

2024 DELIGHTFUL DOURO – PORTUGAL SCHEDULE



DAY	PORT	FEATURED EXCURSIONS	ONBOARD
May 30 – Th Day 1	Porto - Vila Nova de Gaia Entre-os-Rios	Transfers from Porto (OPO) airport to the ship – or transfer on own Check-in begins after 15:00 – all onboard by 17:00 (ship departs) <i>(Guest can bring their luggage onboard in the AM. Guest will be allowed onboard from 13:00 onward and may congregate on the sun deck until check-in at 15:00. Arrive Entre-os-Rios 20:30, overnight.</i>	Embarkation Orientation & Introductions Welcome dinner Evening entertainment
May 31 – Fr Day 2	Regua	Morning Douro Valley sail (AM) Lemego guided tour (PM)	Lecture program Culinary program Shabbat onboard
June 1 – Sa (Shabbat) Day 3	Regua	Regua guided walking and Museum tour (PM)	Shabbat onboard Evening entertainment
June 2 – Su Day 4	Pocinho Barca D'Alva	Morning Douro Valley sail (AM) Trancoso guided tour (PM)	Lecture program Culinary program Evening entertainment
June 3 – Mo Day 5	Barca D'Alva Pinhao	Belmonte guided tour (AM) Afternoon Douro Valley sail (PM)	Lecture program Culinary program Evening entertainment
June 4 – Tu Day 6	Pinhao	Mateus Palace and Gardens (AM) Afternoon sail (PM)	Lecture program Culinary program Evening Entertainment
June 5 – We Day 7	Porto - Vila Nova de Gaia	Morning Porto guided city tour (AM) Afternoon guided Jewish Porto tour (PM)	Farewell dinner Evening Entertainment
June 6 – Mo Day 8	Porto - Vila Nova de Gaia Return Home	Transfer from the ship Porto Airport <i>(Room checkout by 9:00am, guests have the option to stay onboard at their leisure in the public spaces until approximately mid-day)</i>	Disembark

Changes to Itinerary and Water Levels: Please note mooring and casting off times are only guidelines. We reserve the right to make changes to the itineraries and excursion programs. If due to low or high water, a defective ship, or a section of the river is closed to travel, the ship-owner reserves the right to transport guests along this section by bus or change the course of that part of the journey. These situations are rare but do happen from time to time and are all part of riverboat vacations. There's nothing anyone can do to control Mother Nature. Please note all rivers that you will travel on have shipping channels that are maintained by national nautical authorities. On rare occasions, river travel may be impacted by water levels in these shipping channels. Usually, minor adjustments in the ships cruise schedule will allow safe and unimpeded passage – even under challenging circumstances. Precipitation patterns in Europe are relatively even throughout the year and there are no 'wet' or 'dry' seasons, which makes long-term predicting of high or low water impossible. Luckily, major disruptions are rare exceptions, and most cruises take place exactly as planned.