

TOUR DE FRANCE

4-Star Paris Finish Package - Itinerary



Thank you for choosing to join us for the Tour de France race finish in Paris. Below you will find information about your hotel as well as a schedule for the weekend. Please do not hesitate to contact our France office if you have any questions.

Friday, July 23 - Arrival

Your home base for the weekend is the Sofitel Le Faubourg. Located in the district of the prestigious French high fashion design houses, near the Louvre, the Opéra and the famous Place Vendôme, Le Faubourg's decor is inspirational, with its elegant lobby bathed in rich tones of brown and gold. Opposite the lobby is the library, an intimate environment stocked with books, newspapers and guidebooks. Stop in for afternoon tea or an evening of piano music and drinks. The hotel's Bar 30 features sumptuous couches, ebony wood paneling and a cozy fireplace. All rooms feature air conditioning, private bath, hair dryer, phone, radio, and cable TV.

The hotel will be expecting you on Friday, July 23. Check-in time is 14h00.

Saturday, July 24 - Enjoy Paris

You have the day to enjoy Paris as you like from your central location near many famous Parisian landmarks such as Place de la Concorde, the Champs-Élysées, the Louvre, Place de la Madeleine and Jardin des Tuileries. The hotel is also just steps from the luxurious shopping streets of rue Royale and rue Faubourg Saint-Honoré. Or just relax and enjoy the live racing on TV as the overall victory could be at stake with the main individual time trial in Bordeaux; the stage will start in the late morning and finish around 17h00.

Sunday, July 25 - TDF Race Finish

A VéloSport Vacations staff member will meet you in the hotel lobby at 13h30. At that time, the staff member will provide you with your entry pass. **You will not be able to enter our viewing suite without your pass.**

- ▶ The stage will start just outside of Paris in the town of Longjumeau and will be aired live on the big-screen televisions in our viewing suite at the 5-star Hotel de Crillon.
- ▶ The multicolored mass of the peleton will sweep onto the finishing circuit mid-afternoon. Once the group is on the circuit, you will be able to see them live twice per lap. After crossing the finish line the first time, the peleton normally covers 7-to-10 full laps of the 6.5 kilometer finishing circuit.
- ▶ The stage finish is estimated for 17h30, followed by the traditional parade of teams staging directly in front of the Hotel de Crillon in the Place de la Concorde.

Monday, July 26 - Departure

Please stop by the hotel desk to settle any incidental charges before departure. Check-out time is 12h00.

HOTEL INFORMATION

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