



# The Grand Tour of Italy

Cultural Cruise

Europe & Mediterranean coasts / **Nice to Venice**

From 06/19/2026 to 07/04/2026 - 16 days / 15 nights



## Cruises Club Med 2

Welcome aboard Club Med 2, for a unique experience that provides a gateway to the world. Elegance and comfort are the essence of this magnificent 5-masted sailing ship



# The Grand Tour of Italy

◆ From 06/19/2026 to 07/04/2026 - 16 days / 15 nights



## Your cruise

Days	Stages	Arrival	Departure	Nautical Hall
1 - Friday	Nice		19:30	Closed
2 - Saturday	Portovenere	08:00	18:00	Open*
3 - Sunday	Porto Ercole	08:00	18:00	Open*
4 - Monday	Gaeta	08:00	18:00	Closed
5 - Tuesday	Sorrento	08:00	18:00	Closed
6 - Wednesday	Lipari	08:00	18:00	Closed
7 - Thursday	Sailing on the open sea			Closed
8 - Friday	Otranto	08:00	18:00	Closed
9 - Saturday	Bari	07:00	22:00	Closed
10 - Sunday	Brindisi	08:00	18:00	Closed
11 - Monday	Monopoli	07:00	13:00	Closed
12 - Tuesday	Ancona	08:30	18:00	Closed
13 - Wednesday	Ravenna	08:00	18:00	Closed
14 - Thursday	Piran	08:00	18:00	Closed
15 - Friday	Trieste	08:00	18:00	Closed
16 - Saturday	Venise	07:00		Closed

Day 1: Boarding from 16h to 18h  
Day 16: Landing from 9h to 11h





# The Grand Tour of Italy

◆ From 06/19/2026 to 07/04/2026 - 16 days / 15 nights



## Itinerary of your cruise

<b>Day 1 - Friday</b> NICE	From markets to the uber famous Promenade, it cultivates a love of flowers and the arts. It is full of vitality with ambiances that range from neoclassical elegance to the up-beat tempo of the old quarter. Boat docked, no water sports. Boarding and disembarkation port of call.
<b>Day 2 - Saturday</b> PORTOVENERE	This fishing village was an important maritime centre until the 15th century. Its old pastel-coloured houses clinging to the hillside and its narrow intertwining streets demonstrate that it has retained its authenticity. Ship at anchor, water sports.
<b>Day 3 - Sunday</b> PORTO ERCOLE	This Italian fishing port is the refuge of some of Italy's most powerful families and Hollywood stars intent on keeping out of the public eye. With its imposing fortresses built by the Spaniards in the 15th century, ancient buildings in ochre hues and narrow streets decked with colourful flowers, this Italian village oozes with charm.
<b>Day 4 - Monday</b> GAETA	A picturesque port city with fantastic views over the Mediterranean. Its many remains of buildings and walls bear witness to the presence of ancient dynasties. Ship docked, no water sports.
<b>Day 5 - Tuesday</b> SORRENTO	Dazzlingly beautiful, from a strategic position dominating the coast, unique views of vineyards and terraced gardens of citrus trees along the jagged Bay of Naples. Ship at anchor, no water sports and no direct access to a beach.
<b>Day 6 - Wednesday</b> LIPARI	The island's volcanic origins have forged the most astonishing landscapes. Invaded time and again, its citadel reveals the island's multi-faceted personality through the multiple influences of its architecture. Ship at anchor. No Water sports.
<b>Day 7 - Thursday</b> SAILING ON THE OPEN SEA	A restorative day at sea. Choose from the range of inviting possibilities on our remarkable sailing ship. Lounge on chaise longues, cool off in one of our two swimming pools, work out with a sea view in our Espace Fitness, find instant calm at the spa and enjoy the attentive company of our G.O® team and crew members.
<b>Day 8 - Friday</b> OTRANTO	The old town of Otranto, located in Puglia at the heel of the Italian boot, is absolutely splendid. Its surrounding ramparts that protect the Aragonese castle, its white alleys and the pretty view of the small fishing port give it the appearance of an Arab town. Boat at anchor, beach, dive locker closed.
<b>Day 9 - Saturday</b> BARI	The capital of Puglia, Bari has always been a crossroads between East and West. The city is distinguished by the diversity of its districts: Murattiano, with its elegant boulevards and Art Nouveau buildings, leads to Bari Vecchia, a labyrinth of narrow streets and lively streetscape. Boat docked, no water sports and no direct access to a beach.
<b>Day 10 - Sunday</b> BRINDISI	This ancient port city of Imperial Rome was the gateway to the Orient and a point of departure for the crusaders. The old town faces out to the horizon and is full of churches basilicas, fountains and oratories. Ship docked, no water sports.
<b>Day 11 - Monday</b> MONOPOLI	Considered one of the most beautiful historic centers in Puglia, this charming fishing port, with its winding streets, fortress and white-fronted houses, has retained its charm and soul. Ship at anchor, no water sports.
<b>Day 12 - Tuesday</b> ANCONA	A city of art founded by the Greeks, it is divided into two parts: its thousand-year-old historic center and its modern part. From the city's highest point, discover the Cathedral of Saint Ciriaco, before descending to the port to admire Trajan's triumphal arch and the remains of the Roman amphitheatre. Boat at quay, no water sports.
<b>Day 13 - Wednesday</b> RAVENNA	Open to the Adriatic Sea, Ravenna enjoys a unique and priceless heritage. Renowned for its mosaics that adorn many religious buildings, the city is home to more than a dozen ancient monuments listed as UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Boat at quay. No Water sports.
<b>Day 14 - Thursday</b> PIRAN	Located on a craggy peninsula with a baroque bell-tower that soars above the ochre rooftops of its ancient buildings, the narrow cobbled streets and little port, this is one of the prettiest towns on the Slovenian coast. Ship at anchor, water sports not available.
<b>Day 15 - Friday</b> TRIESTE	Capital of the Friuli-Venezia Giulia region, the port city occupies a narrow strip of land between the Adriatic coast and the Slovenian border. The medieval old town and neoclassical Austrian quarter bear witness to its Italian, Austro-Hungarian and Slovenian influences. Ship docked, no water sports.
<b>Day 16 - Saturday</b> VENICE	The City of Water is a fascinating blend of architectural styles, its soul intimately woven into its labyrinth of narrow streets and canals, its palaces and bell towers, squares and churches. Ship docked. Passengers boarding and disembarking at this port of call.



# The Grand Tour of Italy

◆ From 06/19/2026 to 07/04/2026 - 16 days / 15 nights



## Excursions of your cruise

\* Excursion available at a preferential rate when booking your cruise. Subject to a minimum number of participants.





# The Grand Tour of Italy

◆ From 06/19/2026 to 07/04/2026 - 16 days / 15 nights



## Formalities

### CUSTOMS FORMALITIES

For all UK citizens, a valid passport is essential when you travel abroad. A full 10-year passport is required for holidays to all countries featured on our website. The passport must be valid for at least 6 months beyond your return date with one blank visa page. Make sure your passport is valid and check with the embassy or the consulate of your destination country if you need a visa for your chosen destination prior to travel. It is vital that the name given when booking your holiday (printed on the ticket and itinerary) is exactly the same as written on your passport. Any child, however old, must have his/her own passport. Please note Club Med cannot be held responsible for any issue with regards to passport or visas.

### HEALTH FORMALITIES

Safe Together.

Club Med has implemented new hygiene and safety measures to offer you peace of mind and a most joyful experience.

As part of the fight against Covid-19, health measures at the borders are being reinforced and may in particular require a virological screening test (for example PCR test) depending on your country of origin, transit or destination before your departure and/or before your return.

We suggest you obtain more information from the consular services of the countries concerned or on the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of your nationality and/or place of residence.

Recommended vaccinations: diphtheria, polio, tetanus, hepatitis A and B and typhoid.

Pregnant women who do not need constant medical supervision may come aboard, upon presentation of a medical certificate showing their due date and certifying that their pregnancy is compatible with the cruise.

The final day of the cruise must be before the end of the 26th week of pregnancy.

A doctor and a nurse are present on board.

## Meeting place for boarding

Port of Nice. Commercial wharf (or sometimes Quai Admiral Infernet). The 2 docks are close, the port is small. We can not miss to see the CM2. Airport / port distance: 9 km (about 30 minutes). Paid open parking (located Quai Amiral Infernet). Website: [www.riviera-ports.com](http://www.riviera-ports.com).

