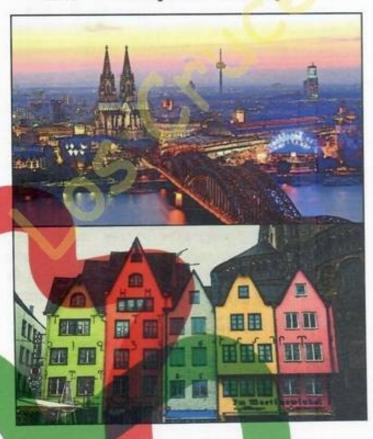


## MS Crucevita

## 22.05.22 Cologne

| 07:00 - 07:30 | Early-risers breakfast            |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| ~08:00        | Arrival to Cologne                |
| 07:30 - 09:00 | Breakfast in the restaurant       |
| 09:00-11:00   | City walking tour                 |
|               | (Excursion package)               |
| 12:30         | Lunch in the restaurant           |
|               | Explore the city by your own      |
| 16:00-16:30   | Coffee and tea time in the lounge |
| 18:00 - 19:00 | Happy hour in the lounge          |
| 19:00         | Dinner in the restaurant          |
| 21:00         | All aboard                        |
| 21:30         | Departure for Koblenz             |
| 22:00         | Late night-snack in the lounge    |



## Cocktail of the day:

Tequila sunrise – 6,50€ Non-alcoholic: Tropic Punch – 5€

Cologne can trace its roots back to the first century AD, when it was established as a Roman provincial capital and military stronghold, and one of its most appealing features for tourists is that it retains elements from all the various periods of its long history. Among its attractions are Roman remains, medieval churches, Baroque palaces, and museums that reflect such diverse subjects as its darker times in the mid-20th century and the various products for which it is known: fragrances, mustard, and chocolate. Cologne's importance never really slowed, and today, the city remains one of Germany's most important cultural centers, home to numerous arts and entertainment facilities, along with more than 100 galleries and at least three dozen museums. So you'll never run out of things to see and do in Cologne.

## Cologne Cathedral

Near the left bank of the Rhine, Cologne's towering landmark, the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Mary, is a masterpiece of High Gothic architecture, and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. One of the largest cathedrals in Europe, it was started in 1248 and is considered the most ambitious building project of the Middle Ages. As impressive as its 157-meter-tall twin towers is the cathedral's incredible interior. Covering an area of 6,166 square meters, its soaring roof supported by 56 pillars, the cathedral is filled with treasures: the 12th-century Reliquary of the Three Kings created by local goldsmiths; the famous relief of the Adoration of the Kings from 1440; the Treasure Chamber, with precious objects that include ancient reliquaries and manuscripts. Panoramic views from the south tower are reached by more than 500 steps that pass the cathedral's famous bells (ear protection is provided on Sundays). A variety of excellent guided tours are available, as well as events, including concerts and services (be sure to check for closures prior to arrival).

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## Cologne's Old Town

As you explore Cologne's numerous historic churches and museums, you'll crisscross the city's lovely Old Town. In addition to old churches such as Great St. Martin, you'll find yourself traversing countless alleys lined with traditional old houses, many now home to boutique shops, galleries, cafés, and restaurants. And with its many pleasant paths along the Rhine, you'll find ample opportunity to enjoy great views as you plan your route through this ancient city. You'll also find yourself in awe of the countless monuments and fountains that adorn the area, along with its Archaeological Zone, with its many ancient ruins and artifacts.

A particular highlight in this area is Cologne's Old Town Hall, the Kölner Rathaus, the oldest such public building in Germany. With a rich history dating back more than 900 years as the focal point of the ruling classes during medieval times, the building you see today reflects a number of different architectural influences, including the 14th-century main building, the 15th-century tower, and a Renaissance-style loggia and cloister. Even the 20th-century influences are pleasing, as seen in the atrium. Other highlights include the Hansasaal, or Hanseatic Hall, with its Gothic figures of eight prophets; the nine "good heroes" (pagan, Jewish, and Christian); and its sonorous carillon that plays three times each day.

## The Wallraf-Richartz and Ludwig Museums

Art lovers will want to visit both the Wallraf-Richartz Museum and the Ludwig Museum when in Cologne. Housed in one of the city's newer architectural structures, these two excellent galleries cover a wide range of European painting, with works by Rembrandt, Manet, Renoir, Leibl, Liebermann, and Slevogt. The Wallraf-Richartz Museum is particularly strong in the work of the Cologne school, while the Ludwig focuses on modern and contemporary painting. In the same building is the Agfa-Foto-Historama with its displays of photographs and cameras dating back to 1840.

## Cologne Zoological Gardens

Founded in 1860, Cologne Zoo is one of Germany's oldest zoological gardens, as can be evidenced in its fine collection of 19th-century menagerie buildings, including its Moorish-style elephant house and an old birdhouse (now home to chimps) resembling a traditional Russian church. Other highlights include Ape Island with its mock rainforest; a well-stocked aquarium; and an excellent big cat enclosure, a biotope habitat where visitor view the animals through glass without bars. One of the most appealing features of

the zoo is that you can see its history - and attitudes toward zoos - unfold over the years, with modern facilities retrofitted into historic buildings of the original menagerie.

## Cologne Cable Car & Bird's-Eye Views of Cologne

Since its establishment in 1957 as the first European cable car to cross a river - in this case, the Rhine - the Cologne cable car has carried millions of passengers. The views are, of course, the big draw, particularly those of the Old Town and Cologne Cathedral. For more great views, a visit to Cologne Telecommunications Tower is worthwhile. Located northwest of Cologne's Old Town, Colonius, as it's known locally, is 243 meters high with a superb viewing platform and a revolving restaurant. KölnTriangle, a striking contemporary building on Ottoplatz, also has a panoramic viewing platform.

### Chocolate Museum

Cologne's Chocolate Museum (Schokoladenmuseum) can trace its roots to 1972, when Hans Imhoff acquired the Stollwerck chocolate factory and discovered there a rubbish container filled with broken machinery, packaging material, and other remnants of chocolate manufacture. He began preserving and restoring these as the basis for the museum, where exhibits follow the entire process from bean to bonbon. There are interactive displays, collections of molds, antique chocolate boxes and wrappers, free samples from the chocolate fountain, and a working production line where you can watch chocolates being made. You can even design your own chocolate bar to take home with you.

## Roman-Germanic Museum

Just a few minutes' walk from Cologne Cathedral, the Roman-Germanic Museum offers a fascinating insight into the city's rich archaeological heritage from the Paleolithic period to the early Middle Ages. Exhibits of interest are the Dionysus Mosaic dating from the 2nd century and the 15-meter-high funerary monument of Poblicius from the 1st century, both discovered during excavations in the city. The museum also displays other mosaics, Roman glass, domestic pottery and sculpture, and Roman and Germanic jewelry. Also of interest is Kolumba, the art museum of the Archdiocese of Cologne, notable for its art and antiquities.

Have a nice day in Cologne!

| Name                            | Letter | Indicates   |
|---------------------------------|--------|---|
| Cereals<br>Containing<br>gluten | 4      | This includes wheat, rye, barley, and oats. It is often found in foods containing flour such as some baking powders, batter, breadcrumbs, bread, cakes, couscous, meat products, pasta, pastry, sauces, soups and foods dusted with flour.  The cereal will need to be declared |
| Crustaceans                     | 8      | This includes crabs, lobster, prawns and scampi. It is often found in shrimp paste.   |
| Eggs                            | O      | This is often found in cakes, some meat products, mayonnaise, mousses, pasta, quiche, sauces and foods brushed or glazed with eggs.   |
| Fish                            | ٥      | This is often found in some fish sauces, pizzas, relishes, salad dressings, stock cubes and in Worcestershire sauce   |
| Peanuts                         | ш      | This can be found in biscults, cakes, curries, dessert, ice cream and sauces such as for satay. It is also found in groundnut oil and peanut four.  |
| Soya                            | L      | This can be found in bean curd, edamame beans, miso paste, textured soya protein, soya flour or tofu. It is often found used in some dessert, ice cream, meat products, sauces and vegetarian products.   |
| Milk                            | O      | This is found in butter, cheese, cream, milk powders, and yoghurts. Foods glazed with milk, powdered soups, desserts and sauces   |
| Nuts                            | I      | This includes almonds, hazelnuts, walnuts, cashew, pecan nuts, brazil nuts, pistachio nuts, macadamia or queenland nuts.  These can be found in breads, biscuits, crackers, desserts, ice cream, marzipan, nut oils and sauces  |
| Celeny                          | _      | This includes celery stalks, leaves, and seeds and celeriac. This is often found in celery salt, salads, soups and stock cubes  |
| Mustard                         | M      | This includes liquid mustard, mustard powder and mustard seeds. It is often found in breads, curries, marinades, meat products, salad dressings, sauces and soups.  |
| Sesame                          | z      | This can be found in bread, breadsticks, houmous, sesame, sesame oil and tahini (sesame paste)  |
| Sulphur<br>dioxide *            | 0      | This is often used as a preservative in dried fruit, meat products, soft drinks and vegetables as well as in wine and beer.   |
| Lupin                           | ۵      | This includes lupin seeds and flour, and can be found in some types of bread, pastries and pasta  |
| Molluscs                        | œ      | This includes mussels, land snails, squid, and whelks. It is often found in oyster sauce or as a ingredient in a fish stews.  |

# **MS CRUCEVITA**

# COLOGNE, 22nd MAY 2022

## WELCOME

Our service team would like to answer some questions in advance:

You can always order a half or a double portion

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You can always order extra sauces or side dishes

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You can always change a dish you do not like for another dish

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As you can see, there is a lot we can do for you You just have to tell us A mention is made when the designated substances or products derived therefrom are obtained as an ingredient in the final product.

The labeling of the 14 major allergens is carried out in accordance with the statutory provisions (EU Food Information Regulation 1169/2011). There are also other substances that can trigger food allergies or intolerances.

Despite the careful production of our dishes, the labeled ingredients may contain traces of other substances used in the production process in the kitchen.

\*Contains phenylalanine.

Can have a laxative effect if consumed to excess.

# YOUR MAÎTRE D'HOTEL ILIE TRANDAFIR RECOMMENDS YOU

# **OPEN WHITE WINE**

VINO D ITALIA BIANCO, DRY VALLEFIORE

5,50€ 0,251

# **OPEN RED WINE**

VINO D ITALIA ROSSO, DRY VALLEFIORE

## LUNCH

WALDROF SALAD CIGIA

RHEINISH POTATO SOUP AIG

CHOICE OF MAIN COURSE CHICKEN CORDON BLEU ° POTATO WEDGES | PEAS | CARROTS | COCKTAIL SAUCE MASHED PEAS | REMOULADE SAUCE FRIED FISH | BELGIAN CHIPS FISH & CHIPS GD

**OUR VEGETARIAN ALTERNATIVE** SPAGHETTI | TOMATO SAUCE VEGETABLE PICCATA AIC

WAFFLE "BERGISCHES LAND" CIG LUKEWARM CHERRIES DESSERT

ICE CREAM

COFFEE DECAFFEINATED COFFEE | TEA

# YOUR MAÎTRE D'HOTEL ILIE TRANDAFIR RECOMMENDS YOU

## WHITE WINE

CHARDONNAY, SELECTION" 29,50 € MOSEL, GERMANY 0,751

## **RED WINE**

"ROTER SATZ" DRY PFALZ, GERMANY 0,751 39,00€

## DIGESTIV

**GRAPPA JULIA** 4,30 € Your chef Ahmed Elsayyad Wishes you bon Appetit

## DINNER

SMOKED TROUT | APPLE BEETROOT SALAD <sup>©</sup>

SALAD PLATE

CELERIAC VANILLA CREAM SOUP GIAL SOUR DOUGH BREAD CROUTONS

CHOICE OF MAIN COURSE

GNOCCHI | RATATOUILLE | THYME GRAVY MEDIUM ROASTED LAMB SHANK <sup>6</sup>

PEARL BARLEY | CREAMY SPINACH | FRIED CAULIFLOWER STEAMED COD FILET DIGH

STROGANOFF OF FRESH MUSHROOMS piglo BELL PEPPER | PAPARDELLE | BEETROOT **OUR VEGETARIAN ALTERNATIVE** TARTE TATIN 6

CINNAMON CREAM | PUFF PASTRY

CHEESE PLATE ICE CREAM

COFFEE | DECAFFEINATED COFFEE | TEA