

# RÜDESHEIM & ASSMANNSHAUSEN AM RHEIN

Rüdesheim am Rhein - the gateway to the Upper Middle Rhine Valley UNESCO world heritage site - is located only an hour from Frankfurt. Here you will find vast vineyards and steep slate hills forming a unique cultural landscape. Go on an exciting tour of discovery with our town guides, by boat or by cable car. Enjoy a superb wine hike, admire Rüdesheim from the Vintner's Express and get to know the Rheingau region. Our wide range of offerings and the typical regional cuisine will leave nothing to be desired.

Rüdesheim and Assmannshausen am Rhein are more than worth a visit!

### TOURS EACH WITH EXPERT GUIDE

We also offer tours in French and other languages. Just talk to us - we'd be happy to advise you.

Holiday surcharge (Bank holidays in Hesse) on the normal rate for all guided tours uniform: €30.00 and €10.00 per additional hour

### **TOURS**

Tours of Rüdesheim by experienced guides in various languages.
Learn fun facts and legends about Rüdesheim am Rhein. You will get to know the history and stories of our wine town during tours with our trained guides.



Per guide in each case

Price for 1-2 hours €122.00 Each additional hour €44.00 Each additional person €4.00

Maximum participants per group

20 persons

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### **NEAR AND FAR**

Tour of the historic old town.
Afterwards, your guests will travel by cable car to the Niederwald, where the monument and the temple are the attractions. The breath-taking view of the Rhine valley, the beautiful vineyards and Rüdesheim is a highlight of this tour. The return journey to the old town is via cable car.



#### **Duration** Approx. 2 hours

Maximum participants per group

Price for up to 20 persons €122.00 Each additional person €4.00

Plus cable car journey p.p.  $\leqslant$  1 0 . 0 0 From 20 persons p..p.  $\leqslant$  9. 00

### SPARKLING ENJOYMENT

Like many others, the poet Clemens Brentano was a great fan of Rüdesheim. During a walk through the picturesque and historic old town, your group will become familiar with a number of famous visitors. The tour is educational as well as entertaining. Guests will have the opportunity to raise a glass of sparkling wine to the wine connoisseur Brentano.



#### Duration Approx. 2 hours

Maximum participants per group 20 persons

Price for up

To 20 persons €122.00

Each additional person €4.00

Plus sparkling

wine p.p. €6.50

### PURE NATURE, HIGH ABOVE THE RHINE

One of the most breath-taking views over the Rhine and the surrounding landscape can be found in the Ostein'scher Park nature park, which has been fascinating guests for centuries. Attractions including the Niederwalddenkmal monument, the

temple, the Zauberhöhle (magic cave) and the Rossel castle ruins await your guests.

You can reach the nicely laid out circular trail conveniently with the cable car, which will also bring you back to the old town.

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Maximum participan	
per group Price for up to	20persons
20 persons	€166.00
Each additional pers	on €4.00

Plus cable car journey p.p.  $\leq 10.00$ From 20 persons p.p.  $\leq 9.00$ 

### RHINEROMANTICISM: RÜDESHEIM AND BINGEN

A tour that brings the idea of romanticism on the Rhine to life. It takes you to Bingen with the ferry, to the Museum am Strom and on to the Rhein-Nahe-Eck, a well-known attraction for Rhine fans. Back in Rüdesheim, the tour continues to the old town accompanied by the texts of the famous Romance poets and the cable car takes you to the Niederwald temple. This tour finishes up with a glass of wine and a pretzel in the beautiful old town.



#### **Duration** Approx. 3.5 hours

Maximum participants per group 20

per group 20 persons

Price for up to 20 persons €210.00

Plus wine, pretzel, cable car, museum, ferry p.p. €29.00

### THE LEGEND OF ASBACH

During this tour, the great secret of how an excellent brandy, the famous Asbach Uralt, can be created from wine is revealed. The spirit of wine is within it! In the exclusive Asbach visitor centre, a multi-visual show presenting all relevant information on the premium German brand awaits guests. Accompanied by an expert guide, the manufacturing process is illustrated to your group in the distillery. The tour concludes with a tasting so that you can experience for yourself the high quality of the Asbach brand.



### **Duration** Approx. 1.5 hours

Open March - December

For groups 10 - 30 persons

Price for up to 20 persons €113.00 Each assitional person €4,00

Tasting of 2 brandies

The tour can only be booked in combination with a tasting afterwards.

### THE HILDEGARD TRAIL

Walk in the footsteps of Hildegard of Bingen. The 6.7 km trail leads from the old town to the famous pilgrimage church in Eibingen, where the Hildegard shrine is located. It continues through the delightful vineyards to the well-known St. Hildegard Benedictine abbey. Insights into Hildegard's life and the landscape of the time are provided at a large number of viewpoints.

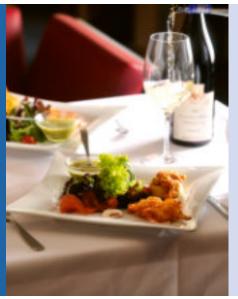


### **Duration Approx. 2.5 – 3 hours**

Price for up to 20 persons €166.00
Each additional person €4.00
Additional hour

### DINE-AROUND

A culinary tour through Rüdesheim that will impress every guest. During this tour, your group can experience and enjoy the excellent Rheingau cuisine in three different restaurants.



**Duration** Approx. 3.5 – 4 hours

Bookable from 10 persons

Price for tour guide €210.00

With group sizes of 20 or more, the tour guide eats for free.

4-course menu with 3 accompanying wines p.p. from € 71.00

### **WINE EXPERIENCES**

### THE WALKING WINE TOUR

Guided tour through the historic old town with a narrated wine tasting in three different Rüdesheim wineries.

#### **Duration** 2.5 – 3 hours

Price for up to

20 persons €166.00 Each additional person €4.00

Plus wine tasting p.p. €16.50

### RÜDESHEIM WINE TASTING

Enjoy Rheingau wine during a tasting of 3, 4 or 5 wines with expert commentary on wine and winegrowing.



#### **Duration** 45 minutes – 1.5 hours

Minimum participants 15 persons Price p.p. 15 persons from €14.00

Optional: Vintner's snacks

including cheese

and meats Price on request

### THE FLOATING WINE TASTING

Scenic castle round trip with one of the comfortable Rhine ships, passing by picturesque vineyard locations. On this trip, your guests can partake in a tasting of four excellent wines. A tour for relaxation and indulgence.



#### **Duration** Approx. 1.5 hours

Minimum participants 10 persons Price p.p. From €26.00

### **WINE HIKE**

A guided wine hike leads through the vines between Spätburgunder (pinot noir) and Riesling, with a spectacular view of the Rhine valley, the gateway to the "Upper Middle Rhine Valley" world heritage site.

Your group can enjoy the unparalleled view while taking in plenty of information on wine and its cultivation. The ascent to the vines is by means of cable car. The wine hike includes 1 prosecco and 4 wines. Followed by tarte flambée for all guests.



**Duration** Approx. 3 hours

Minimum participants 20 p e r s o n s Price p.p. including all services listed from €45.00

#### RHEINWEINWELT

Since 2017 Rüdesheim has an additional attraction: The RheinWeinWelt vinotheque in the walk-in wine tanks of the former Asbach distillery, which is protected as a historic monument. The special feature of this vinotheque is that you can try wines by tapping them from specially constructed dispensers. Each token gets you a taster of your selected wine. Over 150 wines from 76 wineries are available. The selection ranges from Riesling to pinot noir, from quality-tested wines

to first-class wines. RheinWeinWelt also offers a regional and seasonal



Bag of 10 tokens €10.00
Bag of 20 tokens €19.00

### **HIGHLIGHTS**

### HERB HIKE IN ASSMANNSHAUSEN

On a route through the vineyards guided by a herbalist or the herb expert Mr. Ließ, you will get to know a large number of wild herbs. Experience delicate flowers and strong green plants, while enjoying the view of the Rhine Valley. This hike is entertaining and informational.



**Duration** Approx. 2.5 hours

Minimum participants 20 persons

Price p.p. From €15.00

Smaller groups On request

On request, we can offer you a trip with the chairlift in Assmannshausen, a meal at the herb restaurants, soup and wine in the vineyards and much more as an additional supplement.

### **RHINE EVENING IN** THE DROSSELGASSE

Dinner in one of the cosy wine bars or shaded wine gardens in the worldfamous Drosselgasse cobbled road. A highlight for connoisseurs or would-be connoisseurs. Enjoy a three-course menu and a glass of wine in an authentic and relaxed atmosphere, accompanied by live music. This is followed by an original Rüdesheim coffee for dessert.



Minimum participants 20 persons Price p.p.

From €39.00

### **RHINE IN FLAMES**

One of the big tourist highlights in Germany, the "Rhine in Flames", takes place on the first Saturday in July each year. Be there for one of the most spectacular fireworks displays in Germany! We would be pleased to create a programme for your group according to your wishes. If you would like to make an inquiry or request information, please contact Ms. Gaby Schäfer, gaby.schaefer@ruedesheim.de



### **FUN EXPERIENCE AT BOLLESJE OR** "PRISON GUEST"

The Rüdesheim prison meal at the Bollesie is a lot of fun. Guests are welcomed to the prison cellar by being detained, before having their fingerprints taken and getting "dressed". The criminal's cocktail is followed by a tasty menu and drinks such as wine, beer and soft drinks. Armed only with a spoon, every guest is sure to enjoy this prison meal.



#### **Duration in** the evening Approx. 2.5 hours

Minimum participants 15 persons

Price for 3-course menu incl. drinks p.p. €64.00

### **SEGWAYS**

By Segway, your guests can travel in a relaxing way with an expert guide to the Niederwalddenkmal monument, through the vineyards as far as the Ehrenfels Castle ruins or explore the region.

License (for moped, motorbike or car) required.



#### **Various tours**

Price for groups on request

### WINTER MULLED WINE HIKE

This tour once again illustrates that Rüdesheim is an all-year destination. This short hike covers approximately six kilometres and offers breathtaking views and wonderful attractions. The tour starts off in the historic old town, where the first mulled wine awaits. It continues through the winter vineyards to the St. Hildegard

It continues through the winter vineyards to the St. Hildegard Benedictine abbey. From the abbey, it's on to the next stop and the next mulled wine. With a brief stop at the pilgrimage church in Eibingen, the tour leads back to the beautiful and historic Rüdesheim old town.



**Duration** Approx. 3 hours

Available

to book From 10 persons

Price for

up to 20 persons

€166.00

2 mulled wines p.p.

€12.00

### INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS MARKET

Rüdesheim invites you to a special highlight in December, when the International Christmas Market takes place. Over 20 countries from five continents offer specialities, Christmas items and much more in a festive atmosphere. We would be pleased to prepare a suitable offer for your group.



### **EXCURSIONS BY BUS**

### MIDDLE RHINE VALLEY

Discover the magic of the Middle Rhine Valley. Our trained tour guides take you along the Rhine, where you can discover romantic towns, unique vineyards and unparalleled views. We would be pleased to arrange your personal Middle Rhine Valley experience according to your particular wishes or recommend a route to suit your group.

Just talk to us.

Duration 7 - 8 hours

Price €380.00

### **MULTIFACETED WIESBADEN**

Experience the Hessian state capital up close. During your tour, you will learn interesting and surprising facts about Wiesbaden's history and life in the city. The Kurhaus, the Hessian State Theater and imposing villas are some of the representative buildings that shape the landscape. Among

other attractions, the excursion takes you to the Schlossplatz square with the old and new town hall and to the Marktkirche church, the highest building in the city. We would also be happy to personally help you with route suggestions and tips.

#### Duration 7 - 8 hours

Price €380.00

#### **EBERBACH MONASTERY**

One of the most famous attractions in the Rheingau region is without a doubt the former Cistercian monastery of Eberbach. With its Romanesque and early Gothic structures, it is one of the most significant artistic monuments in Europe. It was founded in 1136 and existed until it was dissolved in 1803. In the monastery complex, we offer guided tours, each combined with a tasting of wines from the Hessian state wineries.



#### **Eberbach Riesling tasting with 3 wines**

Duration Approx.1.5 hoursPrice per person€22.00Minimum participants10 persons

#### Walking wine tour with 6 wines

Duration Approx.1.5 hoursPrice per person€32.00Minimum participants15 persons

Rates for all offered tours:

- Guide fee for groups

from 10 - 25 persons €75.00

### **EXCLUSIVE**RHEINGAU

The Rheingau region boasts one of the most attractive and popular wine cultivation landscapes in Germany. Experience a top-class day tour with our tour guide, including the most well-known highlights in the region. Services:

Guided tour in Eltville (city of roses), Rheingau one-course meal for lunch, visit to Eberbach Monastery including a wine tasting with three wines, visit to Johannisberg Castle, cable car trip to the Niederwalddenkmal monument, tour through the historic old town of Rüdesheim. Travel with own bus. Bus can be arranged on request.



### Duration Approx. 8 hours

Minimum participants 20 persons

Price depending on the desired programme points

### TYPICAL RÜDESHEIM

### FLOAT ABOVE THE VINES

Cable car in Rüdesheim and chairlift in Assmannshausen. A journey with the comfortable cable car from the historic old town in Rüdesheim to the famous Niederwalddenkmal monument is an essential part of every visit to Rüdesheim.

The same surely applies to the picturesque route via the Jagdschloss Niederwald to the chairlift, which takes you to the red wine town Assmannshausen.

The views on each of these journeys are breath-taking.



One-way journey p.p.	€6.50
Groups from 20 persons p.p.	€5.50
Return journey p.p.	€10.00
Groups from 20 persons p.p.	€9.00
Combi-ticket (one trip in Rüdesheim and one trip in	
Assmannshausen) p.p.	€12.00
Groups from 20 persons p.p.	€11.00

### THE RING TICKET

This ring ticket is one of the most popular offers in Rüdesheim. The tour starts at the valley station in the old town in Rüdesheim and is a highlight of any group trip.

- "Float above the vines" from the old town in Rüdesheim to the Niederwalddenkmal monument
- Walk from the monument to the Jagdschloss Niederwald
- Trip to the romantic red wine town Assmannshausen with the chairlift
- Exciting boat trip back to Rüdesheim

The ring ticket can also be booked for the reverse order.



DurationApprox. 4 hoursPrice p.p.€20.00From 20 persons p.p.€19.00

### THE ROMANTIC TOUR

With this very popular tour, you supplement the ring ticket with a boat trip across the Rhine near Assmannshausen and a visit to the spectacular Rheinstein Castle, which is in private ownership and is one of the highlights along the Rhine.

- From the old town in Rüdesheim to the Niederwalddenkmal monument by cable car
- Walk from the Niederwalddenkmal monument to the Jagdschloss Niederwald
- Trip to the romantic red wine town Assmannshausen with the chairlift
- Boat trip from Assmannshausen to Rheinstein Castle, including visit to the castle
- Boat trip to Rüdesheim



**Duration** Approx. 6 hours

Price p.p. €22.00

From 20 persons p.p. €20.00

There is an option to have lunch at Rheinstein Castle. Menus and price on request.

### JOURNEY WITH THE VINTNER'S EXPRESS

A leisurely and very informative round trip with the Rüdesheim Vintner's Express. It starts off in the historic old town of Rüdesheim and then makes its way through the vineyards. Travelling on this comfortable train will be an unforgettable experience.



DurationApprox. 30 minutesMinimum participants20 personsPrice p.p.€9.50

### RHINE ROMANTICISM

### BOAT TRIPS ON THE RHINE

Eventful round trips from Rüdesheim and Assmannshausen. Scheduled services several times per day in high season.

### **BACCHUS TRIP**

Boat trip passing numerous romantic castles in the Middle Rhine Valley. You can combine the trip with a visit to the historic wine town of Bacharach. Round trip without disembarking about 3 hours; plan in enough time to explore the town, if desired.

Price p.p. €19.00 Group discount On request

## CASTLE TRIP FROM RÜDESHEIM TO RHEINSTEIN CASTLE

The impressive castle round trip goes from Rüdesheim to Rheinstein Castle and takes about 1.5 hours.

Price p.p. From €15.00 Group discount On request

### CASTLE TRIP PLUS

Castle trip with stop to visit the medieval Rheinstein Castle near Trechtingshausen. After disembarking, there is a 10-minute walk to the lovingly restored castle. Duration approx. 3.5 – 4 hours incl. visit to the castle

Price p.p. mathred 20.00From 20 persons p.p. mathred 20.00

### **LORELEY TRIP**

The duration of the round trips is about 5 hours.

Return journey p.p. From €26.00 One-way journey p.p. From €23.00

Group discount, winter round trips and special services on request.

### CHRISTMAS ROUND BOATTRIPS

Christmas round trips on the Rhine take place in the afternoons each weekend during Advent.

Duration Approx. 2 hours Price On request

### CULTURAL EXPERIENCE

### "SIEGFRIEDS MECHANISCHES MUSIKKABINETT" MUSEUM

The first museum for mechanical musical instruments in Germany. You can find one of the largest collections of self-playing musical instruments here. The history of the development of the "mechanical music" cultural heritage is presented.

Seeing how these instruments make music is a unique experience.

Daily from March to December or by arrangement.



Duration

€10.00

45 minutes

Price p.p. €10.00 Minimum participants 20 persons



You can find the general terms and conditions (in German) under ruedesheim.de/agb



Our service: You relax – we will organise your tour for you! We would be pleased to create a programme according to your wishes and requirements.

Additional information and booking at Rüdesheim Tourist AG, group department +49 (0)6722-90615-14, touristinfo@ruedesheim.de

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