

THREE MIGHTY RIVERS THE GIRONDE ESTUARY AND ARCACHON BAY



BORDEAUX - PAUILLAC - BLAYE - LIBOURNE - SAINT-EMILION
CADILLAC - BORDEAUX

7 nights/8 days from ***\$2296.00 p.p.**

DAY 1: BORDEAUX

Boarding at 6:00 p.m. in Bordeaux. Welcome cocktail and presentation of the crew. Dinner followed by an evening welcome.

DAY 2: BORDEAUX - PAUILLAC

Full board on board. We head down the **Garonne River** and then join the **Gironde River**, passing **Cazeau Island** and **Patiras Island** before arriving Pauillac. In the afternoon, **excursion** : visit the **Médoc** a renowned region where the most famous of all red wines in the world are cultivated. Return on board, evening of entertainment. Overnight.

DAY 3: PAUILLAC - GIRONDE ESTUARY - BLAYE

Full board on board. Early in the morning, **cruising along the Gironde to its estuary**. Morning spent cruising. Arriving in Blaye, Vauban raised it a citadel, this fortress is unquestionably the safest argument of Blaye. **Excursion along the Corniche, or cliff route**. Return on board, Evening of dancing. Overnight.

DAY 4: BLAYE - LIBOURNE or BOURG - SAINT-EMILION

Full board on board. Early in the morning, cruise on the Dordogne to **Libourne**. At the confluence of the Isle and the Dordogne, Libourne has accumulated over the centuries a whole heritage. **Excursion by coach to Saint-Emilion**. Evening of entertainment provided by the crew. Overnight.

DAY 5: LIBOURNE or BOURG - CADILLAC

Full board on board. Cruise on the Gironde river and the Garonne river to **Cadillac**. Its protected campaigns, hilly landscapes and its multitude of small peaceful villages reveal a rich heritage. In the afternoon, **guided visits to the Roquetaillade castle and to Cadillac**. Free evening. Overnight.

DAY 6: CADILLAC - BORDEAUX

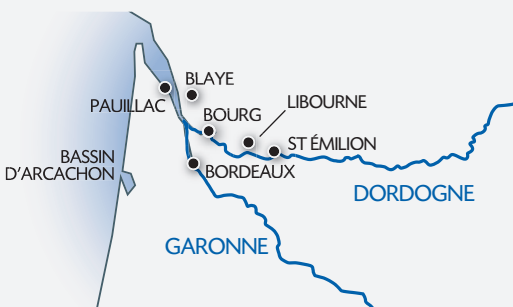
Full board on board. Cruise to **Bordeaux**, where we arrive early in the afternoon. Half of the city, the boulevards in the banks of the Garonne was recognized for its architectural heritage. **Guided tour of Bordeaux**. Free evening.

DAY 7: BORDEAUX - ARCACHON BAY - BORDEAUX

Full board. **Full day excursion to the heart of Arcachon Bay** or **full day excursion to Cognac**. Return to Bordeaux at the end of the day. Gala evening.

DAY 8: BORDEAUX

Buffet breakfast on board. Disembark at 9.00 a.m. End of our services.



Ref.: BOA - *2017 pricing on select sailings per person based on double occupancy, capacity controlled.

HIGHLIGHTS

3 rivers : Gironde - Garonne - Dordogne

Unlimited complimentary onboard beverages, including beer, fine wine, spirits, mineral bottled water, soft drinks specialty coffees and tea.

All meals onboard for Superb French Cuisine
Farewell Gala dinner

Free WiFi with Complimentary Samsung Galaxy Tablet for guests' use

Captain Welcome and Farewell cocktail Reception

Assistance from our onboard multi-lingual host/hostess

Entertainment: on board professional entertainment

All port fees

INCLUDED EXCURSIONS:

- The largest area of AOC vineyards in the world
- **Pauillac** and the Médoc
- The medieval city of **Blaye** and its renowned wines
- **Saint-Emilion**, the history of a medieval village
- **The Roquetaillade castle**
- **Cadillac**, a historic monument
- **Bordeaux**, an UNESCO World Heritage Site
- **Arcachon Bay** and the Dune du Pilat, the highest sand dune in Europe

RESERVATIONS AND INFORMATION: