenic town of Interlaken
- Visit Mt. Titlis in the world's first revolving cable car
- See the Lion Monument and Kapell Brucke in Lucerne
- Enjoy a Cruise on Lake Lucerne
- Enjoy a city tour of Zurich
- See the magnificent Rhine Falls in Schaffhausen
- Visit London, Paris, Geneva, Chamonix, Bern, Interlaken, Engelberg, Lucerne, Schaffhausen and Zurich
- Visit 03 countries in 10 days in a relaxed and at a leisurely pace covering UK, France & Switzerland
- Services of a professional, friendly, multilingual and experienced Tour Manager travelling with you throughout your tour



# Romantic Europe

09 Nights | 10 Days

United Kingdom, France, Switzerland



Big Ben - London

The Swaminarayan Temple.

Tonight, enjoy an Indian dinner.

Overnight at hotel Thistle / Jury's Inn / Park Inn / Quality Wembley or similar, in London.

## DAY 02 ✨

**Guided City tour of London. Visit Madam Tussauds Wax Museum.**

After a buffet breakfast, get set to soak in the sights and sounds of this vibrant English city on a guided tour with an experienced local guide. See The Changing of the Guards outside the Buckingham Palace (weather permitting), the Hyde Park, Big Ben, Westminster Abbey, the Houses of Parliament, Trafalgar Square, Tower Bridge and many more important landmarks.

After an Indian / local lunch, visit the Madam Tussauds Wax Museum and meet wax replicas of the world's most famous personalities. This unparalleled experience is sure to delight the entire family. Enjoy time at leisure on the world famous Oxford Street.

Tonight, enjoy an Indian dinner.

Overnight at hotel Thistle / Jury's Inn / Park Inn / Quality Wembley or similar, in London.



Swaminarayan Temple - London

## DAY 01 ✨

**Welcome to London!!! Ride the world's largest observation wheel - The London Eye. Visit the Swaminarayan Temple.**

Today, enter the world of Vacations Exotica as you begin your beautiful journey of Europe. On arrival at the airport meet your professional and experienced Tour Manager in the arrival area situated

outside the customs hall. Drive directly to your hotel and check in.

Later, proceed to get the best ever view of this English capital as you get on board the London Eye - one of the world's largest observation wheel that takes you 450 ft. above the River Thames. Next, visit the intricately designed and glorious temple made of white Italian Carrara marble -

**DAY 03** ✨

**Ferry crossing from Dover to Calais. Onto Paris - The Cultural and Fashion Capital. Visit the Fragonard Museum. Visit the Louvre Museum. Enjoy a Cruise on the River Seine.**

After a buffet breakfast, check out and drive to Dover, to board your ferry for the English Channel crossing. On arrival into Calais depart to the French Capital - Paris, a city steeped in history, art and fashion. Enjoy lunch enroute. Next, visit the Fragonard Museum and get an insight on how French Perfumes are made. You also have ample free time to shop for the world famous French perfumes. Later, visit the ultimate art museum - The Louvre which houses art forms created by the best artists in history, including the legendary and mystical Mona Lisa. Next, enjoy a cruise on the river Seine and admire the beautiful monuments of this spectacular city. This evening, live the Parisian highlife on your gala dinner with great music,

level of the Eiffel Tower - an unparalleled experience. Later, proceed on a guided city tour with an experienced local English speaking guide. See many sights like the Arc De Triomphe, Concorde Square, Opera House, Champs Elysees, Invalides and many more landmarks. After an Indian / local lunch, visit Chateau de Versailles. Experience a guided tour of this opulent mansion of the Bourbon Kings, walk through various rooms of the palace, the Chapel and the famous Hall of Mirrors where the Treaty of Versailles was signed. Also stroll along the Gardens of Versailles which are renowned for its size and awe inspiring landscaping.

Tonight, enjoy an Indian dinner.

This night, do not miss the opportunity to see the light, sound and dance extravaganza - The Lido Show.

Overnight at hotel Mercure / Novotel or similar, in Paris.

OR, you can visit the amazing Walt Disney Studio - the magical world of cinema and television, featuring thrilling attractions and spectacular shows. Go behind the magic on the Studio Tram Tour and discover the secrets of how movies and television shows are made. Also be amazed by the daredevils in the thrilling Stunt Show.

Tonight, enjoy an Indian dinner.

Overnight at hotel Mercure / Novotel or similar, in Paris.

**DAY 06** ✨

**Visit Geneva - the Garden City. Orientation tour of Geneva. Onto Chamonix Valley**

After a buffet breakfast, check out and proceed to Geneva - the Garden City. Enjoy lunch enroute. On arrival, proceed on a tour of this beautiful city built on the point where the River Rhone flows out of Lake Geneva. See the European headquarters



Fragonard Museum - Paris



Eurodisney - Paris

unlimited wine and soft drinks.

Overnight at hotel Mercure / Novotel or similar, in Paris.

**DAY 04** ✨

**Visit the 3rd level of the Eiffel Tower. Guided city tour of Paris. Visit the Versailles Palace and Gardens. Chance to see the Lido Show.**

After a buffet breakfast, visit the 3rd

**DAY 05** ✨

**Full day at Disneyland Paris. Gala Dinner.**

After a buffet breakfast, get set to experience the Disney Magic as you visit Eurodisney - where dreams come to life. Experience a super-fun, stress-free adventure that will fill your day with enough magic to last forever. Enjoy the many rides on offer at the park (all included). Indian lunch will be provided.

of the United Nations, the International Red Cross Building and the magnificent Jet d' Eau - a majestic fountain that shoots up to about 140 mts. (weather permitting). Visit the English Gardens and see the famous "Horloge Fleurie" - "Floral Clock", a masterpiece of technology and floral art. Later, drive to Chamonix Valley and the Majestic Mountains of Mont Blanc range. Tonight, enjoy an Indian dinner.

Overnight at hotel Mercure / Alpina or similar, in Chamonix.

#### DAY 07

**Visit Mer De Glace in Chamonix Valley. Visit Bern – The charming medieval Swiss Capital.**

After a buffet breakfast, check out and proceed to Chamonix station to board a cog wheel train to Montenvers. Embark on



Mer de Glace – Chamonix Valley

an excursion to Mer De Glace – a Sea of Ice which is 7 kms long, 200 mts. thick, with a surface dimension to 40 kms. Here visit a crystal gallery, a wildlife exhibition, an ice garden and an ice grotto 100 mts. long which is carved each year into the heart of the glacier. After an Indian lunch, drive to the charming Swiss capital, Bern – the home of Albert Einstein. Enjoy a tour of this historic city. Bern is the charming city situated on the banks of the River Aare. See the Bear Pit, Gothic Fountains, famous Clock Tower, etc. Enjoy a stroll down one of the world's longest shopping promenade – Marketgasse. Later, drive to your hotel in central Switzerland and on arrival check-in. Tonight enjoy an Indian Dinner.

Overnight at hotel Hoheneck / Crystal / Banklialp / Alpenblick or similar in Engelberg / Interlaken.

#### DAY 08

**Excursion to Jungfrauoch - Top of Europe (3454 mts). A Champagne lunch on top.**

**Visit Trummelbach Falls and Interlaken.**

After a buffet breakfast, drive to Lauterbrunnen to board the cog wheel train to Jungfrauoch (3454 mts.) - a world of eternal ice and snow. Enjoy a delicious Indian / local lunch with champagne on Top of Europe. Visit the Ice Palace, the highest-altitude ice palace in the world and the Sphinx Terrace, the views from here are considered the best in

Switzerland. Next, visit the Trummelbach Falls - the only waterfalls in Europe inside a mountain which are made accessible to man. Later, proceed to the picture perfect town of Interlaken – nestled between two lakes. Be enthralled by the beauty of this town before driving back to your hotel.

Tonight, enjoy an Indian dinner.

Overnight at hotel Hoheneck / Crystal / Banklialp / Alpenblick or similar in Engelberg / Interlaken.

#### DAY 09

**Mt Titlis - A landscape close to heaven. Lucerne – City tour and free time for shopping. Enjoy a scenic cruise on Lake Lucerne. Zurich – The Commercial Capital.**

After a buffet breakfast at the hotel, proceed for an excursion that will surely leave you spellbound. Enjoy stunning views from the world's first revolving cable car - Rotair on your way up to Mt. Titlis (3020 mts). Here visit the Ice Grotto and indulge yourself in the world of snow on

the Snow Terrace.

After lunch, drive to the beautiful lakeside town of Lucerne. See the dramatic Lion Monument and the Kapell Brucke as you soak in the beauty of this city. Enjoy a cruise on the lake of the four cantons – Lake Lucerne. You also have some free time for shopping of the world renowned Swiss watches, Swiss knives, chocolates, souvenirs etc. Later, drive to Zurich – The Commercial Capital. Enjoy a tour of this city and see the bustle of the city on Bahnhofstrasse and spend some time along the lake of Zurich.

Tonight, enjoy an Indian dinner.

Overnight at hotel Holiday Inn / Park Inn / Renaissance or similar, in Zurich.

#### DAY 10

**Visit the largest waterfalls in Europe - The Rhine Falls – Farewell !!!**

After a buffet breakfast at the hotel, check out and drive to Schaffhausen to view one of Europe's natural wonders – The spectacular Rhine Falls. Later, proceed to the airport for your flight back home. Return home with great experiences and wonderful memories of your holiday with Vacations Exotica.

Lion Monument – Lucerne



The Commercial Capital – Zurich

### WHAT YOUR TOUR PRICE INCLUDES

#### SIGHTSEEING AND EXCURSIONS

##### UNITED KINGDOM

- London : Guided city tour with an English speaking local guide  
 : See the famous Changing of the Guards (Weather permitting)  
 : Visit the Madame Tussauds Wax Museum  
 : Ride on the famous 'London Eye'  
 : Visit the beautiful Swaminarayan Temple

##### FRANCE

- Paris : Guided city tour with an English speaking local guide  
 : Visit the world famous Louvre Museum  
 : Visit Fragonard Perfume Museum and Showroom  
 : Guided visit of Versailles Palace and Gardens  
 : Entrance to the 3rd level of the Eiffel Tower  
 : Cruise on the River Seine  
 : Full day excursion to Euro Disney  
 : Gala dinner with great music, unlimited wine and soft drinks

##### Geneva

- Chamonix : Stay in Picturesque Chamonix  
 : Excursion to Mer De Glace - A Sea of Ice

##### Bern

- Jungfrauoch : Tour of the Swiss Capital city  
 : Full day excursion with special champagne lunch on top  
 : See the famous glacier waterfalls - The Trummelbach Falls

##### Interlaken

- : Visit this picturesque town

##### Engelberg

- : Excursion to Mt. Titlis

##### Lucerne

- : Tour of the city  
 : See the Lion Monument and the Kapell Brucke  
 : Cruise on Lake Lucerne

##### Schaffhausen

- : See the magnificent Rhine Falls

##### Zurich

- : Tour of the city

#### ACCOMMODATION

- 02 nights at hotel Thistle / Jury's Inn / Park Inn / Quality Wembley or similar, in London
- 03 nights at hotel Mercure / Novotel or similar, in Paris
- 01 night at hotel Mercure / Alpina or similar, in Chamonix
- 02 nights at hotel Hoheneck / Crystal / Banklialp / Alpenblick or similar in Engelberg / Interlaken
- 01 night at hotel Holiday Inn / Park Inn / Renaissance or similar, in Zurich

#### MEALS

- Daily continental buffet breakfast
- Daily Indian Jain / Vegetarian lunches
- Daily Indian Jain / Vegetarian / Non Vegetarian dinners including a Gala dinner with great music, unlimited wine and soft drinks in Paris
- Choice of a local meal in 03 different countries

#### TRANSFERS

- All transfers and extensive excursions with entrance fees (as specified in the itinerary) by deluxe air conditioned coach and air-cool coach in London
- Fast Ferry from Dover to Calais

#### AIRFARE, VISAS AND OVERSEAS MEDICAL INSURANCE

- Return economy class group airfare as per the itinerary
- Cost of ticket taxes
- Cost of Overseas Medical Insurance for the duration of the tour
- Cost of UK and Schengen Visas
- All local taxes as of 1st November 2011

#### TOUR MANAGER

Services of a professional and experienced Tour Manager or a local representative throughout your tour in Europe

### DEPARTURE DATES

<b>April</b> : 15, 29	<b>July</b> : 08, 15, 29
<b>May</b> : 06, 13, 20, 27	<b>August</b> : 05, 19, 26
<b>June</b> : 03, 10, 17, 24	<b>September</b> : 09, 23

**Note:** On certain dates, passengers travelling ex-Kolkata will depart 01 night prior and there is a possibility of a long transit

### OVERSEAS MEDICAL INSURANCE

It is extremely important to possess an overseas medical insurance policy before you travel on your tour. We have included the cost of overseas medical insurance for the duration of the tour. For any passengers above 60 years of age and those who wish to extend their holiday, additional charges would apply.

### TOUR COST

	Per Person on Twin Share	Per Child without Bed (Below 12 years)
Ex-Mumbai	: ₹ 93,000 + € 1,150	₹ 67,000 + € 620
Ex-Delhi	: ₹ 95,000 + € 1,150	₹ 69,000 + € 620
Ex-Bangalore/Chennai/ Hyderabad/Ahmedabad/Kochi	: ₹ 98,000 + € 1,150	₹ 72,000 + € 620
Ex-Kolkata	: ₹ 99,000 + € 1,150	₹ 73,000 + € 620

Single Room Supplement: € 450

Triple Room Reduction: Nil

Note: ■ In case of a triple room, the 3rd person in the room will get a rollaway bed.

The room size may be the same as the double room

■ A person below 12 years is considered a child.

### PRE/POST-TOUR IN LONDON/ZURICH

Per Adult in Twin/Triple	Per Adult in Single	Per child (Below 12 years)
€ 95	€ 165	€ 60

(Includes accommodation per person per night with breakfast. Transfer cost is not included)

### LIDO SHOW (OPTIONAL)

**Per Adult : € 95**                      **Child (below 12 years) : € 20**

The above cost is inclusive of return transfers.

### IMPORTANT

#### OLYMPIC GAMES AND AIR SHOW

- Due to security reasons there will be roadblocks in several parts of London, certain areas will be inaccessible due to which some sightseeing may be omitted/changed.
- During the above mentioned events the hotels would be located outside the city.

### VISAS REQUIRED TO TRAVEL ON YOUR TOUR

- Multiple Entry UK and Schengen Visas
- Cost of above mentioned Visas is included in your Tour Price.

The Schengen visa is valid for travel into France & Switzerland (The visa cost has been calculated as of 01<sup>st</sup> Nov ' 2011. In case of any increase in the visa cost the same will be borne by the client)

**Important:** The dates and granting of Visas is at the sole discretion of the concerned consulate. Vacations Exotica is not responsible for granting of visas and is only a facilitator in the visa application process.

### WHAT YOUR TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Rs.5, 000, cost of deviation, in case you want to deviate from the group departure dates mentioned in the brochure
- Cost of Basic Travel Quota (BTQ) equivalent to USD 10,000
- No Porterage included
- Any increase in the rate of exchange leading to an increase in surface transportation and land arrangements, which may come into effect prior to departure. Prices quoted are as 1 EURO = INR 68. The tour price is subject to increase without notice if this rate changes substantially prior to the departure of your tour
- Any expenses of personal nature such as laundry, wines, mineral water, food and drink not in the regular menu provided by us, pay TV, mini-bar, telephone calls, etc.
- Meals other than what is mentioned in your Itinerary
- Cost of excursions, city sightseeing, entrance fees and local guides other than that mentioned in "What your Tour Price Includes"
- Tips of any nature, i.e., drivers, guides, tour managers, etc.
- Cost of Lido Show

### NOTE

All tours will be operated subject to a minimum of 20 full paying passengers traveling together. In case there are less than 20 full paying passengers the clients will be given an option of travelling on any another departure date.