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 Tall Ships Regatta

OOSTERSCHELDE: ROUEN (FR) - SCHEVENINGEN (NL)

16 JUNE - 20 JUNE 2019
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in 4-person cabin: € 295,00

in 2-person cabin : € 395,00

2-p. cabin with Parade of Sail : €
460,00

4-p. cabin with Parade of Sail : €
360,00

Limited availability: last place for a man in 4-person cabin The Liberty Tall Ships Regatta. Join the Oosterschelde for this short but exciting journey, part of a large Sail Training International event. During your stay on board you will see other Tall Ships and race them on the English Channel before reaching Scheveningen, just out of The Hague. There you can disembark right after arrival or choose to stay for a bit longer and join the Parade of Sail for an additional EUR 65. Important: you will take a bus from Rouen with the other trainees from a set meeting point. The bus will bring you to the Ship and you will sail out towards Le Havre to spend the night there before starting the race the following morning. Open for all ages, minimum age 15 years. Last places: contact info@windseeker.org to confirm availability.

MAX (17) GERMANY

"THE WIND INCREASED AND WHEN WE TOOK DOWN SOME SAILS, I FELT THE ADRENALIN RUSH THROUGH MY BODY "

PORTS

Rouen is a city with long history located on the River Seine in Normandy, North France. It's also the venue of L'Armada, a sailing festival which will celebrate its 30th anniversary in 2019. When visiting Rouen you can't miss the Gothic Cathedral and Palais de Justice. For nature lovers the Roumare Forest just outside the city is the place to be, while art enthusiasts should visit Musee Secq des Tournelles – the wrought iron museum.



WIETZE (16) NETHERLANDS "TEAMWORK IS THE KEY"

Scheveningen is a popular sea resort in the Netherlands, a stone's throw away from the seat of government in The Hague. It has a busy marina and a lively (somewhat kitschy) promenade – great for an afternoon of sightseeing. You'll also find plenty to do nearby. Go for a walk in the dune landscape or take a tour around the Palace of Peace. Visit Madurodam to see the Netherlands rebuilt in miniature, check out the city centre of The Hague, or explore the beach and perhaps even go kitesurfing.



LIFE ON BOARD

Life on Board of Tall Ships is really nothing comparable to your daily routine.

Wake up, and smell the coffee! A day in the life of a Windseeker starts with a hearty breakfast. With the Tall Ship as your home, you'll need those calories!

No day will be the same. From lazy sunny afternoons with Bob Marley swaying on deck, to wind-filled rainy nights with one eye on the ship's radar and the other checking the jib.

This is life to the max. Life brought down to its essence. Wood, steel, lines, wind, waves... One watch checks the oil in the engine room, the other takes a well-deserved hot shower after that chilly morning sunrise at sea.

There's laughter in the galley. Someone cracked a dirty joke. Serene silence on the aft deck. A group of young Windseekers soaking up the moments.

Wind seems to be shifting. Time to trim the sails. Together, as a team. Apple in mouth, zipping up your jacket you move forward. Pull the sheet just a bit tighter, or keep it loose for a while longer and see what she does? Only six miles to port. What do you think?

Then, everything moves. The deck is buzzing. Lines lying around, sails flapping as your fellow Windseekers turn the bow into the wind. It'll be easier for you and your team to take them down this way. Fenders out!

The engine roars. Forward, back, forward, maneuvering alongside the quay. The lights of the harbor inn glisten invitingly over the water. A line is thrown to the old fisherman standing ashore. And another. Until a clenched fist is raised to the wheelhouse and the roaring stops. Fast!

Time to get the Tall Ship organized again, before a well deserved meal together. A meal prepared by those girls who said they couldn't cook. It tastes great.

Playing cards come out. Impressions are shared. The guys from the other cabin do a quick batch of laundry. Someone yawns, more follow. It's the cue to hit the bunk for a good night's sleep.

Because tomorrow will be a completely new day. A new day, with new horizons. Jump on one of our Tall Ships for a unique sailing adventure!

KEY POINTS

- Dates: 16 June 2019 - 20 June 2019
- Embarkation: 18:30 / Disembarkation: 9:00
- For Windseekers of all ages, minimum age 15 years
- Windseekers joining: maximum of 24
- No sailing experience required!
- Official language on board: English
- Price includes: accommodation and meals, excludes drinks at the bar
- Price excludes transportation costs to-and from the ports. Our travel counsellor can advise you and book your transfers
- Windseekers need to have a health insurance and a travel insurance
- Need to take with you on board: towels
- French Windseekers need to become member of Les Amis des Grands Voiliers

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