

Tour arrangements and other areas

Special discounts

Group discount: Ten or more persons signing-up at the same time receive a US \$125 per person discount off the regular tour price.

Bring a riding friend discount: Solo riders signing-up at the same time and rooming together in a double room save US \$85 per person off the rider regular tour price. A couple riding solo on 2 bikes also qualify.

Early bird booking discount: Sign-up for a tour at least 6 months prior to a tour start date and save US \$75 per person off the regular tour price.

Repeat rider discount: If you joined us previously for a tour or rental, you qualify for a special 5% reduction off the regular tour price.

Combine these discounts. They are indicated on your booking confirmation invoice.

Early arrival or delayed departure

If you want to spend one or more days in Mainz prior to the start of a tour and/or in Frankfurt after a tour, Bosenberg can make your hotel reservations in the 4**** first class tour hotels we use. You can optionally rent your tour bike model or go by foot. Single and double room prices include breakfast. Book your rooms through us and we also provide for airport transfers to/from your hotel based on your flight plans. You receive a specially prepared 10-piece early arrival packet to help you explore the Rhineland-Palatinate capital of Mainz. Romans founded this 2,000 year old city nestled in the Rhinehessen vineyards. Today this university city with 190,000 inhabitants has a good night life, varied cultural activities and historic quarters to delight visitors. Take a Rhine river cruise, do some window (or real) shopping in over 200 stores, choose from over 50 outdoor cafes or 300 restaurants, enjoy one of the wine taverns featuring local grapes; visit the cathedral, Johannes Gutenberg or Roman Ship museums, or just plain relax at one of the numerous beer gardens.

Post and/or pre-tour bike rental

You can optionally rent your designated tour model with unlimited mileage for a few days, a week or longer prior to and/or after a tour. Rates are listed at our tour overviews. With the Rhine valley, Hunsrueck and Rhinehessen hills just minutes away, and the Moselle valley, Palatinate forest and Eifel hills under an hour, you can ride to your heart's content using the local region as your base, or of course, to plan your own extended individual tour to other destinations and countries. Dealers close Sundays and require a Monday thru Saturday pick-up and return. We also provide for airport transfers to/from your dealer based on your flight plan.

Rental car for family or friends

Anyone, whether they ride or not, are welcome to join us on any tour. Parties should make their own rental car arrangements to coincide with your tour dates. Rental car participants pay the passenger price and also receive a tour information packet.

Weather

In the Alps the best riding weather is late May to late September. Valley temperatures are from 15 to 28 degrees Centigrade (60 to 85 degrees Fahrenheit). It is cooler riding on mountain passes. Chilly nights are possible in the mountains. It is also possible for rapid weather changes to bring rain or even a brief snowstorm at the top of the highest of passes in summer! Whether in a valley or at 2,500 meters, riders should be prepared for various riding conditions at all times of the year. You receive a recommended riding gear and clothing list with your tour packet.

Riding apparel

Your dealer providing a motorcycle also sells a wide variety of riding apparel with quality name brand jackets, gloves, leathers, boots, rain suits and other clothing items. Rental helmets are also available.



There's always time for sightseeing (and shopping).

Euroriding instruction

You receive a detailed safety briefing when picking up a motorcycle. Riders operate bikes without passengers on the tour start day to familiarize themselves with controls and braking. A safety instruction slide show highlights Euroriding for the specific tour countries, roads and terrain, international traffic signs, recommended riding techniques and tips to help make your trip safer and more enjoyable from the very first day. Before you ride passes in the Alps, you have a few days in the saddle to adjust to your mount and the roads. As your trip progresses, advance riding tips to improve your techniques and handling are covered at the daily morning briefings.

Air transportation

For North American riders, flight departures should be at least 1 day prior to your tour start to arrive in Germany the next day for your tour, which starts on Tuesday. Because of constantly changing airfares, frequent flyer programs and discount opportunities for both domestic and international flights, we do not include the cost of airfare in our tour prices. Review an on-line travel page listed at our home page links section for your air reservations and the best seats or lowest-price airfare possible.

Private tours

We offer special private group tours for friends, clubs and companies for 8 or more persons at a Frankfurt/Main, Germany gateway. Reserve a tour solely for your group with dates and itinerary as described in this brochure or select another tour on proven routes we have conducted previously such as:

10, 12 or 14-day Burgundy & Swiss Alps tour with Switzerland, the Black Forest, Burgundy, Franche-Comte and Alsace in France;

9, 12 or 14-day Classic Alps tour in the Black Forest, Switzerland, Italy, Austria and Bavaria;

10, 12 or 14-day French & Swiss Alps tour in France, Switzerland, Italy and Black Forest;

5, 7, 10 or 12-day Castles & Grapes tour (separate tour information sheet) in Rhine and Moselle river valleys, Eifel, Nürburgring, Luxembourg and Alsace/France;

7, 10 or 14-day Heart of Germany tour in eastern and western areas, Thuringen, Rhoen, Berlin and Bavaria.

Please provide us your time frame, tour area and days, expected bike models and quantity, estimated number of persons and any special requests. Bosenberg provides you a specific free-of-charge tour offer with prices and features on your requested itinerary. Use our expertise for a great ride in the heart of Europe.

Custom and incentive tours

Whether castle hotel hopping, wine regions, the Alps, a Grand Prix race, Munich Oktoberfest ride, sport-riding, gourmet dining and wining with Michelin and Gault-Millau standards, or your own special ideas, Bosenberg plans and implements custom and incentive travel tour itineraries from 5 days or more for groups of 12 or more at a Frankfurt/Main, Germany gateway. Choose your hotel from 3*** to 5***** star, motorcycle rental, optional luggage van and other Bosenberg support which meets your requirements, expectations and budget.

Scenic routes are based upon your wishes and are planned thoroughly and executed flawlessly. Our experience, knowledge, sources and dedication provide perfect riding vacations for your group or special performers. Request our 4-page custom and incentive tour travel planner for a free quote based upon your particular requirements and wishes.

Bank funds wire

Tour bookings should be followed within 7 days by a deposit of a personal check, postal money order, credit card authorization or a bank funds wire transfer to:

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