

Skate & Boat Holland

Travel program Northtour



During our vacation week, we will roll through the impressive natural and cultural landscapes of the province of Noord-Holland and the North Sea island of Texel while staying on the charming vacation boat, Anna Antal. Whether you prefer a leisurely break on the ship, longer skating routes, or shortcuts, we offer different options for our guests every day.

Day 1 - Amsterdam - Zaanse Schans

Arrival on the vacation boat at the NemoCenter, 1 km from Amsterdam Central Station, by 3:00 PM. A leisurely cruise on our ship to Holland's Zaanse Schans open-air museum. On a short entry lap, we sail towards the sunset and immerse ourselves in Dutch culture and nature. (15-22km)

Day 2 - Zaanse Schans - Alkmaardermeer

We enjoy the picturesque houses and mills in Zaanse Schans and then roll through the typical Dutch landscape: flat, green and with lots of water. Our vacation boat awaits us at the Alkmaardermeer from where we enjoy a trip to Alkmaar. There is enough time for a leisurely stroll through the cheese town (20-64km).

Day 3 - Alkmaardermeer - Oudeschild on Texel

Today we roll from historic Alkmaar all the way to the north of Noord-Holland. Black ice sections alternate with wonderful paths through the middle of the beautiful heathland and past impressive dunes. At the end we skate directly along the sea to Den Helder, from where we cycle on the open sea to maritime Oudeschild on Texel (28 - 66 km).



Day 4 - Texel

On the North Sea island of Texel, we explore the whole island on rollers and whizz along the sea with a tailwind to the lighthouse at the northern tip of the island. The Wadden Sea, the dune landscape and the numerous sheep on the green pastures are impressive today. Lunch break on the sandy beach with bathing facilities. On the way back, the well-chosen surface helps in the event of a headwind. The more leisurely skaters take the bus back to the ship. Another overnight stay in Oudeschild (34 - 61 km).



Day 5 - Den Helder - Enkhuizen

We take the big ferry from Texel to Den Helder. First along wide fields and canals and then along the IJsselmeer, we glide to the easternmost tip of our Noord-Holland tour. If you wish, you can also enjoy a leisurely boat trip from Texel to the IJsselmeer in the morning and just spend the afternoon on the rollers. The medieval trading town of Enkhuizen on the IJsselmeer lake impresses with its beautiful alleyways and large sailing ships. (30 - 85km)

Day 6 - Enkhuizen - Hoorn

After a visit to the open-air museum in Enkhuizen, we adapt our tour to the wind conditions today. With a tailwind, the causeway between Hoorn and Enkhuizen is much easier to enjoy with a view of the numerous sailing ships on the Markermeer and the green inland area criss-crossed with canals. We enjoy the medieval ambience at the harbor and in the center of the once wealthy town of Hoorn. (23 - 57 km)



Day 7 - Hoorn - Amsterdam

Once again, the route takes us along the Markermeer. The pretty little town of Marken reminds us once again of the golden late Middle Ages in Holland during our lunch break, before we use the excellent cycle paths to cycle directly to the port of Amsterdam and our ship. Of course, we also want to discover the most beautiful corners of Amsterdam in the evening. (40 - 70km)

Day 8 - Amsterdam

Breakfast and check-out at 9:00 AM. Return journey or vacation extension.

