



NICHOLLS FOUNDATION
Trip to France
April 18 to 27, 2018
Led by Chef John Kozar



\$3,890.00 per person, double occupancy
\$3,810.00 per person, triple occupancy
\$4,610.00 single occupancy

Airport taxes and fuel surcharges (approximately \$140.00) are included yet may vary slightly.
Adjustments will be made at the time of final invoicing.

INCLUSIVE FEATURES

- Economy class air transportation on scheduled airlines from New Orleans, Louisiana
 - 8 nights' hotel accommodation in 4* properties, including buffet breakfast
 - 6 dinners, including 1 at the hotel, 3 at special selected restaurants, 1 at the Paul Bocuse's Gourmet School of Cuisine and 1 on a river cruise in Paris
- Airport transfers and ground transportation by private, deluxe motor coach
 - High-speed train from Lyon to Paris
- Guided sightseeing tours and excursions as detailed in the itinerary
 - Tour leader assistance throughout the stay in France

TOUR ITINERARY

Day 1: Wednesday, April 18 - NEW ORLEANS/PARIS

Depart from New Orleans airport for a U.S. gateway city and connect on the international flight for Paris. Dinner and breakfast will be served on board. (M)

Day 2: Thursday, April 19 - PARIS/CAEN

Arrive at Paris airport and, after clearing immigration and customs, meet your tour guide. Ride the coach through the French countryside to reach Caen. Settle in and adjust to the new time before savoring a welcome dinner which will be served at or near the hotel. (D)

Day 3: Friday, April 20 - CAEN/NORMANDY COAST/CAEN

Today, travel along the picturesque Norman coast for a full day tour of the **Beaches of Normandy**, the must-see World War II sites where the Allies landed in 1944. Visit the **Landing Museum** and the impressive **American Cemetery** in Saint Laurent/Colleville sur Mer honoring the American soldiers who lost their lives during the Battle of Normandy. Continue to **Pointe du Hoc**, a German battery devastated by US soldiers on D-Day. Explore the area in a little free time and reflect on all the important historical events that took place here, before returning to the hotel. The evening is yours to discover on your own Caen, one of the oldest university towns in France and find a charming bistro for dinner. (B)

Day 4: Saturday, April 21 - CAEN/MONT ST. MICHEL/TOURS

After breakfast, transfer to the **Monastery of Le Mont St. Michel**, one of the first landmarks to be classified as a UNESCO World Heritage site. The famous mediaeval walled city is crowned by its gothic abbey and built on a small outcrop surrounded by a magnificent bay that is one of the greatest tidal ranges in Europe, resulting in a breathtaking view. At the end of the visit, continue through the amazing **Loire Valley**, home to France's finest chateaus. Dinner is at a selected restaurant. (B, D)



TOUR ITINERARY

Day 5: Sunday, April 22 - TOURS/CHENONCEAUX/LYON

This morning features a guided visit to the stunning 16th-century **Château de Chenonceau**, one of the most famous and visited castles in the Loire valley. After free time here to further explore the chateau and expansive gardens, continue to Lyon and, upon arrival, dinner will be served at a select restaurant. (B, D)

Day 6: Monday, April 23 - LYON

The day is at leisure to explore Lyon independently. In the evening, take part in a special tour of **Paul Bocuse's Gourmet School of Cuisine**, followed by dinner. (B, D)

Day 7: Tuesday, April 24 - LYON/PARIS

After breakfast, take part in a sightseeing tour of Lyon, including the **Basilica Fourviere** set in a dominant position overlooking the city, and the **Old Town** listed as Unesco World Heritage area. After free time for lunch, board the fast train to Paris. Tonight, as the sun sets and night falls over the city, experience an unforgettable dinner cruise on the river Seine. (B, D)

Day 8: Wednesday, April 25 - PARIS

The morning sightseeing tour of Paris includes the Gothic **Notre Dame Cathedral** and a panoramic visit of the most recognizable symbol of the city of Paris, the **Eiffel Tower** and **L'Arch de Triomphe**, built in honor of those who fought for France. Finally, reach the famous boulevard of **Champ-Elysees** and take advantage of the rest of the day at leisure for shopping and independent exploration of the City of Love. (B)

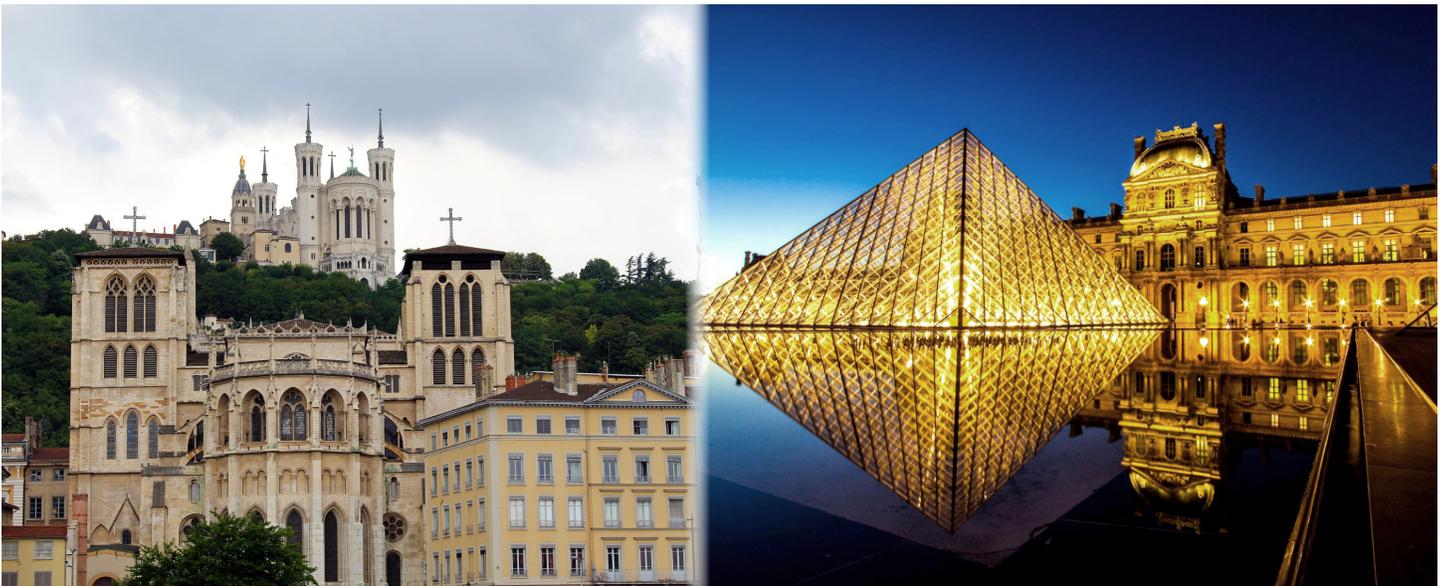
Day 9: Thursday, April 26 - PARIS

The event of the day is a visit to the **Louvre Museum**, one of the finest in the world home to hundreds of thousands of classic and modern masterpieces, including Leonardo Da Vinci's mysterious **Mona Lisa**. The remainder of the day is open for last minute independent sightseeing, shopping or packing, before joining a special Farewell Dinner. (B, D)

Day 10: Friday, April 27 - PARIS/NEW ORLEANS

Transfer to the airport and assistance with check-in formality. Arrive at the hometown airport. You will be asking yourself "where did the time go?". (M)

Legend: M = Meals served on board - B = Breakfast - L = Lunch - D = Dinner



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RESERVATION FORM - NICHOLLS FOUNDATION TRIP TO FRANCE
Reservation Form and Contract between Tour Participant and Tour Operator



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This form must be fully completed, in clear print, by the participant and returned with deposit no later than January 5, 2018. Please make checks payable to: Caravelle Tours Inc. and mail to the above address, along with a copy of your passport. If you are not yet in possession of your passport, send in the filled out reservation form with a note "passport to follow". Passport must be received by February 7. **SPACE IS LIMITED.** Reservations will be confirmed on a first come, first served basis.

(Please circle/add title) LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE NAME (full name as it appears on passport)

Mr., Mrs., Ms., _____ Birth date _____

Mr., Mrs., Ms., _____ Birth date _____

Mr., Mrs., Ms., _____ Birth date _____

Address (P.O. box not accepted) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone () _____ E-Mail (please print clearly) _____

Cell Phone/s () _____

AIRLINE RESERVATIONS

- I will not be departing from New Orleans, LA. I would like a quotation for flights departing from _____*
- *please refer to "Air Transportation" under Terms and Conditions

ROOM ACCOMMODATION

- Single (subject to availability) I hope to find a roommate (single supplement applies until one is found)
- Double (one queen bed)
- Twin (two single beds) Roommate, if not listed above and on other reservation form _____
- Triple (please underline choice: three single beds or one queen and one single bed. Third bed may be a rollaway).
Roommates, if not listed above and on other Reservation form) _____

PAYMENT

Deposit due by January 5, 2018: \$400.00 per person (credit cards only) - Final Payment due by February 7, 2018

I authorize Caravelle Tours to charge my deposit of \$ _____ on the credit card listed below:

Visa MasterCard Discover American Express

Card Number _____ Expiration Date _____ 3 Digit Code _____

Name appearing on credit card _____

Billing address if different than above _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Please choose one of the following options:

- I will send a check for the final payment which is due by February 7, 2018.
- I authorize Caravelle Tours to charge my final payment on the credit card listed above on February 7, 2018.

I/we have read the terms and conditions stated in the brochure, especially those regarding Tour Prices, Cancellations/Modification Fees and Air Transportation, understand the details of the tour and agree to be bound thereby for myself and anyone else registered on this form. I/we understand that travel protection is available and that forms will be sent to me with the initial confirmation of the trip, following the reservation deadline of January 5, 2018.

Signature _____ Date _____

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS - NICHOLLS FOUNDATION TRIP TO FRANCE

Tour Prices: Prices are based on the exchange rate of the dollar in effect at the time of brochure distribution. Should the value of the dollar drop significantly, the prices will be adjusted accordingly. The variation will be reflected in the final invoice sent prior to the final payment deadline. Those that wish to fix the exchange rate may pay in full by the deposit deadline.

Reservation, Deposit and Final Payment: A non-refundable \$400 per person deposit is required by the deposit due date in order to make reservations, along with a signed copy of the registration form as well as a copy of the passport/s. If you are not in possession of your passport, send in your reservation with the note "copy of passport to follow". Passport must be submitted by final payment. Final payment is due 90 days prior to departure. Late payments are subject to a \$50.00 handling charge. Late registration (sixty days prior to departure) requires a full payment by cashier check and is subject to availability. All checks should be made payable to Caravelle Tours Inc. Bank fees resulting from returned checks or charges from a financial institution for denied payments will have to be covered by the client.

Cancellation/Modification Fees: The deposit is non-refundable. The following per person fees will apply in case of cancellation: 50% of the total tour price from 60 to 31 days prior to departure; no refund from 30 days prior up to departure. Name substitutions or reinstatement of a previously cancelled reservation may be possible up to 14 days prior to departure. A processing fee of \$50 per person will apply, in addition to any additional costs charged by the airline/s. Cancellations/modifications can only be accepted in writing. Travel protection is available and highly encouraged (application forms will be provided upon confirmation of tour, at the reservation deadline).

Passport and Visa: All U.S. citizens travelling to Europe require a passport valid at least 6 months after travel dates. U.S. citizens do not need a visa to enter France. Non U.S. citizens must check entry requirements with their respective Consulate.

Air Transportation: Transatlantic airfare is based on a special economy class contracted fare, on regularly scheduled airlines and other IATA carriers. Total cost of taxes, security/fuel surcharges will be advised in the final invoice, however, is subject to change up to 30 days prior to departure. Deviation of departure or return date/city is possible for a limited number of seats, if the request is made at the time of reservation. A \$50.00 deviation fee per person applies plus any additional costs applied by the airline.

Land Transportation: As specified in the itinerary. Ground transportation will be provided by deluxe, air conditioned motor coaches.

Hotels: Accommodation will be provided at the hotel described in the brochure. All rooms are with private bath. Occasionally, hotels may be substituted by others of a similar category or better at no extra cost to the passenger. All rates are per person. Single rooms, although assuring privacy, may be smaller in size and not ideally located.

Meals: Snacks and meals are served on all transatlantic flights and all other carriers as specified by the single contractor involved. Buffet breakfast at the hotels and other meal's will be provided as noted in the program.

Tipping: All gratuities and handling charges to hotel staff, porters, chambermaids and waiter are included. Personal tipping to guides, tour directors and drivers are **not** included. Guidelines will be provided with final travel documents.

Baggage Handling: Checked baggage will be limited to one piece per person, plus one carry on. The tour operator accepts no liability for loss and damage of luggage, although maximum care will be taken to ensure safe handling of your luggage. Travel protection is highly suggested.

Travelers Who Need Special Assistance On Tour: You must report to Caravelle Tours any disability requiring special attention while on tour at the time the reservation is made. Caravelle Tours will make reasonable attempts to accommodate the special needs of disabled travellers, but is not responsible in the event it is

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unable to do so nor responsible for any denial of services by air carriers, hotels, restaurants, or other independent suppliers. Caravelle Tours cannot provide individual assistance to a tour participant for walking, dining, getting on and off coaches and other vehicles, or other personal needs. A qualified and physically able companion must accompany travellers who need such assistance. If we are not notified at time of reservation of any disability requiring special attention, Caravelle Tours reserves the right to cancel your booking or terminate your tour if your special needs or disabilities are not suitable for the vacation, are incompatible with other travellers, or if you are not traveling with a companion who provides all the assistance you require. Caravelle Tours will not refund or cover any costs or expenses incurred for cancellation, booking, or termination of the vacation. Cancellation penalties, as above, apply. Not all sightseeing stops/sites accommodate wheelchairs, and some locations and sightseeing activities require extensive standing, sitting, or walking—sometimes on unpaved or cobblestone streets. Caravelle Tours will not refund or cover any cost or expense incurred for any missed activities due to a participant's inability to fully participate with the group. The Americans with Disabilities Act is only applicable within the United States, and facilities for disabled individuals are limited outside its borders. Most transportation services, including the touring coaches, are not equipped with wheelchair ramps. Motorized scooters and motorized wheelchairs are not suitable for international travel and are not permitted on Caravelle Tours tours.

Exclusions: Expenses and items not mentioned in this brochure are not covered, including but not limited to: passport fees, visas, meals (other than stated in the brochure), items of a personal nature and transportation to/from home and home town airports.

Responsibility: The responsibility of Caravelle Tours Inc, herein after called the "Operator", his and or their agent is limited. They act only as agent for the passenger in regard to travel whether by railroad, motor coach, private car, boat, aircraft or any other conveyance, and assume no liability for injury, damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be occasioned by either reason of defect, through the acts or default of any company or person engaged in conveying the passenger or in carrying out the arrangements of the tour, or as a direct or indirect result of acts of God, dangers incident to the sea, fire, breakdown in machinery or equipment, act of governments or other authorities, de jure or de facto, wars, whether declared or not, hostilities, civil disturbances, strikes, riots, theft, pilferage, epidemics, quarantines, medical or customs regulations, or from any causes beyond the Operator's control, or from any loss or damage resulting from improper passport, visas or other documents. The airlines concerned are not responsible for any act, omission or event during the time you are not aboard the aircraft. The passenger contract in use by the airline, when issued, constitutes the sole contract between you and airline. Anyone not utilizing the pre-arranged transportation is responsible for the subsequent transportation. No changes in the itinerary are expected but we reserve the right to make them if necessary. Because of unforeseen changes in transportation schedules, the land portion of your tour may be occasionally extended or curtailed. The Operator cannot be responsible for changes of itinerary. The number of days indicated for each itinerary begins with the day of scheduled departure and ends with the scheduled return arrival day, irrespective of the hour of departure or return, and may vary due to transportation schedule changes. The Operator reserves the right to accept or retain anyone as a passenger on its trip, or to cancel a trip. After refunding all partial and full payments, the Operator has no other obligations to passengers on cancelled trip. Unused portions of the itinerary are not refundable. Full or partial payment for a trip reservation constitutes agreement to all the provision of the brochure.



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