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### WIN A CRUISE! COMPETITION WINNER

In the Coronation Special Edition of Blue Horizons we were delighted to present a fabulous opportunity to WIN A CRUISE for two! All bookings made by 8pm 31st May 2023 were entered into the competition with a FREE TRIPLE ENTRY.

We are delighted to announce the winner of a Balcony Cabin for seven nights with Cunard, visiting Spain and Portugal, is ... drum roll please ... Mrs Linda Margaret Haigh from West Yorkshire!

CONGRATULATIONS! We hope you enjoy your free cruise!

★ WANT TO BE A WINNER? ★ LOOK OUT FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN IN THE NEXT EDITION OF BLUE HORIZONS

## HELLO AND WELCOME

### TO YOUR 250TH SPECIAL EDITION OF BLUE HORIZONS

Jeremy Dickinson, Chairman of ROL Cruise

Since the first edition of Blue Horizons was published back in 2005, we have aspired to bring you the best that the world of cruising has to offer and this month I am ecstatic to be celebrating our 250th Edition of Blue Horizons!

We've seen many changes over the years, from an ever-evolving design to guest writers and, of course, special offers. Most recently, we celebrated the coronation of King Charles III with a special Coronation Edition, featuring a fantastic competition to win a cruise, a Blue Horizon's first!

It wouldn't be Blue Horizons without exclusive previews, savings, gifts and promotions, nor would it be the same without our loyal readers. Here's to many more editions to come, and many more cruise holidays!

And what a wealth of cruises there are to choose from! Turn to pages 06-07 and enjoy no-fly cruising with Ambassador for as little as £549pp! There's an incredible price drop on pages 14-15 - exclusive to ROL Cruise - where you can sail the Douro River for as little as £1,389pp. If the Caribbean is calling you, we have just the ticket on pages 38-39. Stay at the South Beach hotel in Barbados before joining an ultra-luxury all-inclusive cruise with Seabourn. Your exclusive benefits include a complimentary Suite upgrade and bonus savings of up to £500 off the advertised fares.

Coming up next month, we will be marking the 20th Anniversary of Blue Horizons, a momentous milestone for the No. 1 monthly cruise magazine. We will be reflecting over the incredible changes and developments within the cruise industry, and your stories from the past two decades.

Happy cruising!



#### REGULARS

- 04-07 AMBASSADOR**  
Maiden Grand World Voyage - from only £7,999pp
- 08-09 PRINCESS CRUISES**  
The No-Fly All-Inclusive Launch Promotion
- 10-11 CELEBRITY CRUISES**
- 12-13 APT**  
Magnificent Europe
- 14-15 EMERALD**  
Secrets of the Douro - Brand-New Price Drop
- 16-17 SOLO TRAVELLER DEALS**  
Low Single Supplement
- 18-19 FRED. OLSEN**  
Maiden Festive Seychelles to Cape Town
- 20-21 P&O CRUISES**
- 22-23 CUNARD**  
Maiden Season Sale on board Queen Anne
- 24-25 OCEANIA**  
Delights of France Grandeur of Great Britain
- 28-29 SILVERSEA**  
French Polynesia Discovery & Tahiti Stay
- 30-31 SCENIC**
- 32-33 UNIWORLD**
- 34-35 CUNARD**  
The Ultimate New York Christmas Experience
- 36-37 CELEBRITY CRUISES**  
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- 38-39 SEABOURN**  
Idyllic Caribbean
- 40-41 REGENT CRUISES**  
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Grand Canada & Greenland in the Fall - incredible deal from only £1,599pp

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### OUR LATEST REVIEWS



"We did have an excellent holiday, thank you. And are very much looking forward to our Reykjavik cruise."

Mr McEwen, Hampshire



"We have just returned from the Caribbean cruise. Your arrangements were excellent and the cruise itself was outstanding - probably the best cruise that we have done. Your arrangements for us before were clear and helpful to us. The ship was immaculate, the staff were excellent as was the food and the excursions."

Mr Robertson, Berwick



"Just returned from the route 66 tour and wanted to say how AMAZING it was and how well planned and organized it was. I would like to say a huge thank you to all those involved!"

Mr & Mrs Jones, West Midlands

In Celebration OF OUR 250TH EDITION

EXCLUSIVE PROMOTIONS ONLY AVAILABLE WITH ROL CRUISE MUST END 8PM 31ST JULY 2023 - PLEASE DON'T MISS OUT!

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# THE OFFICIAL 2024 NO-FLY MAIDEN GRAND WORLD VOYAGE SALE

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SAIL AROUND THE WORLD FROM LESS THAN £67<sup>PP</sup> PER NIGHT

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FREE ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO £500\*

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## YOUR 120 NIGHT MAIDEN WORLD VOYAGE DEPARTS 6<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2024

### JANUARY 2024

- Sat 6 Embark *Ambience* and depart London Tilbury
- Sun 7 Rotterdam, Netherlands
- Wed 10 Leixões (for Oporto), Portugal
- Sat 13 Ponta Delgada, Azores
- Sat 20 Bridgetown, Barbados
- Mon 22 Willemstad, Curaçao (depart early pm)
- Wed 24 San Blas Islands, Panama
- Thu 25 ★Full Transit of the Panama Canal★
- Mon 29 Crossing the Equator

### FEBRUARY 2024

- Sun 4 Nuku Hiva, French Polynesia
- Wed 7 Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia
- Thu 8 Bora Bora, French Polynesia
- Fri 9 Huahine, Maroe Bay, French Polynesia
- Sun 11 Rarotonga, Cook Islands (depart late night)
- Wed 14 Crossing the International Date Line
- Thu 15 Nuku Alofa, Tonga
- Mon 19 Auckland, New Zealand
- Tue 20 Bay of Islands, New Zealand
- Sat 24 Sydney, Australia
- Mon 26 Melbourne, Australia (arrive late am)
- Wed 28 Adelaide, Australia (arrive late am)



### MARCH 2024

- Sun 3 Fremantle (for Perth), Australia
- Fri 8 Lombok, Indonesia (depart early pm)
- Mon 11 Singapore (depart late night)
- Wed 13 Penang, Malaysia
- Thu 14 Phuket, Thailand (depart late night)
- Mon 18 Colombo, Sri Lanka (depart late night)
- Wed 20 Male, Maldives
- Fri 22 Crossing the Equator
- Sun 24 Victoria, Mahe, Seychelles
- Wed 27 - Mombasa, Kenya (overnight)
- Thu 28

### APRIL 2024

- Tue 2 Durban, South Africa
- Fri 5 Cape Town, South Africa (depart late night)
- Wed 10 Tristan da Cunha
- Mon 15 Rio de Janeiro, Brazil (depart late night)
- Thu 18 Salvador, Brazil
- Sat 20 Recife, Brazil
- Fri 26 Mindelo, São Vicente, Cape Verde (depart early pm)
- Tue 30 Casablanca (for Marrakesh), Morocco (depart late night)

### MAY 2024

- Thu 2 Lisbon, Portugal (depart early pm)
- Sun 5 Arrive in London Tilbury

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea. A day may be lost/gained when crossing the International Date Line.

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## CIRCUMNAVIGATE THE GLOBE ON THE VOYAGE OF A LIFETIME!

### A truly unforgettable experience

Circumnavigating the globe is the ultimate travel experience. Savour the very best our world has to offer as *Ambience* transports you from continent to continent where fascinating discoveries will fill every moment of your adventure. Discover inspirational, far-flung destinations and an incredible melting pot of experiences as you relax and explore the world in the comfort of a smaller, friendlier cruise ship, your home-from-home at sea.



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### Experience unforgettable ports of call

This has to be the No. 1 reason to take a world cruise. Think of all those places you've always wanted to visit and then imagine seeing them all in one journey. It might seem incomprehensible, but in just one journey you can visit 36 ports across 22 countries, ensuring you endure experiences that are unique to travelling by sea, from relaxing on the white sand of Bora Bora to transiting the Panama Canal to gliding right into the heart of Sydney.



## YOUR WORLD VOYAGE HIGHLIGHTS

### Mombasa, Kenya

Equally known for its miles of white-sand beaches and well-protected game reserves, this eastern Kenyan city hugs the Indian Ocean, making it the ideal destination for both surf and safari\*. Touched by centuries of colonization, Mombasa's skyline is a collection of UNESCO designated Portuguese, Arab, and English architecture interspersed with modern hotels.



### Tahiti, French Polynesia

Brilliant blue lagoons, proud jagged peaks, coconut groves and a hint of gardenia in the air. Everything you've ever imagined about this island is true. An enchanting place, to say the least, it's little wonder Tahiti is a muse to so many.



### Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

The famous Cristo Redentor (Christ the Redeemer) statue can be seen from most districts in Rio de Janeiro and is said to protect the city with its wide, open arms. An impressive 30 metres tall, the statue sits atop the Corcovado Mountain and is listed as one of the New Seven Wonders of the World.



## Experience the Difference

### WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE WORLD VOYAGE PROMOTION

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- A premium value, authentic and traditional cruise experience at a fantastically affordable price
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- A wide range of entertainment, including evening shows, plays, cabarets, live music & classical interludes
- Use of gym, swimming pool and hot tubs
- Porterage of luggage between the port and cabin

PLUS, book by 8pm 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023 and receive a FREE Champagne and Flutes Gift Set - EXCLUSIVELY for readers of Blue Horizons\*

#### EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES\*

Earn up to 58,978 Cruise Miles\* worth £589, when booking this incredible voyage with ROL Cruise\*\*



## YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>
Standard Inside	1	£10,729	£7,999
Standard Outside	6C+	£13,589	£10,199
Premium Ocean View	12	£18,589	£13,949
Premium Balcony	16	£25,019	£18,769
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£32,179	£24,139
De Luxe Suite	DS	£39,319	£29,489

Single cabins may be available - please call for details

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## ICELAND'S NORTHERN LIGHTS

11 NIGHTS DEPARTING 15<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2024

This is no trick of the light: the Aurora Borealis is one of the most awe-inspiring spectacles in all nature as the night sky comes alive in vivid swathes of pink and green. You'll visit the beautiful and unspoilt island of Iceland, with its colourful, cosmopolitan capital of Reykjavik, in search of this elusive and fabled phenomenon.



## A TASTE OF THE FJORDS

7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 16<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2024

Take in some of the most stunning vistas on earth as you sail through Norway's charming fjords. Become immersed in the colourful city of Bergen, before a sojourn in unspoilt Flåm. This historic village is a gateway to the Sognefjord and the Aurlandsfjord, which are sure to take your breath away. Then, onto Stavanger where the picturesque Boknafjord awaits.



### MARCH 2024

- Wed 15 **Embark Ambition and depart London Tilbury**
  - Thu 16 **Rotterdam, Netherlands**
  - Sat 18 **Kirkwall, Orkney Islands**
  - Sun 19 **Torshavn, Faroe Islands**
  - Tue 21 - Wed 22 **Reykjavik, Iceland** (overnight)
  - Sun 26 **Arrive in London Tilbury**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### MAY 2024

- Thu 16 **Embark Ambition and depart London Tilbury**
  - Fri 17 **Rotterdam, Netherlands**
  - Sun 19 **Bergen, Norway**
  - Mon 20 **Flåm, Norway**  
*Cruising Sognefjord & Aurlandsfjord*
  - Tue 21 **Stavanger, Norway**  
*Cruising Boknafjord*
  - Thu 23 **Arrive in London Tilbury**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Standard Plus Inside	2	£1,179	<b>£999</b>
Standard Outside	6	£1,479	<b>£1,259</b>
Premium Ocean View	12	£1,909	<b>£1,629</b>
Premium Balcony	16		<b>SOLD OUT</b>
Junior Suite	JS	£2,939	<b>£2,499</b>
De Luxe Suite	DS	£5,129	<b>£4,359</b>

Single cabins are available from **£1,639**

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Standard Inside	1	£719	<b>£549</b>
Standard Outside	6B+	£869	<b>£619</b>
Premium Ocean View	12	£1,239	<b>£819</b>
Superior Balcony	14	£1,509	<b>£1,149</b>
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£2,119	<b>£1,399</b>
De Luxe Suite	DS	£2,599	<b>£1,719</b>

Single cabins are available from **£919**

Gratuities of £6<sup>pp</sup> per day are automatically added to your on board account. Booking conditions of Ambassador Cruise Line and Reader Offers Limited Agency terms of business apply. Please see back page

## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE

### INCREDIBLE SAVINGS OF UP TO 35%<sup>±</sup>

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**FULL BOARD** adults-only no-fly cruising on board *Ambience* or *Ambition* including:

- **FREE** on board spend of up to **£150** for all bookings\*
- A premium value, authentic and traditional cruise experience at a fantastically affordable price
- **UPGRADE** to all-inclusive from only **£35<sup>PP</sup>** per night
- Locally inspired dishes on board and energy efficient engines, to help pave the way for more sustainable cruising
- A wide range of entertainment, including evening shows, plays, cabarets, live music & classical interludes

- Use of gym, swimming pool and hot tubs as well as spa access
- Porterage of luggage between the port and cabin
- The currency on board is pound sterling, so you won't be affected by any foreign exchange rate fluctuation

**PLUS**, book by 8pm 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023 to receive an **EXCLUSIVE FREE** Bettys Gift Bag, exclusively for readers of Blue Horizons\*

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Earn up to **10,678 Cruise Miles<sup>®</sup>** when booking one of these incredible voyages, worth **£106** your next booking with ROL Cruise\*\*



## HIDDEN GEMS OF FRANCE, SPAIN & PORTUGAL

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 14<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2024

Uncover remote wonders as you travel from Portugal to France. When in Porto, sample the magnificent port wine that has made the city world-famous. Le Verdon is a gateway to Bordeaux, where fine wines and Gothic cathedrals await. Experience the coastal beauty of La Rochelle and Honfleur to finish off your unforgettable trip.

### SEPTEMBER 2024

- Sat 14 **Embark Ambience and depart London Tilbury**
  - Tue 17 **Leixões (for Porto), Portugal**  
A short trip from the port of Leixões takes you to nearby Porto, Portugal's second largest city. A charming destination filled with medieval structures, hilly backstreets and a characterful past, the historic centre is recognised as a UNESCO World Heritage Site
  - Wed 18 **Lisbon, Portugal**  
Follow in the footsteps of the world's greatest explorers as you wind your way through Lisbon's cobblestone streets. Take in the tree-lined squares, ancient castles and colourful cityscape of Portugal's capital city
  - Fri 20 **Gijon, Spain**
  - Sat 21 **Getxo, Spain**
  - Sun 22 **Le Verdon-sur-Mer, France**
  - Mon 23 **La Pallice, France**
  - Wed 25 **Honfleur, France**  
The port at the Normandy city of Honfleur sets the standard for picturesque ports everywhere. This beautiful setting has been captured on canvas by a multitude of Impressionist painters, and a walk through its romantic streets will easily show you why
  - Thu 26 **Arrive in London Tilbury**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



## CLASSICAL MEDITERRANEAN

25 NIGHTS DEPARTING 24<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2025

Europe is a continent of incredible contrasts and ancient cultures, and this sailing brings you the best. You will travel to Spain's most beautiful spots, including historic Santiago de Compostela from Vigo, the neoclassical architecture of Cadiz and the endless sunshine of Palma de Mallorca. You'll then visit fabled Italy and Portugal, from the eternal city of Rome to the vineyards of Sicily.

### FEBRUARY 2025

- Mon 24 **Embark Ambience and depart London Tilbury**

Thu 27 **Vigo, Spain**

### MARCH 2025

- Sat 1 **Cadiz (for Seville), Spain**  
Sun-soaked Seville is a city of contrasts: from the magnificent cathedral and Alhambra Palace to bustling street markets, lively flamenco shows, tranquil river cruises and of course, truly wonderful tapas
  - Mon 3 **Palma, Mallorca**
  - Wed 5 **Toulon, France**
  - Thu 6 **Livorno (for Florence), Italy**
  - Fri 7 **Civitavecchia (for Rome), Italy**
  - Sat 8 **Naples, Italy**
  - Sun 9 **Messina, Sicily**
  - Mon 10 **Palermo, Sicily**
  - Wed 12 **Barcelona, Spain**
  - Thu 13 **Valencia, Spain**
  - Sat 15 **Málaga, Spain**
  - Mon 17 **Leixões (for Oporto), Portugal**
  - Thu 20 **Arrive in London Tilbury**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Standard Inside	1	£1,229	<b>£899</b>
Standard Outside	6B+	£1,509	<b>£1,029</b>
Premium Ocean View	12	£2,119	<b>£1,339</b>
Superior Balcony	14	£2,619	<b>£1,919</b>
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£3,669	<b>£2,319</b>
De Luxe Suite	DS	£4,489	<b>£2,829</b>

Single cabins are available from **£1,519**

for full terms and conditions.

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Standard Inside	1	£2,329	<b>£1,699</b>
Standard Outside	6B+	£2,849	<b>£1,939</b>
Premium Ocean View	12	£4,029	<b>£2,529</b>
Superior Balcony	14	£4,959	<b>£3,599</b>
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£6,959	<b>£4,369</b>
De Luxe Suite	DS	£8,509	<b>£5,339</b>

Single cabins are available from **£2,889**

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OF UP TO  
£2,100\***

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**FREE  
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TO BALCONY  
UPGRADES\***

**BOOK WITH A  
TOP PARTNER  
FOR PRINCESS**

## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH PROMOTION

### EXCLUSIVE LAUNCH FARES SAVING UP TO £2,100\*

**Drinks package, gratuities & unlimited Wi-Fi included for all bookings\*\***

- Drinks Package - including sodas, speciality coffees and teas, cocktails, wine and beer up to \$15 each
- Gratuities - pre-paid to help recognise the team that works above and beyond to make your holiday so wonderful
- Single device unlimited Wi-Fi - stay connected to whatever you need with the best Wi-Fi at sea

- **FREE** dining options including Dine My Way™, 24-hour buffet, 24-hour International Café, poolside grill, ice cream bar, pizzeria, afternoon tea and 24-hour room service
- Speciality dining options include Sabatini's Italian Trattoria, Ultimate Balcony Dining and Chef's Table\*\*
- A variety of bars including Crooners Martini Bar and Wheelhouse Bar
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Premium cruising on board your chosen *Princess Cruises' ship*, including:

- Main Dining Rooms for both Anytime Dining and Traditional Dining
- A variety of freshwater pools and hot tubs

### EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES\*

Earn up to **68,598 Cruise Miles\*** worth **£685** off your next booking with ROL Cruise\*\*



## CANARY ISLANDS

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 24<sup>TH</sup> MARCH & 2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER 2025

Day 1	<b>Embark <i>Sky Princess</i>* and depart Southampton</b>	Day 7	<b>Las Palmas, Gran Canaria</b> The volcanic island of Gran Canaria has been recognised by UNESCO as a Biosphere Reserve and was a provisioning stop for Christopher Columbus during his 15 <sup>th</sup> century voyages to the New World
Day 3	<b>Vigo, Spain</b>	Day 8	<b>Arrecife, Lanzarote</b>
Day 5	<b>Funchal, Madeira</b>	Day 10	<b>Lisbon, Portugal</b>
Day 6	<b>Santa Cruz, Tenerife</b> The perennially popular island of Tenerife continues to draw in millions of tourists year upon year. Perhaps it's the imposing volcano of Mount Teide or its top-class beaches and fantastic weather	Day 13	<b>Arrive in Southampton</b>

Days not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>
Interior	£1,699	<b>£1,649</b>
Ocean View	£2,099	<b>£2,039</b>
<b>FREE upgrade to a Balcony Stateroom*</b>		
Deluxe Balcony	£2,249	<b>£2,179</b>
Mini Suite	£2,449	<b>£2,379</b>
Suite	£3,999	<b>£3,879</b>
Sky Suite	£11,998	<b>£11,399</b>

**Solo fares are available on request**

Itinerary, fares and availability are based on the 24<sup>th</sup> March 2025 departure

## MEDITERRANEAN & SCANDINAVIA MEDLEY

21 NIGHTS DEPARTING 9<sup>TH</sup> & 23<sup>RD</sup> AUGUST 2025

Day 1	<b>Embark <i>Sky Princess</i>* and depart Southampton</b>	Day 13	<b>Málaga, Spain</b>
Day 3	<b>Kristiansand, Norway</b>	Day 15	<b>Ajaccio, Corsica</b> Nestled in a scenic bay on Corsica's west coast is Ajaccio, the island's capital and birthplace of the infamous Napoleon Bonaparte
Day 4	<b>Oslo, Norway</b>	Day 16	<b>Marseille, France</b>
Day 5	<b>Copenhagen, Denmark</b>	Day 18	<b>Gibraltar</b>
Day 6	<b>Skagen, Denmark</b>	Day 19	<b>Lisbon, Portugal</b>
Day 8	<b>Southampton, England</b>	Day 22	<b>Arrive in Southampton</b>
Day 10	<b>Vigo, Spain</b>	<small>Days not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea</small>	
Day 12	<b>Seville (Cádiz), Spain</b>		

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>
Interior	£3,349	<b>£3,249</b>
Ocean View	£4,449	<b>£4,299</b>
<b>FREE upgrade to a Balcony Stateroom*</b>		
Deluxe Balcony	£4,749	<b>£4,599</b>
Mini Suite	£5,399	<b>£5,239</b>
Suite	£8,449	<b>£8,199</b>

**Solo fares are available on request**

Itinerary, fares and availability are based on the 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2025 departure

## EUROPEAN CAPITALS

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 22<sup>ND</sup> MAY & 15<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025

Day 1	<b>Embark <i>Emerald Princess</i>* and depart Southampton</b>	Day 3	<b>Rotterdam, Netherlands</b>
Day 2	<b>Brussels/Bruges (from Zeebrugge), Belgium</b> With its medieval buildings, charming canals and cobblestone streets, Bruges is like something from a fairytale. Its oval-shaped historic city centre is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and home to important landmarks such as the Belfry of Bruges	Day 5	<b>Oslo, Norway</b>
		Day 6	<b>Gothenburg, Sweden</b>
		Day 7	<b>Copenhagen, Denmark</b>
		Day 8	<b>Aarhus, Denmark</b>
		Day 10	<b>Hamburg, Germany</b>
		Day 12	<b>Paris/Normandy (from Le Havre), France</b>
		Day 13	<b>Arrive in Southampton</b>

Days not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea

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Stateroom/Suite	Full Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>
Interior	£1,799	<b>£1,749</b>
Ocean View	£2,249	<b>£2,179</b>
Balcony	£2,299	<b>£2,229</b>
Mini Suite	£2,899	<b>£2,799</b>
Suite	£4,499	<b>£4,359</b>

**Solo fares are available on request**

Itinerary, fares and availability are on the 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2025 departure

## HOLYLANDS & MEDITERRANEAN MARVEL

31 NIGHTS DEPARTING 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025

SEPTEMBER 2025	Fri 26	<b>Athens, Greece</b>	
Sat 13	<b>Embark <i>Sky Princess</i>* and depart Southampton</b>	Sat 27	<b>Mykonos, Greece</b>
Mon 15	<b>Vigo, Spain</b>	Sun 28	<b>Santorini, Greece</b>
Wed 17	<b>Málaga, Spain</b>	Mon 29	<b>Kuşadası, Turkey</b>
Fri 19	<b>Palma, Mallorca</b>	Tue 30	<b>Rhodes, Greece</b>
Sun 21	<b>Florence/Pisa (from Livorno), Italy</b>	<b>OCTOBER 2025</b>	
Mon 22	<b>Rome (from Civitavecchia), Italy</b> Steeped in history and recognised as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, The Eternal City is a must-see destination	Thu 2	<b>Galilee/Nazareth (from Haifa), Israel</b>
		Fri 3	<b>Jerusalem/Bethlehem (from Ashdod), Israel</b>
		Mon 6	<b>Valletta, Malta</b>
		Tue 7	<b>Sicily (from Palermo), Italy</b>
		Fri 10	<b>Seville (from Cádiz), Spain</b>
		Sat 11	<b>Lisbon, Portugal</b>
Tue 23	<b>Pompeii/Capri (from Naples), Italy</b>	Tue 14	<b>Arrive in Southampton</b>

Dates not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea

## MAIDEN ITINERARY

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>
Interior	£5,449	<b>£5,299</b>
Ocean View	£6,899	<b>£6,699</b>
<b>FREE upgrade to a Balcony Stateroom*</b>		
Deluxe Balcony	£7,049	<b>£6,849</b>
Mini Suite	£8,549	<b>£8,299</b>
Suite	£12,699	<b>£12,299</b>
Sky Suite	£36,049	<b>£34,299</b>

**Solo fares are available on request**

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Boasting some of the most luxurious accommodations in the fleet, *Celebrity Apex*® offers Edge Staterooms with an Infinite Balcony and twin level Edge Villas with outdoor plunge pools. Plus, 29 world-class culinary venues, of which seven are brand-new speciality restaurants, and signature spaces such as the incredible Magic Carpet®, the world's first cantilevered, floating platform and Rooftop Garden®. This is a ship that elevates modern luxury cruising to new heights.



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**EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES®**

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## NO-FLY BRUGES & AMSTERDAM

4 NIGHTS 23<sup>RD</sup> MAY AND 23<sup>RD</sup> AUGUST 2024

Day 1 **Embark *Celebrity Apex*® and depart Southampton**

Day 3 **Amsterdam, Netherlands**

Few cities can match the sophistication and picture-perfect beauty of Amsterdam. Artsy travellers will love the city's emphasis on fine artists like Van Gogh, Vermeer, and Rembrandt, whose works are displayed at museums across the city



Day 4 **Bruges (from Zeebrugge), Belgium**

Day 5 **Arrive in Southampton**

Days not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea. Itinerary is based on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 departure date and ports of call may vary on other date

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full-Board Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	All-Inclusive Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	£589	£799
Ocean View	£669	£899
Balcony	£799	£1,029
Concierge	£899	£1,159
AquaClass®	-	£1,559
Suite	-	£1,999

Fares and availability are based on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 departure

**Solo fares are available on request**

## NO-FLY NORWEGIAN FJORDS & ARCTIC CIRCLE

12 NIGHTS 8<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2024

JULY 2024

Mon 8 **Embark *Celebrity Apex*® and depart Southampton**

Wed 10 **Stavanger, Norway**

Thu 11 **Olden, Norway**

Fri 12 **Flåm, Norway**

Sat 13 **Cruising the Arctic Circle**

Crossing the imaginary line of the Arctic Circle as you cruise Norway's starkly beautiful fjord-indented coast is a thrilling rite of passage to many travellers

Sun 14 **Tromsø, Norway**

Mon 15 **Honningsvåg, Norway** (arrive midday)

Tue 16 **Cruising the Arctic Circle**

Thu 18 **Kristiansand, Norway**

Sat 20 **Arrive in Southampton**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full-Board Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	All-Inclusive Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	£2,199	£2,899
Ocean View	£2,459	£3,139
Balcony	£2,799	£3,479
Concierge	£3,199	£3,899
AquaClass®	-	£4,459

**ALL SUITES ARE SOLD OUT**

**Solo fares are available on request**

## NO-FLY SPAIN & PORTUGAL

7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 27<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2024

JULY 2024

Sat 27 **Embark *Celebrity Apex*® and depart Southampton**

Mon 29 **Vigo, Spain**

Tue 30 **Lisbon, Portugal**

Wed 31 **Porto (from Leixões), Portugal**

A short trip from the port of Leixões takes you to nearby Porto, a charming destination filled with medieval structures, hilly backstreets and a characterful past, the historic centre is recognised as a UNESCO World Heritage Site

AUGUST 2024

Thu 1 **La Coruña, Spain**

Sat 3 **Arrive in Southampton**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full-Board Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	All-Inclusive Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	£1,149	£1,549
Ocean View	£1,279	£1,679
Balcony	£1,539	£1,899
Concierge	£1,779	£2,169
AquaClass®	-	£2,969
Suite	-	£4,059

**Solo fares are available on request**

## NO-FLY CANARY ISLANDS & PORTUGAL

11 NIGHTS DEPARTING 1<sup>ST</sup>, 12<sup>TH</sup> AND 23<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER 2024

Day 1 **Embark *Celebrity Apex*® and depart Southampton**

Day 4 **Madeira, Funchal**

Day 5 **Tenerife, Canary Islands**

Day 6 **Gran Canaria, Canary Islands**

Day 8 **Lisbon, Portugal**

Day 9 **Porto (from Leixões), Portugal**

A short trip from the port of Leixões takes you to nearby Porto, Portugal's second largest city. A charming destination filled with medieval structures, hilly backstreets and a characterful past, the historic centre is recognised as a UNESCO World Heritage Site

Day 10 **La Coruña, Spain**

Day 12 **Arrive in Southampton**

Days not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea. Itinerary is based on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2024 departure and ports of call may vary on other dates

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full-Board Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	All-Inclusive Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	£1,589	£2,199
Ocean View	£1,799	£2,399
Balcony	£2,099	£2,699
Concierge	£2,489	£3,099
AquaClass®	-	£3,989
Suite	-	£4,999

Fares and availability are based on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2024 departure

**Solo fares are available on request**

This is *Celebrity Apex*'s maiden season from Southampton and not her inaugural season. ±Savings are based on two adults sharing with discount applied to 2<sup>nd</sup> passenger price. Modifications may be made to on board

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- All sightseeing excursions and on board entertainment included<sup>\*</sup>

- Butler, room service and complimentary laundry and Champagne on arrival for select suites
- Cruise Director & expert local guides

Overseas transfers, port charges and tips  
Return scheduled flights from London (regional flights may be available on request<sup>†</sup>)

**PLUS**, book by 8pm 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023 to receive a **FREE** Duo of Wine Gift Box – **EXCLUSIVELY** for readers of Blue Horizons<sup>\*</sup>

### EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES<sup>\*</sup>

Earn up to **3,978 Cruise Miles<sup>\*</sup>** booking this incredible river cruise with ROL Cruise<sup>††</sup>



14 NIGHTS DEPARTING WEEKLY  
OCTOBER – NOVEMBER 2023

OTHER DATES AVAILABLE – PLEASE CALL FOR DETAILS

- Day 1 **Fly from London to Budapest, Hungary<sup>†</sup>**  
Upon arrival, transfer to your 5★ *luxury river ship* for your 14 night all-inclusive river cruise (D)
- Day 2 **Budapest, Hungary**  
Enjoy a morning city tour of Budapest taking in its historic monuments. This evening, set sail for Vienna. Admire Budapest's lights as your ship cruises past the sparkling riverbanks (B,L,D)
- Day 3 **Cruising the Danube River – Vienna, Austria** (B,L,D)
- Day 4 **Vienna, Austria**  
Take in the city's many landmarks along the Ringstrasse, as well as St. Stephen's Cathedral. Later, visit the 1,441-room Schönbrunn Palace and its gardens. Otherwise, tick another country off your list and journey to Slovakia's Bratislava (B,L,D)  
**★ Signature Experience<sup>\*</sup>**: After dinner, head to the princely family of Liechtenstein's City Palace in the heart of Vienna, where we have arranged an exclusive cocktail party and private recital, just for you. A full orchestra will perform classical masterpieces by Mozart and Strauss. You will also be enchanted by an operatic recital and a performance by some members of the Mozart Boys' Choir
- Day 5 **Durnstein – Melk, Austria**  
Choose to ride a bike through the Wachau Valley or cruise to Melk for a tour of Melk Abbey (B,L,D)
- Day 6 **Linz, Austria – Passau, Germany**  
Head to Salzburg to visit some of the sites featured in The Sound of Music. Or, set off into the Czech Republic, where Cesky Krumlov awaits. Both options conclude in Passau. Otherwise, cruise to Passau and enjoy time to explore at your leisure (B,L,D)
- Day 7 **Regensburg, Germany**  
In Regensburg, explore its atmospheric World Heritage-listed city centre or perhaps get active and take a guided bike ride to the Walhalla memorial (B,L,D)
- Day 8 **Nuremberg, Germany**  
Journey through Nuremberg's history with its Gothic churches and World War II sites. Or, keep fit with a guided walk through the Schwarzach Valley (B,L,D)
- Day 9 **Bamberg, Germany**  
Join an exploration with a local expert to uncover everything this World Heritage-listed city has to offer (B,L,D)
- Day 10 **Wurzburg, Germany**  
Embark on a walk to Wurzburg Residence. Perhaps travel to the fairytale town of Rothenburg. Or, meet the locals with a visit to a family-owned farm, where a home-baked morning tea is on the menu (B,L,D)
- Day 11 **Miltenberg, Germany**  
Set out on a guided exploration, wander through cobblestone streets and admire the town's enchanting half-timbered houses before time at leisure to explore on your own (B,L,D)
- Day 12 **Rudesheim – Koblenz, Germany**  
Take a gondola ride or a visit to Siegfried's Mechanical Musical Instrument Museum. Later, cruise through the Rhine Valley to Koblenz. Here, perhaps join your cruise director for an evening stroll through the charming village (B,L,D)
- Day 13 **Koblenz – Andernach, Germany**  
**★ Signature Experience<sup>\*</sup>**: Visit Narny Castle for a morning tea and piano recital in the ballroom (B,L,D)
- Day 14 **Amsterdam, Netherlands**  
Cruise the canals on a glass-top boat, or visit Zaanse Schans. Tonight, enjoy the Captain's farewell dinner (B,L,D)
- Day 15 **Amsterdam, Netherlands**  
After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport for your flight to **London<sup>†</sup>** (B)

Meals are included as stated: B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner. Itinerary is based 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2023 departure and will operate in reverse on selected dates

## YOUR 5★ RIVER CRUISE EXPERIENCE

### DELIGHTFUL CUISINE

A range of dining experiences are created by APT's master chefs using the finest local ingredients, all delicious meals on board are included; while complimentary drinks are served throughout your cruise.

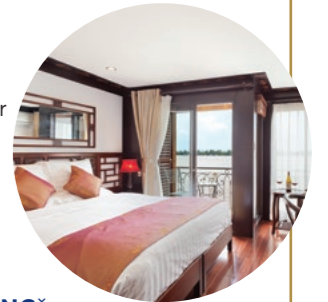


### EXPERT CRUISE DIRECTORS & LOCAL GUIDES

Ensuring everything runs smoothly on your journey is a dedicated Cruise Director. They will assist with anything you need, while the knowledge of expert local guides will enhance your journey.

### STYLISH ACCOMMODATION

After an exciting day of sightseeing, there is no better place to relax than your stateroom or suite on board your floating 5★ hotel<sup>!</sup>. Whatever the location, you are assured of pure comfort and elegant décor.



### ENRICHING SIGHTSEEING<sup>\*</sup>

A river cruise with APT enables you to get to the heart of beautiful cities, historic towns, UNESCO World Heritage Sites and iconic landmarks in one seamless journey. You are sure to discover the most enticing cities and charming towns along the banks of some of the best waterways the world has to offer.



### ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME MOMENTS

APT's Signature Experiences have been thoughtfully chosen to deepen your discovery in select locations. These exclusive or unique events are designed to deepen your experience, taking you on an inspiring journey beneath the surface of local history, culture and traditions. What's more, these once-in-a-lifetime moments are often not available to a regular traveller.



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LOW SINGLE SUPPLEMENT from **£2,489**

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PROMOTION ENDS  
8PM 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023

## 7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 18<sup>TH</sup> AND 25<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023

### Day 1 Fly from London to Porto, Portugal\*

Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark your award-winning *Emerald Star-Ship* (D)

### Day 2 Porto – Pinhão, Portugal

Enjoy a full day of sailing through the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Douro Valley. This fascinating area is celebrated because it builds on two millennia of wine producing history, where viticulture has shaped the surrounding landscape and small, sleepy villages are peppered with dozens of sun-drenched vineyards. Tonight, enjoy a welcome dinner and cocktail reception (B,L,D)

★ **EmeraldPLUS**: Portuguese cooking demonstration on board

### Day 3 Pinhão – Vega de Terrón

Begin your day with a visit to the beautiful Quinta do Tedo vineyard in the heart of Portugal's Douro Valley. Alternatively, enjoy a guided walk-through local vineyards, stopping along the way to admire your surroundings. Or embark on a kayak excursion along the river, taking in the impressive views from the heart of the Douro Valley. This afternoon, enjoy sailing to Vega de Terrón (B,L,D)

★ **EmeraldACTIVE**: Kayak experience in Pinhão

★ **EmeraldACTIVE**: Guided active walk through the vineyards

★ **INCLUDED EXCURSION**: Visit to Quinta do Tedo with tasting

### Day 4 Vega de Terrón – Salamanca

Travel to the beautiful golden city for a walking tour, starting with the postcard-worthy galleries and arcades that adorn Plaza Mayor. You'll also have the opportunity to see Casa de las Conchas, a building that has been lovingly decorated with more than 300 shells (B,D)

★ **EmeraldPLUS**: Tuna music band

★ **INCLUDED EXCURSION**: Guided tour of Salamanca

### Day 5 Pocinho – Régua

This morning, you'll arrive in Pocinho where you'll have the opportunity to visit the Côa Valley Museum. Later, return to your ship for lunch and soak up your idyllic surroundings, enjoying a Port wine cocktail lesson on board as you sail towards Régua. This evening, a rural dinner at a wine estate is certain to be one of the highlights of your trip (B,L,D)

★ **EmeraldPLUS**: Port wine cocktail lesson on board

★ **EmeraldPLUS**: Rural dinner at Quinta da Pacheca

★ **INCLUDED EXCURSION**: Visit to the Côa Valley Museum

### Day 6 Régua

Today, on an included excursion, you will visit the marvellous Baroque village of Lamego, stopping to see the picturesque Shrine of Our Lady of Remedies, a structure that stands gracefully over the town (B,L,D)

## EXPERIENCE THE DIFFERENCE

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL  
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- **FREE** tea and coffee and bottled water restocked daily in your stateroom/suite

- All on board meals

- **FREE** Wi-Fi on board\*\*

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Salamanca

★ **EmeraldPLUS**: Mosaic tile painting lesson on board

★ **EmeraldACTIVE**: Walk down the steps of the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Remedies

★ **INCLUDED EXCURSION**: Guided tour of Lamego

### Day 7 Porto

Famous for its export of Port wines, it's easy to imagine how British merchant ships would have once clustered together in this medieval harbour, waiting to take their produce across the water. Your included tour of the coastal city will touch on the fortified structures of Castelo da Foz and Castelo do Queijo, a building whose pentagonal façades overlook the ocean. This evening, enjoy a charming evening cruise that will shine a different light on Porto's skyline (B,L,D)

★ **EmeraldPLUS**: Evening cruise through Porto

★ **EmeraldACTIVE**: Guided active walk in Porto

★ **INCLUDED EXCURSION**: Guided tour of Porto

### Day 8 Porto

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight to London\* (B)

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B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner

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## YOUR ON BOARD EXPERIENCE...

### THE AWARD-WINNING FLEET

From the striking three-tiered atrium that greets you at reception to the surprising innovations you won't find on other river cruise lines. Emerald Cruises' stylish *Star-Ships* bring the highlights of ocean cruising to the intimacy of Europe's waterways.

### STYLISH SUITES AND STATEROOMS

All suites and staterooms boast a wealth of sumptuous features, from luxurious ESPA toiletries and a revitalising shower in your bathroom, to a queen size or twin hotel-style bed. Not forgetting, a flat screen HDTV and infotainment system which provides on-demand classic and blockbuster films and TV channels covering news, sport and leisure, as well as FREE Wi-Fi\*\* to keep you connected with loved ones.

### A VIEW ESPECIALLY FOR YOU...

While other operators offer a French Balcony, Emerald Cruises bring the outdoors in with their Balcony Suites. At the touch of a button, their innovative open-air system's window drops down to let the air in and unveil full panoramic views.

### UNIQUE ON BOARD INNOVATIONS...

Purpose built for Portugal's warm climate, the comprehensive Sun Deck aboard the Emerald Radiance provides ample opportunity to sample the sun and gentle river breezes. The open-air aspect of the Emerald Radiance includes The Terrace, the perfect place to enjoy a bite to eat and a drink or two with new friends. Or if you fancy a plunge, the Serenity Pool on the Sun Deck is the perfect place for a few lengths before breakfast, under the beautiful Iberian sky.

### A CULINARY ADVENTURE AWAITS...

Emerald Cruises believe that food plays a great part in your travel experience, that's why their expert chefs thoughtfully craft their delicious menus with seasonal and regional produce, influenced by the route you are travelling.



Porto, Portugal

## ONCE THEY'RE GONE, THEY'RE GONE

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES FROM

STATEROOM/SUITE	WAS FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>	NOW FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>
Emerald Stateroom	£2,240	£1,389
Panorama Balcony Suite	£3,020	£1,989

Fares and availability are based on 25<sup>th</sup> November 2023 departure

PAY IN FULL TO RECEIVE THESE INCREDIBLE FARES



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## So, why should you book your solo traveller cruise with ROL Cruise?

Here's what our customers say...

*"I have always found ROL to be excellent both in pricing and customer service. Particularly as a solo customer, they have found me some excellent deals, and are extremely helpful."*

*"As a single traveller I have found ROL Cruise excellent both in value and service."*

*"As a single traveller I would highly recommend ROL. Always reliable, always safe and reasonably priced."*

\*\*Chauffeur transfers are up to 50 miles each way and mileage is tiered depending on grade booked. Additional mileage may be available at a supplement.

## Secrets of the Ancient Mediterranean

16 NIGHTS DEPARTING 14<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023



**LOW SINGLE SUPPLEMENT**

**NO-FLY CRUISING**

**SAVE UP TO 30%\***

**POUND STERLING ON BOARD**

**BOOK WITH THE TOP AGENT FOR FRED. OLSEN**

### NOVEMBER 2023

- Tue 14 **Embark *Balmoral* and depart Southampton**
- Fri 17 **Lisbon, Portugal**
- Sat 18 **Cádiz, Spain**  
Beautiful Cádiz is almost entirely surrounded by water. It's been a popular port, trading post and base for exploration for around 3,000 years making it a fascinating city to explore
- Mon 20 **Algiers, Algeria**
- Wed 22 **La Goulette, Tunisia**
- Thu 23 **Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy**
- Sat 25 **Cartagena, Spain**

- Sun 26 **Tangier, Morocco**  
Tangier sits on the Strait of Gibraltar and is often regarded as Europe's gateway to Africa. Its status as an 'International Zone' from the 1920s until 1956 attracted an eclectic group of millionaires, writers, artists and even spies
- Tue 28 **La Coruña, Spain**  
*Cruising by the Tower of Hercules*
- Thu 30 **Arrive in Southampton**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

Single Cabin	Grade	Full Price	Now Price
Interior	H	£3,198	<b>£2,499</b>
Superior Ocean View	CO+	£4,248	<b>£2,969</b>
Superior Ocean View	B	£4,598	<b>£3,599</b>

## Hidden Gems of France & Spain

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 16<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2024



**SAVE UP TO 40%\***

**DEPART DIRECT FROM NEWCASTLE**

**FREE CABIN UPGRADE\***

**FREE £50 ON BOARD SPEND\***

**ADULTS-ONLY, TRADITIONAL BRITISH CRUISING**

### SEPTEMBER 2024

- Mon 16 **Embark *Ambition* and depart Newcastle**
- Tue 17 **Dundee, Scotland**
- Fri 20 **Cherbourg, France**
- Sun 22 **La Coruña, Spain**
- Mon 23 **Gijon, Spain**
- Tue 24 **Getxo, Spain**
- Wed 25 **Le Verdon (for Bordeaux), France**  
The UNESCO World Heritage Site of Bordeaux is not only famous for its amazing museums and churches, but also for its world-class wine

- Thu 26 **Lorient, France**
  - Fri 27 **St. Peter Port, Guernsey, Channel Islands**
  - Sat 28 **Honfleur, France**
  - Mon 30 **Arrive in Newcastle**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

Single Cabin	Grade	Full Price	Now Price
Superior Inside	1S	£2,119	<b>£1,489</b>
Standard Ocean View	6S	£2,819	<b>£1,979</b>
<b>FREE upgrade to a Superior Ocean View cabin (10S)*</b>			
Junior Suite	JSS	£5,649	<b>£3,389</b>

## Ultra-Luxury New Zealand to Australia Adventure

18 NIGHTS DEPARTING 4<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2023, 1<sup>ST</sup> & 16<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2024



**NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT**

**COMPLIMENTARY PRIVATE UK CHAUFFEUR SERVICE\*\***

**SAVE UP TO £1,900\***

**SHORE EXCURSIONS INCLUDED\***

**DRINKS, GRATUITIES, SPECIALITY DINING & WI-FI INCLUDED\*\***

- Day 1 **Fly from London to Auckland, New Zealand\***
- Day 3 **Auckland, New Zealand**  
Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel for your one night stay
- Day 4 **Auckland, New Zealand**  
Embark *Silver Muse* for your 14 night all-inclusive voyage of New Zealand & Australia
- Day 6 **Gisborne, New Zealand**
- Day 7 **Napier, New Zealand**
- Day 8 **Wellington, New Zealand**
- Day 9 **Lyttelton (for Christchurch), New Zealand**
- Day 10 **Dunedin, New Zealand**
- Day 13 - Day 14 **Hobart, Tasmania, Australia (overnight)**
- Day 15 **Port Arthur, Tasmania, Australia**
- Day 16 **Burnie, Australia**

- Day 18 **Sydney, Australia**  
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to **London\***
  - Day 19 **Arrive in London**
- Days not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea. Itinerary is based on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024 departure. Please note, 16<sup>th</sup> January 2024 departure operates in reverse

**ONLY 5 SUITES AVAILABLE, PLEASE DO NOT DELAY**

Suite (twin for sole use)	Grade	Full Price	Now Price
Vista Suite	VI	£7,100	<b>£5,599</b>
Classic Veranda Suite	CV	£8,900	<b>£7,099</b>
Superior Veranda Suite	SV	£9,200	<b>£7,299</b>
Deluxe Veranda Suite	DX	£9,400	<b>£7,499</b>

Fares & availability are based on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024 departure

# THE BRAND-NEW MAIDEN FESTIVE SEYCHELLES TO CAPE TOWN FEATURING MADAGASCAR

## OFFICIAL LAUNCH PROMOTION

FREE ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO **£400\***

EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO **£600‡**

EXCLUSIVE FREE GRATUITIES WORTH UP TO **£360\*\***

EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE PROMOTION ENDS 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023

The iconic cruise presents you with the opportunity to go in search of the Big Five in both Kenya and South Africa. You can join an inland tour\* to visit game reserves and go on a safari with experienced guides to assist you with spotting native wildlife. The Spice Island of Zanzibar has a rich cultural heritage with many buildings of Swahili architectural origin; while in Madagascar experience the flora and fauna in a number of national parks. Indian Ocean islands offer the opportunity to see a variety of whales and dolphins in their natural habitats.

### THE JOY OF THE JOURNEY

Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines believe the purpose of a cruise is to experience the wonders of the world, by always looking out, not facing in. Seeing the world from the water is the best way to fully appreciate it and the observation lounges on our ships are designed especially with places to sit, watch the world go by, and enjoy the wonderful views.

### 38 NIGHTS DEPARTING 21<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 2023

#### DECEMBER 2023

Tue 21 **Fly overnight from London Heathrow or Manchester to Mahé, Seychelles\***

Fri 22 **Mahé, Seychelles**  
Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark *Bolette* for your 36 night exotic voyage to Cape Town

Sat 23 **Praslin Island, Seychelles**

Sun 24 **La Digue, Seychelles** ★*Christmas Eve*★

Mon 25 **★Spend Christmas Day relaxing at sea★**

Thu 28 - Fri 29 **Mombasa, Kenya** (overnight)  
Join an inland tour from here to on a game safari and encounter the 'Big Five', perhaps meet members of a Masai tribe, or visit Kisite-Mpunguti Marine National Park and snorkel through the vibrant coral reefs

Sat 30 **Zanzibar, Tanzania**  
Zanzibar has a rich botanical and cultural heritage, and is known as the Spice Island due to its long history of the production of cloves, nutmeg and cinnamon

Sun 31 **Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania** (depart late night)  
★*New Year's Eve*★



Thu 4 **Antsiranana, Madagascar**

Sun 7 **Port Réunion, Réunion**

Mon 8 - Wed 10 **Port Louis, Mauritius**  
★*Two night stay*★  
Port Louis is home to the most famous postage stamp in the world, housed at the Blue Penny Museum. The waters which surround Mauritius are home to a stunning underwater world of colourful coral and tropical fish, and over 400 marine species, including bottlenose dolphins, tuna and marlin

Fri 12 **Toamasina, Madagascar**

Sun 14 **Port d'Ehoala (for Fort-Dauphin), Madagascar**

Wed 17 **Maputo, Mozambique**

Fri 19 **Richards Bay, South Africa**

Sat 20 **Durban, South Africa**

Mon 22 **East London, South Africa**

Tue 23 **Gqeberha (Port Elizabeth), South Africa**

Wed 24 **Mossel Bay, South Africa**

Fri 26 **Cape Town, South Africa**

Sat 27 **Cape Town, South Africa**  
Disembark and transfer to the airport for you overnight flight to **London Heathrow** or **Manchester**



Sun 28 **Arrive in London Heathrow or Manchester**  
Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

Booking conditions of Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines (ATOL 5016) and Reader Offers Limited Agency terms of business apply.



### WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE PROMOTION

EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO **£600‡**

FREE ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO **£400\***

EXCLUSIVE FREE GRATUITIES worth up to **£360\*\*** for Terrace cabins (TC) and above

38 nights full board cruising on board *Bolette*, including:

- All meals throughout your cruise, from five-course à la carte dining to casual buffets and late-night snacks
- A wide choice of restaurants, lounges and bars
- Every night a different show
- All-weather swimming pool with retractable roof
- **FREE** tea and coffee on board (at selected venues)
- All current port supplements and taxes
- All-Inclusive Drinks Upgrade is available from only **£24.99<sup>pp</sup>** per night\*\*
- The currency on board is pound sterling, so you won't be affected by any foreign exchange rate fluctuation

**EARN EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES\***  
Earn up to **30,598 Cruise Miles\*** when booking this fantastic cruise, worth **£305** off your next booking with ROL Cruise\*\*



### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

CABIN	GRADE	WAS FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
Inside	I	£5,999	<b>£5,799</b>
Ocean View	E	£6,799	<b>£6,599</b>
Superior Ocean View	C	£7,599	<b>£7,759</b>
Terrace	TC	£10,399	<b>£10,269</b>
Balcony Suite	BS	£12,799	<b>£12,599</b>
Premier Suite	PS	£15,599	<b>£15,299</b>

**Solo fares** are available from **£12,219**

Fares are based on London Heathrow flights

### SIGNATURE EXPERIENCES

- 1. ITINERARY INSIGHTS**  
Our Journey Planners have carefully curated a programme of events with special guest speakers throughout your cruise to give you a deeper understanding of each of the destinations we will be visiting.
- 2. SCENIC DISCOVERY**  
Scenic Discoveries are designed to allow you to enjoy seeing the world from the unique perspective of our ship. Your on board team will be on hand as we sail through these fascinating regions, providing commentary and interesting insights to bring our scenic discoveries to life.
- 3. TREAT OF THE REGION**  
As you explore Africa and the Indian Ocean, you'll be able to sample treats of the region in our on board restaurants, with options available for lunch and dinner. Fred Olsen talented Chefs and their team have also organised some wonderful cookery demonstrations for you, so you can learn how to prepare local delicacies.
- 4. THE SKY AT SEA**  
The Sky At Sea sessions will invite you out on deck to enjoy sunrise and sunset events. You can also go along to the stargazing sessions where you can sit back on the open deck, snuggled up in a warm blanket with a hot chocolate or toddy and listen as their Nature Scout or visiting astronomers bring the night sky to life.
- 5. THE SHIP AND THE SEA**  
Join Captain Degerlund as he sits down with your Entertainment Manager to discover what it takes to become Master of a cruise ship and hear about the adventures, rewards and challenges that come with being Captain of the beautiful *Bolette*.



### DESTINATION HIGHLIGHTS

**CAPE TOWN**  
The flat-topped Table Mountain – one of the New Seven Wonders of the World, stands tall over the cosmopolitan city of Cape Town. This iconic city is known for its lively Victoria & Alfred Waterfront area, full of restaurants, attractions and shops; but away from the hustle and bustle is the Kirstenbosch National Botanical Garden, full of indigenous flora, including the South African national flower, the protea. Cape Town is also renowned for its Winelands region, producing world class wines

**MADAGASCAR**  
An island nation just off the southeast coast of Africa, combining a beautiful tropical climate with fresh sea-air and exciting culture. Madagascar is best known for its huge array of wildlife and plant life, thanks largely to its long geographical isolation. This means that visitors can experience some of nature's most diverse and rare creatures and plants, making cruises to Madagascar a real once in a lifetime opportunity. From the howling lemurs to the beautiful flowers and exotic trees, exploring the island's natural assets that aren't found anywhere else in the world is something you'll never forget

**SEYCHELLES**  
Consisting of more than 150 beautiful islands dotted in the tranquil Indian Ocean, The Republic of Seychelles is famous for its white beaches, blue waters and island charm. A cruise to the Seychelles is a chance for you to truly unwind in the sun, leaving behind normal life for just a little while and immersing yourself in complete relaxation. Experience nature, corals, palm trees, jungles, mountains and stunning natural landscape as you explore the islands and come away feeling like a whole new person. There's nothing quite like gently floating on the blue waters, surrounded by nothing more than the sound of the water and the heat of the sun

# THE BRAND-NEW NO-FLY 2024 Summer Sale

7 NIGHTS FROM ONLY £549<sup>PP</sup>

ON BOARD SPENDING MONEY OF UP TO **£550\***

OR

CAR PARKING# OR COACH TRANSFERS

JUST A LOW DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO BOOK

NO TIPPING REQUIRED ON BOARD<sup>††</sup>

SAIL DIRECT FROM SOUTHAMPTON

## EXPERIENCE THE DIFFERENCE

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE

EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS ONLY AVAILABLE WITH ROL CRUISE

**BOOK WITH ROL CRUISE, THE TOP PARTNER FOR P&O CRUISES, TO RECEIVE:**

**EXCLUSIVE DOUBLE CRUISE MILES\***

Earn up to 27,316 Cruise Miles\* worth £279 off your next booking with ROL Cruise<sup>††</sup>

**PLUS, book by 8pm 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023 to receive an EXCLUSIVE FREE Trio of Summer Wines\***



Full board no-fly cruising on board *Aurora*, *Arcadia* or *Iona* including:

- ON BOARD SPENDING MONEY of up to £550\*

OR

- CAR PARKING# or COACH TRANSFERS

**NO TIPPING REQUIRED** on board<sup>††</sup>

The currency on board is pound sterling, so you won't be affected by any foreign exchange rate fluctuations

### NO-FLY GEMS OF THE ADRIATIC & MEDITERRANEAN

19 NIGHTS DEPARTING 26<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2024

APRIL 2024  
 Fri 26 Embark *Aurora*, exclusively for adults and depart Southampton  
 Tue 30 Cartagena, Spain  
 MAY 2024  
 Thu 2 Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy  
 Sun 5 Dubrovnik, Croatia  
 Dubrovnik a charming city on the Croatian coastline, with its marble streets, Baroque buildings and serene surroundings, is a very special part of the world. Compact enough to walk from one side to the other in only a few hours  
 Mon 6 Zadar, Croatia  
 Tue 7 Trieste, Italy  
 Thu 9 Messina, Sicily, Italy  
 Sun 12 Gibraltar  
 Wed 15 Arrive in Southampton  
 Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

ADULTS ONLY

### NO-FLY IDYLIC GREEK ISLANDS

19 NIGHTS DEPARTING 3<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER 2024

OCTOBER 2024  
 Thu 3 Embark *Arcadia*, exclusively for adults, and depart Southampton  
 Mon 7 Málaga, Spain  
 Thu 10 Palermo, Sicily, Italy  
 Sat 12 Athens (from Piraeus), Greece  
 Sun 13 Mykonos, Greece  
 Golden sand beaches beckon, while pristine whitewashed architecture contrasts against the brilliantly blue Aegean Sea. Embrace the island's elegant allure as you visit historic sites, browse chic boutiques and dine on the scenic waterfront  
 Mon 14 Rhodes, Greece  
 Tue 15 Heraklion, Crete, Greece  
 Sat 19 Gibraltar  
 Tue 22 Arrive in Southampton  
 Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

ADULTS ONLY

### NO-FLY NORTHERN EUROPE ESCAPE

7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER & 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024 & 15<sup>TH</sup> & 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY 2025

Day 1 Embark *Iona* and depart Southampton  
 Day 2 Relaxing at sea  
 Day 3 Hamburg, Germany (depart late night)  
 Day 4 Relaxing at sea  
 Day 5 Rotterdam, Netherlands (depart late night)  
 Day 6 Bruges (from Zeebrugge), Belgium  
 Zeebrugge is your gateway to the beautiful city of Bruges and ideal for exploring on foot. Enjoy walking around the main square, Grote Markt, or take a romantic horse and cart ride to admire the impressive architecture  
 Day 7 Le Havre, France  
 Day 8 Arrive in Southampton

Itinerary is based on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2024 departure date. Ports of call may vary on other dates.

#### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SUMMER FARES

CABIN	GRADE	FULL FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL CRUISE FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>
Inside	PF	£579	<b>£549</b>
Sea View	LF	£799	<b>£769</b>
Balcony	GZ	£849	<b>£829</b>
Conservatory Mini-Suite	CZ	£1,399	<b>£1,359</b>
Suite (only 1 left)	B6	£1,599	<b>£1,549</b>
Single Inside	SZ	£849	<b>£829</b>

Pricing and availability are based on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2024 departure date

JUST A LOW DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO BOOK, THEN NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL 2024

### NO-FLY CANARY ISLANDS & MADEIRA

16 NIGHTS DEPARTING 28<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2024

NOVEMBER 2024  
 Thu 28 Embark *Arcadia*, exclusively for adults, and depart Southampton  
 Sat 30 La Coruña, Spain  
 DECEMBER 2024  
 Tue 3 - Wed 4 Funchal, Madeira (overnight)  
 Locally made wicker furniture, lacework and tapestries all make good buys along with the ubiquitous Madeira wine here in Funchal. From here, explore the island's botanical gardens; the fishing village of Camaram de Lobos where Churchill went to paint, and Camacha, the wicker centre  
 Thu 5 Santa Cruz, Tenerife  
 Fri 6 Santa Cruz, La Palma  
 Sat 7 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria  
 Sun 8 Arrecife, Lanzarote  
 Tue 10 Seville (from Cádiz), Spain  
 Sat 14 Arrive in Southampton  
 Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

ADULTS ONLY

#### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SUMMER FARES

CABIN	GRADE	FULL FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL CRUISE FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>
Inside	PF	£1,149	<b>£1,109</b>
Sea view	NC <sup>†</sup>	£1,299	<b>£1,259</b>
Balcony	EF	£1,699	<b>£1,649</b>
Mini-Suite	CE	£2,599	<b>£2,499</b>
Suite	B4	£3,299	<b>£3,199</b>
Single Inside	SC	£1,799	<b>£1,749</b>

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#### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SUMMER FARES

CABIN	GRADE	FULL FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL CRUISE FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>
Inside	PF	£1,999	<b>£1,899</b>
Sea view	LF	£2,399	<b>£2,299</b>
Balcony (only 1 left)	GE	£3,699	<b>£3,579</b>
Balcony	GB	£3,909	<b>£3,749</b>

ALL HIGHER GRADES HAVE SOLD OUT

Solo fares are available from **£3,069**

JUST A LOW DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO BOOK YOUR HOLIDAY

#### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SUMMER FARES

CABIN	GRADE	FULL FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL CRUISE FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>
Inside	PF	£2,629	<b>£2,549</b>
Sea view	LF	£3,329	<b>£3,199</b>
Deluxe Balcony	EF	£4,599	<b>£4,459</b>
Mini Suite	CE		<b>SOLD OUT</b>
Suite (only 1 left)	B4	£7,199	<b>£6,989</b>

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# THE NO-FLY 2024 MAIDEN SEASON SALE ON BOARD THE NEW *Queen Anne*

**EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO  
£1,000 WILL  
END 8PM 31<sup>ST</sup>  
JULY 2023\***



**BE ONE OF THE FIRST TO SAIL ON THE BRAND-NEW *QUEEN ANNE* DURING HER MAIDEN SEASON**



## One Year to Go

After years of careful planning and hard work, Cunard is so excited that *Queen Anne* is well and truly on her way. In fact, they have started counting down the 365 days that are left until her arrival, as they celebrated one year until she sets sail on her maiden voyage to Lisbon, on 3 May 2024. The countdown begins on an important day in the progression of her build, the float out.

*Queen Anne's* float out 3 May saw another momentous occasion in the construction of *Queen Anne*, the float out, when she touched water for the very first time. This happened precisely 365 days before *Queen Anne* is due to set sail on her maiden voyage to Lisbon, on 3 May 2024.

At the float out ceremony, all at Cunard celebrated the flow of water into the ship's dry dock, and we now find ourselves even more easily picturing life on board their newest ship, as she sails the four corners of the world.

Maiden refers to Maiden season not maiden sailing. Booking conditions of Cunard (ATOL 6294) and Reader Offers Limited Agency terms of business apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

### MAIDEN ITALY & SPAIN DISCOVERY



**FROM ONLY  
£96<sup>PP</sup>  
PER NIGHT**

**16 NIGHTS DEPARTING 7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2024**

- JUNE 2024**
- Fri 7 **Embark the brand-new *Queen Anne* and depart Southampton**
  - Sun 9 **Vigo, Spain**
  - Wed 12 **Barcelona, Spain**  
With its unforgettable charm, breathtaking architecture, rich history, warm Mediterranean waters and colourful landscapes, Barcelona is an extraordinary place to visit
  - Fri 14 **Rome (from Civitavecchia), Italy**
  - Sat 15 **Sardinia, Italy**
  - Mon 17 **Palma de Mallorca, Spain**
  - Wed 19 **Malaga, Spain**
  - Fri 21 **La Coruña, Spain**
  - Sun 23 **Arrive in Southampton**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

#### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	FULL FARE FROM (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
<b>BRITANNIA RESTAURANT</b>		
Inside	£2,149	<b>£2,079</b>
Oceanview (1 left)	£2,729	<b>£2,649</b>
Balcony	£3,199	<b>£3,099</b>
Club Balcony	£5,099	<b>£4,949</b>
<b>PRINCESS &amp; QUEENS GRILL</b>		
Princess Grill Suite	£6,799	<b>£6,599</b>
Queens Grill Suite	£10,649	<b>£10,329</b>
Penthouse Suite	£12,639	<b>£12,139</b>

**ALL HIGHER SUITES HAVE SOLD OUT**  
Solo fares are available on request

### MAIDEN NORTHERN LIGHTS



**COMPLIMENTARY ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO \$1,400\***

**12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 15<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2024**

A Northern Lights cruise on Cunard offers you an unparalleled way to explore Norway's dreamlike fjords, with the added possibility of witnessing the spectacular Aurora Borealis - nature's most spellbinding phenomenon

**OCTOBER 2024**

- Tue 15 **Embark the brand-new *Queen Anne* and depart Southampton**
  - Fri 18 **Ålesund, Norway**
  - Sun 20 - **Tromsø, Norway** (overnight)
  - Mon 21
  - Tue 22 - **Narvik, Norway** (overnight)
  - Wed 23
  - Fri 25 **Stavanger, Norway**
  - Sun 27 **Arrive in Southampton**
- Dates not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea

#### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	FULL FARE FROM (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
<b>BRITANNIA RESTAURANT</b>		
Inside	£1,499	<b>£1,449</b>
Oceanview	£1,989	<b>£1,929</b>
Balcony†	£2,099	<b>£2,029</b>
Club Balcony	£2,899	<b>£2,799</b>
<b>PRINCESS &amp; QUEENS GRILL</b>		
Princess Grill Suite	£4,349	<b>£4,199</b>

**ALL HIGHER SUITES HAVE SOLD OUT**  
Solo fares are available on request

### MAIDEN CANARY ISLANDS



**PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, CABINS ARE SELLING FAST**

**14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 3<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER 2024**  
Similar itineraries also available departing 10<sup>th</sup> May, 1<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2024

**NOVEMBER 2024**

- Sun 3 **Embark the brand-new *Queen Anne* and depart Southampton**
  - Thu 7 **Funchal, Madeira**
  - Fri 8 **Santa Cruz, La Palma**
  - Sat 9 **Santa Cruz, Tenerife**
  - Sun 10 **Las Palmas, Gran Canaria**
  - Mon 11 **Arrecife, Lanzarote**
  - Wed 13 **Seville (from Cadiz), Spain**
  - Thu 14 **Lisbon, Portugal**
  - Sun 17 **Arrive in Southampton**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

#### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	FULL FARE FROM (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
<b>BRITANNIA RESTAURANT</b>		
Inside	£1,399	<b>£1,349</b>
Oceanview	£1,699	<b>£1,649</b>
Balcony†	£1,999	<b>£1,939</b>
Club Balcony	£2,679	<b>£2,599</b>
<b>PRINCESS &amp; QUEENS GRILL</b>		
Princess Suite	£4,199	<b>£4,069</b>

**ALL HIGHER SUITES HAVE SOLD OUT**  
Solo fares are available on request

## Experience the Difference

### WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE PROMOTION

**BOOK WITH THE TOP PARTNER FOR CUNARD**

**EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SAVINGS - PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, FARES WILL INCREASE 8PM 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023**

Full board no-fly cruising on board the brand-new *Queen Anne* including:

- **COMPLIMENTARY** on board spend of up to **\$1,400** for all bookings\* - Enjoy on board spending money meaning you can treat yourself throughout your voyage; sip Champagne, enjoy some relaxing spa treatments or take those additional enriching shore excursions which create memories of a lifetime
- **OR COMPLIMENTARY** car parking\* **OR** coach transfers

- White Star fine dining, bars and lounges
- Dance instruction and host dancers
- Enjoy talks on a range of issues by well-known celebrities and experts
- Enjoy a traditional afternoon tea - a signature Cunard experience
- 24-hour room service

**EARN EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES\***  
Receive up to **24,278 Cruise Miles\***, worth up to **£242**, exclusively for readers of Blue Horizons\*\*

**JUST A DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO SECURE YOUR PREFERRED STATEROOM/SUITE, THEN NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL 2024**

EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO 30%±

THE BESTSELLING 2024 5★  
NO-FLY  
*Delights of France*



EXCLUSIVE Free GRATUITIES\*\* & \$150 ON BOARD SPEND\*

Free SPECIALITY DINING & WI-FI\*\*

Free HOUSE DRINKS PACKAGE\*\*

or

Free \$600 ON BOARD SPEND\*

or

6 Free SHORE EXCURSIONS\*

EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO 28%±

THE BESTSELLING 2025 5★  
NO-FLY  
*Grandeur of Great Britain*



EXCLUSIVE Free GRATUITIES\*\* & \$150 ON BOARD SPEND\*

Free SPECIALITY DINING & WI-FI\*\*

Free HOUSE DRINKS PACKAGE\*\*

or

Free \$600 ON BOARD SPEND\*

or

6 Free SHORE EXCURSIONS\*

JOIN THE NEWEST SHIP IN THE FLEET

12 nights departing 10<sup>th</sup> September 2024

SEPTEMBER 2024

- Tue 10 Embark the 5★ elegant *Marina* and depart Southampton for your 12 night luxury voyage
- Wed 11 Bruges (from Zeebrugge), Belgium
- Thu 12 Paris (from Le Havre), France
- Fri 13 Saint-Malo, France
- ★ Recommended Excursion\*: La Ballue Gardens, Cancale & Oyster Tasting  
Meander through the botanical paradise La Ballue Gardens before heading to Cancale, a seaside village where oysters have been cultivated for centuries
- Sat 14 Lorient, France (arrive late am)
- Sun 15 La Rochelle, France
- Mon 16 - Bordeaux, France (overnight)
- Tue 17 ★ Recommended Excursion\*: Bordeaux Sampler  
Discover the timeless beauty of Bordeaux on this panoramic tour of the city and surrounding vineyards with generous free time for lunch and exploration
- Wed 18 Biarritz (from Saint-Jean-de-Luz), France
- Thu 19 Bilbao, Spain
- Fri 20 La Coruña, Spain
- Sat 21 Relaxing at sea
- Sun 22 Arrive in Southampton

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Stateroom/Suite	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	G	£4,699	£3,439
Veranda	B4	£6,179	£4,879
Concierge Veranda	A4	£6,579	£5,259
Penthouse Suite	PH3	£8,109	£6,749
Penthouse Suite	PH1	£8,189	£7,149

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MAY 2025

- Fri 23 Embark the 5★ elegant *Vista* and depart Southampton for your 11 night luxury voyage
- Sun 25 Edinburgh (from Newhaven), Scotland  
★ Recommended Excursion\*: City of Edinburgh & Castle  
Take in fine views of Edinburgh's landmarks via a panoramic coach tour, then enter Edinburgh Castle and discover treasures such as the Scottish Crown Jewels
- Mon 26 Kirkwall, Orkney Islands (arrive late am)
- Tue 27 Stornoway, Isle of Lewis
- Wed 28 Killybegs, Ireland
- Thu 29 Belfast, Northern Ireland
- Fri 30 Dublin (from Dún Laoghaire), Ireland  
★ Recommended Excursion\*: A Taste of Ireland: Whiskey in the Jar  
'Wet your whistle' in the classic Irish way with a tour and a tasting at Dublin's original Old Jameson Distillery
- Sat 31 Holyhead, Isle of Anglesey, Wales

Dates not mentioned will be spent

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Grand Dining Room

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Veranda	B4	£6,369	£4,569
Concierge Veranda	A4	£6,819	£4,999
Penthouse Suite	PH3	£8,399	£6,549
Penthouse Suite	PH1	£8,799	£6,899

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# The Anniversary Waltz



## Jane ARCHER

Jane Archer is one of the UK's leading cruise journalists and cruise expert for the Daily Telegraph. She has been sharing her experiences with Blue Horizons' readers for the past 14 years.

What a cork-popping start to the year! In March, Cunard marked 100 years since it invented world cruising. In April, I was in Rotterdam (the city) on Rotterdam (the ship) as Holland America Line celebrated its 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary and this issue of Blue Horizons, my friends at ROL tell me, is the company's 250<sup>th</sup> edition. My congratulations to them all.

And then there is Oceania Cruises, which has just celebrated its 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary in the best way possible – with a new ship. *Vista*, the line's first new ship for a decade, christened in the Maltese capital of Valletta in May.

They say the best things in life are worth waiting for and *Vista* was certainly worth the 10-year wait. She's a beauty, similar in layout to its sister ships *Marina* and *Riviera* (but a tad smaller at 1,200 capacity), which will please Oceania fans, but with some inspired changes and a quality finish that has taken the line to another level.



The décor is softer and I love how new designs in the restaurants and Grand Dining Room have incorporated multiple partitions so the venues feel more intimate. The "floating" lily pad loungers in the pool are also great. There are only six though, so you have to be quick to bag one!



On the dining scene, Jacques, the French restaurant on *Marina* and *Riviera*, is replaced by Ember, a casual steaks, burgers and mac and cheese-type eatery that I suspect many will find a welcome break from all the fine dining. Aquamar Kitchen, a new restaurant on the pool deck, serves a healthy salads and wraps-style menu at breakfast and lunch that acts as a counter-balance to the burgers and fries dished out in Waves on the other side of the ship.

Both venues are complimentary, as are Toscana, Polo Grill and Red Ginger, three long-standing Oceania favourites back for another outing. Add them to the Grand Dining Room, the Terrace Café and the made-to-order pizzas in Waves in the evenings, and you can dine in a different place every night of the week for free (or you can splash out on

a six-course Dom Pérignon tasting experience for \$395<sup>pp</sup> in Privée, a private dining room for just eight people).

And then there are the inside cabins. Or, more to the point, the lack of inside cabins. They've all been scrapped on *Vista* – hooray! – and the extra space has been used to add bathrooms fit for a suite, complete with large rainforest showers, to all outside and balcony cabins. The bathrooms were the talk of the ship, which proves better than any description I can come up with. What a brilliant move that was.

**TURN TO THE PREVIOUS PAGE FOR YOUR CHANCE TO SAIL ON BOARD THE BRAND-NEW VISTA**



But back to the anniversaries, because there is another I must mention. Come 2024 it will have been 14 years (a milestone marked with ivory apparently) since Celebrity Cruises started sailing from the UK, so it is celebrating by bringing the lovely *Celebrity Apex* to our shores next summer.

She kicks off her no-fly season from Southampton on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2024 and is sticking around until October, in that time clocking up cruises to the Norwegian Fjords, Scandinavia, Iceland, Spain, Portugal and the Canaries.

I have fond memories of *Apex* as she was not only one of the first ships I went on in 2021, as cruising restarted after Covid, but I was upgraded to an Edge Villa, a fantastic two-storey room with a cheeky back door to the Retreat, a private sundeck exclusively for suite passengers. The cruise was in Greece, the weather was glorious and I was looked after by Izzy, my wonderful butler. It was heavenly.

There are some villas left on *Apex* next summer but they won't last long so if you fancy a real spoil – and who wouldn't – have a word with the guys at ROL. Be warned though. Returning to a balcony cabin – even the great Infinite balcony rooms on *Apex* – will not be easy!

**TURN TO PAGE 10-11 FOR YOUR CHANCE TO SAIL DIRECT FROM SOUTHAMPTON ON BOARD APEX**

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Sat 2 **Algiers, Algeria**

Mon 4 **La Goulette, Tunisia**

Tue 5 **Valletta, Malta**

Fri 8 **Alexandria, Egypt (depart late night)**

Sun 10 **Ashdod, Israel**

Mon 11 **Haifa, Israel**

Tue 12 **Limassol, Cyprus**

Wed 13 **Rhodes, Greece (arrive late am)**

Thu 14 **Kuşadası (for Ephesus), Turkey**

Fri 15 **Cruising the Dardanelles Strait Istanbul, Turkey (arrive pm - overnight)**

Sat 16 **Istanbul, Turkey**

Mon 18 **Piraeus (for Athens), Greece**

Wed 20 **Cruising by Stromboli & the Aeolian Islands**

Thu 21 **Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy**

Sat 23 **Cartagena, Spain**

Mon 25 **Lisbon, Portugal**

Thu 28 **Arrive in Southampton**

Days not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE PRICES

Cabin	Was Price <sup>(pp)</sup>	Now Price <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	£3,999	<b>£3,389</b>
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Terrace	£7,599	<b>£7,079</b>
Balcony Junior Suite	£9,599	<b>£8,999</b>
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### YOUR LUXURY HOTEL STAYS IN PAPEETE

This spirited city is the capital of French Polynesia, and serves as a superb base for onward exploration of Tahiti – an island of breathtaking landscapes and oceanic vistas. A wonderful lagoon of crisp, clear water begs to be snorkelled, stunning black beaches and blowholes pay tribute to the island's volcanic heritage, and lush green mountains beckon you inland on adventures, as you explore extraordinary Tahiti.



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- Superlative service with a staff-to-guest ratio of nearly 1:1
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- Multiple restaurants, diverse cuisine, open-seating dining
- Enrichment programmes and sophisticated entertainment
- In-suite dining and 24-hour room service
- Transportation into town in most ports of call

TWO NIGHT post-cruise luxury hotel stay in Papeete, French Polynesia, including breakfast

Return flights from London (regional and premium class flights may be available on request\*) and overseas transfers

### EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES

Earn up to 97,998 Cruise Miles, worth £979, when you book this exclusive voyage with ROL Cruise!<sup>††</sup>



## 18 NIGHTS DEPARTING 27<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2025

### FEBRUARY 2025

BOOK A MEDALLION SUITE OR ABOVE & YOUR EXCLUSIVE COMPLIMENTARY PRIVATE UK CHAUFFEUR WILL TRANSFER YOU TO THE AIRPORT IN STYLE\*\*

Thu 27 **Fly from London to Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia**  
Upon arrival, transfer to a luxury hotel for your three night stay, including breakfast

Fri 28 **Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia**  
Enjoy exploring this tropical paradise at your leisure

### MARCH 2025

Sat 1 **Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia**  
Enjoy exploring this tropical paradise at your leisure

Sun 2 **Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia**  
After breakfast, transfer to the port and embark the ultra-luxurious *Silver Shadow* for your 11 night all-inclusive South Pacific voyage

Mon 3 **Fakarava, Tuamotu Archipelago** (arrive midday)

Wed 5 **Atuona – Hiva Oa, Marquesas Islands** (arrive midday – depart late night)

★Recommended INCLUDED Shore Excursion\*: **Mave Mai Traditional Welcome**

The Polynesian people will welcome you to their island with traditional Marquesian seeds leis and joy of living. You will be invited to taste local fruits, laughter and good spirits. Marquesians are proud of their islands and are always happy to share their way of life with the visitors

Thu 6 **Nuku Hiva, Marquesas Islands**

★Recommended INCLUDED Shore Excursion\*: **Taipivai Valley Scenic Drive**

Sat 8 **Rangiroa, French Polynesia**

Sun 9 - Mon 10 **Bora Bora, French Polynesia** (arrive midday – overnight – depart late night)

★Recommended INCLUDED Shore Excursion\*: **Glass Bottom Boat Cruise**

View the richness of Polynesian sea life without getting wet from the comfort of a glass bottom boat on the scenic cruise

Tue 11 **Raiatea, French Polynesia** (depart late night)

★Recommended INCLUDED Shore Excursion\*: **Polynesian Cultural Experience**

Wed 12 **Moorea Island, French Polynesia** (depart late night)

★Recommended INCLUDED Shore Excursion\*: **Moorea Eco-Cultural Experience**

Discover the exquisite natural splendour, history, and flavours of Moorea. From the brand-new eco-museum to Fare Tutava, where everything from medicinal creams and oils to noni juices, honey, and local vanilla is homemade

Thu 13 - Fri 14 **Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia** (two night stay)

Disembark and transfer to a luxury hotel for your two night stay, including breakfast. Enjoy exploring this tropical paradise at your leisure

Sat 15 **Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia**

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to London\*

Mon 17 **Arrive in London**

YOUR EXCLUSIVE COMPLIMENTARY PRIVATE UK CHAUFFEUR WILL BE WAITING TO TRANSFER YOU HOME IN STYLE\*\*

Dates not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea. Breakfast meals only are included with hotels stays. All meals are included on the cruise

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SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE (PPP)	NOW FARE (PPP)
Vista Suite	VI	£9,499	<b>£7,799</b>
Classic Veranda Suite	CV	£10,599	<b>£8,699</b>
Deluxe Veranda Suite	DX	£16,599	<b>£14,199</b>
Medallion Suite	ME	£21,999	<b>£18,999</b>
Royal 1 Bedroom Suite	R1	£31,499	<b>£27,699</b>
Owner's 2 Bedroom Suite	O2	£53,999	<b>£48,999</b>

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Strasbourg, France

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 7<sup>TH</sup> & 9<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST & 25<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023

**Day 1 Fly from London to Basel, Switzerland\* (no-fly option may be available).** Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark your *Scenic Space-Ship* for your luxurious 14 night all-inclusive river cruise (D)

**Day 2 Breisach, Germany**  
**Freechoice\***: Journey into the picturesque Black Forest region for a guided tour and tasting of the iconic Black Forest cake. Alternatively, enjoy a wine tasting in the Kaiserstuhl region or head out on a guided bike ride from Breisach to Freiburg (B,L,D)

**Day 3 Kehl, Germany – Strasbourg, France**  
**Freechoice\***: Visit Strasbourg and its impressive cathedral or enjoy the picturesque city from a different perspective during a canal cruise. Alternatively, journey to Mittelbergheim  
**Enrich\***: Enjoy a private concert at the Baroque Palace of Rastatt, one of the most magnificent historic venues in the region. It'll be an evening of grandeur unlike any other (B,L,D)

**Day 4 Mannheim, Germany**  
**Freechoice\***: Experience the Hockenheim Formula 1 racetrack with a museum visit and a tour of the circuit, or enjoy a historic tour of Heidelberg and visit its Renaissance castle. Alternatively, join an orientation tour of Heidelberg followed by some leisure time (B,L,D)

**Day 5 Rudesheim, Germany – Cruising the Rhine Gorge**  
 After enjoying your Freechoice excursion, enjoy unrivalled views across the spectacular UNESCO World Heritage-listed Rhine Gorge (B, L, D)  
**Freechoice\***: Join an excursion to Mainz and visit the Gutenberg Museum, the impressive sandstone cathedral and the Old Town. Or, stay in Rudesheim and enjoy a guided visit to Siegfried's Mechanical Musical Instrument Museum (B,L,D)

**Day 6 Cochem, Germany**  
**Freechoice\***: Explore Cochem during a guided tour and visit the iconic Reichsburg Castle, or join a guided bicycle tour (B,L,D)

**Day 7 Bernkastel-Kues, Germany**  
**Freechoice\***: Journey to the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg for a guided tour. Alternatively, take a guided walk through Trier, or take in beautiful Bernkastel-Kues (B,L,D)

**Day 8 Cruising the Moselle Valley**  
 Enjoy a full day to appreciate the allure of the Moselle Valley (B,L,D)

**Day 9 Koblenz, Germany**  
**Freechoice\***: Take a guided tour of this historic city or visit a local winery. Alternatively, head off on a guided cycling tour around the city that lies at the confluence of the Rhine and Moselle rivers, or visit Marksburg Castle (B,L,D)

**Day 10 Düsseldorf, Germany**  
**Freechoice\***: Discover the charming town of Düsseldorf and taste the local Altbier, join a guided cycling tour along the river, or partake in a walking tour. Alternatively, visit the Zollverein industrial site (B,L,D)

**Day 11 Arnhem, Netherlands**  
**Freechoice\***: Explore the Arnhem Airborne Museum and learn about the Battle of Arnhem, or take a tour of Palais Het Loo, a former Royal palace that now houses a museum. Alternatively, visit the Netherlands Open Air Museum. Or if you're feeling energetic, take an active bicycle tour throughout the city (B,L,D)

**Day 12 Maastricht, Netherlands**  
**Freechoice\***: Enjoy a guided tour of Maastricht or visit Aachen and learn the tale of the city that borders three countries. Alternatively, visit the Netherlands American Cemetery and Memorial (B,L,D)

**Day 13 Antwerp, Belgium**  
**Freechoice\***: Enjoy a walking tour through Antwerp, known for its diamonds, art and spectacular architecture, or be seduced by beautiful UNESCO World Heritage-listed Bruges. Alternatively, take the opportunity to visit the towns of Ypres and Passchendaele to learn about the World War I Battle of Passchendaele (B,L,D)

**Day 14 Veere, Netherlands**  
**Freechoice\***: Choose a guided tour of Veere or cycle through the town with a local guide. Alternatively, marvel at the modern wonder that is Holland's Delta Works (B,L,D)

**Day 15 Amsterdam, Netherlands**  
 After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport for your flight to **London\*** (no-fly option may be available)

Itinerary is based on 25<sup>th</sup> September 2023 departure and other dates may operate in reverse. Meals are as stated: B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner.

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SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
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Balcony Suite	C	£6,815	<b>£3,349</b>
Balcony Junior Suite	BD	£7,745	<b>£4,249</b>
Balcony Deluxe	PD	£8,195	<b>£4,699</b>
Royal Balcony Suite	RR		<b>SOLD OUT</b>

Solo fares are available on request  
 Fares and availability are based on 25<sup>th</sup> September 2023 departure  
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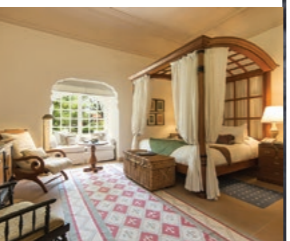
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LUXURY OBEROI HOTEL STAYS IN DELHI, AGRA & JAIPUR<sup>3</sup>

COMPLIMENTARY DRINKS, WI-FI & GRATUITIES<sup>++</sup>

EXPERT-LED SHORE EXCURSIONS\* & LAND TOURS INCLUDED

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE PROMOTION

EXCLUSIVE FARES FOR BLUE HORIZONS READERS WILL INCREASE 8PM 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023

**FIVE NIGHT** India's Golden Triangle tour including stays at some of the finest hotels in the world:

- **TWO NIGHTS** at the Oberoi New Delhi<sup>1</sup>
- **OVERNIGHT** stay at the Oberoi Amarvilas, Agra<sup>2</sup> – just metres from the Taj Mahal with unrestricted views
- **TWO NIGHTS** at the Oberoi Rajvilas, Jaipur<sup>3</sup>
- Rare opportunity to visit the Taj Mahal twice at dawn and dusk

**SEVEN NIGHT** 6★ all-inclusive river cruise on board the luxurious all-suite 56-guest *Ganges Voyager II*, including:

- **COMPLIMENTARY** house wine, local spirits and beer, soft drinks and tea and coffee<sup>\*\*</sup>
- **TEN DAYS** of excursions, including visits to four UNESCO World Heritage Sites\*
- **COMPLIMENTARY** Wi-Fi & **INCLUDED** gratuities on board<sup>\*\*</sup>
- On shore lunches and dinners include complimentary soft drinks, and tea and coffee, plus house wine and beer with dinner<sup>\*\*</sup>
- All transportation throughout your trip
- Services of a Uniworld tour manager and local experts

**Return flights from London** (regional and premium class flights may be available on request\*) and overseas transfers

**EARN EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES\***  
Earn up to **16,758** when booking this incredible river cruise, worth **£167** off your next booking with ROL Cruise<sup>\*\*</sup>



14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 18<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY & 1<sup>ST</sup> MARCH 2024

- Day 1 **Fly from London to New Delhi, India<sup>2</sup>**  
Day 2 **New Delhi, India**  
Upon arrival, transfer to the Oberoi New Delhi<sup>1</sup> for your two night stay
- Day 3 **New Delhi, India**  
Your guided tour provides an ideal first foray into this fascinating land (B,L,D)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: India's capital city with rickshaw ride to Old Delhi
- Day 4 **New Delhi – Agra, India**  
This morning, head south to Agra, the site of Shah Jahan's best-known building project, the exquisite Taj Mahal. Widely considered one of the most beautiful monuments ever created, this "elegy in marble" will not disappoint – especially when viewed at sunset. Enjoy an overnight stay at Oberoi Amarvilas Hotel<sup>2</sup> (B,L)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Majesty and grace – the Taj Mahal at sundown
- Day 5 **Agra – Jaipur, India**  
This morning, see the Taj Mahal aglow with the rosy tinge of dawn. Afterwards, journey to Jaipur for your two night stay at the Oberoi Rajvilas Hotel<sup>3</sup> (B,L,D)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Early morning at the Taj Mahal
- Day 6 **Jaipur, India**  
Enjoy the visit to the "Pink City" of Jaipur's bazaar. Following this, explore on your own – shuttles will be available to carry you to and from the hotel to the city's shopping district (B)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Rajasthan's princely city and Amber Fort
- Day 7 **Jaipur – Kolkata, India**  
Transfer to the airport and fly to Kolkata. Upon arrival, embark the luxurious *Ganges Voyager II* for your seven night 6★ all-inclusive river cruise. This evening, enjoy a Welcome dinner and cultural performance (B,L,D)
- Day 8 **Kalna, India**  
Kalna is best known today for the magnificent Hindu temples built by the maharajas of Bardhaman. After marvelling at the Rajbari temple complex, walk with your guide through the colourful local market (B,L,D)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: India's "Temple City"
- Day 9 **Matiari, India**  
Travel to an artisan village where craftsmen use materials and techniques that have remained unchanged for centuries. Matiari, a West Bengal village nestled above the banks of the river, is also home to a thriving metalworking tradition that you will see in action (B,L,D)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Matiari master craftsmen with an introduction to brass
- Day 10 **Murshidabad – Baranagar, India**  
Today's adventures take you to both Murshidabad and Baranagar – each one boasting beautiful architectural monuments closely linked to the ruling families of the area (B,L,D)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Visit Murshidabad City, ride by buggy to Katra Mosque and visit Baranagar village
- Day 11 **The Ganges★**  
Take in the remarkable scenery as you sail and be on the lookout for a rare sighting of the endangered Ganges river dolphin (B,L,D)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Khusbagh Walk
- Day 12 **Mayapur – Chandannagar, India**  
Few places of worship exist on such a head-spinning scale as what you will witness today in Mayapur, the centre of the international Hare Krishna movement and home to the new Temple of the Vedic Planetarium, still under construction. You'll also visit a former French outpost today. This evening enjoy a farewell dinner complete with a lively cultural performance  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Hare Krishna complex and Temple of the Vedic Planetarium  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: India's French colonial heritage
- Day 13 **Kolkata, India**  
The city of Kolkata is synonymous with the legacies of Mother Teresa and the colonial era British Raj, both of which you will get better acquainted with today (B,L,D)  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Kolkata city tour – visit the Flower Market, colonial sites and Kumartuli  
★ **Featured Excursion\***: Choice of NGO's Kolkata Rescue visit OR Mother Teresa's home and tomb
- Day 14 **Kolkata, India**  
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to London<sup>2</sup> (B)
- Day 15 **Arrive in London**  
Meals are included as stated: B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner.

SUITE	18 <sup>TH</sup> JAN & 1 <sup>ST</sup> MAR 2024	22 <sup>ND</sup> FEB 2024
Signature Suite	£5,269	£4,999
Colonial Suite	£5,789	£5,599
Heritage Suite	£6,999	£6,799
Viceroy Suite	£7,689	£7,499
Maharaja Suite	£8,379	SOLD OUT


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# THE BRAND-NEW 2024 Ultimate New York Christmas Experience

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11 NIGHTS DEPARTING 29<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2024

## NOVEMBER 2024

- Fri 29 **Fly from London to New York City, New York, USA**<sup>±</sup>. Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel and begin your four night 'Festive New York' land tour with Wendy Wu Tours\*
- Sat 30 **New York City, New York, USA ★Full-day festive tour★**  
After breakfast, transfer to Macy's Herald Square to admire the festive window displays. Take a short walk along 34<sup>th</sup> Street to the infamous Empire State Building, where you will get to experience the unforgettable 360-degree panoramic view. Afterwards, make your way to the impressive Grand Central Station for a brief orientation tour, followed by a seafood lunch at the legendary Grand Central Oyster Bar. Next, pay a visit to Radio City Music Hall where you will enjoy an afternoon performance of the 'Rockettes Christmas Spectacular'. Transfer to the charming Brooklyn neighbourhood of Dyker Heights to see the elaborate Christmas light displays, then enjoy dinner at a local restaurant within walking distance of your hotel (B, L, D)

## DECEMBER 2024

- Sun 1 **New York City, New York, USA ★Nutcracker ballet★**  
Head to Hurley's Restaurant for lunch, located close to Times Square. Afterwards, take a stroll to Bryant Park and explore the Christmas Market, which features artisans from around the world. Warm up with a cup of mulled wine or hot chocolate. You will have the option to enjoy some time on the ice rink at the centre of the Christmas village<sup>\*\*</sup>. This evening, visit the Lincoln Centre, where you will enjoy an NYC Ballet's Nutcracker performance (B,L)
- Mon 2 **New York City, New York, USA**  
Discover the tragic events of 9/11 at the fascinating museum and memorial. You will get to explore the history, rebuilding, and behind-the-scenes design of the site; and learn the stories of those affected by the attacks (B)

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## WHAT BETTER TIME TO EXPERIENCE NEW YORK THAN AT CHRISTMAS?

With a four night festive land tour included, you will get to admire the festive window displays at Macy's (a New York tradition since the 1870s), admire 360-degree panoramic views from the Empire State Building (only as high as the 86<sup>th</sup> floor Observatory!), and enjoy NYC ballet's 'Nutcracker' at the Lincoln Center. You can even go skating on the ice rink at Bryant Park<sup>\*\*</sup>, plus so much more! All of this is paired with an iconic transatlantic voyage on board Cunard's *Queen Mary 2* back to Southampton.



- Tue 3 **New York City, New York, USA**  
After breakfast, transfer to the port and embark the iconic *Queen Mary 2* for your seven night transatlantic voyage to Southampton (B)
- Wed 4 –  
Mon 9 **Relaxing at sea**  
*Queen Mary 2* is a remarkable flagship, her style and elegance are legendary. Above all, it's the space she offers and the luxury for you to do as little or as much as you wish which sets her apart. You'll discover remarkable craftsmanship in the elegant staterooms and suites, while savouring her many restaurants and bars is always a pleasure. Enjoy the famous Afternoon Tea in the Queen's Room, served by white-gloved waiters; take a seat in Illuminations, the on board planetarium, or join a Martini mixology class. Learn the quickstep or cha-cha with the on board dance hosts, or be entertained by guest speakers
- Tue 10 **Arrive in Southampton**  
Meals are included on the tour as stated: B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, D=Dinner. All meals are included on the cruise

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### BOOK WITH THE TOP PARTNER FOR CUNARD

**EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS** of up to **£2,200**<sup>±</sup>  
- **PLUS, BOOK BY 8PM 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023 TO ENJOY AN EXTRA DISCOUNT** of up to **£650 PER BOOKING OFF THE ADVERTISED FARES**<sup>±</sup>

### FOUR NIGHT 'Christmas in New York' land tour with Wendy Wu Tours\*, including:

- Visit to Empire State Building Observatory and Grand Central Station tour
- 'Rockettes Christmas Spectacular' performance
- NYC Ballet 'Nutcracker' performance at the Lincoln Centre

### SEVEN NIGHT full-board transatlantic voyage on board the iconic *Queen Mary 2*, including:

- **COMPLIMENTARY** on board spend of up to **\$500** for Oceanview staterooms and above\* – treat yourself throughout your voyage; sip champagne, enjoy some relaxing spa treatments or take those additional enriching shore excursions and create memories of a lifetime
- **EXCLUSIVE COMPLIMENTARY** stateroom upgrades\*
- Welcome on board reception
- White Star fine dining, bars and lounges
- Dance instruction and gentlemen host dancers
- Enjoy talks on a range of issues by well-known celebrities and experts and spectacular musical productions
- Enjoy a traditional afternoon tea – a signature Cunard experience
- 24-hour room service

### No luggage restrictions on your journey home, so you can do your Christmas shopping in New York

Flight from London to New York City, New York, USA (regional and premium class flights may be available on request\*) and overseas transfers

### EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES<sup>®</sup>

Earn up to **22,998 exclusive Cruise Miles<sup>®</sup>** worth up to **£229** when booking this incredible signature experience with ROL Cruise<sup>††</sup>



## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

Stateroom/Suite	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	Now Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
<b>BRITANNIA RESTAURANT</b>			
Inside	IF	£4,249	<b>£3,449</b>
Oceanview	EF	£5,099	<b>£4,499</b>
<b>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to a Balcony stateroom (DC)<sup>†</sup></b>			
Balcony	BC	£5,449	<b>£4,899</b>
<b>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to a Balcony stateroom (BB)<sup>†</sup></b>			
Club Balcony	A2	£5,799	<b>£5,249</b>
<b>PRINCESS &amp; QUEENS GRILL</b>			
Princess Grill Suite	P2	£6,899	<b>£6,249</b>
Penthouse Suite	Q4	£9,799	<b>£8,899</b>
Penthouse Suite	Q2	£12,599	<b>£11,499</b>

Solo fares are available from **£4,599**

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# THE ALL-INCLUSIVE 2025 DISCOVERY BORNEO & SOUTHEAST ASIA

Featuring a Seven Night Borneo Land Tour\*

Celebrity X Cruises®

Wendy Wu Tours

## YOUR INCREDIBLE VOYAGE HIGHLIGHTS

### HALF DAY TOUR OF KOTA KINABALU

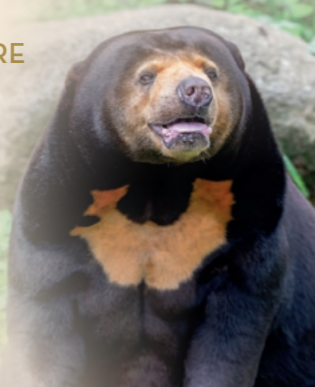
During your half day tour, head to Phu Tho Se Chinese Temple, the Sabah State Mosque (one of the most outstanding pieces of architecture in Sabah) and the Sabah Museum, home to fine exhibits that chronicle Sabah's fascinating historical past and rich cultural heritage.

### SEPILOK ORANGUTAN SANCTUARY

You will have the incredible opportunity to visit the renowned Sepilok Orangutan Sanctuary, a rehabilitation centre that strives to reintroduce captive orangutans back into the wild. Here, you'll be able to observe orangutans at their feeding stations in the rainforest and, if the nursery is open, witness baby orangutans playing.

### BORNEAN SUN BEAR CONSERVATION CENTRE

The centre rescues captured sun bears and is involved in the conversation, welfare rehabilitation and education of sun bears. You'll get the special opportunity to see the incredible work that the centre puts into the welfare of the species.



**FREE ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO \$800\***

**EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £3,400<sup>±</sup>**

**BOOK BY 8PM 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023 TO RECEIVE ADDITIONAL DISCOUNT OF UP TO £925<sup>±</sup>**

**DRINKS, GRATUITIES & WI-FI INCLUDED\*\***

**LIMITED AVAILABILITY ON EACH DATE**

## 25 NIGHTS DEPARTING 3<sup>RD</sup> & 27<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2025

- Day 1 **Fly overnight from London to Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia\***
- Day 2 **Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia**  
Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel to begin your seven night 'Borneo Land Tour Experience' with Wendy Wu Tours\*
- Day 3 **Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia ★ Kinabalu National Park ★**  
Transfer to the Poring Hot Springs, stopping en-route at Nabalu village. Upon arrival, observe the wildlife on the canopy walkway and take a dip in one of the hot mineral springs. Continue to Kinabalu National Park to explore the beautiful mountain gardens. Visit a local restaurant to enjoy a traditional Malay dinner (B,L,D)
- Day 4 **Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia ★ Half Day Tour ★ (B,L)**
- Day 5 **Kota Kinabalu – Sandakan – Sepilok – Abai, Malaysia ★ Sepilok Orangutan Sanctuary ★**  
Transfer to the airport to board your flight to Sandakan. Upon arrival, transfer to the Sepilok Orangutan Sanctuary. Later, enjoy a river cruise, followed by a guided night walk (B,L,D)
- Day 6 **Abai – Sukau, Malaysia**  
Take a boat trip for bird watching at Pitas Lake. After lunch, check in to Kinabatangan Riverside Lodge\* and embark on a cruise up the Kinabatangan River (B,L,D)
- Day 7 **Sukau, Malaysia**  
Cruise along the Menanggal River. After lunch, visit the Gomantong Cave. Surrounded by primary rainforest and rich in fruiting wild figs, this is an ideal place to spot orangutans in the wild (B,L,D)
- Day 8 **Sukau – Sandakan – Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia**  
After breakfast, transfer to Sandakan by boat and enjoy lunch before transferring to the airport for your flight to Kota Kinabalu. Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel for your overnight stay (B,L)

- Day 9 **Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia – Singapore**  
After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight to Singapore. Upon arrival, transfer to a 4★ hotel\* for your two night stay, including breakfast (B)
  - Day 10 **Singapore**  
Spend today exploring at your leisure (B)
  - Day 11 **Singapore**  
After breakfast, transfer to the port and embark the luxury *Celebrity Solstice\** for your 12 night all-inclusive voyage (B)
  - Day 13 **Ko Samui, Thailand**
  - Day 14 - Day 15 **Bangkok (from Laem Chabang), Thailand (overnight)**
  - Day 17 **Ho Chi Minh City (from Phu My), Vietnam**
  - Day 18 **Nha Trang, Vietnam**
  - Day 19 **Hue/Da Nang (from Chan May), Vietnam (arrive late am)**
  - Day 20 - Day 21 **Hanoi (from Halong Bay), Vietnam (arrive early pm – overnight)**
  - Day 23 **Hong Kong, China**  
Disembark and transfer to a 4★ hotel\* for your two night stay, including breakfast
  - Day 24 **Hong Kong, China**  
Spend today exploring at your leisure (B)
  - Day 25 **Hong Kong, China**  
Transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to London\* (B)
  - Day 26 **Arrive in London**
- Days not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea. Itinerary is based on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2025 departure date and ports of call may vary on other dates. Please note, meals are included on the tour as stated: B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, D=Dinner. All meals are included on the cruise

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**EXCLUSIVE LAUNCH SAVINGS OF UP TO £3,400<sup>±</sup>**  
- PLUS, BOOK BY 8PM 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023 TO RECEIVE AN EXTRA DISCOUNT OF UP TO £925 PER BOOKING OFF THE ADVERTISED FARES\*

**SEVEN NIGHT** Borneo Land Tour\* with Wendy Wu Tours  
**TWO NIGHT** pre-cruise 4★ hotel\* stay in Singapore, including breakfast

**12 NIGHT** all-inclusive luxury cruise on board *Celebrity Solstice\**, including:

- All-Inclusive Classic Drinks Package worth **\$2,136\*\***
- **EXCLUSIVE FREE** on board spend of up to **\$800** for Ocean View Staterooms & above\*
- Gratuities and Surf Wi-Fi\*\*

**BOOK** a Sky Suite or above & enjoy all the above, **PLUS** the following incredible Suite Benefits:

- Premium Drinks Package worth **\$2,616\*\***
- Stream Wi-Fi\*\*
- Exclusive Suite restaurant & Lounge access

**TWO NIGHT** post-cruise 4★ hotel\* stay in Hong Kong, China, including breakfast

**Flights** (regional and premium class flights may be available on request\*) and overseas transfers

### EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES\*

Earn up to **33,598 Cruise Miles\*** worth **£335**, when booking this exclusive cruises with ROL Cruise\*\*



## WHAT THE EXPERTS SAY

At Wendy Wu Tours they are all avid adventurers, constantly seeking out the best ways for you to experience the world. That's why they are touring experts - their customer reviews and numerous awards say it all. Wendy Wu Tours are all about showcasing top sights, magnificent hidden gems, and the plethora of different types of authentic and exciting experiences that they can offer you; giving you the very best holiday, whether it's your first visit or your 10<sup>th</sup>.

## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE <sup>(PPP)</sup>	NOW FARE <sup>(PPP)</sup>
Interior	I1	£6,699	<b>£5,499</b>
Ocean View	O1	£7,499	<b>£6,199</b>
Veranda	V3	£7,899	<b>£6,699</b>
Concierge Class	SC	£8,499	<b>£7,599</b>
<b>EXCLUSIVE FREE UPGRADE TO AN AQUACLASS® STATEROOM (A2)*</b>			
Sky Suite	S2	£10,499	<b>£9,499</b>
Penthouse Suite	PS	£18,499	<b>£16,799</b>

**Solo fares** are available from **£7,899**  
Fares and availability are based on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2025 departure

**BOOK TODAY WITH JUST A DEPOSIT THEN NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL 2024**

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# THE 6★ ALL-INCLUSIVE IDYLIC CARIBBEAN LAUNCH PROMOTION

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BOOK BY 8PM 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2023 & RECEIVE UP TO AN EXTRA £500<sup>±</sup> OFF THE ADVERTISED FARES

EXCLUSIVE COMPLIMENTARY VERANDA SUITE UPGRADE<sup>^</sup>

OVERNIGHT HOTEL STAY IN BARBADOS<sup>†</sup>

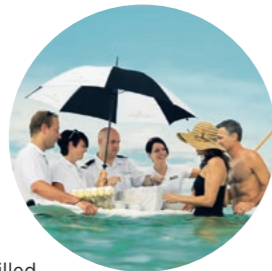
EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £3,200<sup>±</sup>

FREE ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO \$500<sup>\*</sup>

COMPLIMENTARY DRINKS, WI-FI & GRATUITIES INCLUDED<sup>\*\*</sup>

16 nights departing 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2023, 20<sup>th</sup> January & 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2024

- Day 1 **Fly from London to Bridgetown, Barbados<sup>†</sup>**  
Upon arrival, transfer to the *South Beach hotel* for your overnight stay, including breakfast<sup>†</sup>
- Day 2 **Bridgetown, Barbados**  
Transfer to the port and embark 6★ *Seabourn Ovation* for your 14 night ultra-luxury cruise
- Day 3 **Port Elizabeth, Bequia, St. Vincent**
- Day 4 **Saint Pierre, Martinique**
- Day 5 **Point a Pitre, Guadeloupe**
- Day 7 **St. Johns, Antigua**
- Day 8 **Carambola Beach, St. Kitts**  
**SEABOURN EXCLUSIVE:**  
**Caviar in the Surf<sup>®</sup> Experience<sup>\*\*</sup>**  
Enjoy a Caviar in the Surf<sup>®</sup> beach party and BBQ in Carambola Beach. Relax on the golden sands while Seabourn's gracious staff wade through turquoise waters to serve you chilled caviar and ice-cold Champagne
- Day 9 **Phillipsburg, Sint Maarten**



- Day 10 **Sopers Hole (Frenchman's Cay), British Virgin Islands**
  - Day 12 **Carambola Beach, St. Kitts**
  - Day 13 **Roseau, Dominica**
  - Day 14 **Terre de Haut, Iles des Saintes, Guadeloupe**
  - Day 15 **Fort de France, Martinique**
  - Day 16 **Bridgetown, Barbados**  
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to London<sup>†</sup>
  - Day 17 **Arrive in London**
- Days not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea. Itinerary is based on the 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2023 departure, ports of call may vary on other dates. Caviar in the surf, beach event is weather permitting

## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

Suite	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(PP)</sup>
Veranda Suite	V1	£6,399	£5,249
Veranda Suite	V2	£6,799	£5,699
<b>EXCLUSIVE COMPLIMENTARY UPGRADE to a Veranda Suite (V3)<sup>^</sup></b>			
Penthouse Suite	PH	£11,199	£9,799
Owner's Suite	O1	£14,399	£12,799

Solo fares are available from £8,499

Fares and availability are based on 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2023 departure



### SOUTH BEACH HOTEL, BARBADOS<sup>†</sup>

Discover the essence of island living at this contemporary hotel in beautiful Barbados just moments away from Accra Beach. Located on the beautiful South Coast on the Caribbean Sea, this relaxing Barbados resort features residence inspired suites with contemporary decor and balconies overlooking idyllic scenery. Enjoy fresh local cuisine at the South Beach restaurant, lounge by the sparkling pool with a tropical drink or laze on the powdery white sands.



### THE SEABOURN DIFFERENCE

Seabourn welcomes you to all-inclusive, ultra-luxury cruising refined to its purest form. Where hand-selected itineraries take you to places beyond the reach of larger ships. It is in the quality and style of service on board that Seabourn truly excels. On board staff number nearly as many as guests on each ship. They are recruited, trained and managed to encourage a focus on the delight of each guest as an individual. This service philosophy underlies every aspect of the shipboard experience. On Seabourn, regardless of which suite you book, you will receive superbly skilled attention and sincere, heartfelt hospitality from every member of staff, on every occasion.



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EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £3,200<sup>±</sup>

PLUS, book by 8pm 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023 for an additional discount of up to £500 per booking off the advertised fares<sup>±</sup>

OVERNIGHT stay at the *South Beach hotel* in Barbados, including breakfast<sup>†</sup>

14 NIGHTS all-inclusive ultra-luxury cruising on board the 6★ *Seabourn Ovation* including:

- FREE on board spend of up to \$500 for Penthouse Spa Suites (PS) and above<sup>\*</sup>
- COMPLIMENTARY fine wines, spirits, soft drinks, Champagnes and ales throughout your voyage<sup>\*\*</sup>
- COMPLIMENTARY dining venues & Wi-Fi<sup>\*\*</sup>
- Spacious, all-suite accommodation all with sweeping views
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Earn up to 25,598 Cruise Miles<sup>®</sup>, when booking this voyage, worth £255 off your next booking with ROL Cruise<sup>\*\*</sup>



## YOUR CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

### SOPERS HOLE, FRENCHMANS CAY

This snug harbor at the West End of Tortola is the classic Caribbean yacht haven. It was a notorious den for pirates in the past and the marinas were hard hit by hurricanes Irma and Maria in August and September 2017. The community is now eager to welcome visitors again. Check on the progress at Pusser's Landing, the multi-service home of the famous wood-distilled rum and the Painkiller cocktail, which is good even if you're not in pain!



### ST. JOHN'S, ANTIGUA

Antigua is blessed with an abundance of shining white beaches and other amenities counted among the best in the Caribbean. A pleasant drive up through farms and tiny villages leads to the commanding fortress on Shirley Heights, from which you can survey the town and the harbour of Nelson's Dockyard across the island.



### CARAMBOLA BEACH, ST. KITTS

A classic golden arc of sugary sand at South Friar's Bay, Carambola is home to the island's most luxurious beach clubs and restaurants. Umbrellas, loungers and optional water sports abound for those so inclined. Otherwise St. Kitts has other attractions, including a number of lovingly preserved plantation great houses, the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Brimstone Hill Fortress and a scenic narrow gauge sugarcane railway.



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**EXCLUSIVE  
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**FREE  
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LAND TOUR  
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**UP TO 50  
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**EXCLUSIVE  
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£10,500<sup>±</sup>**



\*Shore excursions are for example purposes only. Included shore excursions exclude Regent Choice Excursions and private arrangements. Some shore excursions will be unsuitable for guests with mobility restrictions. Some Shore Excursions may be reserved beginning 365 days before a cruise – depending on grade booked. 6★ refers to the cruise element only. \*\*Land tours are subject to change and are based on the current packages. Pre-cruise land tour is not combinable with pre-cruise hotel stay.

22 NIGHTS DEPARTING 6<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2026

Similar itinerary from Cape Town to Dubai departs  
26<sup>th</sup> February 2026 – please call for further details

## JANUARY 2026

Book a Concierge Suite or above & your **EXCLUSIVE FREE Private UK Chauffeur will transfer you to the airport in style\*\***

Tue 6 **Fly from London to Dubai, UAE<sup>±</sup>**. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel for an overnight stay

Wed 7 **Dubai, UAE**  
Transfer to the port and embark the 6★ *Seven Seas Voyager*<sup>®</sup> for your 20 night all-inclusive voyage

Thu 8 **Abu Dhabi, UAE** (depart late night)

Sun 11 **Salalah, Oman**

Thu 15 **Praslin, La Digue, Seychelles**

Thu 15 - Fri 16 **Port Victoria, Mahe, Seychelles** (arrive evening – overnight)

★**RECOMMENDED INCLUDED EXCURSION<sup>±</sup>: Coral Cruise**  
Board a catamaran for a relaxing cruise to verdant Moyenne Island. Receive snorkelling gear and safety information from a knowledgeable guide. Swim past living corals and myriad species of colourful fish such as parrot and butterfly fish. Observe the glorious underwater panorama from the comfort of a semi-submersible viewer. Hand-feed the fish with assistance from a helpful expert

Sun 18 **Nosy Be, Madagascar**

★**RECOMMENDED INCLUDED EXCURSION<sup>±</sup>: Open-air market and Sacred Tree**

Immerse yourself in a bustling Hell-Ville marketplace brimming with vegetables, fruits and spices. Experience the exquisite aroma of ylang-ylang tree's flowers at a plantation. Contemplate the over-two-centuries-old sacred tree, a venerated site of Malagasy people. Roam the Sacred Tree's tangle of aerial rotos and applaud a live-music folkloric performance while enjoying a refreshing beverage

Mon 19 **Mayotte, French Comoros**

Thu 22 **Maputo, Mozambique**

Fri 23 **Richards Bay, South Africa**

★**RECOMMENDED INCLUDED EXCURSION<sup>±</sup>: Dumazulu Cultural Village**

Delve into an authentic Zulu cultural experience at the DumaZulu Traditional Village. Savour a cooling refreshment before meeting your knowledgeable native guides. Enter the chief's homestead, or kraal, to observe Zulu traditions of basket-weaving, beadwork and weapon-crafting, among others. See the healer, or sangoma, practicing a type of divination known as bone throwing. Soak up the rhythms of the Zulu's mesmerizing dancing

Sun 25 **Mossel Bay, South Africa**

Mon 26 **Cape Town, South Africa** (overnight)

Tue 27 **Cape Town, South Africa**  
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your return overnight flight to **London<sup>±</sup>**

Wed 28 **Arrive in London**

Book a Concierge Suite or above & your **EXCLUSIVE FREE Private UK Chauffeur will be waiting to transfer you home in style\*\***

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH FARES

SUITE	GRADE	BROCHURE FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
Deluxe Veranda Suite	H	£15,749	<b>£11,059</b>
Concierge Suite	E	£17,179	<b>£12,649</b>
Penthouse Suite	C	£18,759	<b>£14,199</b>
Seven Seas Suite	SS	£21,779	<b>£17,199</b>
Master Suite	MS	£29,239	<b>£24,279</b>

Solo fares are available on request

**JUST A LOW DEPOSIT REQUIRED THEN  
NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL LATE 2025**

**YOUR FREE THREE NIGHT  
OPTIONAL LAND TOURS\*\***

### PRE-CRUISE – 3 NIGHTS MARVELS OF DUBAI & SHARJAH

Discover the modern wonders of Dubai in the Museum of the Future where you will step into the year 2071. Visit the Dubai Mall – the largest shopping mall in the world before experiencing the Burj Khalifa, the tallest building in the world, from the 124<sup>th</sup> floor's viewing gallery. Enjoy an adventurous dune dinner safari, visit a Bedouin Village, then visit the Emirate of Sharjah, where you will visit a museum and an 'Arsa', where goods are sold including jewellery, wood items and silver.

### OR POST-CRUISE – 3 NIGHTS WILD & WONDERFUL CAPE TOWN WITH GAME DRIVE

Take a journey from the delightful city of Cape Town to the top of Table Mountain by cable car for spectacular views. Enjoy a hosted game drive through one of Africa's pristine wildlife reserves, where you will have the chance to see many African animals in their natural habitat. Enjoy an African themed Farewell Dinner at GOLD Restaurant, plus you'll have free time to explore Cape Town at your leisure – why not visit Robben Island or, enjoy a wine tasting at the Winelands.

## ◆ WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH PROMOTION

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- **EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS** OF UP TO **£9,900<sup>±</sup>**
- **PLUS, RECEIVE ADDITIONAL SAVINGS** OF UP TO **£600 PER BOOKING OFF THE ADVERTISED FARES<sup>±</sup>**
- **EXCLUSIVE FREE \$400** on board spend for **ALL BOOKINGS<sup>±</sup>**
- **EXCLUSIVE FREE Private UK Chauffeur Service**, up to 100 miles each way, for Concierge Suites & above\*\*

**JUST A LOW DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO BOOK**  
– must end 8pm 31<sup>st</sup> July 2023

**INCLUDED** pre-cruise hotel stay in Dubai, UAE – book a Concierge Suite or above & enjoy an upgraded hotel stay  
**FREE** three night Cape Town with Safari game drive **OR** Dubai land tour for all bookings<sup>±</sup>

**20 NIGHTS** all-inclusive 6★ cruising on board the ultra-luxurious 698-guest *Seven Seas Voyager*<sup>®</sup>, including:

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- **INCLUDED** pre-paid gratuities & Wi-Fi for all suites\*\*
- **INCLUDED** butler service for Penthouse Suites and above
- **INCLUDED** 24-hour room service & laundry service

**Return flights from London** (regional and premium class flights may be available on request<sup>±</sup>) and overseas transfers

### EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES<sup>®</sup>

Earn up to **48,558 Cruise Miles<sup>®</sup>**, worth **£485** off your next booking, only with ROL Cruise\*\*



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**34 NIGHTS** FROM ONLY **£1,599<sup>PP</sup>**

**34 NIGHTS** DEPARTING 12<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023  
SEPTEMBER 2023

Tue 12 **Embark *Ambience* and depart London Tilbury**  
Fri 15 **Tórshavn, Faroe Islands**  
Tue 19 **Narsarsuaq, Greenland**  
Wed 20 **Qaqortoq, Greenland**  
Sat 23 **St. John's, Newfoundland, Canada**  
Mon 25 **Sydney, Nova Scotia, Canada**

Sydney's waterfront is the perfect place for a stroll, whilst the Centre for Craft & Design showcases the work of more than 90 local artisans. You can even have your picture taken with the world's largest fiddle

Tue 26 **Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada**  
Wed 27 **Gaspé, Quebec, Canada** (arrive midday)  
Sat 30 **Montreal, Quebec, Canada**

OCTOBER 2023  
Sun 1 - **Quebec City, Quebec, Canada** (arrive late am - overnight - depart early pm)  
Mon 2

One of North America's oldest cities, Quebec is a haven for culture and the arts, featuring 37 National Historic Sites of Canada, countless museums and theatres, and some stunning early Canadian architecture, including the Château Frontenac Hotel

Tue 3 **Baie-Comeau, Quebec, Canada**  
Wed 4 **Havre-Saint-Pierre, Quebec, Canada** (depart early pm)  
Thu 5 **Corner Brook, Newfoundland, Canada** (arrive late am)

Fri 6 **Cap-aux-Meules, Îles de la Madeleine, Quebec, Canada**  
Thu 12 **Reykjavik, Iceland** (arrive early pm)

Part-old Norse, part-modern city, Iceland's capital is both quirky and cosmopolitan. Brightly coloured houses create unique streetscapes, whilst further afield vast lava fields, bubbling mud pools, crashing waterfalls and spouting geysers will fire your imagination

Mon 16 **Arrive in London Tilbury**  
Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

**INCREDIBLE SAVINGS**  
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ONLY **£47<sup>PP</sup> PER NIGHT**

**FREE £200\* ON BOARD SPEND**

**CABINS SELLING FAST -**  
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## WHAT'S INCLUDED -

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**FREE £200** on board spend for all bookings\*

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## YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

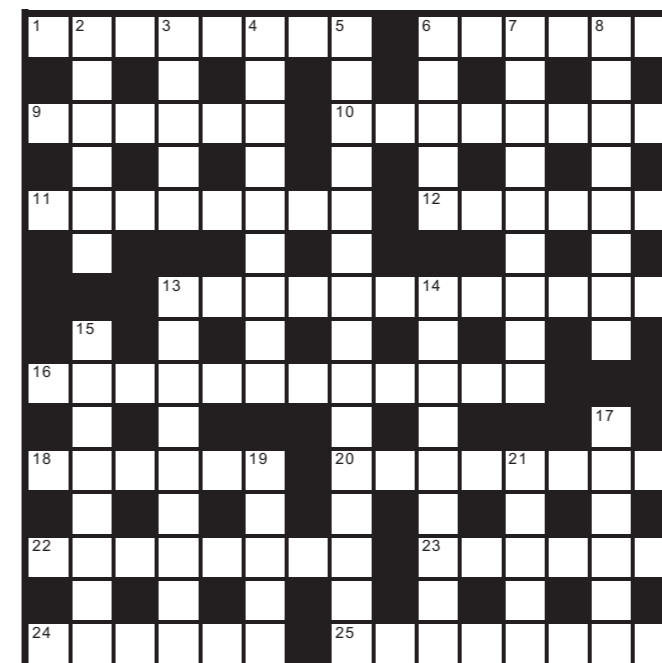
Cabin Category	Code	Price	Price
Standard Inside	1	£3,559	<b>£1,599</b>
Standard Ocean View	6B <sup>+</sup>	£4,359	<b>£1,899</b>
Premium Ocean View	12	£6,159	<b>£2,619</b>
Superior Balcony	14	£7,579	<b>£3,179</b>
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£10,659	<b>£4,379</b>
De Luxe Suite	DS	£13,019	<b>£5,299</b>

**Premium single cabins are available from £3,339**

# WIN A CASE OF SIX FINE WINES



Simply complete the crossword and take a picture or scan this into [competitiontime@rolcruise.co.uk](mailto:competitiontime@rolcruise.co.uk) along with your name and address for your chance to win a case of six fine wines. Correct entries must be submitted **20<sup>th</sup> July 2023** for a chance to win. One lucky entrant will be chosen at random. Good luck!



### ACROSS

- Chain of islands in the West Indies (8)
- Territory of Athens in ancient Greece (6)
- under-Lyne, town near Manchester (6)
- City in western California (8)
- Not brave or courageous (8)
- Dislike intensely (6)
- City in central California (5,7)
- City in southeast Pennsylvania (12)
- and Bute, west Scotland council area (6)
- Tract of uncultivated ground (8)
- Capital and principal port of Hawaii (8)
- Food container often found on breakfast table (6)
- Lady's name, diminutive of Ottilie (6)
- Detached area off Morocco (8)

### DOWN

- Perceiving with the sense of smell (6)
- Fibre from yucca trees used to make cord (5)
- Country east of Eden mentioned in Genesis (4,2,3)
- Castled rock near Penzance (2,8,5)
- Year's entry in a chronicle (5)
- West African country, capital Banjul (3,6)
- English county bordering Wales (8)
- Gateway or opening in a fortified place (9)
- Museum attached to Oxford University (9)
- Famous forest in Nottinghamshire (8)
- Swallow up completely (6)
- Bloodsucking insect (5)
- Light-bodied effervescent beer (5)

## FROM SHELF TO SEA...

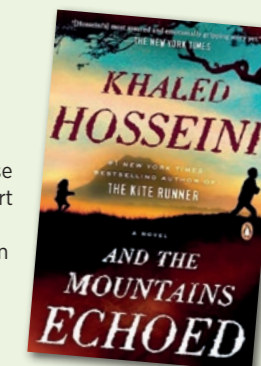
Whilst many of us may not have the luxury of time to indulge in a good book back at home, cruising is the perfect opportunity to delve into a new novel - or two! If you need inspiration for what to read on your next cruise, then be sure to add the below books to your list, handpicked by ROL Cruise...

**PAPERBACK**

### AND THE MOUNTAINS ECHOED

BY KHALED HOSSEINI

A poignant tale that will mesmerise your mind whilst making your heart tremble. This tale explores love, trials, betrayals and sacrifices, even from those closest to us. By the #1 New York Times-bestselling author of *The Kite Runner* and *A Thousand Splendid Suns*.

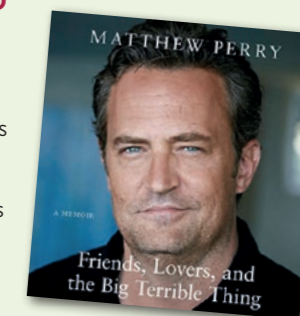


**AUDIO BOOK**

### FRIENDS, LOVERS, AND THE BIG TERRIBLE THING: A MEMOIR

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### \*\*\* Crossword Winner \*\*\*

THE JUNE CROSSWORD WINNER IS

**LAWRENCE CONWAY** FROM **CHESSINGTON**

WHO RECEIVES A CASE OF SIX FINE WINES

**ACROSS:** 1 Bloop | 5 Tar heel | 9 Macon | 10 Beaumaris | 11 Kilometre | 12 Salve | 13 New Caledonia | 18 South America | 21 Nyasa | 23 Reception | 25 Icelander | 26 Lento | 27 Nutcase | 28 La Scala

**DOWN:** 1 Bamako | 2 Occult | 3 Phnom Penh | 4 Rabat | 5 Traveller | 6 Remus | 7 Euroland | 8 Las Vegas | 14 Cambridge | 15 Decapolis | 16 Asuncion | 17 Budapest | 19 Vienna | 20 Angola | 22 Aqaba | 24 Coral

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We are lucky enough to have been shortlisted for the eighth time for the **'Best Travel Agency for Cruise Holidays'** at the British Travel Awards 2023.

Voting is now open for these prestigious awards which will be announced at a glittering gala ceremony to be held in London in November 2023. The awards showcase the very best companies the travel industry has to offer and are the most illustrious accolades in the UK cruising industry.

Once more, we need your help. ROL Cruise now have more than 25 years of experience and are the UK's No. 1 Independent Cruise Specialist, and its due to the support of our customers that we've reached this important and exciting milestone.



### *In the last year we have:*

- Retained the Platinum Trusted Service Award from feefo
- Saved ROL Cruise customers over £11 million through Exclusive Cruise Miles<sup>®††</sup>
- Celebrated more than 25 years within the cruise industry
- Won 3 Carnival UK's Cruise Awards for 2023
- Named Call Centre Agency of the year 2022 by the Agent Achievement Awards

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**£50,000 in prizes to be won**

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**Plus many more**

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2. Vote for your preferred travel industry nominee
3. Enter the free prize draw to win!

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