

VENICE SIMPLON-ORIENT-EXPRESS

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PARIS TO PORTOFINO: TWO LEGENDS MEET 20-23 June 2024

For the first time in history, the Venice Simplon-Orient-Express is heading to the Ligurian coast, directly connecting two iconic destinations – Paris and Portofino – through the romance of the rail.

Winding through the French countryside and along the coastlines of the French and Italian Riviieras, the breathtaking journey will conclude at Splendido, A Belmond Hotel, Portofino and be celebrated with a custom menu by Jean Imbert that encapsulates this journey through the ingredients of the region.

This historic journey will connect two of Europe's most legendary locations, from the high-culture of Paris to the Italian villeggiatura heartland of Portofino, via some of the most picturesque rural and coastal landscapes in France and Italy.

INCLUSIONS

Transfer in Paris to the train station

One night on the Venice Simplon-Orient-Express from Paris to Portofino on full board basis (includes wine with meals)

Car transfer to Splendido upon arrival in Santa Margherita Station

Accommodation at Splendido

Gala dinner with Jean Imbert at La Terrazza

Price from: £7,920pp (based on a Historic Twin Cabin and a Garden View Room at Splendido)

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Two legends meet
**PARIS TO
PORTOFINO**

Step aboard a legend in motion
and journey to a dolce vita icon.
On this exceptional adventure, wind
through the sun-drenched scenery
of the French and Italian rivieras
before alighting for a sumptuous
stay at Splendido, A Belmond
Hotel, Portofino.

Two Cultural legends



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A COASTAL ADVENTURE



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rural and coastal landscapes in France and Italy. Coinciding with the summer solstice, an exclusive new seasonal menu from Michelin-starred chef Jean Imbert celebrates both cuisines, meaning guests will be immersed in a unique blend of these cultural destinations as they travel past awe-inspiring views - from the rural French countryside to the cliffs of the Ligurian Sea. Arriving at Splendido in style where guests will spend the weekend, the journey continues with a custom itinerary that shows off the newly renovated pool, lido and spa. Upon arriving, guests will experience a one-off private 5-course dinner on the terrace of Splendido created by Jean Imbert, one of Europe's most revered chefs that will capture the spirit of the trip.





Paris to Portofino



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CONNECTING TWO ICONIC DESTINATIONS



The trip will take guests from Paris to Portofino, bringing to life the culture, cuisine and charm of each destination.

It will highlight the unique history and atmosphere of both France and Italy along the way as it passes through iconic cities like

Cannes and Genoa. Upon arrival, guests will be transported to Splendido by boat and will be among the first to experience the hotel's newest facilities such as the saltwater pool and renewed rooms and suites by acclaimed designer Martin Brudnikzi.

Paris to Portofino

A CULINARY CULTURAL JOURNEY

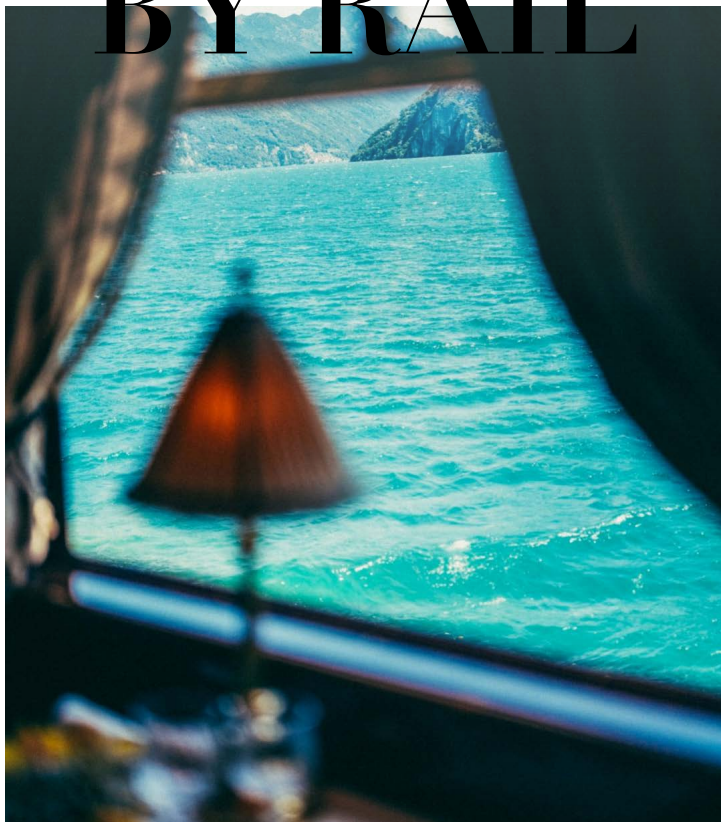


Legendary French Michelin-starred chef Jean Imbert will reveal his new Venice Simplon-Orient-Express summer menu on the first day of the journey. He has also created a new 5-course tasting menu celebrating the

journey between Paris and Portofino, full of flavours rooted in both destinations. Upon arriving at Splendido, guests will dine on this exclusive menu at La Terrazza.

Paris to Portofino

COAST BY RAIL



From the moment guests wake up in Cannes to the sunrise over the sea, to the second they step off in Santa Margherita Ligure, they will be immersed in breath-taking coastal beauty. A Venice Simplon-Orient-Express route as never seen before, the train will begin by weaving through the French countryside

overnight, passing Lyon and Avignon before reaching Marseille and continuing along the coast to Cannes and Nice. Crossing into Italy through Ventimiglia, Savona and Genoa, the route will finally arrive in Santa Margherita Ligure before the guests head to Splendido by car or boat.





The journey





JOURNEY HIGHLIGHTS

Dress to the nines and enjoy a night on the world's most famous train, indulging in the new 5-course Summer menu designed by French Chef, Jean Imbert.

Admire the coastal scenery as the train travels through Liguria, from Ventimiglia to Genoa, one of Italy's historic maritime republics and UNESCO Heritage Site.

Indulge in the ultimate Villeggiatura at Splendido, soak up the sun by the peaceful salt-water swimming pool, take a refreshing dip in the emerald waters at the private beach Bagni Fiore, or discover a wellness experience in collaboration with Dior at Jardin des Rêves.

Experience flavours rooted in the destination as you savour Jean Imbert's tasting menu, designed exclusively for this inspiring voyage between France and Italy.

Pricing from £7,920pp

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For enquiries and bookings call Luxury Trains on 0333 405 0192

INCLUSIONS

- Ground transfer in Paris to the train station
- Overnight journey on the legendary Venice Simplon-Orient-Express from Paris to Portofino
- Transfer to Splendido upon arrival into Santa Margherita / Portofino train station
- 2 nights' accommodation at Splendido, A Belmond Hotel, Portofino
- Gala dinner hosted by Jean Imbert at La Terrazza







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