Information about the Event Cruise with the Ship MS Beethoven

Event: “Rhine in Flames” on July 3, 2027



Experience “Rhine in Flames” on Board the MS Beethoven – An Unforgettable Evening on the Rhine

Since 1977, our traditional fireworks event in the Upper Middle Rhine Valley near Rüdesheim has thrilled guests from around the world. Be there live when the sky over the Rhine transforms into a sea of color!
On board the MS Beethoven, you’ll enjoy the spectacle from the front row, right in the middle of the convoy, with the best views of the fireworks.
The MS Beethoven was built in 1990 and can accommodate 260 passengers indoors, with additional space available on the open decks.

What Awaits You:

- Spacious open deck for impressive views
- Reserved seats in the large saloon deck (max. 260 pers.) – dinner is also served here
- Sun deck with a perfect view of the fireworks
- DJ & party on the outdoor deck – celebrate under the open sky
- The MS Beethoven is based in Bonn and travels exclusively to Rüdesheim for the “Rhine in Flames” event

Romance, indulgence, and a festive atmosphere—experience an evening you will never forget.

<u>You book a 3-course meal on board</u>

- Tomato cream soup
- Burgundy roast, dumplings, red cabbage or vegetarian vegetable lasagna
- Bavarian cream

Drinks are not included in the ticket price. The ship is not wheelchair accessible.
Card payments are accepted on board.

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Schedule & Timeline – "Rhine in Flames" on the MS Beethoven
Saturday, July 3, 2027 – An unforgettable evening on the Rhine:

- **Boarding:**
  From approximately 5:00 PM, the MS Beethoven will be ready for boarding at Pier XX in Rüdesheim (Rheinstraße).
  (Note: See the back of the info sheet for a pier map.)
- **Cruise Route:**
  After departure, the ship heads downriver into the romantic Upper Middle Rhine Valley, a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 2002. Enjoy the impressive river landscape while being treated to dinner on board.
- **Fireworks Convoy:**
  Around 10:15 PM, the MS Beethoven will meet the other ships in the convoy near Trechtingshausen. Together, the fleet glides upriver – past castles illuminated in red and several spectacular firework displays.
- **Finale:**
  Just before midnight, witness the grand finale fireworks between Bingen and Rüdesheim – the magical climax of the evening.
- **Disembarkation:**
  After the event ends, the MS Beethoven will dock again in Rüdesheim – at the same or a nearby pier.

👉 Important:
Shortly before the event, you will receive a message with the exact boarding time and any changes to the pier.

Ticket Price: €169,50 (incl. VAT and handling fees)

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City Map Section: Piers in Rüdesheim am Rhein

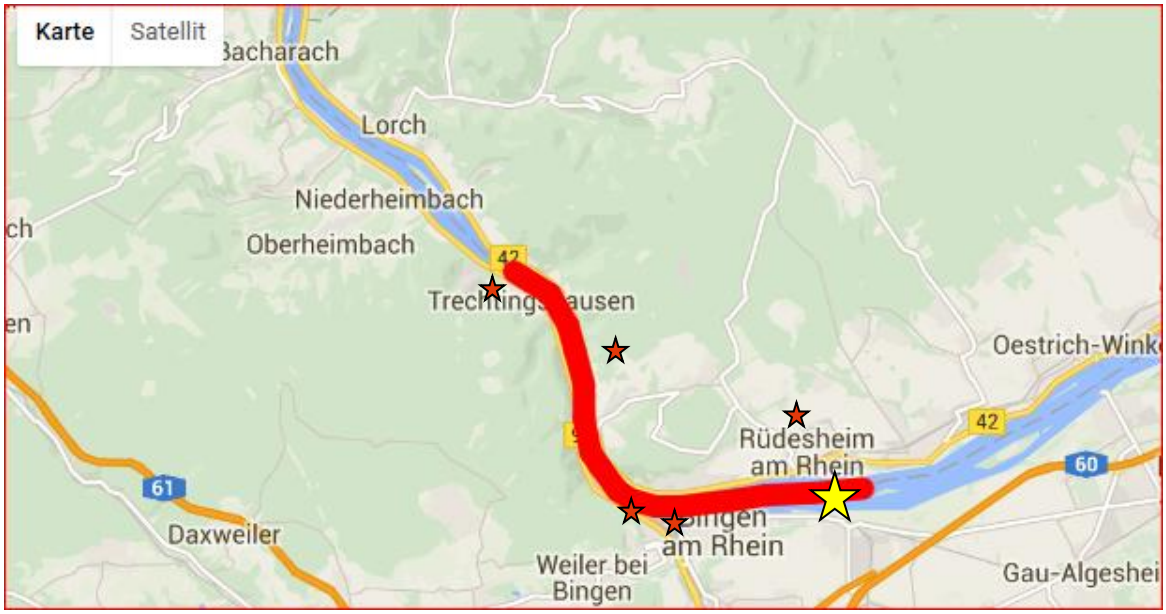


Parking in Rüdesheim – Tips for Your Arrival by Car:

- **Free Parking**: Lots P7 and P5 are currently available free of charge but fill up quickly – early arrival is recommended.
- **Municipal Parking Areas:** Most city parking lots are subject to charges between 9:00 AM and 6:00 PM.
- **Private Parking**: Individual conditions apply – please check directly with the respective provider.

P.S.: Allow ample time to find parking. Rüdesheim is heavily visited during “Rhine in Flames” and parking availability is limited.

Fireworks Information
On the map (not shown here), you can see the cruise route of the MS Beethoven during the fireworks convoy.
Please note:
The event concludes with the grand final fireworks – directly on the Rhine between Rüdesheim and Bingen!



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