

Ultimate Beer Tour

Czech Republic, Austria, and Germany



The Beer Lovers Tour

Join Sechrist Travel for an incredible travel experience through Central Europe, proving that beer, history, and culture create an incredible travel experience.

The beer in Europe is as diverse and intriguing as the culture. We will visit breweries, large and small, some run by monks, some by craft brewers, sample some unique and delicious beers, and enjoy mouthwatering local cuisine.

But it's not just about the beer – there's plenty of art, architecture, history, and culture thrown into the mix. With our tour director taking care of the details, our private coach acting as full-time designated driver, and plenty of free time built in for your own explorations, this really is the Ultimate Beer Tour!

We start with your arrival into **Václav Havel Airport Prague**, we transfer to Prague's **Historic City Center**!

- Visit and explore 4 of Central Europe's most beautiful cities
- Enjoy unique city tours including a ride on a historic Tram while enjoying a beer
- Enjoy several beer tastings and amazing cuisine
- Participate in a 'BEER HUNT'
- Visit historic breweries and meet a master brewer for a talk and tasting

Cities Visited:

- Prague
- Pilsen
- Český Krumlov
- Salzburg
- Munich

When: SUMMER 2024

Where: Czech Republic, Austria, & Germany

Cost: LAND \$2,399 per person + AIR



Day 1: Departure

Overnight flight to **Václav Havel Airport Prague**

Day 2: Arrival in Prague, Czech Republic

Morning arrival into **Václav Havel Airport Prague**. After customs formalities the group will be welcomed by tour manager and board our waiting motor-coach. Transfer to the **Historic City Center** where you check into your centrally located hotel and an orientation walking tour of the **Old Town Square**.

Group Welcome Dinner Provided

Day 3: Prague

After breakfast, explore the city in style, through the windows of a historical tram from the turn of the 20th century! The route starts in the proximity of your hotel and during the 40 minute journey, you will experience the history of Prague first hand. Accompanied by a tasty beverage, you will enjoy the atmosphere of Old Prague from a unique perspective. Today we will visit the Prague Castle Complex with views of St. Vitus Cathedral. Tonight, join us for a 'BEER HUNT', an entertaining tour through Prague, tracing the roots of Czech beer culture, and find out secrets of the so called "Czech Gold"! You will visit the most famous pubs, taste the best beer and play beer-themed games.

Group Lunch & Dinner Provided

Day 4: Prague - Pilsen - Prague

After breakfast, board your coach and transfer to Pilsen. In order to truly experience the Czech Republic, tasting Czech beer is a must. The rare opportunity to imbibe a draft at the world-renowned Pilsner Urquell brewery in Pilsen is a great place to begin. Lunch in a local Pub. This afternoon, return to Prague for some free-time to explore **ON YOUR OWN**.

Group Lunch & Dinner Provided

Day 5: Český Krumlov - Salzburg, Austria

After breakfast, we will depart Prague. First we will visit Český Krumlov, UNESCO World Heritage Site, dominated by a Castle stretching over the meandering Vltava River. Following lunch **ON YOUR OWN**, we will continue on to Salzburg, Austria where we will check into our hotel and enjoy a dinner at Sternbräu.

Group Dinner Provided





Day 6: Salzburg

After breakfast, enjoy a city tour with a local guide followed by lunch **ON YOUR OWN** at the Steiglkeller with a spectacular bird's eye view of the Old Town. This afternoon, enjoy the World of Beer tour at the Stiegl Brewery where you enjoy beer tasting, beer games and an excellent dinner.

Group Dinner Provided

Day 7: Salzburg

After breakfast, enjoy some time to explore Salzburg **ON YOUR OWN**. This afternoon, enjoy an excursion to Hallein where you will meet the master brewer at Hofbräu Kaltenhausen and learn about the making of beer. Gerhard Ammerhauser, a beer story teller will entertain you this afternoon with beer stories and beer jokes. You will taste 6 different beers paired with a 4-course beer dinner.

Group Dinner Provided

Day 8: Munich, Germany

On the final day of the tour we will travel to Munich, Germany with a stop win Tegernsee to visit a small family owned brewery. We will enjoy lunch with beer and Bavarian sausages. Upon arrival into Munich, check into your accommodation and enjoy a Farewell Dinner and evening in Hofbräuhaus.

Group Lunch & Farewell Dinner Provided

Day 9: Departure

Today we say "Auf Wiedersehen". After breakfast, we will make our way to **Munich International Airport**





For more information:

Call: (917) 279-6629

Email: info@sechristtravel.com



Beer Lovers Tour

SUMMER 2024

Cost per Person:

LAND package - based on double occupancy

• **\$2,399.00 per person**

***\$375.00 - single occupancy supplement charge**

Tentative payment plan:

- ▶ **June 16, 2023** = \$500 per person
- ▶ **September 15, 2023** = \$500 per person
- ▶ **December 15, 2023** = \$500 per person
- ▶ **March 15, 2024** = \$500 per person
- ▶ **June 16, 2024** - Final Balance; estimated at \$399 per person

REFUNDS:

- ▶ 1st \$150 per person is non-refundable. All remaining funds are refundable with cancellation 60 days prior to departure
- ▶ 50% of deposits become non-refundable from 59 to 45 days prior to departure
- ▶ 100% of deposits become non-refundable from 44 to 30 days prior to arrival

Your Tour Experience Includes (Subject to availability):

- ▶ **Seven (7) nights accommodation** at superior tourist-class hotels, plus one (1) night in flight
- ▶ **Luxury Motor Coach transportation** throughout your tour
- ▶ **Daily Buffet breakfasts and group dinners**, with 3 group lunches, as indicated in the itinerary
 - Group meals may not include beverages (outside of breakfast)
 - Beverages are included with tastings and where indicated
- ▶ **GUIDED SIGHTSEEING/CITY TOURS:**
 - ▶ Prague
 - ▶ Salzburg
- ▶ **ENTRANCE FEE:**
 - Beer Hunt (Prague)
 - Historical Tram with beer (Prague)
 - Two (2) Beer tastings in Prague
 - Pilsen Brewery Tour & Museum
 - Stiegel Brewery Tour & Museum (Salzburg)
 - Hofbräu Kartenhauses Beer Tasting & Story Telling
 - Tegernsee Family Brewery Beer Tasting
- ▶ Tips for city guides and coach Drivers
- ▶ Taxes are included for all services

PLUS:

- ▶ A professional Tour Director to handle all tour arrangements with concern/care for the needs of the tour group
- ▶ A complete *Itinerary* for your use
- ▶ Official Tour Luggage Tags (2 per person – 1 for checked luggage and 1 for carry-on)
- ▶ Personal Protective Equipment: Face-masks, hand sanitizer, and disinfecting wipes provide to each individual traveler
- ▶ Full support of an Account Manager to handle the planning aspects of your tour.
- ▶ \$2M Sechrist Travel Tour Liability Insurance coverage
- ▶ SECHRIST TRAVEL Assistance 24/7 with Emergency Mobile Phone Number

Tour Cost Does Not Include:

- ▶ Transportation to/from your HOME Airport is arranged ON YOUR OWN
- ▶ Round trip air transportation – to Prague, Czech Republic and from Munich, Germany
 - ▶ Airfare is estimated at \$1,400.00 **Subject to change*
 - ▶ *Group fares possible based on a minimum of 10 passengers*
- ▶ Meals not listed as ‘included’
- ▶ Entrance fees for locations/sights you visit on your own
- ▶ Anything not mentioned in “Your Tour Experience Includes”
- ▶ Passport fees
- ▶ Checked baggage fees (if applicable), portage of luggage, Instrumental rental, excess baggage or air cargo fees, optional excursions, independent meals, and any other items not mentioned as included.
- ▶ Trip Protection/Cancellation Insurance
 - Can be provided through **Sechrist Travel’s** trusted partner, **TravelSafe**, for an additional cost
 - You may also purchase through your own Home Owners Insurance provider, or a company like AAA or TravelEx
- Please note, actual activities might take place on different days than suggested in the proposal.

AIR package ESTIMATE - \$1,400.00* per person

- ▶ Flight **MUST** be arranged **ON YOUR OWN** for morning arrival into PRAGUE and returning from MUNICH
- ▶ Above airfare is estimated for 2022 and provided as a guideline for the final cost of the tour
- ▶ Group flight arrangements may be made through Sechrist Travel for groups of 10 or more using the same GATEWAY city and on the same flight itinerary
- ▶ All transportation arrangements are subject to change, which may result in additional fees for schedule changes, additional taxes and fuel surcharges imposed by the government and/or transportation carrier. Airlines may also charge additional fees for baggage, instruments or equipment in excess of size and/or weight restrictions. All additional charges are the sole responsibility of the group/individual.

TOTAL PACKAGE COST = \$3,799.00

- ▶ ***+ or – based on actual airfare***

- **Send ALL payments and correspondence to:**

Sechrist Travel

13300 Bothell Everett Hwy, Ste. #303-6108

Mill Creek, WA 98012

I. Payment Schedule

- A. Reservations for participation in the **Beer Lovers Tour 2023** are accepted on a first-come basis
 - 1. reservations can be secured by submitting a \$500 per person deposit
 - 2. early deposits are encouraged, with the first payment due no later than **June 16, 2023**
- B. The 2nd payment is \$500 per person due **September 15, 2023**
- C. The 3rd payment is \$500 per person due **December 15, 2023**
- D. The 4th payment is \$500 per person due **March 15, 2024**
- E. **The final balance, estimated at \$399 per person, is due June 16, 2024**
- F. Billing Statements will be mailed out 30 days prior to next installment after the initial deposit is received.
- G. Billing Statements will be based upon your number of participants, and will indicate payment due dates, reflect your hotel occupancy choices, include airfare (if applicable), include the airport/hotel transportation fees (if applicable), include costs for extra nights in hotel if elected and available, costs for optional provisions (if applicable), and include your payment summary.
- H. Billing Statements will be adjusted to reflect your housing choices; any additional charges based upon hotel upgrade costs or other services purchased are due 30 days prior to arrival. Adjustments and payment due dates are indicated on your monthly statements.
- I. ***LATE PAYMENTS:** When payment is late, and no prior arrangements have been made; a fee totaling 5% of that particular amount due will be assessed and added to the final balance due. If a late payment is anticipated and unavoidable, Sechrist Travel must receive your request in writing.

II. Miscellaneous Information

- A. Checks should be made payable to: **SECHRIST TRAVEL**
- B. Credit Card Payments are available though are preferred vendor, **STRIPE**
- C. Mailing instructions:
 - 1. checks should be mailed to **Sechrist Travel at 13300 Bothell Everett Hwy, Ste. #303-6108, Mill Creek, WA 98012**
 - 2. Federal Express is recommended due to their timeliness and tracking capabilities
- D. Refunds:
 - 1. The 1st \$150 per person is completely non-refundable.
 - a) All remaining funds are refundable with cancellation 60 days prior to departure
 - 2. 50% of deposits become non-refundable from 59 to 45 days prior to departure
 - 3. 100% of deposits become non-refundable from 44 to 30 days prior to arrival
 - 4. Name substitutions/replacements, without penalty, are permissible
 - 5. Qualified refunds will not be returned until the final adjusted invoice has been paid
 - 6. If your tour becomes canceled by Sechrist Travel, all monies are completely and immediately refunded to you
- E. If your arranged trip inclusions or accommodations become unavailable due to “acts of God,” Sechrist Travel reserves the right to change your tour and include other trip inclusions and accommodations.

