

ASTRAKHAN - MOSCOW

**“Nizhny Novgorod”
(14 days/13 nights)**

The programme is given as a guidance only, subject to change

DAY 1	Astrakhan
	Transfer from the airport (according to the prior request)
	Information briefing & optional tour sales
	Dinner aboard
	Live music in the bar
DAY 2	Astrakhan
7:00	Wake up call
7:15-9:00	Breakfast aboard
9:00-12:00	ASTRAKHAN Bus city tour, Kremlin grounds OPTIONAL: Art Gallery after the city tour
13:00-14:30	Lunch aboard
	Free time
17:00	Presentation of the crew and of the staff Captain’s Welcome Cocktail. You are expected to be elegantly dressed.
17:45	All aboard! You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
18:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Astrakhan for Volgograd
18:30	Safety Drill
19:15	Dinner aboard
21:00	Onboard musicians’ concert “Let’s make friends”!
22:00	Musical evening in the bar
DAY 3	Day on board
7:30	Wake up call
7:45	Morning exercises
8:00-10:00	Breakfast aboard
10:30	Route information “Astrakhan”
11:30	Russian language class
12:30	Safety drill
13:00	Russian songs class
14:00-15:30	Lunch aboard
15:30	Souvenir Shop lecture (The most interesting about the Traditional Russian crafts)
16:30	Cinema Club
18:00	Live music in the bar
19:30	Dinner aboard
21.30	Evening show
22:30	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 4	Volgograd
7:00	Wake up call
7:10	Morning exercises
7:15-8:30	Breakfast aboard
8:00-12:00	VOLGOGRAD

08:30	Bus city tour, Mamayev Mound
11:30	OPTIONAL: Panoramic museum “Stalingrad Battle”
11:45	All aboard! You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
12:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Volgograd for Saratov
12:00	Remembrance ceremony devoted to the soldiers of the World War II
12:30-14:00	Lunch aboard
14:30	Route information Volgograd region
16:00	Russian songs class
16:30	Presentation of Russian fairy-tales
16:00 – 16:45	The cruise director is waiting for you at the reception desk to answer your questions
17:30	Russian Tea Ceremony – Enjoy the Russian tea culture and learn its history
18:30	Live music in the bar
20:00	Dinner aboard
21:30	Evening Show “Russian folk games”
22:15	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 5	Saratov
07:00	Wake up call
07:15	Morning exercises
7:30-09:30	Breakfast aboard
09:00 -13:00	SARATOV Bus city tour
12:45	All aboard! You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
13:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Saratov for Samara
13:10-14:40	Lunch aboard
14:45	Route information “Saratov”
15:00	Russian songs class
16:00	OPTIONAL: Master-class of matryoshka painting
17:00	Russian dance class
18:00	Russian quiz
18:30	Live music in the bar
19:30	Dinner aboard
21:00	Folk music concert
22:00	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 6	Samara
07:30	Wake up call
07:45	Morning exercises
08:00-10:00	Breakfast aboard
10:00	Route information “Samara”
10:15	Russian language class
11:00	Captain’s Bridge tour Group # 1
11:20	Captain’s Bridge tour Group # 2
11:40	Captain’s Bridge tour Group # 3
12:00	Captain’s Bridge tour Group # 4
12:30-14:00	Lunch aboard
14:00 – 17:00	SAMARA Bus city tour, Art gallery
16:45	All aboard!

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17:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Samara for Kazan
17:30	How to fold napkins by maitre'd
18:30	Live music in the bar
19:30	Dinner aboard
21:00	Music concert
22:00	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 7	Kazan
07:00	Wake up call
07:15	Morning exercises
07:00-9:30	Breakfast aboard
9:30	Route information "Kazan"
10:00	Watching movie about History of Russia
11:00	Russian songs class
12:00	Russian language class
12:30-14:00	Lunch aboard
14:30	Russian quiz
16:00 – 20:00	KAZAN
13:15	Bus city tour, Kremlin grounds
19:45	All aboard! You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
19:45	Dinner aboard
20:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Kazan for Cheboksary
21:30	Onboard musicians' concert
22:15	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 8	Cheboksary
6:30	Wake up call
6:45	Morning exercises
7:00-8:30	Breakfast onboard
08:00 – 14:00	CHEBOKSARY
08:30	Bus city tour
13:45	All aboard! You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
14:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Cheboksary for Nizhny Novgorod
14:10-15:30	Lunch aboard
15:30	Russian language class
16:30	Russian songs class
17:30	Russian dance class
18:00	The dress rehearsal of the Talent Show. All the dancers and singers are welcome!
18:30	Round Table: Conversation about Russia today. Board guides are glad to answer every question you have about the Russian Reality
19:30	Captain's Dinner. You are expected to be elegantly dressed.
21:15	Talent show - pleasant party performed by our guests and for our guests
22:15	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 9	Nizhny Novgorod
05.30	Wake up call
6:00-09:00	NIZHNY NOVGOROD
06.45	Bus city tour, Kremlin grounds
08:45	All aboard!

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09:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Nizhny Novgorod for Kostroma
9:00 – 10:00	Russian Tea Ceremony – Enjoy the Russian tea culture and learn its history
10:30	Route information “Nizhny Novgorod and Yaroslavl and Kostroma
11:00	Watching Documentary Film
13:30	Lunch aboard
15:30	Cinema Club
16:30	Vodka and blini tasting Party
17:30	Russian Songs class
18:00	Live music in the bar
19:00	Pirates’ game “Looking for treasure”
19:30	Pirate’s dinner
21:00	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 10	Kostroma & Yaroslavl
7:15	Wake up call
7:30 – 9:00	Breakfast aboard
8:00 – 12:00	KOSTROMA
09.00	Bus city tour, Ipatiev monastery, Trinity Cathedral
11:45	All aboard! You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
12:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Kostroma for Yaroslavl
12:30	Lunch aboard
14:30	Russian language class
15:30	Watching movie about History of Russia
16:30 – 20:00	YAROSLAVL Bus city tour, local market (free time), Church of St Elijah the Prophet (outside), Church of St. Nicholas the Wonderworker (inside visit), interactive tour of former Governor’s House (Art Gallery)
19:45	All aboard! You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
20:00	Departure MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD leaves Kostroma for Uglich
20:15	Dinner aboard
21:30	Live music in the bar
22:30	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 11	Uglich
7:15	Wake up call
7:30	Morning exercises
7:30-9:00	Breakfast aboard
8:30-12:00	UGLICH Walking city tour, Kremlin, Dmitry on the Blood Church, Transfiguration Cathedral
12:30	Route information “Uglich, Moscow canal”
13:30	Lunch aboard
15:30	Film about the cruise
16:30	The dress rehearsal of the Talent Show. All the dancers and singers are welcome!
18:00	Live music in the bar
19:00-21:00	Captain’s Dinner You are expected to be elegantly dressed.
21:30	Talent show - pleasant party performed by our guests and for our guests
22:30	Dancing music in the bar
DAY 12	Moscow

7:15	Wake up call
7:30-9:00	Breakfast aboard
9:30	Round Table: Board guides are glad to answer every question you have about the Russian Reality
10:30	Film about the cruise
11:30-13:00	Lunch aboard
13:00	MS NIZHNY NOVGOROD arrives at Moscow
13:15	Departure for Kremlin grounds + 1 Cathedral and 1 st part of bus city tour
14:30 – 16:00	Kremlin tour - Palace of Congresses, Senate square: Arsenal, Senate buildings; residence of the President of the Russian Federation, Tsar bell and Tsar cannon, Cathedral Square ensemble: Assumption Cathedral, Archangel Cathedral and Annunciation Cathedral with visit to one of them.
16:00-17:00	Bus city tour – part 1 (Manezh square, Red Square (free time): GUM, Historical museum, Resurrection gate, Kazan church, Intercession cathedral, Lower trade stalls, Kremlin Towers: Saviour, Tsar’s, St.Nicolas; Senate, Mausoleum)
18:00	Return on board
18:30-20:30	Dinner aboard
20:30	Live music in the bar
20:30	OPTIONAL: Moscow by night + metro
22:00	musical evening
00:00	Return on board after optional excursion Moscow by night + metro
DAY 13	Moscow
7:00	Wake up call
7:15-8:45	Breakfast aboard
9:00	Departure for 2 nd part of bus city tour and Tretyakov Gallery
09:00	Bus city tour - part 2 (Leningradsky avenue, Tverskaya street, Theatralny passage, Lubyanka, KGB builing Cathedral of Christ the Saviour (passing by)
10:00-11:30	Visit to Tretyakov Gallery
12:30-14:30	OPTIONAL: Free time in the city (Boxed lunch for those who book the tour)
13:00	Return on board after included program
13:30-15:00	Lunch aboard for for passengers without optional excursion
16:00	Return on board after optional Free time in the city
17:00	Live music in the bar
18:00	OPTIONAL: Circus (the performance starts at 19.00)
18:00	OPTIONAL: Folk Show “Golden ring”
19:00	Dinner aboard for passengers without evening optional excursions
21:30	Marvelous melodies performed during musical evening
22:30	Dinner aboard for passengers with evening optional excursions
DAY 14	Moscow
	Wake up call
	Breakfast aboard (for early departures boxed lunch is provided instead)
	Transfer ship – airport (upon the prior request)