

**MOSCOW - ASTRAKHAN**

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

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

<b>DAY 1</b>	<b>Moscow</b>
	Transfer from airport the ship (according to the prior request) You can buy snack in bars on the board
	Information briefing & optional tour sales
	Dinner aboard (for late arrivals boxed lunch is provided instead) There will be certain tables for each group in the restaurant
	Live music in the bar
<b>DAY 2</b>	<b>Moscow</b>
6:45	Wake up call
7:00-8:30	Breakfast aboard
8:30	Bus city tour (Leningradsky avenue, Tverskaya street, Theatralny passage, Lubyanka, KGB building, 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, Cathedral of Christ the Saviour (passing by)
12:30-13:30	Lunch at the city restaurant
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.
17:30	Return aboard for passengers without optional excursions with drop off for OPTIONAL National folk show “Kostroma”
18:00	<b>OPTIONAL: National folk show “Kostroma”</b> (The performance starts at 19:30) (from the middle of June till the middle of September only!)
19:00	Dinner aboard for passengers without optional excursions
21:00	<b>OPTIONAL: Moscow by night + metro</b>
22:30	Dinner aboard for passengers who visited evening performance
23:00	Musical evening performed by onboard musicians
00:30	Return on board after optional excursion Moscow by night + metro
<b>DAY 3</b>	<b>Moscow</b>
7:00	Wake up call
7:15-8:45	Breakfast aboard
9:00	Departure for Tretyakov Art gallery
10:00-12:00	Visit to Tretyakov Art gallery
13:00	Return on board after included program
13:00-14:30	Lunch aboard
15:45	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
16:00	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Moscow for Uglich
16:30	Presentation of the crew and of the staff <b>Captain’s Welcome Cocktail.</b>
17:30	Safety Drill
18:00	Live music in the bar
19:30	Dinner aboard
21:00	Onboard musicians’ concert “Let’s make friends”!
22:00	Dancing music in the bar
<b>DAY 4</b>	<b>Uglich</b>

7:30	Wake up call
7:45	Morning exercises
8:00-9:30	Breakfast aboard
9:30	Route information "Uglich, Yaroslavl and Kostroma"
10:30	Souvenir Shop lecture (The most interesting about the Traditional Russian crafts)
11:30	Russian language class
12:30	Russian Bingo
13:30	Lunch aboard
15:00-17:30	UGLICH Walking city tour, Kremlin, Dmitry on the Blood Church, Transfiguration Cathedral
18:15	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
18:45	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Uglich for Yaroslavl
19:00	Documentary film
20:00 -21:30	Dinner aboard
21:30	Live music in the bar
22:30	Dancing music in the bar
<b>DAY 5</b>	<b>Yaroslavl &amp; Kostroma</b>
6:30	Wake up call
6:30 – 8:00	Breakfast aboard
8:00 – 12:00	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)
12:45	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
13:00	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Yaroslavl for Kostroma
13:00	Lunch aboard
14:30	Master class of Russian Matryoshka doll painting (option)
14:30	Russian songs class
17:30 – 20:30	KOSTROMA Bus city tour, Ipatiev monastery, Trinity Cathedral
20:15	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
20:30	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Kostroma for Nizhny Novgorod
20:30-22:00	Dinner aboard
22:00	Live music in the bar
22:00	Cinema club
22:30	Dancing music in the bar
<b>DAY 6</b>	<b>Nizhny Novgorod</b>
7:30	Wake up call
7:45	Morning exercises
8:00 -10:00	Breakfast aboard
10:00	Route information "Nizhny Novgorod and Cheboksary"
11:00	Russian bingo
12:00	Documentary Film
13:30	Lunch aboard
15:00-19:00	NIZHNY NOVGOROD Bus city tour, Kremlin grounds  <b>OPTIONAL: Art Gallery after the city tour</b>
18:45	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
19:00	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Nizhny Novgorod for Cheboksary
19:30	Russian Dinner
21:15	Folk music concert

22:15	Dancing music in the bar
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### DAY 7. Cheboksary

7:00	Wake up call
7:00- 09:00	Breakfast onboard
08:00 – 20:00	CHEBOKSARY
09:00	<b>Bus city tour</b>
13:00-15:30	Lunch aboard
15:00	<b>OPTIONAL: Beer Museum+tasting</b>
15:00	<b>OPTIONAL: The city of Ioshkar-Ola</b>
17:00	Cinema Club
18:00	Live music in the bar
19:45	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
20:00	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Cheboksary for Kazan
20:00-21:30	Dinner aboard
21:30	Dancing music in the bar

### DAY 8. Kazan

6:15	Wake up call
6:30-8:00	Breakfast aboard
08:00 – 12:00	KAZAN
08:00	Bus city tour, Kremlin grounds
11:45	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
12:00	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Kazan for Samara
12:30-14:00	Lunch aboard
14:00	Captain's Bridge tour Group # 1
14:20	Captain's Bridge tour Group # 2
14:40	Captain's Bridge tour Group # 3
15:00	Captain's Bridge tour Group # 4
15:30	Souvenir Shop lecture (The most interesting about the Traditional Russian crafts)
16:30	Russian language class
17:30	Russian Songs class
18:00-18:45	The cruise director is waiting for you at the reception desk to answer your questions
18:30	Live music in the bar
19:15	Dinner
20:30	Documentary on Russian history
21:30	Onboard musicians' concert
22:00	Dancing music in the bar
22:00	Documentary film on Russian history

### DAY 9. Samara

07:15	Wake up call
07:30	Morning exercises
07:30 – 09:30	Breakfast aboard
09:30	Route information "Samara"
10:00 – 14:00	SAMARA Bus city tour, Art gallery
13:00	<b>OPTIONAL: Stalin Bunker</b>
13:45	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
14:00	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Samara for Saratov
14:15-15:30	Lunch aboard

15:30	Watching movie about History of Russia
16:00	Presentation of Russian fairy-tales
17:00	Russian Tea Ceremony – Enjoy the Russian tea culture and learn its history
18:00	Russian Bingo
18:30	Live music in the bar
19:45	Dinner aboard
21:30	Evening show
22:15	Dancing music in the bar

#### DAY 10. Saratov

07:15	Wake up call
07:30	Morning exercises
7:45-9:45	Breakfast aboard
9:45	Route information “Saratov and Volgograd”
10:00	Russian Quiz
11:00 -14:00	SARATOV Bus city tour
13:45	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
14:00	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Saratov for Volgograd
14:15-15:45	Lunch aboard
16:00	Russian songs class
17:00	<b>OPTIONAL: Master-class of matryoshka painting</b>
18:00	Russian dance class
18:30	Live music in the bar
19:30	Dinner aboard
21:00	Folk music concert
22:00	Dancing music in the bar

#### DAY 11. Volgograd

7:30	Wake up call
7:45	Morning exercises
8:00-9:30	Breakfast aboard
9:30-20:00	VOLGOGRAD Bus city tour, Mamayev Mound
13:30-15:00	Lunch aboard
15:00-17:00	<b>OPTIONAL: Panoramic museum “Stalingrad Battle”</b>
18:30	Live music in the bar
19:30	Dinner aboard
19:45	<b>All aboard!</b> You are kindly asked to be onboard in time
20:00	<b>Departure</b> Motorship leaves Volgograd for Astrakhan
20:00	Remembrance ceremony devoted to the soldiers of the World War II
20:15	Dinner aboard
21:45	Evening Show “Russian folk games”
22:15	Dancing music in the bar

#### Day 12. Day on board

7:30	Wake up call
7:45	Morning exercises
8:00-10:00	Breakfast aboard
10:00	Route information “Astrakhan”
10:30	Napkin folding class
11:30	Russian language class
12:30	Round Table: Conversation about Russia today. Board guides are glad to answer every question you have about the Russian Reality
14:00-15:30	Lunch aboard
15:30	Russian songs class
16:30	Russian dance class
17:00	Vodka and blini tasting Party

18:00	The dress rehearsal of the Talent Show. All the dancers and singers are welcome!
18:30	Live music in the bar
19:30	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 13. Astrakhan

7:00	Wake up call
7:15-9:00	Breakfast aboard
8:00	ASTRAKHAN
9:00	Bus city tour, Kremlin grounds <b>OPTIONAL: Art Gallery after the city tour</b>
13:00-14:30	Lunch aboard
14:00-19:00	<b>OPTIONAL: Volga Delta</b> (can be arranged in the morning before the included tour)
18:30	Live music in the bar
19:30	Dinner aboard
21:30	Musical evening in the bar

#### Day 14. Astrakhan

	Wake up call
	Breakfast aboard (for early departures boxed lunch is provided instead)
	Transfer ship – airport (upon the prior request)