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Seabourn Encore - maiden voyages now on sale

In 2016, Seabourn will introduce Seabourn Encore. This new ship is strikingly beautiful, excitingly innovative and will crown a fleet that is already the newest, most modern and most acclaimed in the ultra-luxury segment. Just two days after her maiden season went on sale, Seabourn Encore's 10 day inaugural voyage had already sold out. To experience her enhanced accommodations, innovative amenities and personalised service for yourself please see pages 40-41.

P&O Cruises brand new ship Britannia launched in Southampton

March saw the launch of Britannia, which was named by Her Majesty The Queen, and boasts the title of being the biggest cruise ship ever built exclusively for the British market. Several members of the Reader Offers team were lucky enough to visit her at Southampton:

"On the day of the launch, Britannia was all over the news with a focus on her immense size. Whilst exploring this glamorous ship I was surprised to find how easy it was to access all the amenities. I'm sure many guests will expect to walk long distances but this is not the case and whilst Britannia is a large ship, once on board she still has an intimate feel. The range of restaurants will cater for all tastes and the dinner we enjoyed at the Peninsular restaurant was first-class. With a huge selection of bars to choose from you'll be able to spend the evenings finding your favourite, but the cocktails at The Blue Bar are delicious and the live music in The Crystal Room creates the perfect ambience. The Headliners Theatre offers some spectacular entertainment, including Gravity - a futuristic rock musical - which

was simply amazing. My top tip for guests on board is to spend some time trying the facilities in the spa which include heated loungers and water-beds plus a huge choice of treatments some of which you can only experience on board Britannia!"

Gemma Wyncoll - Marketing Executive

To explore Britannia for yourself **please see pages 12 & 13**



Cruise & Maritime Voyages launches Magellan

Reader Offers Marketing Executive, Melanie Martin, was thrilled to attend the naming ceremony of Cruise & Maritime Voyages new ship Magellan and shares her experience with readers.

"Having just attended the naming ceremony I have to say Magellan certainly exceeded my expectations. She is stylish, with a classic feel and still small enough to retain a warm atmosphere. As my colleague Sarah and I wandered around the ship we were very impressed with the facilities on board such as the beautiful Jade Wellness Centre, with its contemporary feel offering a range of treatments including sauna and steam rooms which are free for guests to use. The public areas are spacious and modern with two classic dining rooms, the Waldorf and the Kensington, where we enjoyed a delicious five course meal, along with their famous Baked Alaska parade! There are various different places to go in the evening - the Captain's Club is the largest bar with a small stage for evening entertainment, or there's Sinatra's and Scott's if you enjoy music with a relaxed feel.



Gloria Hunniford, who named Magellan, with Sarah Wikevand, Head of Commercial, Reader Offers Ltd and Lisa Jacobs, Head of Trade Sales, Cruise & Maritime Voyages

The Show Lounge was the main focus of the night and is a gorgeous theatre spread over two decks where we witnessed Magellan's godmother, Gloria Hunniford name her."

To sail on board Magellan during her maiden season please call one of our Cruise Specialists.

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Sail from Southampton to New York where you'll enjoy a five night hotel stay during the epic Independence Day celebrations.



Fireworks over Brooklyn Bridge, New York



Hello and welcome to the May edition of Blue Horizons.

In this month's issue you'll find a huge choice of brand new voyages and as always our promotions are rich with benefits so make sure you get the best deal by booking early.

On **pages 4-11** we are delighted to present the 2016 all-inclusive Royal Caribbean launch including free drinks and gratuities from only £749pp, featuring Independence of the Seas®, which is returning to the UK.

We have an incredible choice of destinations in our brand new promotion from P&O Cruises and Cunard including the shores of the Caribbean, the beauty of Canada and the chance to enjoy a special 'Strictly Come Dancing' themed Canaries cruise. You'll also be able to choose from a fantastic selection of benefits including free on board spend, car parking and coach transfers.

Please turn to pages 12-19 to find out more.

If you're looking for a bit of excitement it doesn't get any more thrilling than the fast-paced action of the Monaco Grand Prix. What better way to enjoy this unique sporting event than on a no-fly cruise with Fred. Olsen including tickets and drinks! **Please see pages 22 & 23** for more details.

Our Fred. Olsen 2016 launch has been hugely popular and on **pages 24-27** we are pleased to present readers with a handpicked selection of voyages. From the wonders of the Amazon to the fjords of Greenland, and the treasures of the Adriatic to an Arctic adventure, you're sure to find your perfect cruise.

On **pages 29-31** you'll find the brand new launch promotion from Swan Hellenic with shore excursions included so you can truly immerse yourself in each destination including the chance to attend the greatest flower show in the world - the Chelsea Flower Show.

Our tailor-made packages are designed to make your cruise holiday an unforgettable experience so if you've yet to book one you'll find a tempting selection this month. Discover the captivating Far East with Celebrity Cruises followed by an intriguing tour of China's most famous sights (**pages 42 & 43**); marvel at the natural wonders of Alaska followed by a journey through the Canadian Rockies on board the Rocky Mountaineer including two days at the Calgary Stampede (**pages 44 & 45**); or experience the greatest carnival in the world - the Rio Carnival - during an ultra-luxury South American voyage with Silversea (**pages 46 & 47**).

If you can't find your perfect voyage, please do not hesitate to call our friendly Cruise Specialist Team who will be delighted to help.

Happy cruising!

Jeremy Dickinson
CEO, Reader Offers Ltd

For more information please visit us at

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DON'T FORGET TO CLAIM YOUR **BLUE HORIZONS BOOKING BONUS**

Book any cruise featured in this issue of Blue Horizons before **30th April 2015** and you'll receive a **free Bettys Celebration Gift Box**.

Please see page 51 for full details.



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DRINKS PACKAGE⁺⁺

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We're delighted to be welcoming one of Royal Caribbean's most popular ships back home to Southampton - Independence of the Seas[®]. Half a million guests have already enjoyed this amazing ship, which has been voted Cruise Critic's number one choice for families.

You'll also enjoy an ultimate all-inclusive offer, with drinks and tips all included in the price of your cruise. Add to that countless unforgettable experiences and the ease of sailing direct from the UK - providing a holiday that ticks all the boxes is simpler than ever.

This all-inclusive offer is available on a host of spectacular sailings as featured on the next few pages so you're sure to find your perfect voyage.

FRANCE & SPAIN

7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 28TH MAY 2016

MAY 2016

Sat 28 Embark Independence of the Seas[®] and depart Southampton
Sun 29 Relaxing at sea
Mon 30 Gijón, Spain
Tue 31 Bilbao, Spain

JUNE 2016

Wed 1 Relaxing at sea
Thu 2 Cherbourg, France
Fri 3 Paris (from Le Havre), France
Take a trip to the 'City of Love'[™], full of gastronomic fare and world-class museums including The Louvre. Of course, no trip is complete without ascending the Eiffel Tower for blistering views of Paris
Sat 4 Arrive Southampton

YOUR READER OFFERS ^{LTD} LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£899
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (N)[*]</i>		
Ocean View	I	£999
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,199
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,229
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D2)[*]</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£1,399
Royal Suite	RS	£3,799



Rome, Italy



WELCOMING BACK INDEPENDENCE OF THE SEAS® TO THE UK



WHAT'S INCLUDED

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FREE Select drinks package for Interior and Ocean View staterooms** including:

Beer (a selection of bottle, can and draught), wine by the glass (up to \$8 value), fountain soft drinks with souvenir cup and non-alcoholic cocktails

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All house spirits with mixer and premium cocktails, beers (a selection of bottle, can and draught), premium wine by the glass (up to \$12 value), frozen & non-alcoholic cocktails, fountain soda with souvenir cup and still bottled water

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CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING
14TH MAY 2016

MAY 2016

- Sat 14** Embark Independence of the Seas® and depart Southampton
- Tue 17** Gibraltar, United Kingdom
- Thu 19** Barcelona, Spain
- Fri 20** Nice (from Villefranche), France
- Sat 21** Rome (from Civitavecchia), Italy
Rome is a vibrant living museum, with literally dozens of Roman monuments; must-sees are The Colosseum and Trevi Fountain along with Museums and art galleries galore
- Mon 23** Valencia, Spain
- Tue 24** Málaga, Spain
- Wed 25** Seville (from Cádiz), Spain
Witness the magnificent architectural UNESCO World Heritage Sites, Alcázar of Seville - the oldest royal palace in Europe, and Seville Cathedral - the largest gothic cathedral in the world
- Sat 28** Arrive Southampton

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£1,399
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (L)*</i>		
Ocean View	I	£1,549
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,799
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,829
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D2)*</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£2,479
Owner's Suite	OS	£4,029

ITALIAN MEDITERRANEAN

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING
4TH JUNE, 16TH JULY
& 13TH AUGUST 2016

- Day 1** Embark Independence of the Seas® and depart Southampton
- Day 4** Gibraltar, United Kingdom
- Day 6** Nice (from Villefranche), France
From its crystal blue waters to its multi-coloured flowers, palaces and piazzas, Nice's scenery is like nothing else you've ever seen
- Day 7** Rome (from Civitavecchia), Italy
- Day 8** Florence/Pisa (from Livorno), Italy
Choose to explore Florence, famous for its history and architecture. Witness the stunning Duomo di Firenze cathedral and works by world-famous artists, or discover Pisa and its incredible leaning tower
- Day 9** Provence (from Toulon), France
- Day 11** Málaga, Spain
- Day 12** Lisbon, Portugal
- Day 15** Arrive Southampton

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£1,399
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (N)*</i>		
Ocean View	I	£1,679
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,949
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,979
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D2)*</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£2,599
Royal Suite	RS	£8,199

Fares, upgrades and availability based on 4th June 2016 departure

**The All Inclusive (Premium or Select Drinks Package, Soda Package) & Free Gratuities promotion is applicable to new bookings on selected sailings and is applicable to bookings made in all stateroom categories (excluding Z, Y, X, XN & W GTYs), for all 2016 departures with a duration of 6+ nights. The Premium Drinks Package will be applied to all applicable bookings made on Balcony & Suite category staterooms. The Select Drinks Package will be applied to all applicable bookings made on Interior & Ocean View category staterooms. The Soda package will be applied to all guests under the minimum drinking age. Drinks packages can be used on selected drinks and exclusions apply. Drinks packages are non-transferable and guests must comply with the ship's terms & conditions of use. Further Royal Caribbean International® terms and conditions apply, please ask for full details. Royal Caribbean International® booking conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions

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THE BRAND NEW **ALL-INCLUSIVE PROMOTION**

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FREE
GRATUITIES⁺⁺

MEDITERRANEAN BEACHES

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 18TH JUNE
& 30TH JULY 2016

- Day 1 Embark Independence of the Seas[®] and depart Southampton
- Day 2 - Relaxing at sea
- Day 3
- Day 4 Gibraltar, United Kingdom
- Day 5 Relaxing at sea
- Day 6 Nice (from Villefranche), France
- Day 7 Ajaccio, Corsica
- Day 8 Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy
- Day 9 Palma De Mallorca, Spain (overnight stay on board)
You'll be spoilt for choice during your time on the largest of the Balearic Islands. Discover the stunning beaches and historic caves, witness the imposing 13th century Gothic Cathedral, La Seu, or take a stroll around the cobbled streets of the picturesque Old Town
- Day 10 Palma De Mallorca, Spain
- Day 11 Málaga, Spain
Málaga was the birthplace of Pablo Picasso as well as the Malaguena style of flamenco. During your time here, you may wish to sample some of the sweet Malaga wine and excellent tapas for which the city is noted
- Day 12 Seville (from Cádiz), Spain
- Day 13 - Relaxing at sea
- Day 14
- Day 15 Arrive Southampton

YOUR READER OFFERS ^{LTD} LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£1,499
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (N)[^]</i>		
Ocean View	I	£1,699
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,999
Deluxe Balcony	E1	£2,029
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D3)[^]</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£2,849
Royal Suite	RS	£8,399

Fares, upgrades and availability based on 18th June 2016 departure

CANARY ISLANDS AND MADEIRA

10 NIGHTS DEPARTING 9TH SEPTEMBER
& 13TH OCTOBER 2016

- Day 1 Embark Independence of the Seas[®] and depart Southampton
- Day 2 - Relaxing at sea
- Day 3
- Day 4 Funchal, Madeira
Its glittering bay and backdrop of green-clad mountains beautifully complement charming cobbled streets winding through grand colonial buildings. The picturesque capital of Madeira Island offers a multitude of activities for visitors
- Day 5 Tenerife, Canary Islands
- Day 6 Gran Canaria, Canary Islands
One of the biggest surprises of Gran Canaria are the dunes of Maspalomas, a mini Sahara at sea, where at certain times of year it and the adjacent lagoon are bustling with migrating birds and wildlife
- Day 7 Lanzarote, Canary Islands
- Day 8 Relaxing at sea
- Day 9 Vigo, Spain
- Day 10 Relaxing at sea
- Day 11 Arrive Southampton

YOUR READER OFFERS ^{LTD} LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£999
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (N)[^]</i>		
Ocean View	I	£1,199
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,399
Deluxe Balcony	E1	£1,429
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D3)[^]</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£1,799
Royal Suite	RS	£6,599

Fares, upgrades and availability based on 13th October 2016 departure

NAVIGATOR OF THE SEAS®



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2016

will see the stunning **Navigator of the Seas®** return to the UK following a revitalisation. Stunning features include a miniature golf course, FlowRider® surf simulator, the signature Royal Caribbean Rock Wall, ground-breaking virtual balconies and the delicious new dining venue Sabor Modern Mexican. You'll be guaranteed some truly incredible experiences on board Navigator of the Seas®, no matter where in the world you visit.

FREE
STATEROOM UPGRADES*

SPAIN, FRANCE & PORTUGAL 8 NIGHTS DEPARTING 21ST MAY 2016

MAY 2016

- Sat 21** Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton
- Sun 22** Paris/Normandy (from Le Havre), France
- Mon 23** Relaxing at sea
- Tue 24** Gijon, Spain
- Wed 25** Relaxing at sea
- Thu 26** Lisbon, Portugal
This beautiful city mingles with winding streets with spacious squares, ancient castles and a medieval quarter. Take a relaxing stroll along the fabulous waterfront or discover the city's shops and restaurants
- Fri 27** Vigo, Spain
Uncover an un-spoilt piece of Spain on the coast of the Ria de Vigo. A great destination for all, whether you enjoy spending time with nature, exploring the historic architecture or just want to top up your tan on the beach
- Sat 28** Relaxing at sea
- Sun 29** Arrive Southampton

YOUR READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£799
Free upgrade to an Interior (N)*		
Promenade	PR	£899
Free upgrade to an Ocean View (I)*		
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,099
Junior Suite	JS	£1,449
Royal Suite	RS	£7,049

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Nordfjord, Olden city, Norway

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GRATUITIES⁺⁺

NORWEGIAN FJORDS

8 NIGHTS DEPARTING 29TH MAY 2016

MAY 2016

Sun 29 Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton

Tue 31 Flåm, Norway

The name Flåm means 'little place with steep mountains' and here you'll find an abundance of wonders, from snow-capped mountains, waterfalls and rivers to meadows and picture-perfect farms

JUNE 2016

Wed 1 Skjolden, Norway

Sitting at the end of the world's longest fjord, Skjolden is considered one of the world's most breathtaking destinations and is overlooked by the Jotunheimen, Northern Europe's highest mountain

Thu 2 Olden, Norway

Fri 3 Ålesund, Norway

Sat 4 Stavanger, Norway

Regarded as the 'Cradle of the Vikings', take in the 200-year-old wooden houses, markets, craft stores and a 12th century cathedral modelled on Winchester Cathedral

Mon 6 Arrive Southampton

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Interior	Q	£899
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Ocean View	I	£999
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,199
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,229
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D2)[^]</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£1,599
Royal Suite	RS	£4,349

CANARY ISLANDS ESCAPE

10 NIGHTS DEPARTING 6TH JUNE 2016

JUNE 2016

Mon 6 Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton

Thu 9 Funchal, Madeira

Fri 10 Tenerife, Canary Islands

The largest of the Canary archipelago, the island of Tenerife consists of many different regions – each with its own characteristics. There are mountains, lush valleys, a gigantic crater (which is now a national park) and, of course, fabulous beaches. If the beautiful landscapes don't bring a smile to your face, the weather certainly will

Sat 11 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria

Sun 12 Lanzarote, Canary Islands

Lanzarote lies in the Atlantic only 60 miles from the coast of Africa. Experience this living museum of unique volcanic geological formations, connecting caves, underground grottoes, and the rare species found in them

Tue 14 Vigo, Spain

Thu 16 Arrive Southampton

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Interior	Q	£1,099
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Ocean View	I	£1,299
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,599
<i>Free upgrade to a Deluxe Balcony (E1)[^]</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£1,999
Royal Suite	RS	£6,799



Winter Palace Square,
Saint Petersburg, Russia

FREE
STATEROOM UPGRADES*

BALTIC & ST. PETERSBURG

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 16TH & 28TH JUNE 2016

- Day 1** Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton
- Day 3** Oslo, Norway
- Day 4** Copenhagen, Denmark
One of the most cosmopolitan Scandinavian cities, Copenhagen is home to picturesque streets providing architectural treasures to explore, upscale eateries to sample the local cuisine and fantastic shopping opportunities
- Day 6** Tallinn, Estonia
- Day 7** St. Petersburg, Russia (overnight stay on board)
St. Petersburg, with a visual overkill on a spectacular scale, is overlaid with reminders of its short turbulent history. Gold domed cathedrals hold sway above the impassive Neva, while the Hermitage has enough priceless art to hold your attention for a month!
- Day 8** St. Petersburg, Russia
- Day 9** Helsinki, Finland
Helsinki pulls off the trick of being something of an international metropolis while still retaining a small-town feel. Classical Helsinki sights can be divided into an eclectic set of churches and a wide variety of museums
- Day 12** Bruges (from Zeebrugge), Belgium
- Day 13** Arrive Southampton
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STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£1,199
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (N)*</i>		
Ocean View	I	£1,399
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,799
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,829
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D2)*</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£2,289
Royal Suite	RS	£7,089

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Eiffel Tower, Paris, France

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IBERIA DISCOVERY

7 NIGHTS DEPARTING
21ST AUGUST & 15TH OCTOBER 2016

- Day 1** Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton
Day 2 Relaxing at sea
Day 3 **Vigo, Spain**
 Head to the city's best beach, Playa Samil, offering stunning white sand trails into crystal clear waters - the ideal way to relax and unwind. Alternatively, visit one of Vigo's must-see sites, the Colegiata de Santa Maria, a beautiful church dating back to the early 16th century
Day 4 **Gijon, Spain**
Day 5 **Bilbao, Spain**
 Bilbao's primary interest may be the world-famous Guggenheim Museum, but this Spanish port town has a diverse mix of old and new architecture
Day 6 Relaxing at sea
Day 7 **Paris/Normandy (from Le Havre), France**
 Witness the superb modern architecture, relax at the popular beach resort or discover world-class works of art by Monet, Gauguin and Dufy at the André Malraux Museum. Alternatively, embark on a shore excursion^{xx} to the stunning city of Paris and explore the iconic sights including the Eiffel Tower, the stunning Louvre and the Champs-Élysées or visit Normandy where you'll find the historical D-day beaches
Day 8 Arrive Southampton

YOUR READER OFFERS ^{LTD} LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£749
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (N)[^]</i>		
Ocean View	I	£849
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,049
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,079
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D2)[^]</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£1,299
Royal Suite	RS	£4,099

Fares, upgrades and availability based on 15th October 2016 departure

NORWEGIAN DELIGHTS

7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 28TH AUGUST 2016

AUGUST 2016

- Sun 28** Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton
Mon 29 Relaxing at sea
Tue 30 **Ålesund, Norway**
 Ålesund is known as the town in Norway with the most Art Nouveau buildings. Take a walk through the town streets, and enjoy the sight of the beautiful buildings, decorated with towers, turrets and imaginative and colourful ornaments
Wed 31 **Skjolden, Norway**
SEPTEMBER 2016
Thu 1 **Flåm, Norway**
 Flåm is a tiny village on the banks of the Aurlandsfjord, one of the branches of the beautiful Sognefjord - the longest and deepest fjord in Europe. The setting is utterly spectacular. A stroll along the waterside, past orchards and hamlets, cottages and farmland, helps to explain why this area is so enduringly popular with visitors
Fri 2 **Stavanger, Norway**
Sat 3 Relaxing at sea
Sun 4 Arrive Southampton

YOUR READER OFFERS ^{LTD} LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£849
Promenade	PR	£949
<i>Free upgrade to an Ocean View (I)[^]</i>		
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,149
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,179
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D2)[^]</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£1,549
Royal Suite	RS	£4,349

⁺⁺The All Inclusive (Premium or Select Drinks Package, Soda Package) and Free Gratuities promotion is applicable to new bookings on selected sailings and is applicable to bookings made in all stateroom categories (excluding Z, Y, X, XN & W GTYs), for all 2016 departures with a duration of 6+ nights. The Premium Drinks Package will be applied to all applicable bookings made on Balcony & Suite category staterooms. The Select Drinks Package will be applied to all applicable bookings made on Interior and Ocean View category staterooms. The Soda package will be applied to all guests under the minimum drinking age. Drinks packages can be used on selected drinks and exclusions apply. Drinks packages are non-transferable and guests must comply with the ship's terms & conditions of use. Further Royal Caribbean International® terms and conditions apply, please ask for full details. Royal Caribbean International® booking conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.



CLASSIC MEDITERRANEAN

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 4TH SEPTEMBER 2016

SEPTEMBER 2016

Sun 4 Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton
 Wed 7 Gibraltar, United Kingdom
 Fri 9 Florence/Pisa (from Livorno), Italy
 Sat 10 Rome (from Civitavecchia), Italy
 Sun 11 Ajaccio, Corsica
 Mon 12 Barcelona, Spain
 Tue 13 Valencia, Spain
 Wed 14 Málaga, Spain
 Thu 15 Seville (from Cádiz), Spain
 Sun 18 Arrive Southampton

Dates not featured are spent relaxing at sea

CANARIES & NORTH AFRICA

13 NIGHTS DEPARTING 28TH OCTOBER 2016

OCTOBER 2016

Fri 28 Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton
 Sun 30 Vigo, Spain
 Mon 31 Lisbon, Portugal

NOVEMBER 2016

Wed 2 Agadir, Morocco
 Thu 3 Lanzarote, Canary Islands
 Fri 4 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria
 Sat 5 Tenerife, Canary Islands
 Sun 6 Funchal, Madeira
 Tue 8 La Coruña, Spain
 Thu 10 Arrive Southampton

Dates not featured are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR READER OFFERS ^{LTD} LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£1,299
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (N)*</i>		
Ocean View	I	£1,499
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,799
<i>Free upgrade to a Deluxe Balcony (E1)*</i>		
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,829
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D2)*</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£2,549
Owner's Suite	OS	£3,969

YOUR READER OFFERS ^{LTD} LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES (PP)
Interior	Q	£999
<i>Free upgrade to an Interior (L)*</i>		
Ocean View	I	£1,299
Deluxe Balcony	E3	£1,499
Superior Balcony	D3	£1,539
<i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony (D1)*</i>		
Junior Suite	JS	£1,949
Owner's Suite	OS	£2,869

WHAT'S INCLUDED

IN YOUR READER OFFERS ^{LTD} LAUNCH PACKAGE

FREE Select drinks package for Interior and Ocean View Staterooms** including:

Beer (a selection of bottle, can and draught), wine by the glass (up to \$8 value), fountain soft drinks with souvenir cup and non-alcoholic cocktails

FREE Premium drinks package for Deluxe Balcony Staterooms and above** including:

All house spirits with mixer and premium cocktails, beers (a selection of bottle, can and draught), premium wine by the glass (up to \$12 value), frozen & non-alcoholic cocktails, fountain soda with souvenir cup and still bottled water

FREE gratuities**

Full board accommodation in a spacious, well-appointed stateroom including:

- Enjoy an amazing range of bars and lounges
- A fantastic choice of dining options, including the spacious and grand main dining room with flavours to suit every mood
- Witness dazzling entertainment from West End style shows to live music, and comedians to acrobatic displays; you'll find something to suit all tastes
- Immerse yourself in a range of activities, from relaxing in the adults-only solarium to trying your luck in the casino
- Relax in the on board whirlpools while enjoying a drink from the bar, and soak up the warm sunshine

JUST A DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO
SECURE YOUR STATEROOM

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES

Earn up to **8,698** when you book one of these amazing voyages**



SHORES OF THE EASTERN CARIBBEAN

CHOOSE FROM
ONE OF THESE
FANTASTIC OFFERS

FREE
ON BOARD SPEND OF
UP
TO **£250***

OR

FREE
CAR PARKING
AT THE AIRPORT[‡]

**15 NIGHTS DEPARTING 18TH NOVEMBER,
2ND & 30TH DECEMBER 2016 (NEW YEAR CRUISE!),
27TH JANUARY & 24TH FEBRUARY 2017**

- Day 1** Fly from London to Bridgetown, Barbados
(regional and premium class flights are available on request^{*})
Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark Britannia for your 14 night Caribbean voyage beginning with an overnight stay on board
- Day 2** Bridgetown, Barbados
- Day 4** Philipsburg, St. Maarten
- Day 5** St. John's, Antigua
- Day 6** Roseau, Dominica
- Day 8** Castries, St. Lucia
- Day 9** Kingstown, St. Vincent and the Grenadines
- Day 10** St. George's, Grenada
- Day 12** Oranjestad, Aruba
- Day 13** Willemstad, Curaçao
- Day 15** Bridgetown, Barbados
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your flight to London
(regional and premium class flights are available on request^{*})
- Day 16** Arrive London

Days not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

Itinerary based on 2nd December 2016 voyage, other dates may vary slightly

YOUR READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARES

CABIN	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES FROM (PP)
Inside	PF	£1,399
Balcony	JE [†]	£1,749
Balcony	HC	£1,969
Balcony	GA	£2,139
Deluxe Balcony	DC	£2,449
Deluxe Balcony	DA	£2,629
Suite	B5	£3,249
Suite	B2	£3,499
Suite	B1	£3,749
Single Inside	SF	£1,999

Fares are based on 2nd December 2016

Other cabin grades are available on request

Savings available for past passengers, please call for details

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THEN PAY NOTHING UNTIL 2016**

WHAT'S INCLUDED

IN YOUR SPECTACULAR READER OFFERS LTD PACKAGE

Enjoy your choice of one of the following benefits:

FREE up to £250 on board spending money*

— OR —

FREE car parking at the airport[‡]

14 nights of full board accommodation on board
P&O Cruises brand new ship Britannia including:

- A uniquely British cruising experience
- A range of tantalising restaurants offering culinary masterpieces to informal buffets
- A choice of pools to relax and unwind in or simply soak up the sun on the spacious deck
- Take part in one of the many on board activities including guest speakers, films, dance lessons and much more
- Enjoy a myriad of bars and spectacular entertainment from music recitals to theatre shows

Return flights and overseas transfers
(regional and premium class flights available on request^{*})

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES

Earn up to 7,498 when booking this beautiful voyage^{††}



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CAPTIVATING CANARY ISLANDS

FEATURING *Strictly Come Dancing*

P&O CRUISES



Free
ON BOARD SPEND OF
UP TO **£230***

OR

Free
CAR PARKING
AT THE PORT#

OR

Free
COACH TRANSFERS**

Strictly Come Dancing is back on board for more dazzling performances from everyone's favourite professional dancers and the outspoken judges everyone loves to hate. Sit back and enjoy the sizzling shows, or get in on the action and try the Tango, Quickstep or Salsa for yourself. Four of the show's professional dancers will perform on each cruise and you'll have an opportunity to meet them and see some of their amazing costumes. Then there will be Q&A sessions where you can get the inside scoop on the glittering world of Strictly.

13 NIGHTS DEPARTING 16TH MAY & 5TH JUNE 2016

- Day 1 Embark Britannia and depart Southampton
- Day 5 Funchal, Madeira
- Day 6 Santa Cruz, La Palma
- Day 7 Las Palma, Gran Canaria
- Day 8 Arrecife, Lanzarote
- Day 9 Agadir, Morocco
- Day 11 Lisbon, Portugal
- Day 14 Arrive Southampton

Days not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

Itinerary is based on 16th May 2016 departure. Ports differ slightly on 5th June 2016 departure

YOUR READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARES

CABIN	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES FROM (PP)
Inside	PF	£1,299
Balcony	JE†	£1,649
Balcony	HC	£1,819
Balcony	GA	£1,979
Deluxe Balcony	DC	£2,249
Deluxe Balcony	DA	£2,439
Suite	B5	£2,999
Suite	B2	£3,249
Suite	B1	£3,449
Single Inside	SF	£1,849

Fares are based on 16th May 2016 departure

Other cabin grades are available on request

Savings available for past passengers, please call for details

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What's Included

IN YOUR SPECTACULAR READER OFFERS LTD PACKAGE

Enjoy your choice of one of the following benefits:

FREE up to £230 on board spending money*

— OR —

FREE car parking at the port#

— OR —

FREE coach transfers**

13 nights of full board accommodation on board P&O Cruises brand new ship Britannia including:

- A uniquely British cruising experience
- A range of tantalising restaurants offering culinary masterpieces to informal buffets
- A choice of pools to relax and unwind in or simply soak up the sun on the spacious deck
- Take part in one of the many on board activities including guest speakers, films, dance lessons and much more
- Enjoy a myriad of bars and spectacular entertainment from music recitals to theatre shows

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES

Earn up to **6,898** when booking this beautiful voyage††



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THE NO-FLY VOYAGE TO THE CARIBBEAN AND PANAMA CANAL

FREE
ON BOARD SPEND OF
UP
TO **£740***

OR

FREE
CAR PARKING
AT THE PORT#

OR

FREE
COACH TRANSFERS**

35 NIGHTS DEPARTING 8TH FEBRUARY 2017

FEBRUARY 2017

Wed 8	Embark Oceana and depart Southampton
Fri 10	La Coruña, Spain
Sat 18	St. John's, Antigua
Sun 19	Castries, St. Lucia
Mon 20	Bridgetown, Barbados
Tue 21	St. George's, Grenada
Thu 23	Oranjestad, Aruba
Sat 25	TRANSIT THE PANAMA CANAL
Mon 27	Roatan, Honduras
Tue 28	Costa Maya, Mexico

MARCH 2017

Thu 2	Montego Bay, Jamaica
Sat 4	Tortola, British Virgin Islands
Sun 5	Philipsburg, St. Maarten
Sat 11	Ponta Delgada, Azores
Wed 15	Arrive Southampton

Dates not featured are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARES

CABIN	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES FROM (PP)
Inside	PF	£2,699
Outside	NC [†]	£3,499
Free upgrade to an Outside Cabin (LF)[†]		
Balcony	HF	£4,049
Balcony	HA	£4,319
Mini Suite	C5	£6,949
Mini Suite	C1	£7,599
Suite	B4	£8,299

Other cabin grades available on request
Savings available for past passengers - please call for details

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THEN PAY NOTHING UNTIL 2016**

WHAT'S INCLUDED

IN YOUR SPECTACULAR READER OFFERS LTD PACKAGE

Enjoy your choice of one of the following benefits:

FREE up to £740 on board spending money*

— OR —

FREE car parking at the port#

— OR —

FREE coach transfers**

35 nights of full board accommodation
on board Oceana including:

- A uniquely British cruising experience
- A fine selection of dining options from informal buffets to Gala Menus created by Marco Pierre White
- A choice of pools to relax and unwind in or simply soak up the sun on deck
- Spectacular entertainment from live music to West End quality performers

Free cabin upgrade[†]

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES

Earn up to **16,598** when booking this voyage, worth **£165** off your next booking with Reader Offers Ltd^{††}



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It's Spring and bright new shoots are budding - much like Blue Horizon's brand new column, Top 5.

We'll be awarding the very best cruise-related services with a place on our proverbial podium, doffing our hats to everything from spas, bars and ports, including restaurants and even eco-friendly ships.

For this springy debut, we rate the Top 5 spas on cruise ships. Since Steiner Leisure Limited pioneered the 'destination spa' on the QE2 in '94, on-board wellbeing has become a vital part of cruising. These Top 5, rated world-best by us, have life-changing potential. The hard part is choosing where to start...

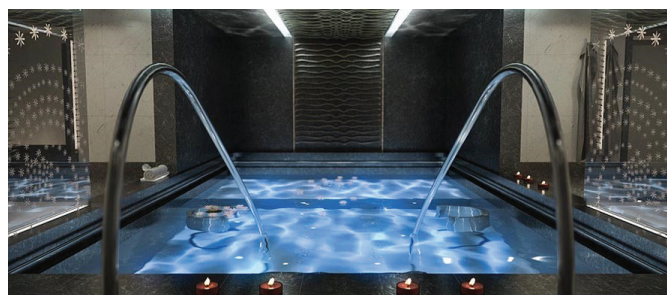


Cruise Ship Spas

The Oasis Spa

Found on: P&O Britannia

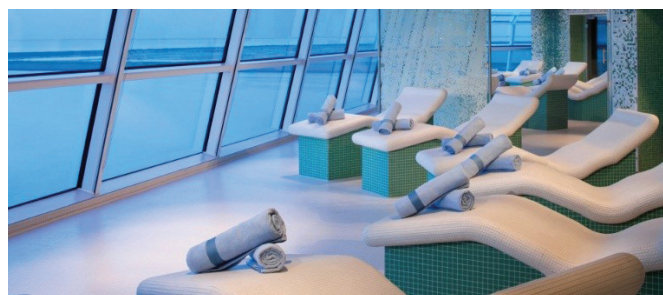
What better way to celebrate renewal than with Britannia's maiden spa at sea. Run by Steiner, The Oasis Spa boasts opulent wellness facilities: the Hydrotherapy suite provides heated loungers, waterbeds, a salt cave, hydrotherapy pool with reflexology and massaging jets. There's a private villa in the spa area with personal whirlpool, 17 private treatment rooms with in-built showers and private ocean views, and a salon offering a 'blowout menu'. Therapists are proficient in all the latest treatments, and there's even a VIP open-air deck area, The Retreat, where alfresco spa treatments are offered in the privacy of shaded cabins.



Canyon Ranch SpaClub® at Sea

Found on: Queen Mary 2, Oceania Cruises, Regent Seven Seas Cruises and Celebrity Cruises®

The famous land-based Canyon Ranch has partnered with selected luxury ships to bring you their world-class SpaClub® at Sea. 24 treatment rooms, a fitness centre, thermal suite and full-service salon with 'dazzling wrap-around ocean views' complement life-enhancing treatments. The Aromatic Steam Room is infused with pure plant essences, and Canyon's Sjal line of skincare products are charged with essential precious minerals and gemstones.



Crystal Spa

Found on: Crystal Symphony and Serenity

The world's first Feng Shui spa at sea offers an award-winning Zen-inspired experience, soothing guests with rock gardens and water fountains designed according to ancient Chinese principles. Guests can choose from innovative therapies, or engage with health-focused lectures to help with lifestyle changes. Crystal's dry-float bed suite is a favourite, containing an innovative sensory bed for that heavenly sense of weightlessness while undergoing treatments.



MSC Aurea Spa

Found on: Splendida, Fantasia, Magnifica, Poesia, Orchestra, Musica

The Aurea Spa's state-of-the-art facilities complement traditional Balinese fittings, evoking nothing short of therapeutic luxury. Indonesian philosophy is a central theme, with Balinese massage using shells or hot lava stones, as well as all the latest treatments including thalassotherapy scrubs. Tan yourself on the sunbed, or melt into a state of bliss while massaged in a thermal bath.



The Spa at Seabourn

Found on: Seabourn Odyssey, Sojourn and Quest

Architecturally exquisite, Seabourn's The Spa offers everything from stunning thermal suites with herbal saunas to a yoga room with a Kinesis wall, not to mention the hydrotherapy pool, private villas and spacious gym – impressive for a ship the size of a super-yacht. Spa treatments and rituals are generous, and spa regimes can be customised according to your needs. The fitness centre features a high performance Technogym and complimentary classes include yoga, Pilates and Tai Chi. Personal trainers are on hand to design nutrition and exercise plans to complement your spa treatments. Finally, the salon will ensure you're quaffed for dinner as you float, not walk, into evening.



THE BRAND NEW NO-FLY 2016 LAUNCH PROMOTION



JOURNEY TO THE ADRIATIC

17 NIGHTS DEPARTING
14TH MAY & 30TH AUGUST 2016

Day 1 Embark Queen Elizabeth and depart Southampton

Day 4 Cádiz (for Seville), Spain

Day 7 TRANSIT MESSINA STRAIT

Messina, Sicily

This charming town has it all; from stunning scenery to beautiful beaches, incredible history to delicious local cuisine, and of course Europe's most active volcano, Mount Etna, is just a short car journey away

Day 8 Kerkira, Corfu

Day 9 Dubrovnik, Croatia

Reputed to be one of the most beautiful places in the world. Many writers and travellers remain astonished by its charm, defining the town as the Adriatic Pearl, the Slav Athen: a true paradise on Earth

Day 10 Venice, Italy
Gondolas glide along the canals while the sound of music is heard everywhere in this amazing city. The energetic city life, palaces and the landmark cathedrals make this magnificent city of water a truly unique experience

Day 11 Zadar, Croatia

Day 12 TRANSIT MESSINA STRAIT

Day 15 Gibraltar

Day 18 Arrive Southampton

Days not featured are spent relaxing at sea

Itinerary is based on 14th May 2016 departure.

Ports differ slightly on 30th August 2016 departure.



YOUR READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES FROM (PP)
BRITANNIA RESTAURANT		
Inside	IF	£2,049
Oceanview	FC [†]	£2,249
Balcony	CB [†]	£2,649
Balcony	BF	£2,739
Club Balcony	A2	£3,849
PRINCESS GRILL		
Princess Suite	P2	£4,899
QUEENS GRILL		
Queens Suite	Q6	£5,899
Penthouse Suite	Q4	£6,149
Grand Suite	Q1	£13,149

Savings available for past passengers - please call for details

Fares and availability based on 14th May 2016 departure

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QUEEN ELIZABETH

Queen Elizabeth is Cunard's newest luxury liner, named in 2010 by Her Majesty the Queen. Recalling the rich heritage of the first Cunarder to bear the name, her elegance and modern features have won her many accolades and made her a firm favourite with her passengers. Queen Elizabeth is a remarkably spacious ship. It's always good to mingle in her elegant public rooms and outdoor spaces, such as her innovative Games Deck shaded beneath a canopy. Modern and spacious; she has everything you'd wish for from a ship that travels both across the Continent and around the entire world.

Enjoy some exquisite pampering in the Royal Spa^{xx} and treat yourself to a wide array of rejuvenating treatments. Even the simplest of pleasures becomes something special; from a relaxing stroll around the spacious decks, to enjoying a drink in one of the stylish lounges and bars. Nothing can quite match the glamour and excitement of the Cunard experience.



CUNARD

FREE
UP TO \$620
ON BOARD SPEND*

OR

FREE
CAR PARKING AT
THE PORT#

OR

FREE
COACH TRANSFERS**

GREEK TREASURES

17 NIGHTS DEPARTING
5TH JULY & 7TH OCTOBER 2016

- Day 1 Embark Queen Elizabeth and depart Southampton
Day 5 La Palma, Mallorca
Day 7 TRANSIT MESSINA STRAIT
Day 8 Piraeus (for Athens), Greece
Visit the Acropolis, the most significant ancient site of the Western World, browse some fine Greek antiquities within the National Archaeological Museum or discover the crumbling ruins of Corinth
Day 9 Kusadasi (for Ephesus), Greece
Day 10 Mykonos, Greece
Day 11 Katakolon (for Olympia), Greece
Venture to the birthplace of the Olympic Games with the stadium, the temples of Hera and Apollo. Visit the Olympic museum, where you'll find numerous attractions
Day 12 Messina, Sicily
TRANSIT MESSINA STRAIT
Day 15 Cádiz (for Seville), Spain
Day 18 Arrive Southampton

Days not featured are spent relaxing at sea
Itinerary based on 7th October 2016 departure and differs slightly for 5th July 2016 departure

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE BRITISH ISLES

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING
23RD JUNE 2016

- JUNE 2016
Thu 23 Embark Queen Elizabeth and depart Southampton
Fri 24 SAIL BY FLAMBOROUGH HEAD
Sat 25 South Queensferry (for Edinburgh), Scotland
Edinburgh manages to combine both ancient and modern in a uniquely Scottish atmosphere
Sun 26 Invergordon (for Inverness), Scotland
Mon 27 Kirkwall, Orkney Islands
Tue 28 SAIL BY CAPE WRATH
Wed 29 Stornoway, Outer Hebrides ★MAIDEN PORT★
In charming Stornoway, visit the significant site of the ancient Callanish Standing Stones, or Lews Castle, which overlooks the harbour
Thu 30 Greenock (for Glasgow), Scotland
JULY 2016
Fri 1 Belfast, Northern Ireland
Belfast is a fairly compact city, made up of three roughly contiguous areas that are easy to navigate on foot
Sat 2 Liverpool, UK
Sun 3 SAIL BY SOUTH CORNWALL
Mon 4 St. Peter Port, Guernsey
Tue 5 Arrive Southampton

WHAT'S INCLUDED

IN YOUR FANTASTIC
READER OFFERS LTD PACKAGE

Choose one amazing
added benefit:

Free up to \$620
on board spending money*

OR

Free car parking at
Southampton port#

OR

Free coach transfers**

Full board accommodation on board
Queen Elizabeth including:

- Lavish on board entertainment including original musical productions and gala dinners
- White Star fine dining throughout your voyage
- A variety of Cunard lectures and workshops

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES

Earn up to 26,298 when booking one of these magnificent voyages, worth £262 off your next booking with Reader Offers Ltd*



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STATEROOM/SUITE	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES FROM (PP)
BRITANNIA RESTAURANT		
Inside	IF	£1,749
Oceanview	FC†	£1,899
Balcony	CB†	£2,249
Balcony	BF	£2,319
Club Balcony	A2	£3,249
PRINCESS GRILL		
Princess Suite	P2	£4,149
QUEENS GRILL		
Queens Suite	Q6	£4,999
Penthouse Suite	Q4	£5,199
Grand Suite	Q1	£11,099

Fares and availability based on 7th October 2016 departure
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STATEROOM/SUITE	GRADE	READER OFFERS LTD FARES FROM (PP)
BRITANNIA RESTAURANT		
Inside	IF	£1,599
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THE BRAND NEW NO-FLY 2016 LAUNCH PROMOTION

CHARMS OF THE CARIBBEAN

26 NIGHTS DEPARTING
19TH NOVEMBER 2016

NOVEMBER 2016

- Sat 19** Embark Queen Mary 2 and depart Southampton
- Sat 26** **New York, USA**
New York is arguably the biggest, tallest and most exciting city anywhere in the world! The skyscrapers, yellow cabs, world-renowned stores, Central Park, Statue of Liberty, the Empire State Building... no other city can match the Big Apple!
- Wed 30** Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas

DECEMBER 2016

- Thu 1** **Basseterre, St. Kitts**
Established by France during the early 17th century, Basseterre became part of the British Empire following the Napoleonic War, while keeping its French name. Today, it retains much of its Georgian architecture, including the domed Treasury Building on the waterfront, through which every commodity (especially sugar) used to leave St. Kitts
- Fri 2** **Roseau, Dominica**
- Sat 3** **Philipsburg, St. Maarten**
What a setting - perched on a narrow strip of land between clear Caribbean Sea and the Great Salt Pond. From Philipsburg stroll along the inland salt lake or head for the gorgeous city beach
- Sun 4** **Road Town, Tortola**
- Thu 8** **New York, USA**
- Thu 15** **Arrive Southampton**

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Princess Suite	P2	£6,549
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SEPTEMBER 2016

- Tue 20** Embark Queen Mary 2 and depart Southampton
- Tue 27** New York, USA
- Wed 28** Newport, Rhode Island, USA
- Thu 29** Boston, USA
Boston is the largest city of Massachusetts and New England, located in a natural harbour showcasing significant historic sites such as The Freedom Trail. Discover the birth of a nation at the Boston Tea Party ship, or for more contemporary pleasures, get shopping for bargains

OCTOBER 2016

- Sat 1** Sydney, Nova Scotia, Canada
- Mon 3** Québec, Canada (two night stay on board)
The only fortified city in continental America, there's every possibility you'll lose your heart to Québec, an unforgettable cocktail of old world charm and urban sophistication. Stroll around the quaint back streets of Montmartre and Petit Champlain, perfectly punctuated by a visit - or two - to the city's patisseries
- Tue 4 - Wed 5** Québec, Canada
- Thu 6** Saguenay, Canada ★MAIDEN PORT★
Situated on the banks of the dramatic Saguenay river fjord, the Saguenay fjord national park offers spectacular scenery with plenty of varied wildlife on display. The waters of the fjord provide the opportunity to spot whales, while inland visitors to the forest can see bears and beavers in their natural habitats
- Fri 7** Gaspé, Canada ★MAIDEN PORT★
- Sun 9** Halifax, Canada
- Tue 11** New York, USA
- Tue 18** Arrive Southampton

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Jane ARCHER

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TWO INTO THREE DOES GO!

CHALK AND CHEESE WERE ON MY MIND AS IN THE SPACE OF THREE DAYS IN MARCH I SAW THE QUEEN NAME P&O CRUISES' NEW SHIP BRITANNIA AND GLORIA HUNNIFORD UNVEIL A PLAQUE ON MAGELLAN, THE FORMER CARNIVAL VESSEL THAT MOST RECENTLY SAILED FOR IBERO CRUCEROS (A CARNIVAL BRAND NOW ABSORBED BY COSTA CRUISES LAST YEAR) AND HAS NOW JOINED CRUISE AND MARITIME VOYAGES' FLEET.

The two events could not have been more different. P&O laid on a very British celebration that celebrated all four corners of the UK - the bands of the Royal Marines and Irish Guards, the Red Hot Chilli Pipers (think bagpipes as you have never heard them before) and comedian Rob Brydon, the new face of P&O (who just happens to come from Swansea!)

P&O took a risk by staging the event outside and was lucky to get a cool but sunny day. CMV took no chances, instead holding a low-key celebration in Magellan's show lounge.

The two vessels being named were also oceans apart. Britannia, with capacity for 3,647 passengers, named to underline P&O's British roots; Magellan, holding just 1,250 passengers, named after a 15th century Portuguese explorer.

Britannia new, of course, and more boutique hotel (and dare I say Celebrity) than P&O ship, with a modern look and feel that flows throughout the ship; Magellan, looking smart after a near €70 million refit in 2010 but still very much a child of the '80s with lots of brass, glass and outside space, and beautiful teak decking.

For me, the standout features on Britannia were the white atrium with its Starburst centrepiece, and the Horizon Court buffet, which has a stylish combination of light wood and chrome decor. It's a large area divided into two serving areas, each with four identical serving counters, which should help to reduce queues.

I also liked the way P&O has grouped the single cabins together (there are 12 inside and 15 with a balcony) along one corridor on Lido deck 16 along from

the Crows Nest. It's not quite up there with the singles' lounge on Norwegian Cruise Line's newest ships but it does make it easy for people travelling alone to get to know others cruising on their own and means they have somewhere on their 'doorstep' if they want to get together for drinks and a chat.

The new cookery school was looking good and I imagine it will be popular, especially when the likes of Mary Berry and Antonio Carluccio are giving the classes (the folk at Reader Offers will be able to let you have the dates when the celebrity chefs are on board); personally I'd rather be eating than cooking, especially if I'm in Sindhu, the Indian restaurant created by Atul Kochhar.

Sadly I didn't get to dine there when I was on board but Atul's starter for the gala dinner the evening before



GET READY TO BE AMAZED C'MON TAKE ME TO THE MARDI GRAS...

On the subject of British cruise lines, what an amazing array of new itineraries from Fred. Olsen for 2016/17. And one of them, in case you haven't guessed from the above, will be visiting New Orleans for the Mardi Gras. It's on a 46 night cruise from Southampton on Balmoral departing 4th February 2017 and also includes a visit to Port Canaveral, from where you can visit the Kennedy Space Centre.

There is also a new Mystery Cruise on Braemar that promises to be a real humdinger – even for the captain - as all six of the ports will be maiden calls for the ship. That, and the fact they will be in four countries and include five UNESCO World Heritage Sites, is your only clue. Oh and also that it is nine nights from Dover departing 9th May 2016. My advice? Pack for every eventuality!

I'm pretty sure it will be the same as those going on a new UK Christmas and New Year cruise that visits Scotland and Ireland will need to pack. Lots of warm jumpers, gloves and plenty of seasonal cheer!

the christening was the best dish on the menu - just too small! - so I know I would not be disappointed.

As Magellan had that big refurb five years ago, Cruise and Maritime hasn't made any changes since taking delivery other than changing the name (it was most recently called Grand Holiday), the livery on the funnel and the names of the lounges.

Any other alterations will come once CMV's chiefs see how well each of the areas gel with the company's passengers. I suspect most areas will remain intact but the casino could be an early casualty - slimmed down rather than got rid of altogether as the Brits are not known as high rollers. But who knows? Maybe CMV's passengers will discover a gambling addiction!

For me, the best bits of the ship were the cosy Sinatra Bar and Raffles, the self-service restaurant, which was well laid out with individual service stations, and the Jade Spa.

This is a much bigger facility than you'd usually find on a vessel of this age, with six treatment rooms and a thermal suite with sauna and steam rooms. I gather it was expanded during the refit because the Spanish love their spas. With sea shell and honey massages among treatments, I can understand why!

I was also impressed with the suites on deck 11. They are the only cabins on the ship with balconies and also the only ones I saw with a double bed configuration. Bar a handful on decks four, five and six, all other cabins are laid out in a twin bed configuration, but they can be put together on request.

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15 NIGHTS DEPARTING 21ST MAY 2016

MAY 2016

Sat 21	Embark Black Watch and depart Dover
Sun 22 - Tue 24	Relaxing at sea
Wed 25	Gibraltar You'll have the opportunity to explore 'The Rock' in all its glory, while Gibraltar will also allow you to get up close to the loyal residents, the Barbary Macaques. Hike for sensational views of North Africa, saunter cobbled streets or delve into one of its many tunnels or grottoes
Thu 26	Relaxing at sea
Fri 27	Barcelona, Spain Barcelona has a dynamic and open personality so typical of Mediterranean cities. With so much on offer from art and culture to sports and shopping, your stay will be full of delights. Gaudi's influence is palpable, with La Sagrada Familia proudly standing as the centerpiece of the city
Sat 28	Cannes, France (depart late evening) Sample the celebrity lifestyle in Cannes, the star of the French Riviera, with its beautiful beaches and elegant sophistication Nice, France (arrive late night - overnight stay on board)

Sun 29

Nice, France - enjoy your transfer to Monaco for your seated tickets to the Monaco Grand Prix*

Soak up the race day atmosphere of the most exciting Grand Prix race circuit as the drivers speed through the narrow streets of this wonderful city. As the engines die down, perhaps take on lady luck at the ostentatious Monte Carlo Casino

Mon 30

Relaxing at sea

Tue 31

Alicante, Spain

This popular seaside resort is the ideal place to relax after the excitement of the Grand Prix. Surrounded by picturesque mountains and the Mediterranean sea enjoy the stunning views while enjoying some Spanish cuisine or simply soak up the sun on perfect white sand beaches

JUNE 2016

Wed 1

Málaga, Spain

During your time here, you may wish to sample some of the sweet Málaga wine and excellent tapas for which the city is noted. The waterfront seems to buzz with life 24-hours a day with bars and cafés of every style

Thu 2 - Sat 4

Relaxing at sea

Sun 5

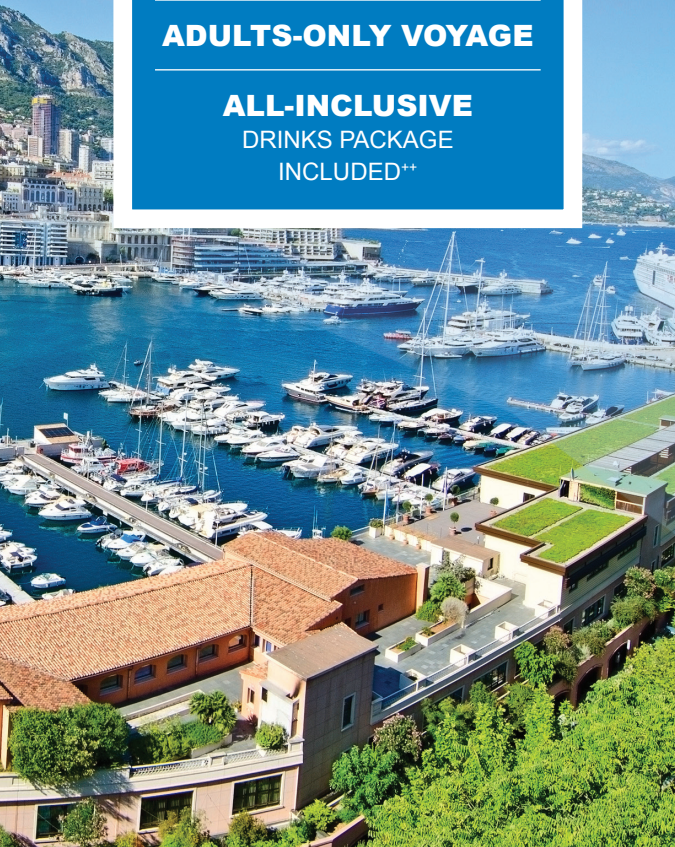
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15 NIGHTS DEPARTING 2ND FEBRUARY 2017

FEBRUARY 2017

Thu 2	Fly from London Gatwick or Manchester to Bridgetown, Barbados Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark Braemar for your 14 night cruise
Mon 6	CRUISING THE AMAZON
Tue 7	Santarém, Brazil One of the most astonishing sights in Santarém is not in the town itself but in the river. It's on the banks of the Tapajós, where it joins the Amazon: the two rivers flow side-by-side without mixing, creating two distinct bands of different coloured water
Wed 8	Boca do Valeria, Brazil
Thu 9 -	Manaus, Brazil (overnight stay on board)
Fri 10	Manaus is the Amazon's largest city, resting along the left bank of the Rio Negro, which merges with the mighty, muddy Amazon. It has become an ideal starting or finishing point for visitors to the mid-Amazon region. Riverboats journey through the myriad of tributaries, estuaries and small creeks, where rich wildlife may be seen
Sat 11	Parintins, Brazil Parintins is on an island in the Amazon River. The town itself has interesting buildings, including a brightly painted cathedral in Portuguese colonial style, with an ornate interior
Sun 12	CRUISING THE AMAZON
Tue 14	Devils Island, French Guiana Formerly the site of a French penal colony, Devil's Island was depicted in the novel film Papillon, written by one of the island's prisoners, Henri Charrière. Discover the remains of this notorious time, or explore on foot, looking out for colourful macaws, monkeys and sea turtles
Thu 16	Bridgetown, Barbados Disembark and transfer to the airport for your return flight to London Gatwick or Manchester
Fri 17	Arrive London Gatwick or Manchester

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15 NIGHTS DEPARTING 14TH AUGUST 2016

AUGUST 2016

- Sun 14** Embark Boudicca and depart Liverpool
- Tue 16** Torshavn, Faeroe Islands
- Thu 18** Reykjavik, Iceland
This land of fire and ice amazes. Its geothermal wonders create some of the most dramatic natural spectacles on earth: Steaming geysers, and surreal landscapes of Glaciers, thundering waterfalls and volcanic craters
- Sat 20** Tasiilaq, Greenland ★MAIDEN PORT★
- Sun 21** *CRUISING PRINS CHRISTIANSUND, CRUISING TORSSUKÁTAK*
- Mon 22** Narsarsuaq, Greenland
The most popular attraction is the stunning Narsarsuaq Glacier, an impressive frozen formation that grows out of Greenland's sheet ice. The inland ice - where the Glacier is located - is where the best views are to be had. The ice is within walking distance and is reached via the picturesque Flower Valley
CRUISING TUNULLIARFIK FJORD
- Tue 23** Qaqortoq, Greenland
Founded by Norwegian traders in 1775, Qaqortoq still retains some of its beautiful colonial buildings today. The town is very proud of its ancient fountain - for many years it was the only one in Greenland - which has carvings of whales spouting water out of their blowholes
CRUISING LICHTENAU FJORD

- Wed 24** Nanortalik, Greenland
Nanortalik - Greenland's most southerly town - is unlike any other town in the country. Sat on a small island at the end of a wonderful fjord and surrounded by vast snow-topped mountains, the 'Place of Polar Bears' is truly unique
CRUISING TASERMUIT FJORD
- Sun 28** Belfast, Northern Ireland
- Mon 29** Arrive Liverpool
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JULY 2016

- Sat 9** Embark Balmoral and depart Port of Tyne, Newcastle
- Mon 11** Ålesund, Norway
- Tue 12** **CRUISING RØRVIK, THE HAT MOUNTAIN (TORGHATTEN), SEVEN SISTERS, NEPTUNE'S ARCTIC CIRCLE CROSSING CEREMONY AND BLACK GLACIER, SVARTISEN**
- Wed 13** Tromsø, Norway
Situating 400km north of the Arctic Circle, Tromsø's climate is surprisingly moderate. The main part of town stretches along the east shore of the island of Tromsøya, linked to the mainland by a gracefully arched bridge
- Thu 14** Honningsvåg, Norway
CRUISING NORTH CAPE
- Fri 15** **CRUISING BEAR ISLAND**
- Sat 16** Pyramiden, Spitsbergen ★MAIDEN PORT★
Pyramiden is located at the foot of the beautiful Billefjord on the island of Spitsbergen. Large Soviet-era warehouses, living quarters and an old coal-fired power plant stand defiantly in the town centre and the empty mine shafts look exactly the same as they did on the day they were used
CRUISING TEMPELFJORDEN
Longyearbyen, Spitsbergen (arrive late night - overnight stay on board)
- Sun 17** Longyearbyen, Spitsbergen
Barentsburg, Svalbard (pm)
- Wed 20** Trondheim, Norway
Trondheim is packed with interesting sights, from the Gothic-style Nidaros Cathedral to an eclectic choice of museums. Best of all, it can be explored easily on foot - most of the historic centre is on a small island reached by a series of bridges
- Thu 21** Geiranger, Norway
Marvel at the spectacular waterfalls that cascade down from the steep rocky peaks at this UNESCO award winning destination
SCENIC CRUISING
- Sat 23** Arrive Port of Tyne, Newcastle

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25 NIGHTS DEPARTING 6TH JUNE 2016

JUNE 2016

Mon 6	Embark Boudicca and depart Liverpool
Fri 10	Gibraltar
Sat 11	Cartagena, Spain
Tue 14	Catania, Sicily Catania boasts dramatic cityscapes with beautifully ornate baroque buildings that pan across the Sicilian coast. Visit the Cathedral and Castello Ursino, the Bellini Museum or take a cable-car ride up to the hissing craters of Mount Etna
Wed 15	Kerkira, Corfu
Thu 16	Kotor, Montenegro The approach to Kotor is one of the world's most beautiful bays. Kotor itself is a gorgeous medieval walled city with World Heritage status. Every timeworn stone, fresco painting and hidden alley holds clues to a fascinating past
Fri 17	Hvar, Croatia
Sat 18 -	Venice, Italy (overnight stay on board)
Sun 19	Gondolas glide along the canals while the sound of music is heard everywhere in this amazing city. With so much to see an overnight stay is required. The energetic city life, palaces and the landmark cathedrals make this magnificent city of water a truly unique experience
Mon 20	Split, Croatia

Tue 21	Dubrovnik, Croatia Medieval ramparts encircle a tight maze of narrow streets in this ancient walled city. Gaze at the ornate interiors of the Rector's Palace, or take a trip to picturesque Cavtat for a spot of shopping
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Thu 23	Valletta, Malta
Sun 26	Málaga, Spain
Mon 27	Cádiz, Spain

JULY 2016

Fri 1	Arrive Liverpool
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Curry-Mango Shrimp on the Barbie

**SYNONYMOUS WITH POPULAR
SOUND BITES SUCH AS “PLAY IT
AGAIN, SAM” IS THAT ENDEARING
PHRASAL PARODY OF AUSTRALIA
“THROW ANOTHER SHRIMP ON
THE BARBIE.”**

Needless to say, the Australians are connoisseurs of crustaceans, and they're not shy of seasoning. This particular dish stacks flavour on a stick, is low in fat, pure protein, and simple to rustle up. What's more, you don't need colonial climes to grill outside, since a cast iron griddle pan can give you that charcoaled kick come rain or shine. And while not all of us can spear our shrimp fresh from the surf, there's plenty of fresh-frozen prawns on ice at the mongers.

All you need now are some metal skewers, a blend of spices and a gathering of good vibes. When it comes to second servings, you'll need to throw on more than just the one, mate.

FOR AUTHENTIC AUSTRALIAN CUISINE

Please see our Gold Coast & Indonesia Cruise
with Seabourn on pages 40 & 41

INGREDIENTS

- 1 pound of peeled and deveined large shrimp or king prawns (roughly ½ pound per person for a main course)
- 1 lime (or enough for 3 tablespoons of juice)
- 1 tablespoon fresh finely-grated ginger
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1/2 cup mango chutney
- 1/2 teaspoon curry powder
- Metal skewers

PREPARATION

1. Combine the ginger, oil, curry powder, chutney and lime in a bowl.
2. Brush half of this mixture over the shrimp/prawns. If you want more flavour, cook the shrimp with their heads intact. Cover and stand for 15 minutes.
3. If cooking with a griddle, grease it with a little oil and pre-heat to a medium temperature; you don't want to overcook the shrimp. In the meantime, thread the shrimp onto skewers. If you want to keep their attractive curved shape, skewer each one through the head and bottom near the tail. Do not pack the shrimp too tightly to ensure even cooking.
4. Grill the shrimp, leaving them to sizzle for 3 or 4 minutes each side. They are ready when the skin turns pink. Remove immediately from heat.
5. Brush with the remaining chutney mixture and serve.

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MAY 2016

Sat 14	Embark <i>Minerva</i> and depart Portsmouth
Sun 15	Honfleur, France
Mon 16	St. Malo, France
Tue 17	Relaxing at sea
Wed 18	Nantes, France
Thu 19	Douarnenez (for Quimper), France ★MAIDEN PORT★
Fri 20	St. Peter Port, Guernsey
Sat 21	Caen, France
Sun 22	Relaxing at sea
Mon 23	Rotterdam, Netherlands ★MAIDEN PORT★
Tue 24 - Thu 26	London (from Greenwich), England (two night stay on board)
Fri 27	Arrive Portsmouth

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Terra Botanica **Douarnenez** Douarnenez

City Tour, Chateau of Trevarez **St. Peter Port** Gardens of
Guernsey, Guernsey Island Drive **Caen** Normandy Landings,
Bayeux, Caen Peace Memorial **Rotterdam** Gouda Walking Tour,
Kinderdijk Tour **London** Chelsea Flower Show, Tower of London,
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APRIL 2016

Fri 15	Embark <i>Minerva</i> and depart Portsmouth
Sat 16	Rouen, France (arrive early pm - overnight stay on board)
Sun 17	Rouen, France (depart early pm)
Mon 18	Guernsey, Channel Islands
Tue 19	Relaxing at sea
Wed 20	Bordeaux, France (overnight stay on board)
Thu 21	Bordeaux, France
Fri 22	La Pallice, France
Sat 23	Nantes, France (overnight stay on board)
Sun 24	Nantes, France
Mon 25	Lorient, France
Tue 26	Relaxing at sea
Wed 27	St. Malo, France
Thu 28	Arrive Portsmouth

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YOUR CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail the Loire, Seine and Garonne rivers as *Minerva* visits three fascinating French waterways
- Admire the beautiful landscapes and scenery of the picturesque Cognac region
- Enjoy plenty of time to explore Bordeaux and Nantes as *Minerva* docks overnight in each port
- Discover the UNESCO-listed island commune of Mont Saint-Michel in the bay of St. Malo

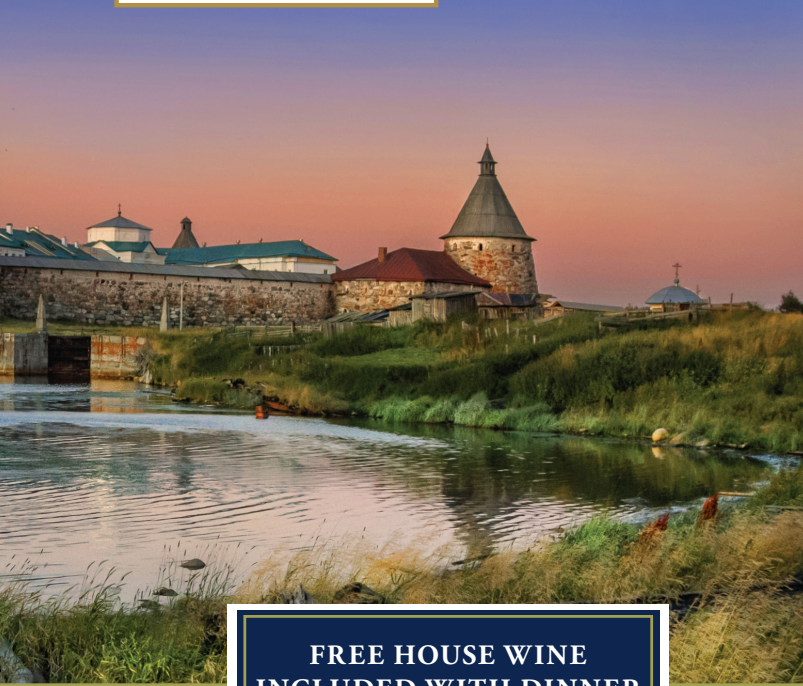
YOUR CHOICE OF INCLUDED SHORE EXCURSIONS*

Rouen Rouen City **Guernsey** Guernsey Island Drive
Bordeaux Bordeaux City & Walk, St. Emilion **La Rochelle**
La Rochelle City & Walk, Green Venice **Nantes** Nantes
City Tour, Terra Botanica **Lorient** Quimper, Vannes **St. Malo**
Town Walking Tour, Dinan & Dinard, Mont St. Michel

YOUR GUEST SPEAKERS

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17 NIGHTS DEPARTING 23RD JUNE 2016

JUNE 2016

- Thu 23** Fly from London to Kirkenes, Norway. Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark Minerva
- Fri 24 - Sat 25** Relaxing at sea
- Sun 26** Arkhangelsk, Russia ★MAIDEN PORT★
- Mon 27** Solovetsky Islands, Russia ★MAIDEN PORT★
- Tue 28** Relaxing at sea
- Wed 29** Murmansk, Russia ★MAIDEN PORT★
- Thu 30** Relaxing at sea

JULY 2016

- Fri 1** Relaxing at sea
- Sat 2** Leknes (Lofoten), Norway
- Sun 3** Relaxing at sea
- Mon 4** Trondheim, Norway
- Tue 5** Ålesund, Norway
- Wed 6** Florø, Norway (depart early pm)
- Thu 7** Haugesund, Norway
- Fri 8 - Sat 9** Relaxing at sea
- Sun 10** Arrive Portsmouth

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Russian visa which must be obtained prior to departure. Swan Hellenic booking conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

YOUR CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

- Join *Minerva* on her inaugural sailing from Kirkenes to the enigmatic White Sea
- Arkhangelsk and Murmansk, key destination points for the Arctic convoys of World War II
- Discover the remote, UNESCO listed Solovetsky Islands
- Take time to explore Norway's first capital, Trondheim
- Ålesund, whose striking Art Nouveau architecture stretches across three islands

YOUR CHOICE OF INCLUDED SHORE EXCURSIONS*

Arkhangelsk City Tour & Fine Art Museum, Pomorya Architecture Treasury **Solovetsky Islands** Solovetsky Monastery, Sekirnaya Hill **Murmansk** Highlights & Museum of Northern Fleet, Panoramic Tour **Leknes** Viking Museum & Scenic Drive, Nusfjord & Museum **Trondheim** Trondheim City & Cathedral **Ålesund** City Sightseeing, Islands of Giske & Godøy **Florø** Sunnfjord Museum & Waterfall **Haugesund** Viking History Museum, Skudeneshavn Harbour

YOUR GUEST SPEAKERS

- Rear Admiral John Lippie** CB MBE - Chief Executive of the Mary Rose Trust
- Sir Richard Dales** KCVO CMG - Former Ambassador to Norway
- The Rt Revd Tim Stevens** - Former Bishop of Leicester

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Lake of Sete Cidades,
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THE NO-FLY ESCAPE TO MADEIRA & THE AZORES

15 NIGHTS
DEPARTING 22ND MAY 2016

MAY 2016

Sun 22 Embark Voyager and depart Portsmouth

Mon 23 St. Peter Port, Guernsey

Step ashore in picturesque St. Peter Port, the capital of Guernsey, with its charming blend of French and English influences. Visit spectacular Castle Cornet, a royal fortress that has stood guard over the harbour town for more than 800 years, explore the lovely Victorian Candie Gardens, or focus on the more recent history of the island's occupation during the Second World War. If you choose to venture further afield, tiny Herm, a haven for wild birds, and neighbouring Sark, home to the splendid La Seigneurie Gardens, are wonderful choices

Tue 24 Relaxing at sea

Wed 25 La Coruña, Spain

From La Coruña, follow in the footsteps of countless pilgrims to Santiago de Compostela, the culmination of the Way of St. James, where a magnificent 12th century cathedral houses the tomb of the apostle. Discover grand buildings in Romanesque, Gothic and Baroque architectural styles in the UNESCO listed Old Town. Alternatively, choose to stay in the intriguing port city, which is home to the world's oldest working lighthouse. Stroll around its magnificent squares, through the medieval quarter or along its attractive promenade

Thu 26 - Relaxing at sea
Fri 27

Sat 28 Horta, Azores

In the western part of the alluring Azores is Faial, known as the 'blue island' because of the abundant hydrangeas that frame its houses and border the roads. Historically, its cosmopolitan capital Horta was an important port for Portuguese and Spanish explorers, while today its sheltered marina is the place to admire transatlantic yachts. Journey inland to the Caldeira, an enormous crater classified as a natural reserve, or take the opportunity to spot whales and dolphins in the surrounding waters

Sun 29 Ponta Delgada, Azores

Bustling Ponta Delgada is the capital of São Miguel, the largest of the nine volcanic islands of the archipelago. Soak up its diverse scenery of beautiful lakes, sandy beaches, rolling hills, high mountains and green plains. Head to the Sete Cidades twin lakes, one seemingly emerald-green and the other deep blue, situated in the biggest extinct volcano crater in the Azores. Exploring Ponta Delgada, with its blend of turn-of-the-century architecture, parks and cobbled streets meandering to the marina, is a relaxing alternative

Mon 30 Relaxing at sea

Tue 31 Funchal, Madeira (overnight stay on board - depart early am)

Nestled in a natural amphitheatre with a mountain backdrop, Funchal is blessed with a perfect climate for plant life, which means flowers bloom all year round. An overnight stay offers time to enjoy its many sights, including the tangle of red-roofed, white-washed houses which tumble down to the mighty ocean. For breathtaking views, take a cable car ride to Monte, noted for its fine properties and gardens. Perhaps experience a thrilling wicker toboggan ride back down again, or visit Funchal's hillside Botanic Gardens, home to 2,500 plants

JUNE 2016

Wed 1 Porto Santo, Portugal (arrive early pm)

One of the best-kept secrets of the Atlantic, laid-back Porto Santo offers a glimpse of a slower pace of life. It benefits from a mild climate and has an endless stretch of sandy beach said to have therapeutic qualities. Its capital, Vila Baleira, was once home to Christopher Columbus. Visit the house reputedly occupied by the great explorer which is now a museum, unwind on the beach lapped by warm turquoise waters or wander one of the island's trails to experience the unspoilt landscape

Thu 2 Relaxing at sea

Fri 3 Lisbon, Portugal

Situated on the banks of the River Tagus, the Portuguese capital of Lisbon has a unique

beauty and fascinating maritime history. See the Monument of Discoveries, erected to celebrate the achievements of seafaring pioneers, and the city's icon, the Belem Tower, built in the 16th century to guard the harbour entrance. Savour the tranquillity of the Jerónimos Monastery, a jewel of Manueline architecture and the resting place of explorer Vasco da Gama. Further afield, medieval Obidos may appeal, or head to fairytale Sintra, described by Lord Byron as a 'Glorious Eden'

Sat 4 - Relaxing at sea
Sun 5

Mon 6 Arrive Portsmouth

CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

Discover the British and French influences of Guernsey

The volcanic archipelago of the Azores

Enjoy Portugal's hidden gem, the island of Porto Santo

Stunning landscapes of Madeira - the 'floating garden of the Atlantic'

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13 NIGHTS
DEPARTING 13TH SEPTEMBER 2016

SEPTEMBER 2016

Sun 13 Fly from London to Dubrovnik, Croatia and embark Voyager beginning with an overnight stay on board

Mon 14 Dubrovnik, Croatia

The picture-perfect medieval walled city of Dubrovnik offers ancient stone buildings, narrow cobbled streets and fortified ramparts rising above red-tiled rooftops. Explore the fascinating old town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site which is the pride of Croatia

Tue 15 Split, Croatia

Nestled on the dramatic Dalmatian coast, Split is an exuberant city boasting magnificent architecture with the UNESCO-listed Palace of Diocletian at its core. Marvel at the host of treasures that lie within the vast complex, including the sunken Roman Plaza and the Cathedral of St. Domnius

Wed 16 Rijeka, Croatia ★MAIDEN PORT★

A maiden call for Voyager, cultural Rijeka is a delight to explore on foot. Wander around Korzo, a pedestrian zone lined with picturesque cafés, and admire the ornate Austro-Hungarian-style buildings and Clock Tower at the heart of Croatia's charming third city. Head to the 13th century Trsat Castle, which sits high on a hill offering magnificent views of the enticing Kvarner Gulf, admire beautiful churches or linger in its intriguing museums

Thu 17 Koper, Slovenia

Step back in time in medieval Koper's well-preserved old town, which boasts ancient squares, a 15th century Venetian palace and Slovenia's largest cathedral. Also known for its promenade, Kotor is one of Slovenia's 'Mediterranean pearls'. Journey further afield to see the beautiful old Venetian town of Piran, or the lively capital, Ljubljana

Fri 18 Venice, Italy (overnight stay on board)

Venice is one of the world's most remarkable cities and an overnight stay gives time to enjoy its many treasures. Soak up the atmosphere of St. Mark's Square and admire its ancient basilica, visit the lavish Doge's Palace and stroll across the famous Rialto Bridge spanning the Grand Canal, the main waterway which snakes through this amazing floating city

Sat 19 Venice, Italy

Sun 20 Relaxing at sea

Mon 21 Kotor, Montenegro

Witness the dramatic scenery of Southern Europe's deepest fjord as Voyager cruises through Kotor Bay - listed amongst the most beautiful bays in the world. Step ashore in UNESCO-listed Kotor to experience one of the best-preserved medieval towns of the Adriatic

Tue 22 Corfu, Greece

With its emerald-green mountains, yellow and pink buildings and abundance of olive trees, Corfu is the greenest and possibly the prettiest of the Greek islands. Unwind on one of its spectacular beaches lapped by the blue waters of the Ionian Sea or explore its cosmopolitan capital, Corfu Town. In the UNESCO-listed old quarter, stroll along a maze of narrow streets dominated by a fortress

Wed 23 Katakolon, Greece

A small seaside town on the western coast of the Peloponnese, Katakolon is the gateway to ancient Olympia, site of the Olympic Games in classical times. See the imposing remains of the stadium, temples and treasures and browse the museum at this important archaeological site

Thu 24 Monemvasia, Greece ★MAIDEN PORT★

Another new port for Voyager is the spectacular castle town of Monemvasia, the so-called 'Gibraltar of the East'. Separated from the Peloponnese mainland by an earthquake in 375AD, today a causeway links the modern mainland town to the mighty rock island, whose unspoilt medieval village is enclosed within the castle walls

Fri 25 Athens (from Piraeus), Greece (overnight stay on board)

The extraordinary Greek capital of Athens can be explored from Piraeus. Immerse yourself in this incredible ancient world as you see landmarks such as the Panathenaic Stadium, host of the first modern Olympics. Wonder at the imposing Acropolis, the magnificent citadel surrounded by important monuments

Sat 26 Athens (from Piraeus), Greece

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CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

Join Voyager on a maiden call to cosmopolitan Rijeka

Two-day stay in Venice, a city of magnificent art and architecture

Cruising the beautiful Kotor Bay

UNESCO-listed Campiello in Corfu Town

Monemvasia is known as the 'Gibraltar of the East' for its 300 metre-high table-top hill and medieval fortress

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SEPTEMBER 2015

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- Tue 8** **Amsterdam, Netherlands**
Explore the city's 700 year old streets, cruise down its bustling canals, and browse its colourful flower markets. People watch in Dam Square, visit Anne Frank's House and the picturesque villages of Volendam and Marken
- Wed 9** **Cherbourg, France**
- Thu 10 -** Relaxing at sea
- Mon 14**
- Tue 15** **St. John's, Newfoundland, Canada**
- Wed 16** Relaxing at sea
- Thu 17** **Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada**
Halifax, gateway to Atlantic Canada, is the capital region of Nova Scotia and is a lively and colourful combination of urban and rural living at its best. The historic downtown waterfront areas of Halifax and Dartmouth are perfect for discovering on foot
- Fri 18** Relaxing at sea
- Sat 19** **Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada**
The largest city on Prince Edward Island, you'll find Charlottetown a delight to explore. Awash with Victorian-era houses, saunter down Prince Street in the city's historic district. Popular attractions include Province House which hosted the Charlottetown Conference and Founders' Hall
- Sun 20** **Gaspé, Québec, Canada**
- Mon 21** **CRUISING ST. LAWRENCE RIVER**
- Tue 22 -** **Québec City, Canada** (overnight stay on board)
- Wed 23**
- Thu 24** **Montreal, Québec, Canada**
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your flight to London
- Fri 25** Arrive London

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Superior Ocean View Twin	9	£4,689	£2,019
Superior Plus	11	£5,009	£2,159
Ocean View Twin			
De Luxe Ocean View	DL	£6,299	£2,699
Junior Suite	JS	£7,259	£3,129

CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

QUÉBEC CITY, QUÉBEC, CANADA

Home to many of the city's most famous sights, Upper Town's Old City offers a dramatic view of the St. Lawrence River and the surrounding countryside. Ride the funicular for incredible panoramic views, take a walk through Terrasse Dufferin - a beautiful terrace built in 1879 - or visit the majestic Château Frontenac.

MONTREAL, QUÉBEC, CANADA

A cosmopolitan city with European flair, Montreal is brimming with culture and boasts numerous architectural marvels. Each neighbourhood has its own unique charm, from traditional Chinatown to St. Denis Street with its French influences and extravagant Plateau-Mont-Royal.

SAGUENAY, QUÉBEC, CANADA

With its fascinating nature and bustling city life, Saguenay is sure to excite. Surrounded by three national parks and the Saguenay Fjord, the region offers a multitude of activities and incredible gastronomic fare. With a number of bars and boutiques, you'll be spoilt for choice.

CORNER BROOK, NEWFOUNDLAND, CANADA

For outdoor enthusiasts, Newfoundland is the best of what Canada has to offer. The wildlife is plentiful, including herds of caribou and more moose than anywhere else in Canada. There are rivers of trout and spawning salmon, seals and whales roam the waters offshore, while bird sanctuaries dot isolated areas.

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CANADA IN THE FALL

17 NIGHTS DEPARTING 24TH SEPTEMBER 2015

SEPTEMBER 2015

- Thu 24 Fly from London to Montreal, Québec, Canada.** Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark Marco Polo beginning with an overnight stay on board
- Fri 25 Montreal, Québec, Canada**
Situating in the south of Quebec Province, on the Ile-de-Montréal, Montreal has a lively tourism industry and plenty to see and do. The Montreal Museum of Fine Arts and the McCord Museum have a tremendous collection of Canadian art and artifacts to enjoy
- Sat 26 Saguenay, Québec, Canada**
- Sun 27 Sept-Îles, Québec, Canada**
- Mon 28 Havre-Saint-Pierre, Quebec, Canada**
- Tue 29 Cap-aux-Meules, Îles-de-la-Madeleine, Canada**
Cap-aux-Meules is one of the twelve remote islands that collectively make up the Magdalen Islands that lie in the Gulf of St. Lawrence to the northeast of Prince Edward Island. Known for their beautiful beaches, varied wildlife and red and grey cliffs, Cap-aux-Meules is the second largest in the archipelago

Wed 30 Sydney, Nova Scotia, Canada

OCTOBER 2015

- Thu 1 - Corner Brook, Newfoundland, Canada**
(overnight stay on board - depart am)
- Fri 2 CRUISING ST. LAWRENCE RIVER**
- Sun 4 L'Anse aux Meadows, Newfoundland, Canada**
- Mon 5 - Relaxing at sea**
- Thu 8**
- Fri 9 Cobh, Ireland**
- Sat 10 Relaxing at sea**
- Sun 11 Arrive London Tilbury**



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Wed 13 Arrive Southampton



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Commonly known as the Fourth of July, today Independence Day is a federal holiday in the United States where celebrations include fireworks, parades, barbecues, carnivals, sports games and much more.

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Here's how it works...

Complete and return the cryptic crossword and form below to arrive no later than 20th April 2015. Send in to our Freepost address: **Freepost RSLH-GBZG-LBZC, Blue Horizons Crossword, May 2015, Reader Offers Ltd, Lexden House, Colchester, Essex CO3 4DB.**

The winner will be the first correct entry drawn on 21st April 2015.

ACROSS

- 1 State where one played a trumpet initially with clarion and horn (5,8)
- 10 Relocated behind rug in the city (9)
- 11 In Nova Scotia raised headband (5)
- 12 Modern art gallery? (4)
- 13 Really true reality (6,4)
- 15 Vast amount of liquidity east of southern Africa (6,5)
- 17 A little railway back in Scotland (3)
- 18 Initially it is not perceived in a normal sense (1,1,1)
- 20 Rascal hit onion (11)
- 24 Laboratory worker's hint, ice can lose its shape (10)
- 25 Not a lot of notice (4)
- 27 River horse mentioned (5)
- 28 Anatole's accountant is a lady (9)
- 29 He has auctions disrupted in part of the 21 down (5,5,3)

DOWN

- 2 Left out order, Edward held it (7)
- 3 Bath placed on top of a musical instrument (4)
- 4 You are, it appears, in tree with liqueur (7)
- 5 Be accommodating again (7)
- 6 Tiny foolish person stopped short, a Dickensian (6,4)
- 7 Falls in over commander and artist (7)
- 8 Musical tale from the left team (4,4,5)
- 9 Strangest idea developed in West Sussex (4,9)
- 14 F scale (10)
- 16 Some taco sauce put on lettuce (3)
- 19 Pass round small picture first, it's a flute (7)
- 21 Peaceful water (7)
- 22 Food from fellow one hour after noon (7)
- 23 I am no longer fashionable as a result of deadlock (7)
- 26 31 days with one unit specifying area of cloud cover (4)

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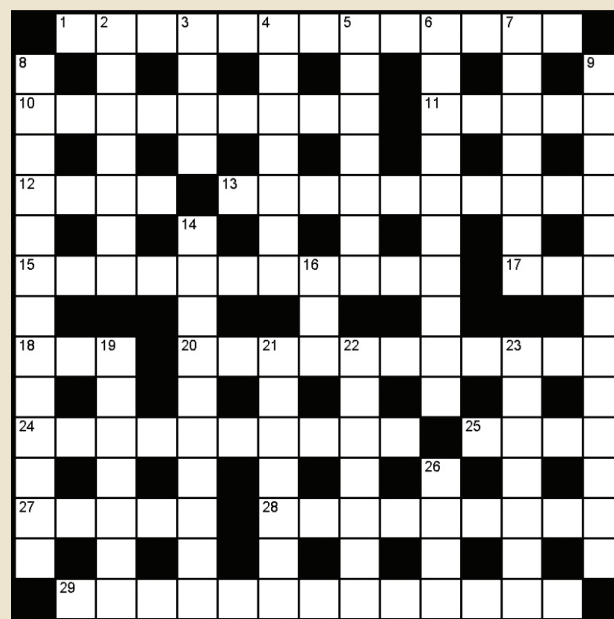
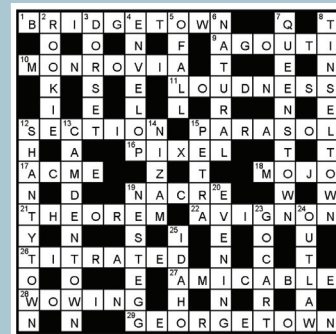
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Crossword Solution

APRIL

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THE MAGNIFICENT AUSTRALIAN
COASTLINE OFFERS MANY DELIGHTS
BUT THE JEWEL IN THE CROWN IS UNDOUBTEDLY

THE GREAT BARRIER REEF

Running parallel to the Queensland coast, the world's largest coral reef stretches 1,400 miles from the Torres Strait at the north eastern tip of this remarkable continent, south of Fraser Island.

Now a World Heritage Site, the reef lies between nine and 90 miles off shore and is up to 40 miles wide. While the most spectacular aspects of the reef are to be found beneath the clear blue waters, over 900 islands dot the reef's remarkable expanse. Some of these are tiny and treeless, others verdant with dense stands of trees; most uninhabited but some, like the Whitsundays and Hamilton Island, are fabulous holiday destinations. In the past the reef provided the indigenous people with bountiful hunting and fishing but now conservation of this treasure is paramount.

The reef base is a deep layer of dead coral, dating back 20 million years.

On this now lives the largest collection of living coral species in the world, also resplendent with sea grasses, anemones, sponges, starfish, mussels and clams. Above the coral heads swim myriad shoals of iridescent fish, twisting and turning, feeding and fleeing from larger predators. Sea snakes and turtles glide amongst the shoals while whales and dolphins breach the surface of the deeper blue waters. Below these coral heads can be found lion fish, moray eels, sharks and rays. The islands too provide nest sites for a huge variety of birds and in the skies above, frigates, terns and sea eagles glide and dive.

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Wed 8 Mooloolaba, Queensland, Australia

Fri 10 Hamilton Island, Australia
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Sat 11 Townsville, Australia

Sun 12 - Mon 13 Cairns, Australia (overnight stay on board)
A perfect base to explore the world-famous Great Barrier Reef, Cairns is also home to exquisite fine dining, a multitude of nature and wildlife attractions and a relaxing, tropical climate

Fri 17 Darwin, Australia
The cosmopolitan city of Darwin is Australia's tropical capital. Boats bob around the harbour, chairs and tables spill out of streetside restaurants and bars, museums celebrate the city's past, and galleries showcase the region's rich indigenous art

Mon 20 Komodo Island, Indonesia
The largest island in the national park is home to the legendary Komodo Dragon, the world's largest living lizard, which takes its name from the island. Fringed by pink sands, its steep hillsides are perfect for trekking. The fishing village of Kampung Komodo is also worth discovering

Tue 21 Lembar, Lombok, Indonesia
The northern part of the island is mountainous and lush with tall trees and shrubs, and the south is arid and covered by savannas. Despite its Balinese influences, Lombok is a unique and charming island, unspoilt and a hidden gem. Famous for its ikat hand-woven textiles, it is also home to a wide range of birdlife, lizards and marsupials



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Wed 22	Benoa (for Denpasar), Bali, Indonesia Disembark and transfer to a 5★ hotel† for your three night stay
Thu 23 - Fri 24	Explore Bali at your leisure Sought-after Bali is home to turquoise seas and beautiful white sands, not to mention over 10,000 temples. The rich culture of nearby Ubud is mesmerising - immerse yourself in Balinese culture with popular dance and music shows. If you want to get away from the temples and other historical sites, the surrounding countryside is unspoilt, with towering coconut trees and lush rice paddies to be admired
Sat 25	Transfer to the airport for your flight to London (regional and premium class flights available on request*)
Sun 26	Arrive London

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- Fri 16 Tokyo, Japan**
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- Sat 17 Tokyo, Japan**
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- Sun 18 Tokyo, Japan**
Transfer to the port and embark Celebrity Millennium[®] for your 11 night voyage, beginning with an overnight stay on board
- Mon 19 Tokyo, Japan**
- Tue 20 Mt. Fuji (from Shimizu), Japan**
At 4,776m, Japan's highest and most famous peak obviously is the region's natural draw. As well as climbing Mount Fuji, why not embrace the outdoors with hiking and other leisure opportunities at Fuji Five Lakes?



- Wed 21 - Kobe, Japan** (overnight stay on board)
Thu 22 At 354ft, Kobe Port Tower is an iconic landmark offering heart-stopping views from its upper deck. If heights are not your thing, try fermented rice wine at Hakutsuru Sake Brewery Museum
- Sat 24 Hiroshima, Japan**
- Sun 25 Nagasaki, Japan**
Famous as the site of the second atomic bomb on 9th August 1945, Nagasaki's Peace Park and Museum offer an insight into this tragic event. Today the city is vibrant and offers a blend of western and Japanese architecture you'll find a pleasure to explore
- Mon 26 Jeju Island, South Korea**
Often known as the 'Hawaii of South Korea', Jeju Island is well known for its natural wonders, including waterfalls, white sand beaches and a dormant volcano
- Tue 27 Seoul (from Incheon), South Korea**
- Thu 29 Shanghai (from Baoshan), China**
Disembark and be met by your Cox & Kings representative for your seven night tour. The tour begins with the Old City and the Yu Yuan Garden, which dates back to the 16th century. After looking around the garden you will have time to visit the adjoining market or stop at the tea pavilion. Continue to the Jade Buddha Temple, which is still in active use today, with dozens of monks in attendance. The tour ends at the Bund, lined with fine colonial buildings from its 1930s heyday when the city was occupied by European, American, and Japanese banks, trading houses, clubs consulates and hotels. These buildings have been restored as a showcase of the city and are spectacularly lit up at night. Transfer to The Central Hotel[‡] for your overnight stay (L)

- Fri 30 Beijing, China**
Transfer to the railway station for your High Speed train journey to Beijing. Upon arrival, transfer to the Novotel Peace Hotel[‡] for your three night stay (B, L)

OCTOBER 2016

- Sat 1 Full Day Tour to The Great Wall Of China**
Stretching from the Gobi desert to the Yellow Sea, this is the largest manmade structure on Earth. Two-and-a-half hours from Beijing, Jinshanling Pass is further out of the city than some of the more developed and more crowded parts of the Wall. You will see the collection of watchtowers and ramparts at Jinshanling rest on the mountain ridges, offering views of the Great Wall as it snakes across the skyline far into the distance (B, L)
- Sun 2 Tour of Beijing, China**
The tour starts at Tiananmen Square, where you will be able to take in the panorama of the largest public square in the world. Your guide will point you towards the Qian Men (Front Gate,) the Great Hall of the people and the Gate of Heavenly Peace with its huge portrait of Mao. It is through here that you will enter the Forbidden City. Continue to the Hutong district. Predominantly built during the Yuan, Ming, and Qing dynasties, the Hutong are a narrow network of lanes created by closely built homes in Beijing's centre. Travel traditionally in a pedicab (three-wheeled bicycle carriage), for a tour of the area, before having lunch with a local family. In the afternoon, visit Jing Shan Park. The park is a popular gathering place for people practicing tai chi, water calligraphy and other leisure pursuits (B, L)



Mon 3 Xian, China

Transfer to the railway station for your train journey to Xian. Upon arrival, transfer to Grand New World Hotel Xian for your two night stay* (B, L)

Tue 4 Full Day Tour of Xian and the Terracotta Warriors

Visit the Xian Art Museum, home to large collections of traditional Chinese painting, calligraphy and sculptures, where you'll learn about Chinese calligraphy and try your hand at this elegant and traditional Chinese art form. After lunch at a local restaurant, Xian's old city encompassing the Muslim Quarter with its Grand Mosque and bustling bazaar. The beautiful mosque lies close by the Drum Tower in Huajue Xiang. It is surrounded by the old houses and narrow lanes of Xian's Muslim, or Hui, community. This evening enjoy dinner with a colourful performance of traditional music and dance from the Tang Dynasty era (B, L)

Wed 5 Xian, China

The tour begins with a visit to the city walls and visiting in the morning will allow for the opportunity to see the local residents practicing tai chi and enjoying dance and music. Continue to the Great Wild Goose Pagoda, one of the few remaining Buddhist pagodas from the Tang dynasty, dating from 648 AD. After lunch at a local restaurant, transfer to the airport for your flight to Beijing, enjoying a tour of the tomb of Emperor Hanyang Ling en route. Upon arrival in Beijing, transfer to the CITIC Beijing Airport hotel¹ for your overnight stay (B, L)

Thu 6 Beijing, China

Transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to London (regional and premium class flights available on request*) (B)

Fri 7 Arrive London

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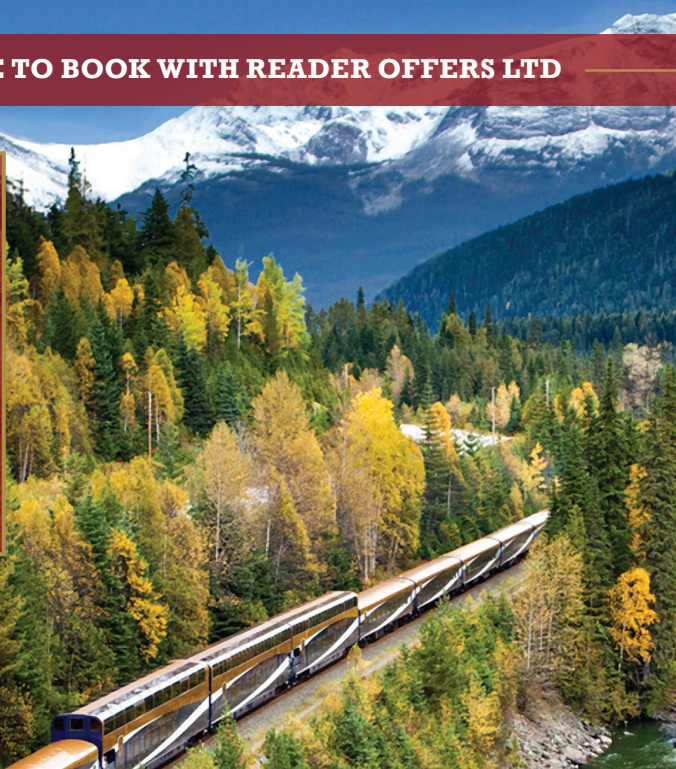
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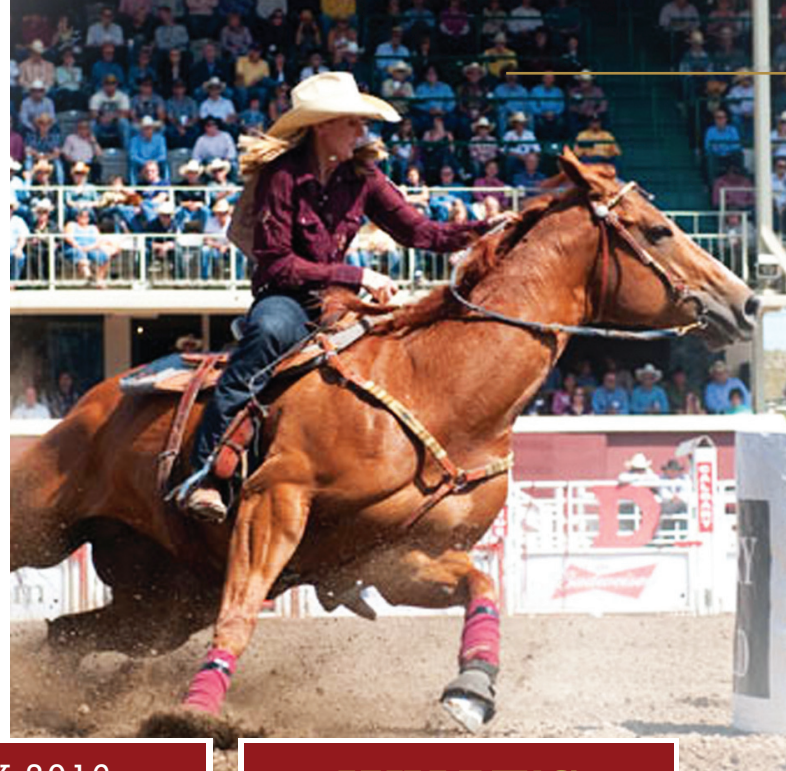
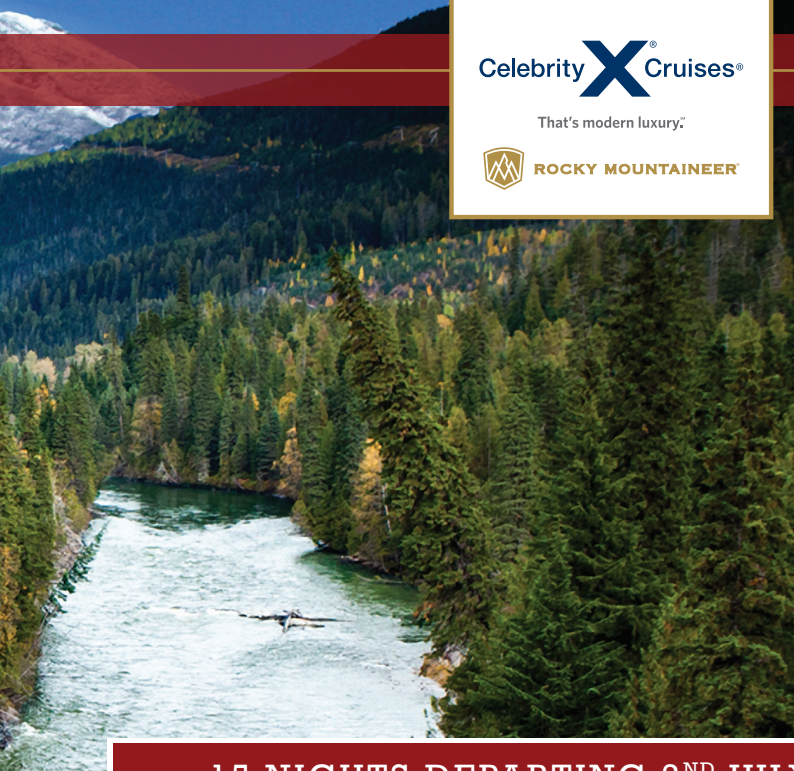
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15 NIGHTS DEPARTING 2ND JULY 2016

JULY 2016

- Sat 2** Fly direct from London to Vancouver, Canada (regional and premium class flights are available on request*). Upon arrival, transfer to the Holiday Inn Vancouver hotel† for your overnight stay
- Sun 3** **Vancouver, Canada**
Transfer from the hotel to Vancouver port and embark Celebrity Infinity® for your seven night Alaskan cruise
- Mon 4** **CRUISING THE INSIDE PASSAGE**
Tue 5 **Icy Strait Point, Alaska**
Wed 6 **CRUISING HUBBARD GLACIER**
Thu 7 **Juneau, Alaska**
From Alaska's scenic capital, you can visit the mighty Mendenhall Glacier, enjoy a wildlife cruise or perhaps try your hand at fishing
- Fri 8** **Ketchikan, Alaska**
During your time in Ketchikan perhaps visit a park of stately totem poles, go sightseeing to the spectacular Misty Fjords or enjoy a lunch of fresh salmon
- Sat 9** **CRUISING THE INSIDE PASSAGE**
Sun 10 **Vancouver, Canada**
Disembark and transfer to the Holiday Inn Vancouver hotel† for your overnight stay to begin your Rocky Mountaineer and Calgary Stampede experience
- Mon 11** **Rocky Mountaineer - Vancouver to Kamloops**
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- Tue 12** **Rocky Mountaineer - Kamloops to Banff**
Your journey continues eastwards to the mighty Canadian Rockies. Savour a delicious breakfast and lunch at your seat as the Rocky Mountaineer carries you through the ever-changing landscapes beyond your window. Enjoy mesmerising sights of the Continental Divide, Spiral Tunnels, Kicking Horse Canyon, Rogers Pass, and the jagged peaks of the Canadian Rockies. Your rail journey ends on arrival in Banff. Overnight hotel stay at Banff Caribou Lodge and Spa†

- Wed 13** **Banff to Calgary with sightseeing**
Today you'll enjoy a sightseeing tour of Banff. Highlights include the Hoodoos rock formations, Surprise Corner, Tunnel Mountain Drive and a stop at the Banff Gondola to ride to the summit of Sulphur Mountain for breathtaking views. Upon arrival in Calgary, transfer to the International Hotel and Suites† for your three night stay
- Thu 14** **Calgary Stampede Rodeo**
Today, grab hold of the reins and get ready for a day at The Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth, the Calgary Stampede. In the afternoon enjoy the Rodeo events and in the evening the competition of the Chuckwagon Races followed by the energy of the Grandstand Show and world-class fireworks display
- Fri 15** **Calgary Stampede Rodeo**
Enjoy admission to the legendary Half Million Dollar Rodeo. You will witness breathtaking stunts, where top professionals take on the west's wildest horses in the Saddle Bronc, Bareback riding events and the famous Bull Riding event
- Sat 16** **Calgary, Canada**
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- Sun 17** **Arrive London**

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JANUARY 2016

Sat 23 Fly from London to Bridgetown, Barbados direct with British Airways (regional and premium class flights available on request*)

Upon arrival, transfer to the Crane Resort† for your two night hotel stay

Sun 24 Bridgetown, Barbados

Explore Barbados at your leisure. While side streets are scattered with rum shops and chattel houses, Bridgetown is a bustling capital full of colonial architecture. Known for its duty-free shopping as much as its history, you'll find a wealth of things to do and see

Mon 25 Bridgetown, Barbados

Transfer to the port and embark *Silver Spirit* for your 21 night voyage

Wed 27 Devil's Island, French Guiana

Sat 30 Fortaleza, Brazil

Sun 31 Natal, Brazil

FEBRUARY 2016

Mon 1 Recife, Brazil

Relax on one of the world's finest beaches at Boa Viagem, visit Casa da Cultura, a former prison which is now a centre for culture and shopping, or visit the stunning Cathedral Sao Pedro built in the late 18th century

Wed 3 Salvador de Bahia, Brazil

Discover this Afro-Brazilian gem where the heritage of African slaves is preserved by their descendants, offering a unique experience. From music and dance to food and traditions, you'll find the spirit of this city a delight

Fri 5 Búzios, Brazil

Sat 6 - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil (two night stay on board)

Mon 8 Enjoy two nights in Rio, the carnival capital of the world. Experience the vibrancy and euphoria that surrounds this world-famous celebration - Samba music, richly decorated floats and colourful, imaginative costumes will be in abundance. See this spectacular festival at its very best and pick the parts of the carnival you wish to see

Tue 9 Santos, Brazil (for tours to São Paulo)

Fri 12 Punta del Este, Uruguay

Sat 13 Montevideo, Uruguay

Sun 14 Buenos Aires, Argentina (overnight stay on board)

Discover the capital and largest city of Argentina. Absorb the charm and flavour of this cosmopolitan city. You could enjoy a walk through one of the beautiful parks

Mon 15 Buenos Aires, Argentina

Disembark and transfer to Madero Hotel† for your two night stay

Tue 16 Buenos Aires, Argentina

Enjoy complimentary Dinner and Tango Show tickets* on your final evening, in the city that never sleeps

Wed 17 Buenos Aires, Argentina

Transfer to the airport your return direct flight to London with British Airways (regional and premium class flights available on request*)

Thu 18 Arrive London

Dates not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea

*Dinner and tango show tickets are subject to availability at the time of booking and include round trip transfers. Tickets for Rio Carnival are not included. Silversea booking conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.



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MARCH 2016

- Thu 3** Fly from London to Tokyo, Japan (regional and premium class flights are available on request*)
- Fri 4** Tokyo, Japan
Upon arrival transfer to a hotel for your three-night stay including breakfast†. Enjoy your afternoon exploring Tokyo at your leisure
- Sat 5** Kamakura and Yokohama
After breakfast embark on your full day tour, the first stop will be Kamakura, where you will behold the 750-year-old Giant Buddha bronze statue and Tsurugaoka Hachimangu Shrine. Following lunch at a local restaurant, you will drive to Yokohama to meander through serene Sankeien Garden. Later in the afternoon, you will return to your hotel before a Japanese-style BBQ dinner (B, L, D)
- Sun 6** Mt. Fuji, Owakundani Valley and Lake Ashi
Following breakfast, you will drive to the fifth station of Mt. Fuji, which is approximately halfway up, enjoying extraordinary views of the surrounding terrain. Next you will visit Hakone and board the aerial gondola for a spectacular ride over the Owakundani Valley. Finally you will transfer to Lake Ashi and board a unique Viking-style boat and cruise the placid waters. The remainder of the day is yours to enjoy as you please. (B, L)
- Mon 7** Tokyo Tower, Meiji Shrine and Asakusa Senso-ji Temple
After breakfast you will visit the iconic Tokyo Tower, then on to the Miji Shrine, standing in a dense forest glade at the very heart of Tokyo. Following lunch it's on to Asakusa Senso-ji Temples, the oldest temple in Tokyo. Then it is time to board the ultra-luxurious Seven Seas Voyager® to commence your cruise. (B, L)

Meals included on tours are as stated: B=Breakfast L=Lunch D=Dinner

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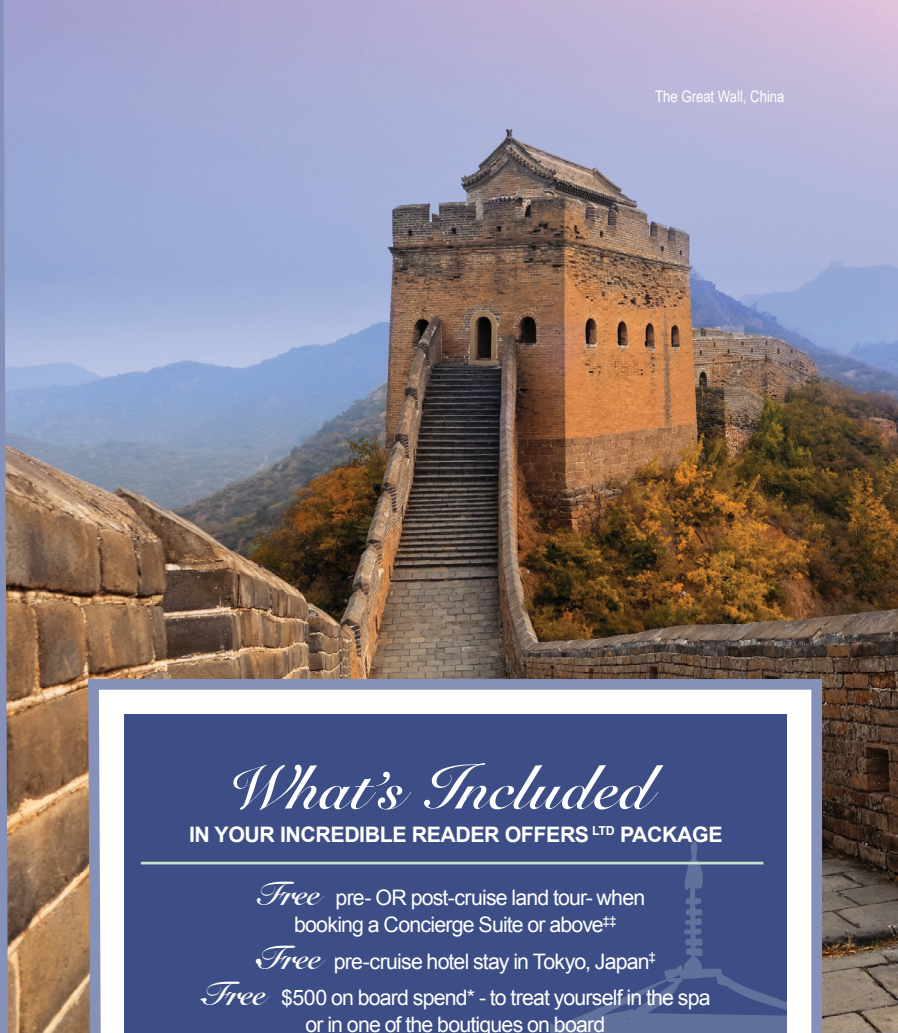
- Sat 5** Fly from London to Tokyo, Japan
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- Sun 6** Tokyo, Japan
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- Mon 7** Tokyo, Japan
Transfer to the port and embark the ultra-luxurious **Seven Seas Voyager®** for your 18 night all-inclusive cruise to Beijing
- Tue 8** Shimizu, Japan
- Wed 9 - Thu 10** Osaka, Japan (overnight stay on board)
- Fri 11** Cruising the Pacific Ocean
- Sat 12** Okinawa (Naha), Japan
- Sun 13** Keelung, Taiwan
- Mon 14** Kaohsiung, Taiwan
- Tue 15** Cruising the Strait of Taiwan
- Wed 16 - Thu 17** Hong Kong, China (overnight stay on board)
- Fri 18 - Sat 19** Xiamen, China (overnight stay on board)
- Sun 20** Cruising the coast of China
- Mon 21 - Tue 22** Shanghai, China (overnight stay on board)
- Wed 23** Cruising the Yellow Sea
- Thu 24** Beijing (Tianjin), China (overnight stay on board)
- Fri 25** Beijing (Tianjin), China
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- Sat 26** Arrive London



Mount Fuji, Japan



The Great Wall, China



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POST-CRUISE LAND TOUR^{††} BEIJING AND THE GREAT WALL

MARCH 2016

Fri 25 Beijing (Tianjin), China

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Sat 26 The Great Wall and Ming Tomb

Following breakfast, enjoy a scenic journey to the Great Wall at Juyongguan. After lunch continue to one of the Ming Tombs and learn about the burial rituals employed during the Ming Dynasty. Enjoy your afternoon at leisure before a traditional Peking duck dinner at a renowned local restaurant (B, L, D)

Sun 27 Temple of Heaven and Tai Chi

Enjoy an early breakfast in the hotel before venturing to the Temple of Heaven, completely wooden and built without any nails, it is one of the architectural wonders of ancient China. You are free to walk around the pine-lined grounds or take part in the Tai Chi exercise (B, L)

Mon 28 Beijing, China

After breakfast transfer to the airport for your flight to London (regional and premium class flights are available on request*)

Tue 29 Arrive London

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Maritime Memories

with Nigel Lingard
(Non-Executive Director, Reader Offers Ltd)



LAST MONTH'S EDITION MENTIONED DEAR OLD "BLACK PRINCE", SO I THOUGHT IT TIMELY TO UPDATE HER STORY WHICH I'M AFRAID TO SAY HAS REACHED A SAD ENDING.

During the 1950s and 1960s the Olsen family had been busy rebuilding their fleet of ships which had been decimated during the Second World War; many having been destroyed by allied action in order to prevent them falling into German hands as Norway was occupied.

The new Black Prince and sister ship Black Watch were to be quite revolutionary, fulfilling mixed roles suited to the Olsen's world-wide business activities. In the summer tourist season the ships would serve as drive-on car ferries linking the UK with Norway, offering new innovations such as air

conditioning and en suite bathrooms for every cabin.

In the winter the vessels were switched to routes linking England and Holland with the Canary Islands, where the family had extensive banana and tomato growing operations. The car decks became a chilled storage area for palletised fruit on the northbound journey, with mixed freight carried southbound. Upstairs the passenger areas were adapted to a cruise mode, with 350 passengers enjoying 12 night winter sunshine holidays.

From their 1966 introduction this routine worked successfully for some 20 years, by when new refrigerated ships were winning the fruit trade, and modern cruise ships were setting new standards. In 1987 Black Prince was converted to a pure cruise role, with new cabins replacing the car decks, and a water sports "Marina Park" installed aft. The intention was to attract a younger "yuppie" market with the activity programme, but this proved less

than successful, so it was back to the traditional British market!

Sadly the 2008 economic downturn, coming just when Balmoral was due into service, led to the decision to sell Black Prince, so in 2009 she headed off to a new life in Venezuela. This was dogged by bureaucratic problems, and the ship

was sent to Haiti for relief work after their earthquake disaster. Subsequently she was laid up in Santo Domingo, Dominica...and now my contacts there tell me that she was broken up last year.

Black Prince played a key role in the development of the cruise business as we know it today, and I was able to see how far this has come when visiting P&O's "Britannia" on her inauguration. Wow! Twelve times the size, and outfitted like a luxury hotel resort... but I do miss that little ship!

Whichever ship you choose, bon voyage.

Nigel.



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