Saturday, 21 April: ROTHENBURG / DINKELSBUHL

Rothenburg: The epitome of the medieval German town. Situated amidst lovely castle towers, flying buttresses and magnificent courtyards, 
Dinkelsbuhl: Former imperial city with picturesque medieval townscapes and perfectly preserved town wall. Wintermarkt with magnificent gabled houses, "Deutsches Haus" with decorative statues, St. George's minster.

Registration: starts Monday, 26 April Price: € 23,- (incl. transport, tours and entrance fees) Departure: 7:30 a.m.

Thursday, 21 April: MOSELLE

A trip to the unique wine-growing area in the valley of the river Mosel (Mosel) with its stylish villages, romantic fortresses. Cochem with historic old town and visit to the many lovely Mosel Imperial Fortresses with superb views of the Mosel valley.

Trip by boat from Traben-Trarbach to Bernkastel-Kues - a famous wine venue with picturesque ancient Marktplatz and many half-timbered buildings.

Registration: starts Monday, 28 May Price: € 23,- (incl. transport, tours, entrance fee and boat trip) Departure: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday, 28 April: AUGSBURG / ULM

Augsburg: Explore the second oldest German city of over 2000 years with its glorious history: mighty Renaissance town hall with its stunning "Golden Hall", Maximilianstrasse - a splendid avenue of the imperial city; cathedral with windows of the prophets (oldest German figural glasspaintings), Ulm - old imperial city on the banks of the Danube; gothic Minster with the highest spire in the world; town hall with gorgeous fresco paintings, picturesque former leather hall and fishing district along the old town wall.

Registration: starts Tuesday, 2 May Price: € 18,- (incl. transport, tours and entrance fee) Departure: 7:00 a.m.

Tuesday, 01 May (holiday): TRIER

A tour of a city that is over 2000 years old. The Roman Trier (UNESCO World Heritage): Porta Nigra: the most imposing gateway in the Roman fortifications; Aula Regia/Basilica: once Emperor Constantine's throne room; Kaiserhof: the former Imperial Bath; Amphitheatre: a stadium for gladiators; Medieval Trier: main marketplace with the Great Market Cross; Dom (Romanesque cathedral); Liebfrauenkirche: an extraordinary church with its fascinating architecture.

Registration: starts Monday 23 April Price: € 18,- (incl. transport, tour and entrance fees) Departure: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday, 05 May: LAKE CONSTANCE II

Lake Constance (Bodensee) is also known as the "Swiss Sea": a trip to a most popular destination for excursions.

Island of Reichenau (UNESCO World Heritage): "the cradle of occidental culture" with its famous early medieval monastic architecture and a unique island landscape. Konstanz: picturesque old town; minister with "gold masterpieces of Konstanz"; harbour with "court building" and "imperial" statue. Ferroboat to Meersburg: "the most beautiful town on the shoreline" with sunny, southern seashore promenade and upper town with Old Castle.

Registration: starts Monday, 30 April Price: € 23,- (incl. transport, tours and ferryboat) Departure: 6:30 a.m.

Thursday, 10 May (holiday): TUBINGEN / HOHENZOLLERN II

For description see 06 May. Registration: starts Monday, 07 May Price: € 23,- (incl. transport, tours and city tours and fees) Departure: 8:00 a.m.

From Friday, 11 May (starts 9 a.m.): Registration for BAVARIA I (26.27.05.) and BAVARIA II (02.03.06.)

Saturday, 12 May: LAKE CONSTANCE II

Registration: starts Monday, 07 May Price: € 23,- (incl. transport, tours and ferryboat) Departure: 6:30 a.m.

Saturday, 26 / 27 May: BAVARIA I

Neuschwanstein; the "fairytale castle" of King Ludwig II of Bavaria; Oberammergau with its popular wallpaintings; Füssen with medieval castle town; Füssen: a picturesque mountain lake in Tury/Austria; Wasserburg (UNESCO World Heritage): the most picturesque castle in Bavaria; one of the most perfect works of the Bavarian Rococo; Garmisch; Partenkirchen with City and Stadium and through the Parthenon (a wild and bizarre rocky gorge).

Registration: starts Friday, 11 May - from 9 a.m. Price: € 75,- (incl. transport, overnight stay with breakfast and dinner in youth hostel in Oberammergau) Departure: 6:30 a.m.

Excursion also available on 02/03 June

Friday, 08 June: Registration for Baltic Sea (28.06. - 01.07.)

Saturday, 09 June: REGENSBURG / DANUBE

Discover a unique Old Town ensemble (UNESCO World Heritage), where the Middle Ages come alive. More than 1000 historical buildings and magnificent palaces with lofty towers are a sign of the old imperial city. Stone Bridge (12th century): a highlight of medieval bridge building; Old Town Hall with "Imperial Diet Chamber"; Dom (Cathedral). Boat trip on the Danube, passing the "Donaudurchbruch" (most impressive gorge with steep rock faces) to Weltenburg Abbey: oldest monastery in Bavaria with the oldest monumental brewery of the world.

Registration: starts Monday, 04 June Price: € 21,- (incl. transport, tour and boat trip) Departure: 6:30 a.m.

Saturday, 16 June: MARBURG

Tour through the romantic university city including the medieval Old Town high up above the river Lahn with its narrow winding lanes and quaint, steep stone steps, its historical market square and fine half-timber houses, the Old University with its Great Hall, the significantly significant church of St. Elizabeth (Germany's first all-Gothic structure) with the golden shrine of St. Elizabeth, the impressive Marburg Castle. Romantische Rundreisen (UNESCO World Heritage): The 2000 year-old reconstructed Roman fort is a trip through time and a vivid picture of customs and culture of the Roman era.

Registration: starts Monday, 11 June Price: € 16,- (incl. transport, tour and entrance fees) Departure: 7:30 a.m.

Thursday, 28 June – Sunday, 01 July: The BALTIC SEA

The varied trip takes us to the famous trading towns of the Hanseatic League and to the beautiful landscape of the North German Baltic region. Hanseatic City Lübeck ("Queen of the Hanseatic League"): On the site of Hamburg and Hanseatic Mann in the historical old city (UNESCO World Heritage): two towered Holstentor; most impressive city hall; the mighty redbrick Gothic of the Frauentor church, Buddenbrookhaus (museum of the Mann brothers), Reconstruction of the old famous Rathaus from 9 a.m.; walking along the shoreline from Cape Arkona to the picturesque fishing village of Vitt.

Seaside resort Warnemünde; typical harbour promenade ("Old Swede"); the most famous spa resort; white sandy beaches. Island of Rügen, Germany's most beautiful island with world-famous dunes of Rügen; walking along the shoreline from Cape Arkona to the picturesque fishing village of Vitt.

Seaside resort Sellin with the longest historic pier on Rügen and impressing resort architecture: Hanseatic City Stralsund (UNESCO World Heritage): a unique urbanistic monument with its medieval Gothic and colourful gabled houses; town hall with city arms of the Hanseatic League; Hanseatic City Wismar (UNESCO World Heritage): market with old warehouses, "Wasserkunst" (skillfully Norton) and "Old Swede"; Old Harbour.

Registration: starts Friday, 08 June (from 9 a.m.) Price: € 145,- (incl. transport, tour, Cap Arkona glider train, 3 overnight stays with breakfast in shared rooms in hostels in Rostock, Sellin/Rügen and Wismar, 2x dinner) Departure: 6:30 a.m.

Sunday, 08 July: BLACK FOREST

The Black Forest (Schwarzwald) is one of the most varied and best known holiday regions in Germany: Gutach with the "Vogtsbauernhof" (open-air museum with original Black Forest houses); Black Forest High Road and the legendary Lake Mumensee: Schiltach with numerous half-timber framed houses, a scene that can be found in a picture book. Albersbach with its former Benediktiner Monastery; over 900 years turned to stone.

Registration: starts Monday, 02 July Price: € 21,- (incl. transport, tour and entrance fees) Departure: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday, 29 July: THE RHINE

Mainz Roman, imperial cathedral, world famous windows by Marc Chagall at St. Stephan's church, Gutenberg Museum (world printing museum), Schaffhausen: "Main Lorraine Rhine Valley" (UNESCO World Heritage), pass many Roman and historic imperial cities and the beautiful Rhine valley with fine half-timber houses and a well-known wine venue.

Registration: starts Monday, 23 July Price: € 23,- (incl. transport, tours, boat trip and entrance fee) Departure: 7:30 a.m.