TERMS & CONDITIONS



Sicily: A Tour for Food and Wine Lovers Saturday, October 12 - Sunday October 20, 2024 9 days 8 nights

Price per person: \$7,000.00 After April 1, 2024: \$7,500.00 pp

Tour price is based on double occupancy. There is a single supplement of \$950.00 pp (limited number of single occupancy rooms available)

Booking Info:

50% deposit of the Total Price is due at time of booking Balance due by June 1, 2024

Cancellation Policy - Cancellation must be received in writing and confirmed by Sips Sites & Bites

Up until 120 days prior to tour departure (October 12) an Administrative fee of \$200 will be charged per person 119 to 90 days from tour departure (October 12) 50% of total tour price Cancellation Penalty 89 days or less from tour departure (October 12) 100% Cancellation Penalty (nonrefundable)

I - INCLUDES

Arrival and departure transfers, eight nights' standard room accommodation in first class and deluxe properties, transportation by private transfers and motor coach with driver for the entire tour, luggage porterage, buffet breakfast daily, all meals as indicated in the itinerary, all fees for winery, historical, archaeological and food tours included, private English-speaking tour guides as indicated in the itinerary.

Transfers: There will be one arrival and one departure transfer in Palermo included. If you wish to use these transfers, then please book your flights according to our recommendations which will be provided upon booking.

Prior to the trip you will receive a packet of information about the locations we will be visiting, including archaeological stops, historical facts, town highlights, hotels, food and wine related details, restaurants, farms and wineries we will be visiting.

II - DOES NOT INCLUDE

Airfare, personal spending money, drinks beyond those indicated with meals, mini-bar, room service or any other items or services of a personal nature.

III - AIR TRANSPORTATION

Air travel is not included in this trip. Note that all arrivals into Palermo and departures from Catania should take place in the morning. Please note flights from the US need to depart on Friday, October 11, 2024 to arrive on Saturday October 12, the official start of the tour.

IV - CHANGES TO THE ITINERARY

Sips Sites & Bites reserves the right to make changes to the itinerary. Changes to the tour may arise due to unexpected factors, such as inclement weather or unforeseen closings. While this may happen, substitutions will be made as close to the original plan as possible.

V - FORCED CANCELLATION

In the event that we cannot reach the minimum number of **eight** tour participants and it is necessary to cancel the tour, you will receive a full refund of all monies received. You will be advised no less than 60 days from the departure date.

VI - FORCE MAJEURE

Should circumstances arise beyond the control of Sips Sites & Bites making the tour inadvisable, commercially illegal or impossible, Sips Sites & Bites reserves the right to cancel the tour without penalty to the parties involved. The undersigned agrees to release Sips Sites & Bites from their obligations.

VII - TRAVEL INSURANCE

Comprehensive travel insurance is highly recommended to cover medical expenses, lost luggage, airfare and tour costs. Contact Sips Sites & Bites if you need more information about insurance providers.

VIII - PASSPORTS & VISAS

Travelers must have a passport that **is valid six months or more from October 11**, **2024**. Sips Sites & Bites is not liable for any loss or damage resulting from improper passports.

IX - PHOTOGRAPHY

Sips Sites & Bites reserves the right to take photographs during the tour and to use them for promotional purposes. By booking this tour, participants agree to allow their photos to be taken for this purpose.

X - DIETARY AND PERSONAL HEALTH

We have done our best to select dining experiences that reflect the best regional specialties. In many cases, meals are preselected with choices for you. Please advise us in advance of dietary restrictions, food allergies and other personal concerns. For maximum enjoyment of the trip, you should be able to walk at a relaxed pace on cobblestone streets and hilly locations.

It is strongly recommended that you are up to date with all vaccines including the Covid 19 vaccination.

XI - SMOKING

All hotels are non-smoking. There is a ban on smoking in all enclosed areas; this includes hotels, restaurants, and other locations.

XII - RESPONSIBILITY AND DISCLAIMER STATEMENT

Sips Sites & Bites acts only as an agent for the various independent suppliers that provide hotel accommodations, transportation, sightseeing, activities, or other services connected with this tour. Such services are subject to the terms and conditions of those suppliers. Sips Sites & Bites and their respective employees, agents, representatives, and assigns accept no liability whatsoever for any injury, damage, loss, accident, delay, or any other incident which may be caused by the negligence, defect, default of any company or person in performing these services. Responsibility is not accepted for losses, injury, damages or expenses of any kind due to sickness, weather, strikes, hostilities, wars, terrorist acts, acts of nature, local laws or other such causes. All services and accommodations are subject to the laws and regulations of the country in which they are provided. Sips Sites & Bites is not responsible for any baggage or personal effects of any individual participating in the tours / trips arranged by Sips Sites and Bites. Individual travelers are responsible for purchasing a travel insurance policy, if desired, that will cover some of the expenses associated with the loss of luggage or personal effects.

AGREEMENT

By entering my name below, I guarantee it as my electronic signature binding me to the terms of this agreement and I understand that all Terms and Conditions apply to me with no exception. By signing this document, I acknowledge and waive my right to maintain a lawsuit against Sips Sites & Bites LLC if I am injured on this trip or property is damaged during my participation on this trip. I have read the terms and conditions document and disclaimer. I have understood it, and I agree to be bound by its terms.

| SIGNATURE | TRAVELER 1 | SIGNATURE | TRAVELER 2 |
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| SIGNATURE: | | SIGNATURE: | |
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SIPS SITES AND BITES RESERVATION FORM



In order to secure a spot on our tours, this form (front and back) must be completed, signed and emailed back to info@ssbtours.com. Once we receive this form, we will follow up via email with a confirmation. Please see Terms & Conditions form for payment schedule and refund policy. A deposit of 50% of the Total Price is due at time of booking. Questions or concerns, please contact info@ssbtours.com.

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| HOME NUMBER: | | HOME NUMBER: | | | |
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