

Wollaton Travel Service

ESCORTED HOLIDAY

Bruges, Medieval Flanders, Amsterdam & The Dutch Bulb Fields



**12th April 27
8 days**

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Our 2026 river trip is sailing through Belgium and the Netherlands visiting the amazing floral displays of the Keukenhof Gardens; poignant war sites; seeing the highlights of Amsterdam, Bruges & Ghent.

We travel by **air or by rail** to our new ship the MS Resplendence, moored in Amsterdam, before we sail around the many waterways of this area. We visit the heart of the Dutch Bulb fields, very pretty at this time of year, Arnhem (bridge too far), Oosterbrook, Antwerp with its Grote Markt, Ghent the medieval gem or Ypres with a visit to the Tyne Cot cemetery. Bruges with its many canals and ornate buildings and finally Amsterdam where we have a boat tour to see this unique city along with free time to maybe take in an art gallery or museum.



We sail on the MS Resplendence our 'hotel that moves' launched in 2025. The three decks all have large cabins with the Diamond and Ruby cabins having floor to ceiling glass doors giving fabulous views. The air conditioning, safe, mini-bar bathrobes and tea and coffee making facilities and gym all enhance your stay. There are three restaurants serving great food as we stay on **Full Board**, a lovely light airy bar and lounge. The sun deck makes an ideal viewing platform enhanced by a putting green & splash pool. Free Wi-fi, A lift between the Diamond, Ruby and Emerald deck cabins with 'Swan view' windows makes for easy access. This cruise includes a **Superior Drinks package**.



Price: Emerald Deck Twin/Double £2549.00p/p Ruby Deck £3,149 p/p Limited Single cabins available. Feature cabin rooms available at a supplement. Deposit £500 p/p. Rail Upgrades Available

This trip is arranged in partnership with Riviera Holidays ATOL and ABTA Protected

Proposed Itinerary

Monday 12th April Home pick-up for your accompanied, train or flight to Amsterdam and transfer to the MS Resplendence with time to settle in and explore the local area.



Tuesday We travel to Keukenhof to visit the heart of the Dutch fields and enjoy the 80 acres of the worlds largest flower garden. The displays are amazing. We have free time in the afternoon to explore Amsterdam and its great collections.

Wednesday We enjoy a scenic cruise to Nijmegen and then Arnhem (bridge too far) to visit the battle HQ of the 1st Airborne museum which gives a very realistic insight. We then visit the Commonwealth War cemetery at Oosterbrook.

Thursday Our afternoon tour of Antwerp takes in the Grote Markt, the Renaissance town hall and the opulent Brabo Fountain with free time to look around.

Friday Either have a walking tour of Ghent seeing the lovely waterfront and the Adoration in the Bavo cathedral before free time. Or, join the tour to Ypres for a tour seeing the Menin gate and time for reflection at the very moving Tyne Cot Cemetery.

Saturday We drive to Bruges for our guided tour taking in seeing the serene canals, narrow streets, gabled houses and Belfry. Free time to explore the many points of interest in the afternoon.

Sunday On arrival in Amsterdam we take a glass topped boat to view and hear about the many facets of local life as we see the great architecture. Free time to explore more of this lovely city.

Monday 19th April After a leisurely breakfast we make our way back home by either plane or train.

For this trip if you wish to take the train you will need to be able to handle your own luggage on the trains or, we can put you in touch with the 'The Baggage man' who will collect and deliver your bags door to door.

We hope you can join us for this trip. G.L.