

France Getaway Riviera and Provence 30th May – 10th June







Tuesday, 30th May

- Upon arrival, you will be greeted at the airport by your chauffeur, after baggage reclaim.
- Your chauffeur will take you to your hotel, Grand Hotel Cap Ferrat, where you will stay 4 nights.
- Night at Grand Hotel Cap Ferrat

Wednesday, 31st May

Day in Monaco

• **TBC** Meet your chauffeur at your hotel for a day visit to Monaco.

We suggest either:

- A visit of the Prince's Palace in Monte Carlo, for a guided tour of the private apartments before public opening hours. You could stop for photos in the throne room, and perhaps attend the changing of the guard in the VIP lodge.
- Or a visit to the legendary casino of Monte-Carlo. You could have access to rooms closed to the public and enjoy a visit before the opening hours. The casino was first created in the late 1850s, and the current Belle Epoque building was designed by Charles Garnier, the architect of Paris Garnier Opera.

Other options include:

- Visit to Foundation Francis Bacon, a gallery dedicated to the art, life and creative progress of Bacon.
- Visit to Foundation Folon: This workshop gallery only recently opened its doors to the public in March 2017, and enables visitors to immerse themselves directly in the intimity of the artist Jean-Michel Folon.
- Musée Jean Cocteau in Menton
- Night at your hotel, Grand Hotel Cap Ferrat.





- **TBC** Meet your chauffeur at your hotel for a day tour around Cap Ferrat.
- Enjoy a guided tour of **Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild**. Discover this French seaside villa designed by Aaron Messiah. The villa is filled with various art installed by Béatrice de Rothschild, and the gardens are a sight to behold. With nine gardens, each of a different theme, you will get lost in a world of colour and nature.
- In the afternoon, you could visit **Villa Santo Sosphir,** also situated on Cap Ferrat. Embark on a unique lesson in art, as you learn about the history of this villa.
- Night at Grand Hotel Cap Ferrat.



Friday, 2nd June

Cap Ferrat

- Meet your chauffeur-guide at your hotel for a day along the coast.
- You could start with a visit of Villa Kérylos (very close by), located on the rocky tip of the Baie de Fourmis, in Beaulieu-Sur-Mer. You will be taken on a fascinating journey and pay tribute to Greek civilisation. This villa is a reconstruction of a luxurious Greek palace dating from the 2nd century BC.
- Your driver will take you on the short journey to Eze, (20-minute drive) a quaint, beautiful village. Its charm and idyll are definitely worth experiencing. Enjoy lunch in the stunning Chèvre D'Or, one of the best restaurants in the region.
- Visit Le Cabanon du Corbusier (30-minute drive). The Cabanon bears witness to the architect's roots, while his murals complement and offset the austerity of this minimalist habitat. In contrast, we suggest a visit the close by modernist Villa Eillen Gray, her first architectural creation.
- Night at Grand Hotel Cap Ferrat.

Saturday, 3rd June



 Meet your chauffeur-guide at your hotel for a day tour inland, ending at your next destination in Vence.

During the day, you could visit **La Chapelle Matisse**, in Vence, a very special and unique place. As part of a convent and run by nuns, this unique chapel has very strict rules on visits. We are very lucky to have access to it, and it promises a very interesting trip.

You could then continue with a visit of **Fondation Maeght**, Cap Ferrat, a museum of modern art on the Colline des Gardettes, which overlooks the beautiful town of Saint-Paul de Vence. Established in 1964, this gallery houses more than 12,000 works, including many by important modern artists, such as Jean Arp and Pierre Bonnard

• Night at Chateau Saint-Martin.

Sunday, 4th June

Vence

- Meet your chauffeur-guide at your hotel for a day tour around Vence and Nice.
- Enjoy a private, guided tour of the **Musée Picasso**, in Antibes (35-minute drive, transfer can be arranged if needed). Chateau Grimaldi became home to the Picasso museum in 1966. This museum helps to place the 'Picassos of Antibes' in the particularly rich creative timeline of those happy years for which the painting La Joie de vivre is a sort of emblem.
- Following this, you could visit Foundation Hartung Bergman, open to the public exclusively by reservation. (Very close to Musée Picasso)
- You could otherwise visit a selection of art galleries in Saint Paul de Vence.

Monday, 5th June

Provence/Aix en Provence

- Today, on your way to your hotel in Provence, Villa La Coste, we suggest a visit of Foundation Vasarely. This fascinating, abstract architectural museum, dedicated to Victor Vasarely, was established to "promote his ideas of 'art for all' and of the 'city of tomorrow'" Enjoy a private guided tour of this museum and gain an insight to Vasarely's most important works.
- Night at Villa La Coste

Tuesday, 6th June

Provence/Aix en Provence

Meet your driver at your hotel, where he will take you to Aix, where you could stay for the day.



- You could enjoy a private visit of Musée Granet, which never ceases to enrich its collections, offering to the public a wide range of painting, sculpture and archaeology. It houses works of artists such as Cézanne, Rembrandt and Van Dyck.
- Don't miss the lovely Hotel de Caumont, a breath-taking private mansion that now hosts art exhibitions.
- Night at Villa La Coste.

Wednesday, 7th June

Provence/Aix en Provence

- Today, you could visit:
 - the Pavillon Vendome Surrounded by a beautiful French-style garden, this folly, inherited from the 18th Century, was built on the orders of Louis Mercoeur as a hideaway for his passionate love affair with Lucrèce de Forbin Solliès. The main façade superimposes the three classical orders and is decorated with superb Baroque atlantes. The collections are made up of numerous 17th and 18th century portraits and Provencal furniture.
 - the atelier of Paul Cézanne It is here where you will feel most intensely the full presence of the painter Paul Cézanne. This bright studio was the birthplace of dozens of work now preserved in the great museums around the world. His dearest objects, such as his furniture and work equipment still remain here.





- Transfer to your hotel, Hotel de Mirande, where you will stay 2 nights.
- Visit the Pont d'Avignon



- Night in Hotel de Mirande, or at La Divine Comédie
- Take the day to explore the beautiful city of Avignon.
- This large city is a real must-see in Provence, as it is full of historical and architectural wonders. Avignon was once a major political and spiritual capital of Western Europe, and is now a hub of art and theatre, having received the award of European City of Culture in 2000. The old town is a meander of narrow winding streets, beautiful city mansions, and shady squares with sidewalk cafés from which one can watch the world go by.

Friday, 9th June

Arles

• We suggest a visit to Arles, (50-minute drive), home of Vincent Van Gogh for many years and now testimony to his art, with many museum devoted to his paintings.

Saturday 10th June

Departure

- Your chauffeur will collect you for your transfer to the airport.
- Departure.



Rates (net of all commission)

You will find below the rates for our most common services

• Airport transfer:

V-class (up to 6 pax)
 Maserati Quattroporte
 S-class
 210€

VIP meet & greet with luggage assistance
 165€

Car at disposal in Paris
 95€/hour with a minimum of 3 hours

Guided visits guide for 4 hours: 510€

Riva boat sunset cruise (up to 6 pax)

990€

VIP Louvre backstage guided visit 1250€

• Shopping experience

1. Personal shopper 100€/hour with a minimum of 4 hours

(transportation not included)

2. Style consultant 155€/hour with a minimum of 4 hours

(transportation not included)

Versailles:

Grands Apartments and park (areas open to the public)
 Hidden Rooms (1.5 hours – to be added to the Grands Apartments)
 Kings Private Apartments (limited access to the public) and park
 100€ + tickets
 1150€ (up to 15 pax)
 1090€ +27€ tickets