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HELLO AND WELCOME TO YOUR 20TH ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL EDITION OF BLUE HORIZONS

Jeremy Dickinson, Chairman of ROL Cruise



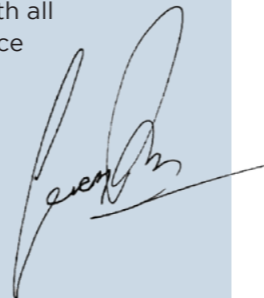
Here at ROL cruise we are delighted to have been helping you to discover your dream destinations in Blue Horizons for the past 20 years!

What an array of itineraries we have for you to choose from! Turn to page 46-47 to enjoy a once-in-a-lifetime No-Fly Northern Lights Expedition.

Have you considered crossing something off your bucket list? Another destination featured is the breath taking Antarctic on paged 44-45, a true marvel to behold.

Within this Special Edition you will find something for everyone. With lots to offer we look forward to seeing what you choose to book with one of our expert team.

Happy Cruising!



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COMPETITION TIME!

Here at ROL Cruise we hope that you enjoy competitions as much as we do! Below, you will find 10 questions to test your knowledge of some of the incredible destinations you can enjoy through this special edition of Blue Horizons.

Simply email us at competitiontime@rolcruise.co.uk along with your name, address and answers for your chance to win!

Correct entries must be submitted by 22nd August 2023 for a chance to win. One lucky entrant will be chosen at random. Good luck!

- 1. Within this Special Edition of Blue Horizons, many exotic destination are featured, but what destination is known as 'Islands of Gods'?
2. Which show is known as "The Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth"?
3. The Great Barrier Reef is one of the seven natural wonders of the world for many reasons, but how many types of Coral Reef does it have?
4. As a Blue Horizons reader, you receive many benefits, can you name three of those benefits?
5. India's 'Festival of Colours' is a sight to behold, but which Indian City can you witness this in?
6. Cruising is taking steps to become more eco-friendly in a variety of ways, but which two cruise lines are refitting existing vessels to achieve their sustainability goals?
7. Cunard's Grand Caribbean Sale Event will be a sailing not to miss, but which iconic ship would you be sailing on?
8. Visiting the Galapagos Islands is on every avid traveller's bucket list, but which animals feature on the wildlife watch list?
9. P&O's Arvia features many delightful dining options, but which restaurants feature stateside favourites?
10. Blue Horizons launched 20 years ago but under a different name, what was the magazine originally known as?

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THE NO-FLY OFFICIAL 2025 GRAND CARIBBEAN SALE EVENT

On board the iconic *Queen Mary 2*

**EXCLUSIVE
ROL CRUISE
FARES WILL
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2023**



PACK FOR THE CARIBBEAN

Cruising is one of the most popular ways to explore the Caribbean, offering a luxurious and comfortable way to travel between islands with the added convenience of only having to unpack once. What's more, with your no-fly Caribbean cruise, you'll also benefit from being able to bring as much luggage on board as you like!



WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE PROMOTION

BOOK WITH ROL CRUISE, THE TOP PARTNER FOR CUNARD, TO RECEIVE THESE EXCLUSIVE BENEFITS:

- **EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS** OF UP TO **£2,800*** - **FARES WILL INCREASE 8PM 22ND AUGUST 2023**
- **EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES***
Earn up to **91,698 Cruise Miles*** when booking this incredible grand voyage, worth **£916** off your next booking with ROL Cruise**



35 night full board no-fly luxury cruising on board the iconic *Queen Mary 2* including:

- **COMPLIMENTARY** on board spend of up to **\$2,030** 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
- White Star fine dining, bars and lounges
- **OR COMPLIMENTARY** car parking# **OR** coach transfers
- 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 with fine leaf teas, finger sandwiches and pastries
- 24-hour room service

- COMPLIMENTARY ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO **\$2,030***
- OR COMPLIMENTARY CAR PARKING# OR COACH TRANSFERS
- EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS UP TO **£2,800***
- STATEROOMS ARE SELLING FAST
- JUST A DEPOSIT REQUIRED THEN NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL NEXT YEAR

YOUR GRAND CARIBBEAN VOYAGE

White sandy beaches and colonial architecture. Colourful cocktails and fiery fish fries. Find something to love about every sun-kissed destination on this 35 night voyage. Plenty of sea days mean you have time to truly revel in life at sea. Spend time in any way you wish, whether you'd most enjoy leisurely poolside drinks and time in the spa, or a day filled with activities and Insight talks. In port, sip on sweet sangria in Tenerife, discover rum distilleries and picture-perfect seas in Barbados, and an overnight in Curaçao brings the chance to explore another side of this Dutch-influenced country. A variety of Caribbean islands await your discovery, and then finally you'll see Funchal in Madeira, before returning to Southampton.

35 NIGHTS DEPARTING 11TH JANUARY 2025

JANUARY 2025	Thu 30 Roseau, Dominica	
Sat 11 Embark the iconic <i>Queen Mary 2</i> and depart Southampton	Fri 31 English Harbour, Antigua	
Wed 15 Santa Cruz, Tenerife	FEBRUARY 2025	
Wed 22 St. Georges, Grenada	Sat 1 Basseterre, Saint Kitts and Nevis	
Thu 23 Bridgetown, Barbados	Mon 3 Tortola, British Virgin Islands	
When sailing to Barbados, you'll encounter a land where relaxation and adventure go hand-in-hand. From underground caverns and glass-like lagoons to emerald jungles and vast historic plantations, this is a paradise just waiting to be explored	Upon docking at Road Town, you can explore the many beauties of Tortola, including ivory-coloured sands, crystal-clear aquamarine seas and the beautiful and natural world of JR O'Neal Botanic Gardens	
Fri 24 Castries, Saint Lucia	Tue 4 Philipsburg, St. Maarten	
Sun 26 - Willemstad, Curaçao (overnight)	Tue 11 Funchal, Madeira	
Mon 27 Enjoy an overnight stay in Willemstad with plenty of time to admire the beautiful 17th and 18th century Dutch-style architecture and explore the 'floating' market	Sat 15 Arrive in Southampton	
	Dates not mentioned are spend relaxing at sea	

★THE CUNARD LIFE★


★THE ICONIC QUEEN MARY 2★

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. Whether you're in the mood for complete relaxation or something more active, you can find it. Immerse yourself in enthralling entertainment, be indulged in the on board spa**, or simply relax with a book in her vast library. Alternatively, visit the planetarium dome which will send you on an epic voyage across the solar system, teach you to navigate by the stars, or show other science and natural history films.




★GRILL SUITES★

Grill Suites are the epitome of the Cunard experience with guests enjoying attentive service and the space to relax in their suites, exclusive lounges, and terraces. Meanwhile, the best food and wines make every meal something to savour in the Grill restaurants, where only the very best will do.



★WHITE STAR SERVICE★

Cunard pride themselves on a service that goes above and beyond your expectations. You'll notice that every detail of your cruise has been carefully considered to ensure you have the most memorable and luxurious experience on board.



YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE (pp)	ROL CRUISE FARE (pp)
BRITANNIA RESTAURANT			
Inside	IF	£3,899	£3,299
Outside	EF	£5,299	£4,799
Balcony	DF	£5,449	£4,999
Club Balcony	A2	£7,899	£7,599
PRINCESS & QUEENS GRILL			
Princess Grill (2 left)	P2	£11,299	£10,959
Queens Grill	Q6	£13,299	£12,899
Royal Suite	Q3	£23,569	£22,869
Grand Duplex (1 left)	Q1	£47,249	£45,849
Solo fares are available from £5,499			

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

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THE NO-FLY WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN DISCOVERY

14 NIGHTS FROM ONLY £1,099^{PP}

ON BOARD SPENDING MONEY OF UP TO £700*

OR

CAR PARKING[#] OR COACH TRANSFERS

EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE PRICES WILL INCREASE 8PM 22ND AUGUST 2023

FULL-BOARD CRUISING FROM ONLY £78^{PP} PER NIGHT

JUST A LOW DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO BOOK

INTRODUCING ARVIA

Arvia is the first ship of her kind boasting a SkyDome with a retractable glass roof. Whatever the weather, enjoy glorious views as you take a dip in the pool, relax on a sun lounger or sip a sensational cocktail. You can expect energetic adventures, one-of-a-kind dining experiences and soothing relaxation options. When it's time to return to your room after a day of exploration and an evening of fantastic food and entertainment, you'll want it to be a stylish, comfortable haven – and that's exactly what you'll find with *Arvia*. *Arvia* also joins Iona as P&O Cruises most environmentally friendly ships using LNG power – the first British ships of their kind.

A P&O CRUISES FIRST

Relax in style by soaking in the Infinity and Panorama Pool and Bar. Another P&O Cruises first that offers the ultimate luxury experience. Located on Decks 16 & 18, you can order your favourite cocktail from the swim-up bar or soak in the revitalising whirlpool. Also, don't miss the atmospheric live music and silent discos that are held here at night.

RETAIL & RELAXATION

Get ready to feel revitalised in the Oasis Spa and Health Club** with rejuvenating treatments. Wellbeing innovations on *Arvia* include two VIP Couple Suites (each boasting a hammam and steam room), a therapeutic cool room, a restorative salt sauna and an invigorating Kneipp Walk (combining a pebble foot massage with hot- and cold-water treatments) to stimulate circulation and boost vitality.

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 12TH MAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER 2024, 30TH MARCH AND 17TH AUGUST 2025

OTHER DATES AVAILABLE, PLEASE CALL FOR DETAILS

- Day 1 **Embark *Arvia* and depart Southampton**
- Day 3 **La Coruña, Spain**
- Day 6 **Valencia, Spain**
Vibrant Valencia cruise port, Spain's third-largest city is a popular and picturesque resort known for its pavement cafes, parties (Las Fallas) and paella. Amongst art and architecture you can see plazas, palaces, churches and cathedrals, before heading to one of the city's white sandy beaches to cool off
- Day 8 **Marseille, France**
- Day 9 **Barcelona, Spain**
A vivid mix of ancient and modern but is probably best known for the bizarre Art Nouveau architecture of Antonio Gaudi, in particular the iconic Sagrada Familia, Europe's most extraordinary – and still unfinished – cathedral
- Day 11 **Seville (from Cádiz), Spain**
- Day 15 **Arrive in Southampton**



WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE PROMOTION

13 NIGHTS full board cruising on board *Arvia*, the newest ship in the P&O Cruises fleet, including:

- EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS - PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, PRICES WILL INCREASE 8PM 22ND AUGUST 2023
- ON BOARD SPENDING MONEY of up to £700*
- OR
- CAR PARKING[#] or COACH TRANSFERS
- NO TIPPING REQUIRED on board**
- The currency on board is pound sterling, so you won't be affected by any foreign exchange rate fluctuations
- A uniquely British cruising experience
- A range of tantalising restaurants offering culinary masterpieces to informal buffets
- A choice of pools to relax and unwind in or simply soak up the sun on the spacious deck

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES[®]
Earn up to **7,489 Cruise Miles[®]**, worth **£££s off** your next booking, only with ROL Cruise**



YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE PRICES

Cabin	12 th May 24	29 th Sep 24	30 th Mar 25	17 th Aug 25
Inside	£1,159	£1,099	£1,099	£1,339
Sea View	£1,599	£1,399	£1,479	£1,749
Balcony	£1,679	£1,499	£1,599	£1,839
Deluxe Balcony	£2,099	£1,899	£1,999	£2,399
Conservatory Mini Suite	£2,429	£2,199	£2,299	£2,699
Suite	£3,599	£2,999	£3,249	£3,749

Solo fares are available on request

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UNFORGETTABLE BARS & DINING

Choose from 20 restaurants, including exclusive new dining concepts and exciting eateries such as:

- The freshest flavours at sea at Green & Co, featuring Mizuhana including expert food-pairing advice and vibrant cocktails
- All-American Stateside favourites including fried chicken and waffles with bourbon mascarpone in 6th Street Diner
- Glide through cool waters to order your favourite cocktail without leaving the pool with *Arvia's* swim-up bar and stunning infinity pool
- Enjoy glamorous evenings sipping exclusively crafted cocktails at the Amber Lounge in the Grand Atrium

CONSERVATORY MINI SUITES

The Conservatory Mini Suite is an exciting new addition to the choice of accommodation. Bring the outdoors in with a personal and versatile conservatory-style room that forms an extension to the suite. This space, which includes stylish L-shaped seating, can be closed off or left open according to the time of day or mood.





THE ALL-INCLUSIVE 2024 NO-FLY CRUISE SALE

EXCLUSIVE FARES WILL INCREASE 8PM 22ND AUGUST 2023

- FREE ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO \$600*
- ALL-INCLUSIVE - DRINKS, GRATUITIES & WI-FI INCLUDED**
- EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £4,500[±]
- FREE OCEAN VIEW TO BALCONY UPGRADES[^]

HOW TO USE YOUR ON BOARD SPEND

Speciality dining

Make any night a special occasion at Princess award-winning restaurants. Explore them all: comfort food with a twist at The Salty Dog Gastropub, treasured Italian recipes at Sabatini's, next-level surf and turf at Crown Grill and Sterling Steakhouse or the Cajun-infused menu of the Bayou Café. Or dine al fresco while sipping a glass of French wine at Bistro Sur La Mer. Princess truly have a dining experience to suite every palate.

The Lotus Spa

Revitalise in the Lotus Spa, named Best Spa on a Cruise Ship by Spa finder Wellness 365™. As part of our relaxing cruise activities, you can choose from a variety of treatments, such as aroma stone therapy massages and detoxifying ocean wraps. Or enjoy a manicure and pedicure in our salon with an attentive service chosen by you.

EXPERIENCE THE DIFFERENCE

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE

PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, EXCLUSIVE FARES WILL INCREASE 8PM 22ND AUGUST 2023

All-inclusive cruising on board *Sky Princess*® including:

- **FREE ON BOARD SPEND** OF UP TO \$600*
- **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
- Princess MedallionClass™ experience
- **FREE** Ocean View to Balcony stateroom upgrades[^]
- **COMPLIMENTARY** dining options including Dine My Way™, 24-hour buffet, 24-hour international cafe, poolside grill, ice cream bar, pizzeria, afternoon tea and 24-hour room service
- Variety of bars
- Movies under the Stars® at the poolside theatre with complimentary popcorn
- Blissful retreats on board including the Lotus Spa™ and The Sanctuary™

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES®
Earn up to **18,518 Cruise Miles®**, worth **£185** only when you book with ROL Cruise™



CANADA & NEW ENGLAND IN THE FALL

31 NIGHTS DEPARTING 15TH SEPTEMBER 2024

SEPTEMBER 2024

- Sun 15 **Embark *Sky Princess*® and depart Southampton**
- Sat 21 **Corner Brook, Newfoundland, Canada** (depart late night)
- Mon 23 **Saguenay, Quebec, Canada**
- Tue 24 - **Quebec City, Quebec, Canada** (overnight - depart late night)
- Wed 25
- Sat 28 **Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada**
- Sun 29 **Sydney, Nova Scotia, Canada**
- Mon 30 **Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada**

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- Wed 2 - **New York City, New York, USA** (overnight)
- Thu 3 **Newport, Rhode Island, USA**
- Fri 4 **Boston, Massachusetts, USA** (arrive late am)
- Sun 6 **Rockland, Maine, USA**
- Mon 7 **Saint John, New Brunswick, Canada**
- Thu 10 **St. John's, Newfoundland, Canada**
- Wed 16 **Arrive in Southampton**



MEDITERRANEAN EXPLORER

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 5TH MAY & 1ST SEPTEMBER 2024

- Day 1 **Embark *Sky Princess*® and depart Southampton**
- Day 3 **Santiago de Compostela (from Vigo), Spain**
- Day 5 **Seville (from Cádiz), Spain**
- Day 6 **Málaga, Spain**
- Day 8 **Ajaccio, Corsica, France**
- Day 9 **Provence (from Marseille), France**
Marseille is your gateway to Provence. Explore the countryside around Arles and Avignon, immortalised in the canvases of Van Gogh, Cézanne, Matisse and Picasso
- Day 11 **Gibraltar**
- Day 12 **Lisbon, Portugal** (arrive midday - depart late night)
- Day 15 **Arrive in Southampton**



SPLENDOURS OF SCANDINAVIA

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 1ST JUNE 2024

- JUNE 2024**
 - Sat 1 **Embark *Sky Princess*® and depart Southampton**
 - Mon 3 **Skagen, Denmark**
 - Tue 4 **Copenhagen, Denmark**
 - Wed 5 **Berlin (from Warnemünde), Germany** (depart late night)
 - Fri 7 - **Stockholm, Sweden** (overnight - depart early pm)
 - Sat 8
 - Sun 9 **Helsinki, Finland**
 - Mon 10 **Tallinn, Estonia**
 - Tue 11 **Visby, Gotland, Sweden**
 - Thu 13 **Kristiansand, Norway**
 - Sat 15 **Arrive in Southampton**
- Dates not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea.



CANARY ISLANDS DISCOVERY

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 16TH OCTOBER & 16TH NOVEMBER 2024

- Day 1 **Embark *Sky Princess*® and depart Southampton**
- Day 3 **Santiago de Compostela (from Vigo), Spain**
- Day 5 **Funchal, Madeira**
- Day 6 **Santa Cruz, Tenerife** (depart late night)
- Day 7 **Las Palmas, Gran Canaria** (depart late night)
- Day 8 **Arrecife, Lanzarote**
- Day 10 **Lisbon, Portugal**
- Day 13 **Arrive in Southampton**



Days not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea. Itinerary is based on 16th October 2024 and ports of call may vary on other departure date.

YOUR ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Was Fare ^(PP)	ROL Cruise Fare ^(PP)
Inside	£2,299	£1,999
Ocean View	£2,949	£2,569
FREE upgrade to a Deluxe Balcony Stateroom[^]		
Mini Suite	£3,699	£3,169
Suite	£5,599	£4,559

Solo fares are available on request

Fares are based on 5th May 2024 departure

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YOUR ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Was Fare ^(PP)	ROL Cruise Fare ^(PP)
Inside	£2,349	£2,099
Ocean View	£3,099	£2,599
FREE upgrade to a Balcony Stateroom[^]		
Deluxe Balcony	£3,249	£2,869
Mini-Suite	£3,849	£3,169
Suite	£5,849	£5,039

Solo fares are available on request

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YOUR ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Was Fare ^(PP)	ROL Cruise Fare ^(PP)
Inside	£1,749	£1,679
Ocean View	£2,199	£2,149
FREE upgrade to a Balcony Stateroom[^]		
Deluxe Balcony	£2,349	£2,299
Mini Suite	£2,499	£2,469
Suite	£4,049	£3,299

Solo fares are available on request

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YOUR ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Was Fare ^(PP)	ROL Cruise Fare ^(PP)
Inside	£4,549	£3,999
Ocean View	£6,249	£4,249
FREE upgrade to a Balcony Stateroom[^]		
Deluxe Balcony	£6,549	£5,549
Mini Suite	£8,049	£6,479
Suite	£11,549	£9,259

Solo fares are available on request

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THE NO-FLY 2023 PRICE DROP PROMOTION

34 NIGHTS FROM ONLY £1,499^{PP}

DEPARTING SOON, PLEASE DO NOT DELAY

ADULTS-ONLY CRUISING

SAVE UP TO 60%[±]

TRADITIONAL BRITISH CRUISING

FULL-BOARD CRUISING FROM ONLY £44^{PP} PER NIGHT

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE

INCREDIBLE SAVINGS OF UP TO 60%[±]

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

• **PLEASE HURRY, CABINS ARE SELLING FAST!**

- Port Car Parking available from £168[#]
- **UPGRADE** to all-inclusive drinks and gratuities from only £30^{PP} per night**
- Sumptuous full board cuisine including Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Tea & Dinner
- Informative guest speakers
- A wide range of entertainment, including evening shows, plays, cabarets, live music & classical interludes



- Daytime activities, quizzes, dance classes and outside deck games
- Range of fitness, dance and wellness classes, plus the use of gym, swimming pools and hot tubs
- Spa access**
- Portage of luggage between the port and cabin
- All port taxes, fees and charges
- The currency on board is pound sterling, so you won't be affected by any foreign exchange rate fluctuations

EARN EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES*

Up to **11,098 Cruise Miles*** when booking one of these incredible voyages, worth **£110** your next booking with ROL Cruise**



GRAND CANADA & GREENLAND IN THE FALL

34 NIGHTS DEPARTING 12TH SEPTEMBER 2023

Canada is the second-largest country in the world and boasts some of its most magnificent unspoilt landscapes. For more than a month, you will savour its stark beauty, including visits to the cosmopolitan cities of Montreal and Quebec, as well as several unforgettable days at sea. You will also get to enjoy the unique hospitality of Reykjavik, the colourful capital of Iceland, as well as a memorable visit to Greenland.

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



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- Sun 1 - **Québec City, Québec, Canada** (arrive late am - overnight - depart early pm)
 - Tue 3 **Baie-Comeau, Québec, Canada**
 - Wed 4 **Havre-Saint-Pierre, Québec, Canada** (depart early pm)
 - Thu 5 **Corner Brook, Newfoundland, Canada** (arrive late am)
 - Fri 6 **Cap-aux-Meules, Îles de la Madeleine, Québec, Canada**
 - Thu 12 **Reykjavik, Iceland** (arrive early pm)
 - Mon 16 **Arrive in London Tilbury**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

MEDITERRANEAN ODYSSEY

32 NIGHTS DEPARTING 16TH OCTOBER 2023

The Mediterranean is a treasure house of history, with magnificent architecture spanning the millennia. You will experience the atmosphere of ancient Greece in Athens, bridge Europe and Asia in vibrant Istanbul, discover the birth of Christianity in Jerusalem and marvel at the Pharos Lighthouse in Cairo, gateway to the pyramids.

OCTOBER 2023

- Mon 16 **Embark *Ambience* and depart London Tilbury**
- Thu 19 **Santiago de Compostela (from Vigo), Spain**
- Sat 21 **Gibraltar** (depart early pm)
- Tue 24 **Valletta, Malta**
- Thu 26 **Santorini, Greece**
- Fri 27 **Athens (from Piraeus), Greece** (depart late night)
- Sun 29 **Istanbul, Turkey** (depart late night)
- Tue 31 **Ephesus (from Kuşadası), Turkey** (depart early pm)



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- Thu 2 **Jerusalem (from Ashdod), Israel** (depart late night)
 - Sat 4 **Cairo (from Alexandria), Egypt** (depart late night)
 - Tue 7 **Messina, Sicily, Italy**
 - Wed 8 **Naples, Italy**
 - Thu 9 **Rome (from Civitavecchia), Italy**
 - Mon 13 **Lisbon, Portugal**
 - Tue 14 **Oporto (from Leixões), Portugal** (depart early pm)
 - Fri 17 **Arrive in London Tilbury**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

NORWAY'S LAND OF THE NORTHERN LIGHTS

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 12TH NOVEMBER 2023

The Northern Lights have to be seen to be believed: nature's ultimate light show, far outclassing any mere laser display, with vivid green and pink luminosity dancing across the inky sky to delight and enthral you. There's nowhere better to take in this primeval wonder of nature than from magnificent, unspoilt Norway, and Ambassador will bring you the very best this northern land has to offer: exploring the endless magnificent coastline dotted with charming villages before venturing far beyond the Arctic Circle in search of the mythical Aurora Borealis.

attractions including the Unesco-listed Alta Museum, the Northern Lights Cathedral and the beautiful Sautso-Alta canyon

- Tue 21 **Narvik, Norway**
 - Wed 22 **Bodø, Norway**
 - Fri 24 **Bergen, Norway**
 - Sun 26 **Arrive in London Tilbury**
- Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



NOVEMBER 2023

- Sun 12 **Embark *Ambition* and depart London Tilbury**
- Tue 14 **Haugesund, Norway**
- Wed 15 **Ålesund, Norway**
- Thu 16 **Trondheim, Norway**
Known as the 'home of Nordic flavours', charming Trondheim will keep your camera happy with its colourful warehouses, waterways and wooden hills. Not to mention Nidarosdomen, Europe's northernmost gothic cathedral.
- Sat 18 **Leknes, Lofoten Islands, Norway**
Set against lofty mountains and salt white beaches, Leknes lies within the Arctic Circle. You can learn about local life at the Sund Museum, thrill to the ice gallery in nearby Svolvear or simply relax in thrall to the breathtaking landscapes
- Sun 19 **Alta, Norway** (arrive midday - depart late night)
Soak in Alta's wintry climate and its wealth of big town

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Cabin	Grade	Full Fare ^(pp)	ROL Cruise Fare ^(pp)
Standard Inside	1	£1,409	£1,199
Standard Ocean View	6 ⁺	£1,879	£1,599
Premium Ocean View	12	£2,429	£2,069
Premium Balcony	16		- SOLD OUT -
Junior Suite	JS	£3,739	£3,179
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Solo prices are available from £1,869

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Standard Inside	1	£3,559	£1,499
Standard Ocean View	6C ⁺	£4,499	£1,859
Premium Ocean View	12	£6,159	£2,449
Superior Balcony	14	£7,579	£2,979
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£10,659	£4,099
De Luxe Suite	DS	£13,019	£5,369

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Standard Ocean View	6C ⁺	£4,079	£1,839
Premium Ocean View	12	£5,599	£2,459
Superior Plus Balcony	15	£7,099	£3,069
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£9,659	£4,099
De Luxe Suite	DS	£11,809	£4,979

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BRITISH ISLES DISCOVERY 11 NIGHTS DEPARTING 5TH MAY 2024

MAY 2024
 Sun 5 Embark *Ambience* and depart London Tilbury
 Mon 6 Rotterdam, Netherlands
 Tue 7 Relaxing at sea
 Wed 8 Kirkwall, Orkney Isles
 Kirkwall was formerly the site of an ancient Norse town, founded around 1,000 years ago. Explore this incredible archipelago and its astounding history, including neolithic sites dating back 5,000 years
 Thu 9 Stornoway, Isle of Lewis
 Fri 10 Tobermory, Isle of Mull
 Sat 11 Belfast, Northern Ireland
 Sun 12 Ringaskiddy, Ireland
 Mon 13 St. Mary's, Isles of Scilly
 Tue 14 St. Peter Port, Guernsey
 Wed 15 Le Havre (for Paris), France
 Thu 16 Arrive in London Tilbury
 Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



FESTIVE NORTHERN EUROPE 7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 12TH DECEMBER 2024

DECEMBER 2024
 Thu 12 Embark *Ambition* and depart London Tilbury
 Fri 13 Amsterdam, Netherlands
 Sat 14 Cruising the Scheldt River
 Antwerp, Belgium
 Sun 15 Relaxing at sea
 Mon 16 Cruising the River Seine
 Rouen, France (overnight)
 The 'City of a Hundred Bells', Rouen's skyline is dominated by the spires of the Cathédrale Notre-Dame, while its quaint, historic streets are characterised by half-timbered houses
 Tue 17 Rouen, France
 Cruising the River Seine
 Wed 18 Honfleur, France
 Thu 19 Arrive in London Tilbury
 Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare ^(pp)	ROL Cruise Fare ^(pp)
Standard Inside	1	£1,159	£859
Standard Ocean View	6C*	£1,459	£999
Premium Ocean View	12	£1,989	£1,279
Superior Balcony	14	£2,449	£1,819
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£3,449	£2,199
De Luxe Suite	DS	£4,199	£2,689

Single cabins are available from £1,659

YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare ^(pp)	ROL Cruise Fare ^(pp)
Standard Inside	1	£769	£599
Standard Ocean View	6*	£1,019	£749
Premium Ocean View	12	£1,279	£889
Premium Balcony	16	£1,889	£1,479
Junior Suite	JS	£2,029	£1,499
De Luxe Suite	DS	£3,539	£2,399

Single cabins are available from £899

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- Captain's Gala Dinner
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DECEMBER 2024
 Fri 20 Embark *Ambience* and depart London Tilbury
 Sat 21 Rotterdam, Netherlands
 Tue 24 Vigo (for Santiago de Compostela), Spain
 ★ Christmas Eve ★
 Wed 25 ★ Spend Christmas Day relaxing at sea ★
 Fri 27 Funchal, Madeira
 Sun 29 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria
 Mon 30 Santa Cruz, Tenerife
 Tue 31 ★ Spend New Year's Eve relaxing at sea ★
JANUARY 2025
 Wed 1 ★ Spend New Year's Day relaxing at sea ★
 Thu 2 Leixões (for Oporto) Portugal
 Sun 5 Arrive in London Tilbury
 Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



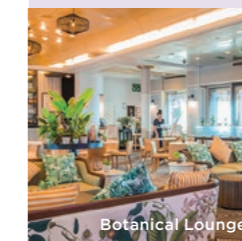
SAIL WITH FRIENDS

Meet like-minded people and make long-lasting friendships. Sailings are adult only, with select sailings featuring multi-generational dates.



SUSTAINABLE & ETHICAL

Ambassador are continually reviewing and improving how they operate to effect positive change. From locally inspired dishes on board to energy efficient engines, they are paving the way for more sustainable cruising.



CRUISING FOR SOLOS

Ambassador recognise the need to offer attractive deals for solo cruisers, which is why they have set aside cabins dedicated to solo travellers.



YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

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Standard Inside	1	£1,839	£1,299
Standard Ocean View	6B*	£2,239	£1,469
Premium Ocean View	12	£3,159	£1,919
Superior Balcony	14	£3,889	£2,749
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£5,479	£3,319
De Luxe Suite	DS	£6,689	£4,049

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39 NIGHTS DEPARTING 5TH JANUARY 2025

JANUARY 2025

- Sun 5 **Embark *Ambience* and depart London Tilbury**
- Fri 10 **Funchal, Madeira**
- Fri 17 **King's Wharf, Bermuda**
- Mon 20 **Philipsburg, Saint Maarten**
- Tue 21 **Road Town, Tortola**
- Thu 23 - **Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic** (overnight)
- Fri 24
- Mon 27 - **Cozumel, Mexico** (overnight)
- Tue 28 The gorgeous Mexican island of Cozumel is renowned for its outstanding diving opportunities, beloved of celebrated oceanographer Jacques Cousteau. The destination also offers exotic flora and fauna, fascinating history and glorious scenery, all with a beguiling Mexican-Caribbean flavour

Wed 29 **Costa Maya, Mexico**

Fri 31 **George Town, Cayman Islands**
As the capital and largest city of the Cayman Islands, George Town offers plenty of things to see and do against the backdrop of sandy beaches and turquoise seas. Not only is it a tropical paradise, but this colourful city also hosts a variety of beautiful art galleries, rum distilleries and eateries for you to enjoy

FEBRUARY 2025

- Sat 1 **Montego Bay, Jamaica**
- Sun 9 **Ponta Delgada, Azores**
The Azores is a little-known Garden of Eden much closer to home than you'd expect. They are an autonomous cluster of Portuguese islands, virtually invisible to the naked eye on a world map
- Thu 13 **Arrive in London Tilbury**
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VOYAGE HIGHLIGHTS

King's Wharf, Bermuda

With its unique pink sand beaches and azure waters, it's not surprising that Bermuda is a highly sought-after destination. As well as tropical landscapes like no other, expect to experience some of the best seafood around such as Bermuda fish chowder – considered the country's national dish.

Costa Maya, Mexico

Nestled on the southeast coast of Mexico, Costa Maya offers a pristine waterfront away from the tourist trail. Its lagoons, hidden archaeological sites and sunny climate give you a taste of this vibrant country, not to mention the traditional Mexican cuisine that comes with it.

Montego Bay, Jamaica

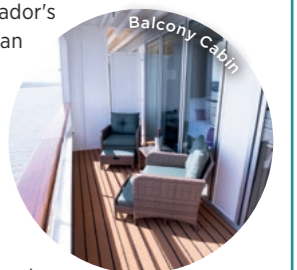
Sailing to the Caribbean wouldn't be complete without a visit to one of the most famous islands – Jamaica. Renowned for being the birthplace of reggae music, the lively rhythm of this iconic nation is sure to inspire, and sampling some traditional Jamaican rum is a must.



Ambience

DISCOVER AMBIENCE

The flagship of the fleet and Ambassador's first lady of the sea: *Ambience*. With an average 1,400-guest capacity and careful configuration, she offers both a feeling of spaciousness and freedom, whilst retaining that sense of intimacy and camaraderie we each crave.



Entertainment-wise, she really will spoil you for choice. Let your hair down at the Observatory and bring out your finest ensembles for The Palladium. Whether you like it shaken or stirred, she has numerous bars to whet your whistle. Dining options are plentiful at the Buckingham restaurant or the Borough Market, with plentiful cuisine options, and for those wanting to soak in nature's glory, there is the glorious Alfresco Grill.

Put your best cards forward at Aces & Eights bridge and card room and the Ambassador Casino, or revive and renew at the gym and Wellness Centre. Other facilities include Kapoor's, the onboard crafting studio, Brontë's library, the shopping galleria, not to mention a swimming pool, two hot tubs and a large screen for outdoor movies.



YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare ^(pp)	ROL Cruise Fare ^(pp)
Standard Inside	1	£3,419	£2,599
Standard Ocean View	6B'	£4,199	£2,989
Premium Ocean View	12	£5,929	£3,919
Superior Balcony	14	£7,299	£5,549
Superior Junior Suite	SJS	£10,259	£6,779
De Luxe Suite	DS	£12,539	£8,279

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Castles, Cathedrals AND A CITY BUILT ON WATER



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 17 years.

Was it really just 20 years ago that river cruising was in its infancy in the UK, attracting just a handful of Brits each year and the idea of new river ships was almost unheard of?

How things have changed. By 2019, hundreds of new river ships had launched and hundreds of thousands of us had discovered the joys of sailing the great waterways of the world.

Where the Nile in Egypt and Yangtze in China were in demand two decades ago - the latter as people raced to see the famed Three Gorges before the Three Gorges Dam opened and flooded the valley - these days the Danube, Rhine and Douro are the big hitters.

And where river ships back then had just one restaurant and cabins that were, let's say, on the compact side, modern vessels have a choice of places to eat and rooms with private balconies and spacious bathrooms.

Incidentally, the early 2000s is also when ROL Cruise launched Blue Horizons. Two decades on it's still going strong. Congratulations and happy 20th anniversary to everyone there. And also a little pat on the back for me, as I have been writing for the magazine for the past 17 years!



So here we are in 2023 and river cruising is well and truly back after the Covid hiatus. Of course it is. It's a brilliant way to travel, with fabulous views as you sail and, every day, calls into towns, cities and villages steeped in history and culture.

I love the Mekong in Asia, the Ganges in India, the Mississippi in the US but it's hard to beat river cruising close to home - city-hopping along the Danube, castle-spotting on the Rhine, imbibing port wine on the Douro in Portugal, getting lost among the canals of Venice.



Venice? River cruise? Well OK, the cruise there - exclusive to Uniworld River Cruises - takes you around the lagoon rather than along a river but my, what a terrific way to see the city built on water.

You're treated to an after-hours visit to St Mark's Basilica in Venice, as well as tours to Padua, calls into the islands of Torcello, Mazzorbo, Burano and Murano in the lagoon, and an overnight in Chioggia, where there's wine-tasting, a guided cycle ride and boat rides into the Po Delta.

TURN TO PAGES 22-23 SAIL INTO THE VENETIAN LAGOON WITH UNIWORLD

Coincidentally, as I write this I am cruising the Douro - and actually, truth be told, struggling to keep my eye on the keyboard because the scenery is fabulous. Acres and acres of vines on impossibly steep hillsides, gorges lined with sheer rocks, here and there picturesque villages and quintas - the Portuguese word for a winery. There is a picture at every turn.

Cruises go from Porto to Salamanca in Spain and back, a journey that takes you through five locks and delves into history, culture and, of course, port wine. APT is making its Douro debut on new river ship *MS Estrela* in 2024, and has an included lunch and a flamenco show in Salamanca, dinner in a quinta and a tasting in a port wine cellar.

TURN THE PAGE & SAIL THE DOURO DURING MS ESTRELA'S MAIDEN SEASON



Choose the Danube and you can hike to a ruined castle where Richard the Lionheart was imprisoned in 1192, peek into St. Stephen's Cathedral in Passau, home to the largest church organ in Europe, and visit three fabulous capital cities - Vienna, Budapest and Bratislava. You'll also sail through the beautiful Wachau Valley.

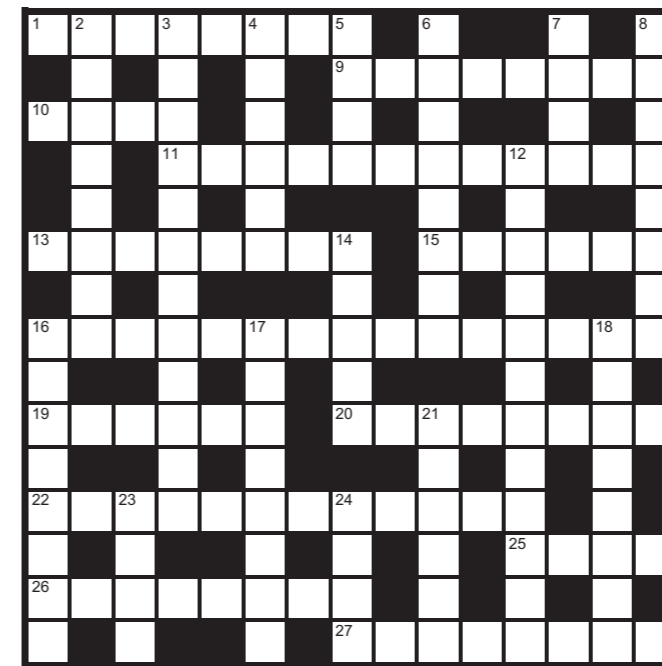
Hop on Scenic's Danube in Depth cruises and you'll go beer tasting in cellars beneath Nuremberg, learn to make German sausages and Slovakian potato dumplings, see priceless art in the Belvedere Palace and dip into Hungary's Communist past on a walking tour of Budapest. There's even an evening out at a Mozart and Strauss concert in Vienna's opulent Palais Liechtenstein. And if that doesn't have you waltzing back to the ship, nothing will!

TURN TO PAGES 20-21 & DISCOVER THE DANUBE IN DEPTH WITH SCENIC

WIN A CASE OF SIX FINE WINES



Simply complete the crossword and take a picture or scan this into 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 **22nd August 2023** for a chance to win. One lucky entrant will be chosen at random. Good luck!



ACROSS

- 1 Part of Pacific Ocean near Taiwan (5,3)
- 9 Grottesquely carved projecting spout (8)
- 10 Member of a Peruvian Indian people (4)
- 11 River reaching Atlantic Ocean north of Cadiz (12)
- 13 Go beyond the limit (8)
- 15 Piece of casual work (3-3)
- 16 Location of The National Gallery in London (9,6)
- 19 Spinner perhaps (6)
- 20 Bishop --, town in County Durham (8)
- 22 Arid region in Western Australia (6,6)
- 25 Island centre of early Christianity (4)
- 26 Capital of United Arab Emirates (3,5)
- 27 Restricted as if with a rope or chain (8)

DOWN

- 2 German spelling for capital of Lower Saxony (8)
- 3 Where water flows over a vertical drop between USA and Canada (7,5)
- 4 Narrow channel of the sea (6)
- 5 Taj Mahal city (4)
- 6 North American Indian language (8)
- 7 Capital of Ukraine (4)
- 8 Not too unpleasant to put up with (8)
- 12 In music, played at twice the speed (2,6,4)
- 14 Open paved area in a town (5)
- 16 Long light narrow sledge (8)
- 17 Of the upper part of the windpipe (8)
- 18 Formally give up a claim or right (8)
- 21 Time allowed for payment (6)
- 23 Shortening of an informal name for Birmingham (4)
- 24 Departure point (4)

Prize crossword terms and conditions: Open to UK residents aged 18 and over. Prize is non-transferable, non-negotiable and no cash alternatives will be offered. By entering the promotion, the winner agrees to have their name published in the next edition of Blue Horizons. The Editor's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into. Only one entry per person. Reader Offers Limited will not accept responsibility for loss through technical fault, incomplete, illegible or other damaged entries. Proof of entry is not automatically proof of receipt. The draw is held by Reader Offers Limited who may also have additional terms and conditions such as specific closing dates.

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

NO ONE SAW A THING BY ANDREA MARA

A brand new, twisty and gripping crime thriller. A tale of two children getting on the train but only one getting off. Instantly a bestseller from the Sunday Times bestselling author Andrea Mara.



AUDIO BOOK

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Five years Olivia has been imprisoned for plotting her husband's murder, five years of planning on how to bring down the person that framed her, her husband! What lengths is she willing to go to, to uncover the truth? And what lengths is her husband willing to go to stop her? This thrilling audio book is certain to keep you listening.



*** Crossword Winner ***

THE JULY CROSSWORD WINNER IS
MR STEVE CURTIS FROM ALDERSHOT

WHO RECEIVES A CASE OF SIX FINE WINES
ACROSS: 1 ANTILLES | 6 ATTICA | 9 ASHTON | 10 MONTEREY | 11 UNHEROIC
12 LOATHE | 13 SANTA BARBARA | 16 PHILADELPHIA | 18 ARGYLL
20 MOORLAND | 22 HONOLULU | 23 EGGCUP | 24 ODETTE | 25 TENERIFE
DOWN: 2 NOSING | 3 ISTLE OR IXTLE | 4 LAND OF NOD |
5 ST. MICHAEL'S MOUNT | 6 ANNAL | 7 THE GAMBIA | 8 CHESHIRE |
13 SALLYPORT | 14 ASHMOLEAN | 15 SHERWOOD | 17 ENGULF | 19 LOUSE
21 LAGER

THE MAIDEN 2024 4★

Douro Discovery
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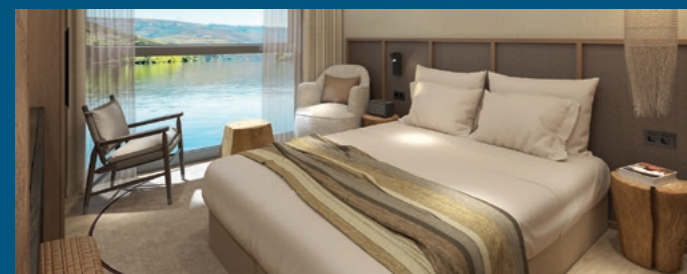
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INTRODUCING THE BRAND-NEW **MS ESTRELA**

Come aboard the **MS Estrela**, APT Travelmarvel's new custom-built river ship, designed to gracefully navigate the picturesque waters of the Douro River in Portugal. Purpose-built to offer unparalleled comfort and style, from its beautifully appointed cabins to delicious dining experiences, the **MS Estrela** promises an unforgettable journey through Portugal's enchanting wine country.



SHIP OVERVIEW

Experience life on board your brand-new river ship, the **MS Estrela**, launching in 2024. Custom-built to cruise along the majestic Douro River, the **MS Estrela** has been designed to reflect the beauty of the region, with ample natural light and a distinctly Southern European ambience.

- Outdoor social spaces include a Sun Deck featuring a large swimming pool and an outdoor bar, plush lounge seats, sun beds and a putting green.
- On board entertainment includes Portuguese folk music and an informative history lesson.
- The main restaurant showcases Portuguese and international flavours, or you can opt for a lighter meal in the ship's lounge, or dine alfresco.
- French Balcony suites feature an electric slide down window, allowing you to bask in the glorious landscapes.

4★ refers to the cruise element only. Itinerary is subject to change due to water levels and other uncontrollable factors. Maiden refers to the maiden season for **MS Estrela**. This tour is operated by Travelmarvel, part of the APT Travel Group. Booking conditions of APT (ATOL 6781) and Reader Offers Limited Agency terms of business apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 20TH JUNE, 4TH JULY, 15TH AUGUST AND 3RD, 24TH & 31ST OCTOBER 2024
Other dates are available on request - please call for details

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

Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark the **MS Estrela** to begin your seven night Douro river cruise. This evening, get to know your fellow travellers and crew at the Captain's Welcome Reception as you take in the sights along the Douro River on a sunset cruise (D)

Day 2 **Regua - Lamego - Pinhão, Portugal**

Today begin your cruise along the spectacular Douro River. This morning, take part in a Portuguese language lesson, during which you'll learn some essential phrases of this beautiful language. Disembark your ship in Regua and visit the picturesque village of Lamego and the elaborately decorated baroque cathedral the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Remedies, an important Portuguese place of pilgrimage. While in Lamego, why not try one of the town's famous specialties, Bola de Lamego, a smoked ham roll (B, L, D)

★Insider Experience★ In Pinhão, enjoy a sumptuous dinner of traditional dishes and dessert at a picturesque local quinta, a Portuguese winery

Day 3 **Vega de Terron, Spain - Castelo Rodrigo, Portugal**

Today, cruise across the border into Vega de Terron in Spain. Enjoy some time at leisure before joining an excursion to Castelo Rodrigo. This tiny village sits atop a hill overlooking both Spain and Portugal, and features a number of well-preserved ruins, an impressive castle and a magnificent stone statue of Santiago Matamoros (B, L, D)

Day 4 **Salamanca, Spain - Barca d'Alva, Portugal**

Today set off for the glorious Spanish city of Salamanca. This gorgeous city is arguably one of the most beautiful in Spain, and boasts sunlit sandstone buildings along with a majestic city square and an ancient university. Return by coach back over the border to Barca d'Alva, the last Portuguese village along the Douro, where your ship awaits. Back on board this evening, enjoy a traditional Portuguese barbecue dinner (B, L, D)

★Insider Experience★ Enjoy a Flamenco show and lunch and be entranced by captivating Flamenco dancers as they astound you with their stomping feet in a fiery performance

Day 5 **Regua - Mateus Palace, Portugal**

Enjoy a Portuguese cooking demonstration on board as your ship

cruises to Regua. On arrival, head to a local quinta, which boasts outstanding views over the Douro Valley.

Afterwards, board a coach and join an excursion to the splendid Gardens and Palace of Mateus. Tour this living museum which is still owned by the Count of Vila Real. Discover for yourself the connection between this beautiful 18th Century palace and Mateus Rose wine (B, L, D)

★Insider Experience★ Enjoy a tasting of local port wine, Portugal's most famous tipple

Day 6 **Regua - Entre-os-Rios, Portugal**

This morning, enjoy free time to explore Regua. You may like to wander along the riverfront, or venture into the lovely Old Town. Continue on to the riverside town of Entre-os-Rios. On arrival, enjoy free time to explore this gorgeous, vibrant town as you please. Tonight, be treated to an energetic performance of traditional Portuguese folk music back on board at a special Captain's Dinner (B, L, D)

Day 7 **Vila Nova de Gaia - Porto, Portugal**

After breakfast, cruise back to the enchanting city of Vila Nova de Gaia. On arrival, join a tour of nearby Porto, where you'll be led past a collection of the city's most famous attractions, and visit a local port winery for a tour and tasting. This afternoon, there's ample time for you to step back out to explore Porto at leisure. You might choose to take an optional excursion to the World Heritage-listed city of Guimaraes. This evening back on board your ship, enjoy a final Farewell Dinner (B, D)

Day 8 **Porto, Portugal**

After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport for your return flight to **London*** (B)

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STATEROOM	GRADE	FULL FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
Window Stateroom	F	£3,095	£2,589
Panorama Balcony	D	£3,345	£2,839
Panorama Balcony	B	£3,945	£3,439
French Balcony	P	£4,145	£3,639
Owners Suite	OS	£4,895	£4,389

Solo fares are available from £4,589

Fares and availability are based on 31st October 2024 departure

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- Port tasting and tour at a quinta
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Services of a Travelmarvel Cruise Director and local guides

Overseas transfers, port charges and tipping

Return scheduled flights from London** (regional flights may be available on request*)

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★**SCENIC FREECHOICE** - a choice of flexible excursions and activities*

Three-night luxury hotel stay in Prague, including breakfast
Flights (regional and Premium class flights may be available on request*) (flight supplement may be required) and overseas transfers (no-fly option may be available)

PLUS, book by 8pm 22nd August 2023 to receive a FREE Trio of European Wines - EXCLUSIVELY for readers of Blue Horizons*

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12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 23RD APRIL, 17TH MAY, 22ND JUNE, 22ND JULY AND 14TH SEPTEMBER 2024

Other dates available, please call for details

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| <p>Day 1 Fly from London to Budapest, Hungary* (no-fly option may be available). Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark your <i>Scenic Space-Ship</i> for your luxurious nine night all-inclusive river cruise (D)</p> <p>Day 2 Budapest, Hungary
★FREECHOICE: A range of activities are on offer to choose from including exploring this magical city by coach, a walking tour of Budapest's past and present or a Goulash cooking class (B, L, D)</p> <p>Day 3 Bratislava, Slovakia
★FREECHOICE: Your choices today include a walking tour, a visit to Kormuth Bakeri, one of the city's most famous and historic coffee houses for coffee and cake, or a cooking class of Bryndzové Halušky - pillowy potato dumplings (B, L, D)</p> <p>Day 4 Vienna, Austria
★FREECHOICE: Choices today include a guided tour of the city and Schonbrunn Palace, or journey outside of Vienna's city to its acclaimed wine region where you will hear about Vienna's long tradition of wine production, cycle to Danube Island or visit Belvedere Museum, one of Europe's most stunning Baroque landmarks
★ENRICH: In the early evening, enjoy a classical concert at Palais Liechtenstein. Breathe in the opulence and luxury this evening as you relish an exclusive private classical concert. Enjoy a glass of fine Austrian Sekt and listen to the timeless music of Strauss and Mozart performed by a renowned orchestra. You'll be seated in Vienna's largest secular baroque hall, an ornate space where royals and nobles have sat for centuries. Accompanied by ballet dancers and vocalists and surrounded by world-famous art, this will be a concert that you'll remember for a lifetime (B, L, D)</p> <p>Day 5 Dürnstein - Melk, Austria
★FREECHOICE: There are a variety of Scenic Freechoice excursions to choose from today including e-biking from Dürnstein to Melk, visiting glorious Melk Abbey or Artstetten Castle where you will meet the current owners. It was once home to the Archduke Franz Ferdinand, whose assassination sparked the beginning of WWI in 1914 (B, L, D)</p> <p>Day 6 Linz, Austria
★FREECHOICE: This morning choose to explore your way. You can explore Linz by foot, or enjoy a full day excursion to Český Krumlov, a UNESCO World Heritage town brimming with charm. Or you can visit Mauthausen WWII Concentration Camp where you will learn about the conditions and treatment that the prisoners lived under during this sombre tour, or join a Linzertorte Baking Class (B, L, D)</p> <p>Day 7 Passau, Germany
★FREECHOICE: This afternoon's choices</p> | <p>include a highlights of Passau walking tour, kayak on the River Inn, cross border cycling or a Passau photography safari where you will get the chance to capture the most beautiful locations (B, L, D)</p> <p>Day 8 Regensburg, Germany
★FREECHOICE: Choose from a walking tour of Regensburg, a traditional sausage making workshop or learn about Regensburg's Jewish heritage (B, L, D)</p> <p>Day 9 Nuremberg, Germany
★FREECHOICE: Choose from a walking tour of the Old Town, or learn about the trials and tribulations of WWII with a visit to the Rally Grounds and Courtroom 600, where members of the Nazi Party were tried for war crimes, or head to the rock-cut cellars for a beer tasting (B, L, D)</p> <p>Day 10 Nuremberg, Germany - Prague, Czech Republic
Disembark and journey by coach to Prague, one of the truly magical cities of Europe. Complete your journey with a three-night stay at a luxurious city central hotel (B)</p> <p>Day 11 Prague, Czech Republic
Enjoy a guided tour this morning, led by an expert local guide who will reveal the city's secrets in all their Gothic glory. Don't miss the Old Town Hall where you can hear the 14th-century Astronomical Clock chime, accompanied by a procession of the 12 Apostles (B)</p> <p>Day 12 Prague, Czech Republic
★FREECHOICE: This morning choose from a Prague beer tasting walk, Prague Castle Tour which is considered the largest complex in the world, or Terezin Memorial where you can pay your respect to those that lost their lives during WWII (B)</p> <p>Day 13 Prague, Czech Republic
After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight to London* (no-fly option may be available (B)</p> |
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YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

SUITE	FULL FARE ^(PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE FROM ^(PP)
Standard Suite	£4,820	£3,199
Balcony Suite	£5,920	£3,799
Deluxe Balcony Suite	£6,795	£4,199
Junior Balcony Suite	£7,780	£4,699

Solo fares are available on request

Fares and availability are based on the 23rd April 2024 departure date

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The renovation of the *S.S. La Venezia* drew influence from the fine Fortuny fabrics displayed prominently on board. Murano glass, gilded accents and artistic etched elements pay homage to popular Venetian aesthetics of the early 20th century, creating an on board atmosphere that is at once elegant and nostalgic. On board the *S.S. La Venezia* guests can enjoy four unique dining venues, each serving classic Italian cuisine. Ranging from top-deck dining to private chef-tables experiences, there's no better way to experience the best of Italy on board.



7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 31ST MARCH, 21ST APRIL, 14TH JULY & 27TH OCTOBER 2024
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Day 1 **Fly from London to Venice, Italy***. Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark the ultra-luxurious 6★ super ship, *S.S. La Venezia* for your seven night all-inclusive river cruise (D)

Day 2 **Venice, Italy**
With your early morning arrival at Doge's Palace, you'll be able to marvel at the estate in total peace. Wander through a Venetian neighbourhood and experience daily life in an authentic Venetian residential quarter. Later in the evening, cap the day off with a private once-in-a-lifetime experience at an after-hours lighting ceremony inside St. Mark's Basilica (B,L,D)

★ **Featured Excursion***: A morning walk in Venice with Doge's Palace visit

Plus private after-hours visit to St. Mark's Basilica - EXCLUSIVELY for Uniworld guests

Day 3 **Venice - Mazzorbo (Burano), Italy**
Start your morning in one of two of the Veneto region's UNESCO World Heritage cities, Vicenza or Padua. In the afternoon, you'll have the opportunity to join a walk in Venice to meet a local gondola artisan before reboarding the ship for scenic sailing across the lagoon as you head towards Mazzorbo and Burano (B,L,D)

★ **Featured Excursions***: Evening Stroll in Burano

Plus, Vicenza with Teatro Olimpico OR Padua Walking Tour

Day 4 **Mazzorbo - Burano - Chioggia, Italy**
Spend the day exploring the northern lagoon of Venice and its captivating islands. Start with a visit to Torcello's famous basilica with an art historian, then stroll through the agricultural island of Mazzorbo and the rainbow-hued island of Burano during your free time after lunch. Alternatively, you can take the afternoon to see the renowned glassblowing artisans of Murano at work (B,L,D)

★ **Featured Excursions***: Torcello: Hidden Treasure of the Lagoon and Murano Glass Blowing Demonstration

Day 5 **Porto Viro - Chioggia - Burano, Italy**
Today, you'll admire the greatest sites of charming and coastal Chioggia, including a stop at the local and lively market. Your ship will move to dock overnight in Burano, where you'll enjoy a lovely evening stroll through this multi-coloured island (B,L,D)

★ **Featured Excursions***: Chioggia market visit or "let's go" biking Chioggia OR Bragozzo ride with tasting Ca'Zen OR noble country villas and their vines

Day 6 **Chioggia - Venice, Italy**
This morning, join a sailing excursion where you'll explore the Po Delta where the Po River and the Adriatic Sea meet. Later, during lunch, sail back to Venice. (B,L,D)

★ **Featured Excursions***: Po Delta Sailing OR Castello del Catajo Visit

Day 7 **Venice, Italy** (overnight)
You'll arrive in style at the Rialto Bridge. The iconic stone arch bridge sits at the narrowest point of the Canal Grande. A special Captain's Farewell Reception and Dinner will be prepared for you this evening (B,L,D)

★ **Featured Excursions***: 'Do as the Locals Do' Venice walking tour OR Venice Walk with Gondola Artisans Visit OR Ca' Macana Mask Atelier

Day 8 **Venice, Italy**
After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport for your return flight to **London*** (B)

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Classic	£2,549	£2,049
Deluxe	£3,149	£2,569
French Balcony	£4,149	£3,449
Suite	£5,949	£4,999

Solo fares are available on request

Fares and availability are based on 31st March 2024 departure date

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- All meals on board - be treated to world-class dining
- Unlimited beverages included on board, including fine wine, beer, premium spirits, soft drinks, speciality coffee and tea, and mineral water**
- All gratuities, both on board and on shore**
- Specially curated shore excursions included*
- State-of-the-art Quietvox portable audio headset system on all excursions
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20th

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We are delighted to present to you our **20th Anniversary Special Edition of Blue Horizons!**

We published our very first edition of *Blue Horizons* 20 years ago, then named *Newsround*.

Released quarterly, the magazine was launched in order to showcase unmissable deals, exclusive packages, once-in-a-lifetime opportunities and immersive editorial to a market whose appetite for cruising was growing rapidly.

By the spring of 2005 it felt fitting that a new title should be given to what was now a much larger monthly magazine, and so *Blue Horizons* came into being. Alongside fantastic cruise offers we were delighted to join forces with Telegraph Cruise Travel writer Jane Archer and former Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines Sales Director Nigel Lingard, who wrote monthly articles for the magazine. We also introduced a prize crossword and recipes, which we know so many of you love to this day.

Blue Horizons has come a long way since beginning life as *Newsround* and now, 20 years later we are so proud to know that Blue Horizons has become a favourite of ROL Cruise guests and has been voted the No. 1 Monthly Cruise Magazine by all leading cruise lines.



WHAT YOU GET AS A READER OF BLUE HORIZONS

- ★ **FREE** gifts, additional savings, gift vouchers and exclusive Cruise Miles® (some of which are only available to Blue Horizons readers)
- ★ **ACCURATE AND UNBIASED** content and advice from our Cruise Specialists
- ★ **EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEWS** with industry experts such as ROL Cruise Ambassador Jennie Bond, APT's Luke Nguyen and Aled Jones, Regent Seven Seas Cruises' Captain Serena Melani and Celebrity Edge designer Kelly Hoppen CBE
- ★ **OVER 150** fun crossword puzzles with the chance to win a case of six fine wines
- ★ **INSPIRATIONAL** destination-focused editorials
- ★ **FANTASTIC GUEST ARTICLES** from experts within the cruise industry such as Jane Archer

CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS from the past 20 years:

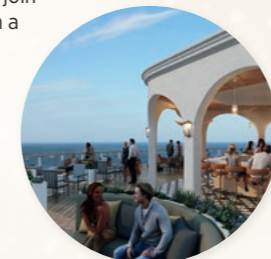
Over the past 20 years the cruise industry has changed in incredible ways, not just the way we cruise but the variety of cruises and destinations on offer.

The number of cruise ships for you to pick from has increased, at the end of 2022 there were 322 cruise ships in the world, exploring more than 2,000 ports of call, from destinations near to home in the beautiful British Isles, to tropical and far-flung destinations such as Bora Bora, the Galapagos Islands and many more. You can now truly explore the world and visit places you never thought you could, even Antarctica!

The way in which we cruise and the way we want to cruise has also changed. Dressing up every night is something traditional cruisers love and can still partake in if they so wish, but many cruise lines have introduced a more relaxed approach, with such a variety of restaurants featured on-board you can choose to either join in the formal night if you wish or hang out in a more relaxed dining setting.

Cruising is not traditionally seen as eco-friendly, however change is in the air. Cruise ships are now being built to use LNG fuel, which produces 25% less carbon dioxide. This is just the first step of many though, cruise lines are also investing millions into the development of next generation fuels, including synthetic LNG, biofuels, and hydrogen fuel cells. It's not only new ships that are being made eco-friendly, cruise lines such as Hurtigruten and Silversea are refitting existing vessels with hybrid technology in forms of new engines and much more.

With all this in mind we are looking forward to bringing you more cruise news, and seeing what the future holds for the cruise industry!



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Mr & Mrs Harvey, Manchester

"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

We thoroughly enjoyed our holiday, which involved several elements. Everything worked superbly, and everyone was helpful and friendly. Cannot fault your service and organisation, well done!

Mr & Mrs Hedgecoe, London

Always a friendly and knowledgeable agent with whom to discuss any query, however small. Good advice given if travelling with a new company. I always recommend to friends that they should book through ROL rather than direct as they actually answer the phone!! Well done ROL!

Mrs McFadzean, Newcastle Upon Tyne

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DECEMBER 2024

- Wed 4 **Fly overnight from London to Singapore**[†]
- Thu 5 **Singapore**
Upon arrival, transfer to a 4★ hotel[†] for your three night stay
- Fri 6 - **Singapore**
- Sat 7 **Singapore** goes by many names – the Red Dot, the Garden City, Lion the City – but none adequately sum up its dynamic appeal. Ultra-modern skyscrapers overlook historic temples, while a tropical rainforest lies a few miles outside the urban buzz of the central Business District
- Sun 8 **Singapore**
Transfer to the port and embark *Noordam* for your 14 night voyage
- Wed 11 **Surabaya, Indonesia**
- Thu 12 **Probolinggo, Java, Indonesia**
- Fri 13 **Celukan Bawang, Bali, Indonesia**

RECOMMENDED EXCURSION*: BALI ARTS & CRAFT SHOPPING

This tour focuses on the artistic centers of Mas and Ubud, with the inclusion of one of Bali's most famous and intriguing dances. Immerse yourself in Balinese dance with the mystical Barong dance. In Mas, find skilled carvers turning slabs of teak and ebony wood into masks, religious figures and wall decorations. In Ubud, visit a painting gallery and watch painters create their art

- Sat 14 **Benoa (from Denpasar), Bali, Indonesia**
- Sun 15 **Komodo Island, Indonesia** (arrive late morning)
One of 17,000 islands in Indonesia, Komodo Island is famous for its bright blue waters, steep sloping hills, and the four thousand giant lizards who call the island home. Komodo National Park was established in 1980 to conserve the wild 'Komodo dragons' and their natural habitat

- Mon 16 **Lembar, Lombok, Indonesia** (depart late night)
- Wed 18 **Semarang, Java, Indonesia**
- Thu 19 **Tanjung Priok, Jakarta, Indonesia**
This bustling metropolis of Jakarta has so much to offer. Visit the National Monument that stands at a colossal 132m high, explore Fatahillah Museum (the Jakarta History Museum) or visit the National Museum of Indonesia offering a staggering collection of relics and artefacts. You won't struggle for things to do in Jakarta
- Fri 20 **Scenic Cruising by Krakatau Volcano**
- Sun 22 **Singapore**
Transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to **London**[†]
- Mon 23 **Arrive in London**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

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Interior	I	£3,849	£3,399
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Veranda Suite	VH	£5,499	£4,899
Veranda Suite	VE	£5,799	£5,199
EXCLUSIVE COMPLIMENTARY upgrade to a Verandah Suite (VC)			
Signature Suite	SZ	£6,399	£5,799
Penthouse Suite	PS	£14,499	£13,499

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THREE NIGHT pre-cruise 4★ hotel stay[†] in Singapore

14 NIGHT full board voyage on board the 5★ *Noordam* including:

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- ★FREE shore excursion worth up to \$200 value*
- Two nights of dining in a Speciality Dining restaurant**
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INCREDIBLE *Signature Experience* HIGHLIGHTS



SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

Cosmopolitan Sydney offers you so much, from beaches and wineries to stunning landmarks and world-class shopping. Visit architectural marvels like the Sydney Opera House and Sydney Harbour Bridge or take it all in from above on a tour** of the Sydney Tower. With wellknown surf beaches, zoos, national parks, whale watching tours**, bush tours**, and the Royal Botanic Gardens, you're never far from nature in this thriving urban centre.



THE GREAT BARRIER REEF

An attraction like no other, the Great Barrier Reef sits on the coast of Australia and is the only living thing on Earth that can be visibly seen from space. Stretching over 2,500km, the reef is an expanse of vivid coral that's home to some of the world's prettiest and rarest species of fish, turtles, and sea mammals. There is only one way to truly experience this natural wonder in all its glory and that's by taking a snorkelling or scuba diving tour**. Swim among fish, paddle into the crevices that line the coral clusters, and witness the magical colours of the reef's seabed first-hand.



AUCKLAND, NEW ZEALAND

Enjoy enchanting scenery at every turn, fascinating Māori heritage and friendly locals. The urban centre occupies a narrow isthmus between two harbours, while the outer region boasts beautiful beaches, fertile farmlands and rainforest-covered hills. One of the best ways to appreciate Auckland's amazing vistas is from the 328m-tall Sky Tower**

31 NIGHTS DEPARTING 11TH JANUARY 2025

JANUARY 2025

- Sat 11 - **Fly overnight from London to Sydney, Australia***
Sun 12
- Mon 13 **Sydney, Australia ★Three night stay★**
Upon arrival, transfer to a 4★ hotel† for your three night stay
- Tue 14 - **Sydney, Australia**
Wed 15 Explore this cosmopolitan city at your leisure
- Thu 16 **Sydney, Australia**
Transfer to the port and embark the award-winning luxurious *Celebrity Edge** for your 22 night all-inclusive Australia and New Zealand voyage
- Sun 19 **Airlie Beach, Australia**
- Mon 20 - **Cairns (from Yorkeys Knob), Australia**
Tue 21 (arrive late am – overnight)
- Wed 22 - **Port Douglas, Australia** (overnight)
- Thu 23 **★For the Great Barrier Reef★**
A UNESCO World Heritage Site, the reef supports a vast diversity of marine life, with 600 types of soft and hard corals, 1,625 types of fish, and 30 species of whales and dolphins. The Great Barrier Reef Marine Park covers 133,000 square miles and includes 3,000 coral reefs and 900 islands

- Fri 24 **Cruising by Willis Island**
- Mon 27 **Sydney, Australia**
- Thu 30 **Cruising Milford Sound, Doubtful Sound & Dusky Sound**
The deeply indented landscape of Te Waipounamu National Park stretches along the southwest coast of New Zealand's South Island. Fifteen dramatic fjords are protected within this UNESCO World Heritage Site, including the spectacular Milford Sound, Doubtful Sound and Dusky Sound

Fri 31 **Dunedin, New Zealand**

FEBRUARY 2025

- Sat 1 **Christchurch, New Zealand**
- Sun 2 **Wellington, New Zealand**
- Mon 3 **Napier, New Zealand**
- Tue 4 **Picton, New Zealand**
- Thu 6 **Tauranga, New Zealand**
- Fri 7 **Auckland, New Zealand ★Three night stay★**
After breakfast, disembark and transfer to a 4★ hotel† for your three night stay. The rest of the day is yours to spend as you wish
- Sat 8 - **Auckland, New Zealand**
Sun 9 Explore this fascinating city at your leisure
- Mon 10 **Auckland, New Zealand**
This morning, transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to **London**
- Tue 11 **Arrive in London***

Dates not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea. Please note as this is a back-to-back voyage, some dining and entertainment options may be repeated

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 SIGNATURE EXPERIENCE



PLEASE HURRY – LIMITED STATEROOMS AVAILABLE AT THESE EXCLUSIVE FARES

EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £10,400* – PLUS, BOOK BY 8PM WEDNESDAY 22ND AUGUST 2023 TO RECEIVE AN EXTRA DISCOUNT OF UP TO £2,400* PER BOOKING OFF THE ADVERTISED FARES

THREE NIGHT 4★ pre-cruise hotel stay in Sydney, Australia†
 22 NIGHT all-inclusive luxury voyage on board *Celebrity Edge**, including:

- EXCLUSIVE FREE stateroom upgrades*
- All-Inclusive Classic Drinks Package worth **\$3,916** for all bookings**
- Gratuities & Surf Wi-Fi for all bookings**

BOOK a Magic Carpet Sky Suite or above & enjoy all of these incredible benefits, PLUS:

- EXCLUSIVE FREE on board spend of up to **\$1,600***
- Premium Drinks Package worth **\$4,796****
- Premium Wi-Fi**
- Exclusive entry to The Retreat® Sun Deck, exclusive lounge & private dining restaurant, plus the services of a personal butler and much more

THREE NIGHT 4★ post-cruise hotel stay in Auckland, New Zealand†
 Return flights from London (regional and premium class flights may be available on request*) and all overseas transfers

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STATEROOM/SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE (PP)	NOW FARE (PP)
Deluxe Inside	D1	£8,599	£6,999
Ocean View	O1	£10,199	£8,899
Infinite Veranda	E3	£10,249	£9,199
<i>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to an Infinite Veranda (E2)*</i>			
Prime Edge Stateroom	E1	£11,149	£9,799
<i>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to a Concierge Class Stateroom (C2)*</i>			
AquaClass®	A2	£11,999	£10,799
Magic Carpet Sky Suite	MS	£16,299	£14,799
Iconic Suite	IC	£62,199	£56,999

Solo fares are available from **£12,999**

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THE BESTSELLING ALL-INCLUSIVE 2024

ALASKA & CALGARY STAMPEDE



LIMITED SPACES – PLEASE DO NOT DELAY

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DRINKS, GRATUITIES & WI-FI INCLUDED⁺⁺ | **EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £3,200[±]** | **FIVE NIGHT ROCKY MOUNTAINEER TOUR* INCLUDED** | **EXCLUSIVE RAIL & HOTEL UPGRADE TO GOLDLEAF INCLUDED[^]** | **EXCLUSIVE FREE TWO DAY CALGARY STAMPEDE TICKETS***

17 NIGHTS DEPARTING 22ND JUNE 2024

JUNE 2024	JULY 2024
Sat 22 Fly from London to Vancouver, Canada[^] Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel for your overnight stay and spend the rest of the day sightseeing at your leisure	Tue 2 Vancouver – Kamloops, Canada ★Rocky Mountaineer★ Embark Rocky Mountaineer and venture to Kamloops, in the heart of British Columbia's interior. On today's journey, highlights include the rushing waters of Hell's Gate in the Fraser Canyon and the steep slopes and rock sheds along the Thompson River. Your day concludes travelling along the shores of Kamloops Lake into Kamloops. Overnight in Kamloops (B, L)
Sun 23 Vancouver, Canada Transfer to the port and embark the award-winning <i>Celebrity Solstice</i> * for your seven night all-inclusive Alaska voyage	Wed 3 Kamloops – Banff, Canada ★Rocky Mountaineer★ Your journey continues eastwards to the mighty Canadian Rockies and the province of Alberta. Today's highlights include Craigellachie, Rogers Pass, Kicking Horse Canyon, the Spiral Tunnels and, of course, the glaciers and snow-capped peaks of the Canadian Rockies. Your rail journey ends this evening in the resort town of Banff (B, L)
Mon 24 Cruising the Inside Passage	Thu 4 Banff, Canada Today explore Banff at your leisure
Tue 25 Icy Strait Point, Alaska (arrive early pm - depart late pm)	Fri 5 Banff – Calgary, Canada Begin the morning with a sightseeing tour of Banff, including a ride on the Banff Gondola. Three night stay in Calgary
Wed 26 Skagway, Alaska	
Thu 27 Cruising Endicott Arm & Dawes Glacier Juneau, Alaska (arrive early pm)	
Fri 28 Ketchikan, Alaska (arrive early pm)	
Sat 29 Cruising the Inside Passage	
Sun 30 Vancouver, Canada Disembark and transfer to a hotel to begin your five night <i>Rocky Mountaineer</i> tour*	

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BOOK A CONCIERGE CLASS STATEROOM OR ABOVE & ENJOY GOLDLEAF SERVICE, WHICH INCLUDES...

- A refreshing welcome toast
- An exclusive outdoor viewing platform
- A custom-designed bi-level dome coach with meal service below and seating up top
- Hot gourmet breakfasts and lunches, morning pastries and afternoon wine and cheese
- Complimentary beverages (alcoholic and non-alcoholic and gourmet snacks)
- Complimentary baggage delivery to your hotel



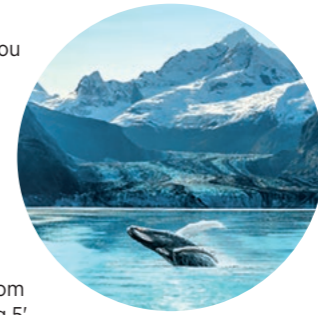
THE GREATEST OUTDOOR SHOW ON EARTH

As well as your *Rocky Mountaineer* journey, another highlight of your holiday is undoubtedly the incomparable Calgary Stampede. During the Calgary Stampede, Alberta saddles up and puts on its cowboy hat to welcome visitors from around the globe. You can experience all that this incredible event has to offer. Nicknamed 'The Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth', the Calgary Stampede is full of thrills, spills, western hospitality, thunder and wonder, this is an event not to be missed. Throughout the festivities, 120 athletes compete across 6 jaw-dropping tournaments including bare-back riding, steer wrestling and bull-riding. With a cash prize of a cool \$2 million for the victor, the atmosphere is electric and will leave you quaking in your brand-new cowboy boots.



CRUISING ALASKA

On board the magnificent *Celebrity Solstice** you will get to experience the drama and beauty that is Alaska. The aweinspiring natural beauty that will take you world's away from home, from witnessing one of the 100,000 glaciers, some larger than the United States to witnessing skyhigh icebergs and marvelling at snowcapped mountains. The wildlife is also not to be missed, with ample land and diverse landscapes Alaska is home to many animals from land and sea. You can try spotting Alaska's 'Big 5', including bears and wolves. You can also spot plenty of other animals such as humpback whales and orcas to bald eagles and reindeer in their natural habitat. Make sure you bring your binoculars and camera!



- Sat 6 **Calgary, Canada ★Calgary Stampede Rodeo – Two-day Thrill Pass included★**
Over the next two days you will enjoy the event most appropriately named "The Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth". Included is one afternoon ticket to a rodeo with gate admission, and one evening ticket to the Chuckwagon Races and Grandstand show with gate admission, as well as two Skyrides over Stampede Park. In the afternoon, the best of the best saddle-up for a three hour ground shaking showcase of world-class rodeo action. There are six exciting major rodeo events: bareback riding, barrel racing, steer wrestling, saddle bronc riding, tie-down roping and bull riding
- Sun 7 **Calgary, Canada ★Calgary Stampede★**
In the evening, nine heart-stopping chuckwagon races explode in an all-out dash for the finish line. Chuckwagon racing is an amazing contest of nerves and horsepower - a challenge that ignites thousands of fans. Following the Rangeland Derby is the outdoor stage spectacular. For two hours, you will be dazzled by the lavishly produced and choreographed non-stop musical variety grandstand show
- Mon 8 **Calgary, Canada**
Transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to **London***
- Tue 9 **Arrive in London**
Date not mentioned is spent relaxing at sea. Meals are included on the tour as stated: B = Breakfast, L = Lunch. All meals are included on the cruise. conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

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EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £3,200[±] PLUS AN EXTRA DISCOUNT OF UP TO £700[±] OFF THE ADVERTISED FARES WHEN YOU BOOK BY 8PM 22ND AUGUST 2023

OVERNIGHT pre-cruise hotel stay in Vancouver, Canada

SEVEN NIGHTS all-inclusive cruising on board *Celebrity Solstice** including:

- All-Inclusive Classic Drinks Package worth **\$1,246** for all bookings**
- **INCLUDED** gratuities & Surf Wi-Fi for all bookings**
- **EXCLUSIVE FREE** stateroom upgrades*

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

- **FREE up to \$600*** on board spend
- Premium Drinks package worth **\$1,526****
- Stream Wi-Fi**

FIVE NIGHT Rocky Mountaineer tour* including:

- **TWO** days on board *Rocky Mountaineer* in SilverLeaf Service including breakfast & lunch plus complimentary drinks & snacks
- **EXCLUSIVE** upgrade to GoldLeaf train and hotels for Concierge Class Staterooms and above*

THREE NIGHT Calgary Stampede Extravaganza Tour including a Two Day Thrill Pass to the Greatest Outdoor Show*

- Handpicked hotel accommodation in Vancouver, Kamloops, Banff & Calgary
- Banff to Calgary sightseeing tour and Banff Gondola

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

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Earn up to **30,998** when booking this exclusive voyage, worth **£309 off** your next booking with ROL Cruise**



YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE (PPP)	NOW FARE (PPP)
Interior	I2	£7,499	£5,999
Ocean View	O2	£8,299	£6,999
Veranda	V1	£8,799	£7,699
Deluxe Veranda	DV	£9,999	£8,799
<i>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to a Concierge Class Stateroom (C2)*</i>			
Sunset Concierge	SC	£10,599	£9,499
<i>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to An AquaClass Stateroom (A1)*</i>			
Sky Suite	S1	£11,899	£10,699
Penthouse Suite	PS	£19,199	£14,499
Solo fares are available from £8,999			

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THE BESTSELLING 5★
Luxury Winter Sun
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SAVE UP TO **40%** ±

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

FREE STATEROOM UPGRADES^

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE WINTER SUN CRUISE SALE

SAVE UP TO 40%±

Luxury full-board cruising including on board *Celebrity Infinity* including:

- Choose your fare:
- Full-board fare
 - OR
 - All-Inclusive Fare – Includes Classic drinks package worth up to **\$2,136**, Gratuities and Surf Wi-Fi**

BOOK a Suite & enjoy all of these incredible benefits, **PLUS:**

- **FREE on board spend** of up to **\$800***

- Premium Drinks Package worth **£2,616****
- Stream Wi-Fi**
- Exclusive access to the lounge & private dining restaurant, plus the services of a personal Host and much more

INCLUDED flights from London** (regional flights may be available on request*) and overseas transfers

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BEST OF SPAIN & PORTUGAL



Lisbon, Portugal

10 NIGHTS DEPARTING
8TH & 18TH NOVEMBER 2023

- Day 1 Fly from London to Barcelona, Spain***
Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark *Celebrity Infinity* for your 10 night all-inclusive voyage
- Day 2 Valencia, Spain**
Best known as the birthplace of paella, Valencia has steadily moved onto the radar of savvy travelers. It's a vibrant, friendly, mildly chaotic place with two outstanding fine-arts museums, an accessible old quarter, Europe's newest cultural and scientific complex
- Day 4 Malaga, Spain**
Malaga is quietly and steadfastly making a name for itself as an unforgettable place to enjoy life, get up close and personal with art and historic sights, and see breathtaking scenery along the way. Plus, Spanish tapas and a strong coffee culture contribute to a rapidly booming foodie scene for both hole-in-the-wall joints and upscale, special occasion dining. Malaga strikes just the right balance of artistic and coastal, making it a relaxed and luxurious destination
- Day 6 - Porto (Leixoes), Portugal (overnight)**
Porto, Portugal's second largest city after Lisbon, is one of Europe's oldest cities and was registered as a World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 1996. Of course, Porto's name itself hints at perhaps Portugal's most famous export—port. This is where the fortified wine was first produced
- Day 8 Lisbon, Portugal**
This storied capital has a history that extends back before the Roman Empire. Once one of the world's great naval and shipping powers, modern day Lisbon is an important hub of finance, commerce, media, entertainment, arts, international trade, education, and tourism
- Day 9 Seville (Cadiz), Spain**
- Day 11 Barcelona, Spain**
Disembark the ship and transfer to the airport for your flight to London*

Days not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea

YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full-Board Fare ^(pp)	All-Inclusive Fare ^(pp)
Interior	£999	£1,599
FREE upgrade to a Ocean View Stateroom*		
Balcony	£1,199	£1,789
Concierge	£1,249	£1,839
AquaClass®	-	£2,259
Suite	-	£2,779

Solo fares are available on request

Fares and availability are based on 18th November 2023 departure

MEDITERRANEAN & THE HOLY LAND



Giza, Egypt

10 NIGHTS DEPARTING
2ND & 23RD FEBRUARY & 15TH MARCH 2024

- Day 1 Fly from London to Athens, Greece***
Upon arrival, transfer to the port in Piraeus and embark *Celebrity Infinity* for your 10 night all-inclusive luxury voyage
- Day 3 Haifa, Israel**
This spectacular city rises dramatically from the Mediterranean on terraced hillsides, which culminate with Mount Carmel. From that viewpoint on a cruise to Haifa, all the world seems to lie at your feet.
- Day 4 - Jerusalem (from Ashdod), Israel (overnight - depart late night)**
Sacred to three of the world's major religions, Jerusalem is one of the world's oldest cities. With a history dating back to 4000 BC, the ravages of time and generational conflicts have not crumbled its fascinating architecture. Gaze at the Western Wall, which is all that's left of the fabled Second Temple, watch the sunlight bounce off the golden-roofed Dome of the Rock or the shimmering silver al-Aqsa Mosque
- Day 7 - Alexandria, Egypt (overnight -depart late night)**
Explore the incredible history of Alexandria and its surroundings. Only a few hours away from bustling Cairo, this coastal city has a relaxed Mediterranean feel. Take a tour out of the city to see the Great Pyramids and the Sphinx*
- Day 10 Athens (from Piraeus), Greece (overnight)**
Athens brought the world drama, history, poetry, and philosophy. Once home to the world's most powerful and civilized empires, Athens is now the world's foremost archaeological playground.
- Day 11 Athens (from Piraeus), Greece**
Disembark and transfer to the airport in Athens for your flight to London*

Days not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea. Other dates may operate in reverse and be one night longer in duration

YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Stateroom/Suite	Full-Board Fare ^(pp)	All-Inclusive Fare ^(pp)
Interior	£1,049	£1,669
Ocean View	£1,089	£1,729
Balcony	£1,629	£2,129
BOOK A FULL BOARD FARE & RECEIVE AN UPGRADE TO CONCIERGE CLASS*		
BOOK AN ALL-INCLUSIVE FARE & RECEIVE AN UPGRADE TO AQUACLASS**^		
Suite	-	£4,079

Solo fares are available on request

Fares and availability are based on 23rd February 2024 departure



PETER DEER, MANAGING DIRECTOR AT FRED. OLSEN CRUISE LINES, SHARES HIS STORIES...

Hello Pete and thank you for taking the time to speak to us about the amazing cruise line that is Fred. Olsen. You've been with Fred. Olsen since 1993, and must have seen some real changes over that time!

Q. Tell us about your remarkable career with Fred. Olsen, where you began and the highs and lows along the way.

I joined Fred. Olsen as a junior in accounting in the late 80s before becoming a qualified accountant. I then left and progressed in my career to become a financial director of a shipping company transporting fresh fruit worldwide.

I eventually returned to Suffolk in 2005 and took up the post of commercial director at Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines, involved in every aspect of the business.

Just before the pandemic hit, I was promoted to managing director. I have loved working in the cruise business finding ways to provide memorable experiences for our guests over the last 20 years.

Q. Not many cruise lines can claim to be family-run. How does this make Fred. Olsen stand out from the crowd?

Founded by three Olsen brothers in 1848, we have 175 years of maritime history. Maritime is very much in the DNA of how the business has grown, and is the DNA of the Olsen family who are very much engaged as a family-run business.

Also, it's how the Olsen family and the Fred. Olsen team continually strive to better and differentiate ourselves. Key to this is the Olsen family making sure that each and every day counts for our guests.

Q. Fred. Olsen believe smaller is better. Tell us what this means for passengers.

We are incredibly proud of our fleet of three smaller ships, Bolette, Borealis and Balmoral. Each ship has been elegantly designed to look and feel like ships. With no more than 1,400 guests on board, our crew really get to know our guests and what they like. (this yellow bit can be taken out if needed for space)

The smaller size of our ships also allows us to access a variety of hard-to-reach destinations for bigger ships. These include Norway's lesser-known Fjords as well as European cities with narrow waterways and size-restricted bridges. Our guests benefit from being able to disembark right in the heart of some of the world's most fascinating cities.

At Fred. Olsen, we believe that a cruise is as much about the Joy of the Journey, as well as the destinations we visit. Our Journey Planners compile interesting itineraries that allow our guests to go beyond the standard tourist route and discover real insights about the culture and nature of the places we are visiting.

Q. Being able to cruise direct from the UK on a British cruise line is a real treat. What are your favourite destinations to reach from the UK with Fred. Olsen?

I love Iceland and have been three times with my family in the last few years. The whales, the Blue Lagoon and walking through the mountainous regions; what's not to love.

I'd recommend it to anyone who loves the great outdoors.

Q. If you had to pick one, and we must insist that you do!, which is your favourite Fred. Olsen ship and why?

I absolutely love the outside deck space on *Balmoral*. I have fond memories of Balmoral being cut in half and stretched in 2008. The incredible video documented the process of inserting the 30-metre section which took 70 days to complete. You can watch the video on YouTube.

Q. Personal memories are what cruising is all about. Do you have a treasured memory, either from on-board or ashore?

As a family, we took the Flam railway in Norway to the top and cycled downhill for 20 miles in the most stunning scenery you could ever imagine with waterfalls around every corner.

Q. In 2019 you took up the mantle of Managing Director, what are the specific challenges of managing a cruise line in today's world?

As a smaller cruise line sailing with smaller ships, we must ensure we bring our personality to each and every day. We have to put ourselves in the guests' shoes to make sure that each guest has a personal journey.

We have to be different to the competition and not take a cookie cutter approach.

Q. The future is looking bright for cruise travel, what are your hopes and dreams for the next 30 years?

It's a given that we all want cleaner, greener transportation and ships for the cruise industry. However, more importantly, we want to stretch experiences for guests well beyond what we see and imagine today. If you go back to the 1960s and 1970s and look at what the experiences typically were for a traveller, and what they are today, they have grown tremendously.

It's important as a cruise line to innovate consistently each year and provide more and exciting experiences for our guests to take home fantastic memories. That should and will continue over the next 30 years.

TURN THE PAGE TO JOIN BALMORAL ON HER NO-FLY GRAND ASIA DISCOVERY!

Exploring the Arctic with Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines

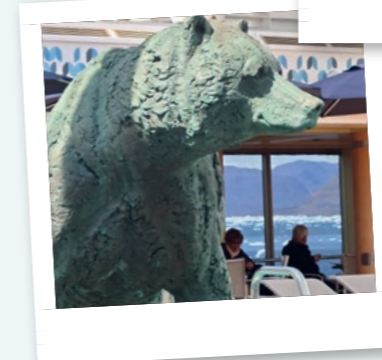
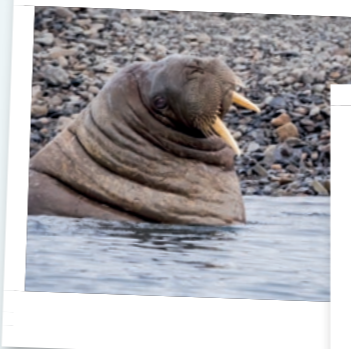
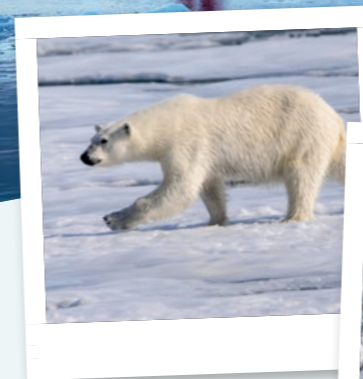


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WOW – WHERE DO WE START!

From the moment we arrived at Newcastle for embarkation onto the Beautiful *MS Bolette* we knew this was going to be a very special cruise. We were delighted to meet up with ROL Cruise customers at the entrance and were very warmly greeted by the truly efficient staff in the terminal and were on board within 30 minutes, which was extremely impressive.

Captain Davor Dubravica could not have made us more welcome; He and four Senior Officers, together with the Future Cruise and Destination Managers, all joined us for our cocktail party, where old friendships were rekindled, and new ones began.

The Cruise, with so many exciting ports, scenic tours, lectures and wildlife experiences was such an overwhelming success.

This was indeed a happy ship – Guests, Officers, Staff and Crew. The Entertainment Team with the *Bolette's* Show Company, headed up by Entertainment Manager Sammie Firbanks, produced an entertainments programme which was outstanding.

We were so pleased to be back on board as Ambassadors and be part of this happy and fun adventure to Norway, Svalbard, the Arctic Circle, Iceland, and Greenland.

Thank you ALL for making this a Cruise to remember.

John & Liz Schultz

ROL CRUISE AMBASSADORS



Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines

THE BRAND-NEW NO-FLY 2025 GRAND ASIA DISCOVERY EXCLUSIVE CRUISE PROMOTION



DELIGHT IN THE JOY OF THE JOURNEY

With Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines, the journey is every bit as important as the destination. Which is why they've created five new and unique on board Signature Experiences. Each one encapsulates what they think is special about the way they cruise and ensures that those who love to travel get the most out of their journey and all of the destinations they visit.

- With The Ship and The Sea, join their friendly Maritime Guide to explore the ship on a small private tour.
- Scenic Discovery routes are designed to take in all the islands, ports, waterways, lochs and lakes, fjords and interesting seascapes that are out there.
- The Sky At Sea sessions will invite you out on deck to enjoy sunrise and sunset events.
- During their Treats of the Region cookery demonstrations, chefs will show you how to prepare local dishes.
- You can join fascinating talks as part of their Itinerary Insights program.

YOUR CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

This once-in-a-lifetime grand voyage has been designed to ensure you have countless opportunities to experience fascinating culture and nature, from delving into ancient civilisations to seeking out endemic wildlife. What's more, Fred. Olsen Journey Planners have timed Balmoral's call into Mumbai to coincide with the Holi Festival, a colourful Hindu celebration that sees India transform into a real-life canvas. Plus, with Fred. Olsen Signature Experiences on board, you can learn about where you're sailing to, before you get there, so you can truly get the most out of your voyage.

INDIA'S 'FESTIVAL OF COLOURS'

Balmoral's extended stay in Mumbai has been perfectly timed to capture the annual Holi Festival, also known as the 'Festival of Colours'. The celebrations begin with the lighting of a ceremonial bonfire on the first evening (Holika Dahan) which symbolises the triumph of good over evil, then on the day of Holi it is tradition for friends and families to douse each other in coloured 'gulal' powder, creating a melange of yellow, blue, red, green, pink and purple. Each different colour represents something for Hindus e.g. yellow signifies the sun and the robes of Vishnu.



YANGON, MYANMAR

Discovering Myanmar is a truly mesmerising and unique experience, and with two days to explore the largest city, Yangon, you'll have the chance to witness the magnificent Shwedagon Pagoda by day and by night. Draped in real gold and encrusted with over 4,500 diamonds, this sacred landmark is surrounded by many other colourful temples and statues.



BORNEO, MALAYSIA

As captivating a destination as Borneo is, it remains wonderfully off the beaten track, meaning that the local habitats and wildlife are untouched by modernism. With Kota Kinabalu as your base, take the opportunity to relax on soft white sands, explore the world's largest caves and witness spectacular nature in action as you observe orangutans, sun bears and proboscis monkeys deep within the rainforest.



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ONLY AVAILABLE WITH ROL CRUISE, THE NO. 1 CRUISE SPECIALIST FOR FRED. OLSEN CRUISE LINES:

EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS of up to £5,300* – PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, EXCLUSIVE FARES WILL INCREASE 8PM 22ND AUGUST 2023

EXCLUSIVE FREE GRATUITIES worth up to £820 for Balcony cabins and above**

82 NIGHTS full board no-fly cruising on board Balmoral, including:

- FREE on board spend of up to £1,000 for all bookings*
- All meals throughout your cruise, from five-course à la carte dining to casual buffets and late-night snacks
- FREE self-service tea and coffee (at selected venues), morning coffee with biscuits, and afternoon sandwiches and cakes
- All current port supplements and taxes
- Pre-book all inclusive drinks package before you cruise from just £24.99^{PP} per night**

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

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YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

CABIN	FULL FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
Inside	£8,999	£8,199
Ocean View	£10,799	£9,839
Superior Ocean View	£12,999	£11,839
Balcony Cabin	£18,999	£17,299
Balcony Junior Suite	£20,499	£18,669
Superior Suite	£21,799	£19,859
Premier Suite	£29,499	£28,599

Solo cabins available from only £14,189

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FREE ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO £1,000*

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EXCLUSIVE FREE GRATUITIES WORTH UP TO £820**

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YOUR 82 NIGHT GRAND ASIA DISCOVERY DEPARTS 18TH JANUARY 2025

JANUARY 2025		MARCH 2025	
Sat 18	Embark Balmoral and depart Southampton for your 82 night Grand Voyage of Asia	Mon 3 -	Yangon (from Thilawa), Myanmar (overnight)
Wed 22	Gibraltar	Tue 4	★For Bagan/Bago**★
Sat 25	Cruising into Valletta's Grand Harbour Valletta, Malta	Sat 8	Chennai, India
Tue 28 -	Alexandria, Egypt (overnight)	Tue 11	Kochi, India ★For the Taj Mahal**★
Wed 29		Thu 13	Mumbai, India (overnight) ★Holika Dahan★
Thu 30	Suez Canal Transit	Fri 14	Mumbai, India ★HOLI - 'FESTIVAL OF COLOURS'★
Fri 31	Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt	Mon 17	Muscat, Oman
FEBRUARY 2025		Wed 19	Salalah, Oman
Sat 1	Safaga, Egypt ★For the Valley of the Kings**★	Tue 25	Aqaba, Jordan ★For Petra**★
Mon 3	Jeddah, Saudi Arabia	Thu 27	Suez Canal Transit
Tue 11	Colombo, Sri Lanka	Fri 28	Ashdod, Israel ★For Jerusalem/Bethlehem**★
Wed 12	Hambantota, Sri Lanka ★WILDLIFE HOTSPOT★	Sat 29	Haifa, Israel
Sun 16	Kuala Lumpur (from Port Klang), Malaysia	Mon 31	Heraklion, Crete, Greece
Wed 19	Kota Kinabalu, Borneo, Malaysia ★WILDLIFE HOTSPOT★	APRIL 2025	
Thu 20	Muara, Brunei Darussalam	Wed 2	Catania, Sicily, Italy
Sat 22	Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam ★For Angkor Wat**/Siem Reap**★	Sat 5	Cartagena, Spain
Mon 24	Sihanoukville, Cambodia	Mon 7	Lisbon, Portugal
Wed 26 -	Singapore (overnight)	Cruising by the Christ the King statue & under the 25 de Abril Bridge, past the Belém Tower & Monument of the Discoveries	
Thu 27		Thu 10	Arrive in Southampton

*Oceans Club discount will be applied at the time of booking, subject to membership tier. Booking conditions of Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines (ATOL 5016) and Reader Offers Limited Agency terms of business apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

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WI-FI**

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OR
FREE \$800 ON BOARD SPEND*

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THE LUXURY OF SPACE ABOUNDS

The timeless décor of your chosen stateroom or suite reflects the very best and offers you a restful homelike space to relax and rejuvenate as you explore the world's most fascinating destinations. Bathed in soothing tones and detailed with multiple layers of luxurious furnishings, accents and artwork, each stateroom and suite is a welcoming home away from home.

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The avowed crème de la crème of accommodations, the lavish Vista Suites and astounding Penthouse Suites are studies in perfection. Their profound grandeur and spaciousness are truly astonishing, affirming their status at the very apex of opulence. Guests who desire only the best need not look further than these extravagant suites. Simply ring the Butler for privileged services that include garment pressing and serving your dinner in-suite, course by course. Pamper yourself with Bulgari amenities. Relax on your private teak veranda. Revel in the fact that the Oceania Cruises suite experience has no peer.



23 NIGHTS DEPARTING 23RD APRIL 2025

APRIL 2025

- Wed 23 **Fly overnight for FREE** from London to Tokyo, Japan***
- Thu 24 **Tokyo, Japan**
Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel for your overnight stay
- Fri 25 **Tokyo, Japan**
This morning, transfer to the port and embark the elegant 5★ *Riviera* for your 20 night Japan & Alaska voyage, beginning with an overnight stay on board
- Sat 26 **Tokyo, Japan**

★ **Recommended Excursion:**
Tokyo Skytree and Asakusa Temple

Embrace the splendour of Tokyo's oldest temple, founded in the 7th century, and browse the shops along Nakamise Shopping Street, before admiring the view from atop the Tokyo Skytree tower



- Sun 27 **Hitachinaka, Japan ★ Maiden Port ★**
- Mon 28 **Miyako, Japan**
- Tue 29 **Hakodate, Japan**

★ **Recommended Excursion: Onuma National Park**

Cruise the calm waters of the volcanically formed Lake Onuma in its namesake national park, keeping your eyes peeled for soaring birds overhead. Enjoy a unique perspective of the active volcano Mount Komagatake en route

- Wed 30 **Sapporo (from Otaru), Japan**

MAY 2025

- Sat 3 **Crossing the International Date Line**
- Mon 5 **Dutch Harbor, Alaska, USA**
- Wed 7 **Kodiak Island, Alaska, USA**
- Thu 8 **Whittier, Alaska, USA ★ Maiden Port ★**
- Fri 9 **Cruising by the Hubbard Glacier**
- Sat 10 **Icy Strait Point, Alaska, USA**

★ **Recommended Excursion:**
Spasski River Valley Wildlife & Bear Search

Watch for grizzly bears in one of their prime habitats while keeping your eyes peeled for other commonly seen wildlife such as deer, land otters, mink and bald eagles



- Sun 11 **Ketchikan, Alaska, USA**
- Mon 12 **Cruising the Inside Passage**
- Tue 13 **Victoria, Canada** (arrive late am – depart late night)
- Wed 14 **Vancouver, Canada**
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your **FREE**** overnight flight to **London***
- Thu 15 **Arrive in London**

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

*Choice of free excursions exclude Oceania Select, Oceania Exclusive, Executive Collection, Go Local Tours, Food and Wine Trails, Wellness Discovery Tours by Aquamar and Culinary Discovery Tours. Shore excursions must be booked at least 14 days prior to departure, may not be suitable for guests with mobility restrictions and are subject to availability. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

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20 NIGHT 5★ luxury cruising on board the elegant *Riviera*, including:

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- Experience 'The Finest Cuisine at Sea®' with multiple open-seating speciality dining venues at no additional charge
- Recently completely refurbished, experience *Riviera* re-imagined
- **FREE** soft drinks, bottled water and speciality coffees
- **FREE** room service 24-hours a day
- **FREE** shuttles from the pier to city centre in most ports of call
- **FREE** fitness classes on board
- **FREE** laundry facilities
- **FREE** Wi-Fi**

PLUS, YOUR CHOICE OF:

\$800 FREE ON BOARD SPEND*
OR
8 FREE SHORE EXCURSIONS*

FREE return flights from London** (regional and premium class flights may be available on request†) and overseas transfers
JUST A DEPOSIT REQUIRED THEN NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL 2024

PLUS, book by **8pm 22nd August 2023** to receive a **Trio of Wine** – **EXCLUSIVELY** for readers of *Blue Horizons*†

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YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE ^(PPP)	NOW FARE ^(PPP)
Oceanview	C	-	SOLD OUT
Veranda	B3	£7,549	£6,199
Concierge Veranda	A4	£7,889	£6,599
Penthouse Suite	PH3	£10,309	£8,799
Penthouse Suite	PH1	£10,729	£9,199

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★ Included unlimited premium drinks**

Including fine wines, selected champagnes, beer, premium branded spirits, cocktails, soft drinks, bottled water, speciality coffees and teas served throughout the ship at any time of the day. Plus, your in-suite mini-bar replenished daily

★ Included unlimited shore excursions*

A comprehensive range of award-winning shore excursions are available in every port of call to enhance your experience

★ Included speciality restaurants

Including the iconic Prime 7, plus haute cuisine in Chartreuse, Compass Rose, La Veranda and Sette Mari and the al-fresco Pool Grill

★ A heartfelt welcome with two staff for every three guests. Also included is 24-hour room service and in-suite dining, plus Butler Service for Penthouse suites & above



20 NIGHTS DEPARTING 6TH MARCH 2025

Your COMPLIMENTARY Private UK Chauffeur will transfer you to the airport in style**
MARCH 2025

Thu 6	Fly overnight from London to Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia[±]
Fri 7	Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel for your overnight stay. <i>Book a Concierge Suite or above and enjoy an upgraded hotel stay*</i>
Sat 8	Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia Transfer to the port and embark the ultra-luxurious 6★ <i>Seven Seas Voyager</i> [®] for your 17 night all-inclusive South Pacific voyage, beginning with an overnight stay on board (depart early am Sun 9 th)
Sun 9	Moorea, French Polynesia
Mon 10	Raiatea, French Polynesia
Tue 11 – Wed 12	Bora Bora, French Polynesia (overnight) ★ Recommended INCLUDED Excursion*: Shark & Stingray Snorkel Safari Sail a catamaran through the gorgeous lagoon surrounding Bora Bora. In time, you will stop to swim and snorkel along a coral reef teeming with brightly coloured tropical fish
Sat 15	Pago Pago, American Samoa
Sun 16	<i>Crossing the International Date Line</i>
Mon 17	Apia, Samoa

Wed 19	Suva, Fiji ★ Recommended INCLUDED Excursion*: Suva and Rainforest Walk Travel to Colo-i-Suva Forest Park outside Suva for a guided hike through the rainforest. Trek past the Lower Pools and enjoy a swim in the cool, clear mountain pools. Afterwards, relax over refreshments with live entertainment at the Raintree Lodge
Thu 20 – Sun 23	Lautoka, Fiji Bay of Islands, New Zealand ★ Recommended INCLUDED Excursion*: Glow Worm Cave & Puketi Kauri Forest Enjoy a guided tour of Kawiti Caves and see the brilliant light show created by thousands of tiny glowworms attached to the cavern ceiling and stroll along a boardwalk path through the towering kauri trees of Puketi Forest reserve
Mon 24 – Tue 25	Auckland, New Zealand (overnight) Auckland, New Zealand Disembark and transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to London
Wed 26	Arrive in London Your COMPLIMENTARY Private UK Chauffeur will transfer you home in style** Dates not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea. Please note a day may be lost/gained when crossing the International Date Line

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- EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £6,000[±] – PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, FARES WILL INCREASE 8PM 22ND AUGUST 2023**
- **EXCLUSIVE FREE** Private UK Chauffeur Service, up to 100 miles each way, for all bookings*
 - **EXCLUSIVE FREE** on board spend of **\$400** for all bookings*
 - INCLUDED** pre-cruise hotel stay in Papeete, French Polynesia
 - Book a Concierge Suite or above & enjoy an upgraded hotel stay*
 - 17 NIGHTS** all-inclusive 6★ cruising on board the ultra-luxurious 698-guest *Seven Seas Voyager*[®], including:
 - All suite, private balcony accommodation
 - Up to **45 INCLUDED** shore excursions*
 - **INCLUDED** speciality restaurant dining throughout
 - **INCLUDED** unlimited drinks including fine wines and premium spirits, plus in-suite mini-bar replenished daily**
 - **INCLUDED** pre-paid gratuities**
 - **INCLUDED** unlimited 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*) and overseas transfers
- EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES[®]**
Earn up to **42,318 Cruise Miles[®]**, worth **£423 off** your next booking with ROL Cruise**



Seven Seas Suite

YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Suite	Grade	Full Fare (pp)	ROL Cruise Fare (pp)
Deluxe Veranda Suite	H	£13,729	£10,799
Concierge Suite	E	£15,229	£12,329
Penthouse Suite	C	£16,059	£13,139
Seven Seas Suite	SS	£18,989	£15,999
Master Suite	MS	£24,249	£21,159

Solo fares are available on request

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*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. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

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Cabo San Lucas, Mexico

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- COMPLIMENTARY ON BOARD SPEND OF UP TO \$1,000*
- DRINKS, GRATUITIES, WI-FI** & SHORE EXCURSIONS* INCLUDED
- JUST A LOW DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO SECURE YOUR SUITE

ULTRA-LUXURY MAIDEN SEASON CRUISING

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- COMPLIMENTARY Private UK Chauffeur Service**, up to 50 miles each way, for all bookings**
- All-inclusive** cruising on board the ultra-luxurious *Silver Nova* or brand-new *Silver Ray*, including:
- **COMPLIMENTARY** shore excursions, one per port, per day*
 - **COMPLIMENTARY** unlimited Wi-Fi & **COMPLIMENTARY** gratuities**
 - **COMPLIMENTARY** UP TO \$1,000 on board spend for all bookings*
 - Butler service for all suites
 - Drinks in-suite and throughout the ship, including Champagne, select wines and spirits**
 - Multiple restaurants, diverse cuisine, open seating dining
 - S.A.L.T Sea And Land Tast- an immersive culinary experience
 - Superlative service with a staff to guest ratio of nearly one-to-one
 - **COMPLIMENTARY** in-suite dining and 24-hour room service
 - **COMPLIMENTARY** transportation into town in most ports of call
- Return flights** (regional and premium class flights may be available on request*) and overseas transfers
- EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES***
 Earn up to **29,798 Cruise Miles*** worth **£297** when booking this exclusive voyage with ROL Cruise**



Maiden Panama Canal Discovery

13 NIGHTS DEPARTING 4TH JANUARY 2024
JANUARY 2024
 Your **COMPLIMENTARY Private UK Chauffeur** will transfer you to the airport in style**

Thu 4 **Fly from London to Miami, Florida, USA***
 Upon arrival, transfer to the port in Fort Lauderdale and embark the brand new *Silver Nova* for your 12 night Maiden Season Panama Canal voyage

Fri 5 **Key West, Florida, USA**

Sun 7 **Cozumel, Mexico**
★Recommended included Excursion*: The Best of Cozumel
 Indulge your senses with a taste of Mayan culture, traditions and natural beauty during this picturesque, half-day excursion to beautiful Cozumel

Sun 14 **Salaverry, Peru**
★Recommended included Excursion*: Temples of the Sun and the Moon
 Visit the religious centre of the Mochica Culture, Huaca del Sol and Huaca de la Luna, which is covered with beautiful and vibrant polychrome murals

Mon 15 - **Lima (from Callao), Peru** (arrive midday - overnight)

Tue 16 **Lima (from Callao), Peru**
 Disembark and transfer to the airport for your flight to London*

Wed 17 **Arrive in London**
 Your complimentary Private UK Chauffeur will transfer you home in style**
 Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
Classic Veranda Suite	CV	£6,900	£6,699
FREE DOUBLE UPGRADE to a Deluxe Veranda Suite (DX)			
Superior Veranda Suite	SV	£7,200	£6,989
FREE DOUBLE UPGRADE to a Premium Veranda Suite (PV)			
Medallion Suite	ME	£10,600	£10,279
Solo Veranda Suite available from £8,399			
JUST A LOW DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO SECURE YOUR SUITE			

Wed 10 **★Full transit of the Panama Canal★**
 Enter the mighty Panama Canal, one of history's most ambitious and spectacular stretches of waterway. Slicing through the heart of a continent, the canal is a staggering engineering triumph, eliminating the need to traverse the treacherous waters of South America and Cape Horn. Sail one of the world's great canals to appreciate the true scale of this achievement, as your ship manoeuvres between its vast, gushing locks and huge lakes

Fri 12 **Manta, Ecuador**

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Maiden Florida to Lisbon FEATURING THE AZORES

15 NIGHTS DEPARTING 31ST MARCH 2025
MARCH 2025
 Your **COMPLIMENTARY Private UK Chauffeur** will transfer you to the airport in style**

Mon 31 **Fly from London to Fort Lauderdale, Florida USA***
 Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel for your overnight stay

APRIL 2025

Tue 1 **Fort Lauderdale, Florida USA**
 Transfer to the port and embark the ultra-luxurious *Silver Ray* for your 14 night all-inclusive maiden season voyage

Fri 4 - **Hamilton, Bermuda** (overnight)

Sat 5 **★Recommended included Excursion*: Coral Reef Snorkeling Safari**
 Discover the northernmost coral reef in the world during this panoramic, half-day Bermudian snorkelling safari via catamaran. Explore a magical, deep-blue oasis, which is bordered by fringe reef on nearly all sides

YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
Classic Veranda Suite	CV	£6,300	£6,099
FREE DOUBLE UPGRADE to a Classic Veranda Suite (CV)			
Superior Veranda Suite	SV	£6,400	£6,199
FREE DOUBLE UPGRADE to a Premium Veranda Suite (PV)			
Medallion Suite	ME	£9,300	£8,999
Silver Suite	SL	£11,400	£10,999
Grand 1 Bedroom Suite	G1	£15,400	£14,899
Solo Veranda Suite available from £9,249			
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Silver Nova Veranda Suite

YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

SUITE	GRADE	FULL FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
Classic Veranda Suite	CV	£6,300	£6,099
FREE DOUBLE UPGRADE to a Classic Veranda Suite (CV)			
Superior Veranda Suite	SV	£6,400	£6,199
FREE DOUBLE UPGRADE to a Premium Veranda Suite (PV)			
Medallion Suite	ME	£9,300	£8,999
Silver Suite	SL	£11,400	£10,999
Grand 1 Bedroom Suite	G1	£15,400	£14,899
Solo Veranda Suite available from £9,249			
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EXCLUSIVE FARES SAVING UP TO 30%*
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- OVERNIGHT** hotel stay in Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 13 nights all-inclusive 6★ expedition cruising on board *Seabourn Pursuit*, including:
 - Intimate ship with a private club atmosphere
 - **COMPLIMENTARY** fine wines, spirits, soft drinks, champagnes and ales throughout your voyage**
 - Spacious, all-suite accommodation – all with sweeping views from your own private veranda
 - World-class dining in a range of venues – dine when and with whom you wish

- **COMPLIMENTARY** dining venues
- Personal in-suite bar stocked and replenished with your favourites – without charge
- Personal greeting from your suite attendant with chilled Champagne and canapés
- **COMPLIMENTARY** Wi-Fi with unlimited minutes for all bookings**
- Tipping is neither required nor expected
- INCLUDED return flights for all bookings** (regional flights may be available on request*) and overseas transfers

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES*
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THE SEABOURN EXPEDITION ALL-INCLUSIVE DIFFERENCE

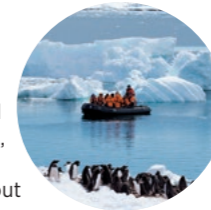
- Purpose-built expedition ship with PC6 ice-strengthened hull and advanced maneuvering technology for superior stability, safety and comfort
- World-class Expedition Team, delivering immersive experiences
- All veranda, all ocean-front suites – all luxuriously appointed
- Handcrafted itinerary developed for the expedition traveller to the world's most coveted and remote destinations
- Inclusive expedition experiences with Zodiacs, scuba diving and snorkelling

*6★ relates to the cruise element only. Seabourn (ATOL 6294) and Reader Offers Limited Reader Offers Limited agency terms and conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

ULTRA-LUXURY EXPEDITION CRUISING

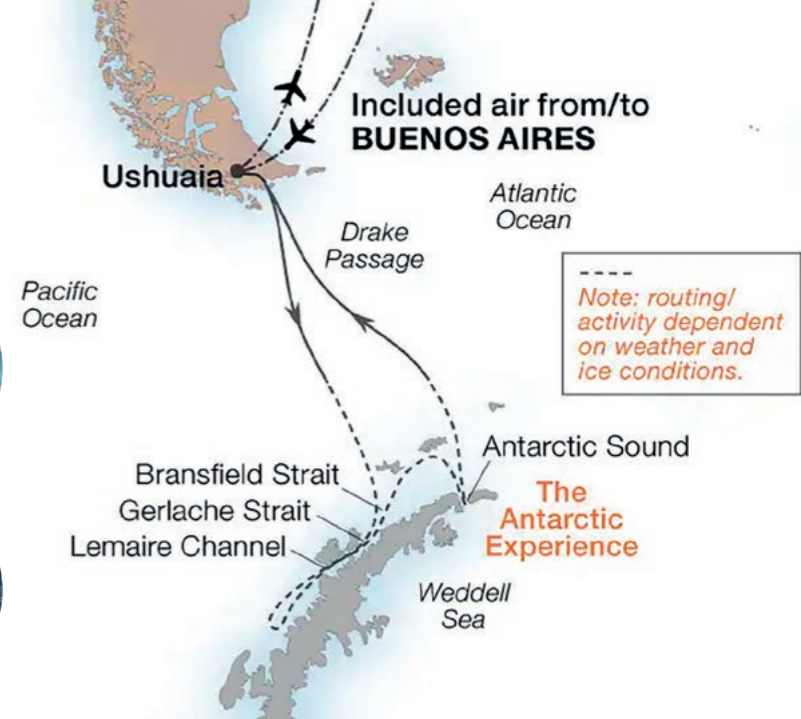
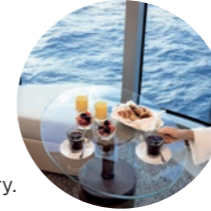
Your ship

Seabourn Pursuit is designed and built for diverse environments to PC6 Polar Class standards and includes modern hardware and technology that will extend the ships' global deployment and capabilities. It carries 24 Zodiacs, kayaks, and a 24-person expert expedition team whose role is to engage guests throughout each voyage.



Ocean Front Suites

Savour the comforts and exquisite furnishings designed with adventure at its heart in an expansive suite, complete with personal veranda, perfect for witnessing natural beauty in perfect luxury.



YOUR 16 NIGHT GRAND VOYAGE DEPARTS 27TH JANUARY 2024

JANUARY 2024

- Sat 27 **Fly overnight from London to Buenos Aires, Argentina***
- Sun 28 **Buenos Aires, Argentina**
Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel for your overnight stay
- Mon 29 **Buenos Aires, Argentina**
Transfer to the airport for your flight to Ushuaia. Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark the ultra-luxurious 6★ *Seabourn Pursuit* for your 13 night expedition voyage of Antarctica

FEBRUARY 2024

- Thu 1 - **★ The Antarctica Experience ★**
- Wed 7
Antarctica, the name alone conjures up images of boundless ice, towering icebergs, comedic penguins, epic snowstorms, great sailing ships held tightly by ice and the hardy explorers striving to survive wrapped in thick, heavy parkas. All of this is, or once was, true. Antarctica is the truest of wild places, the majesty of its pristine natural landscapes is second to no other location on Earth.
The animals that thrive in the Antarctic climate are present in such great numbers and concentrations that they must be seen to be believed. This untouched oasis is pure in its natural innocence. Antarctica has been a source of natural inspiration for as long as humans have been aware of its existence - and it may produce in you one of the most exceptional sensations it is possible to experience on our great planet.

Enjoy possible landing sites, including Elephant Island, Half Moon Island, King George Island, plus:

Aitcho Islands

The Aitcho Islands are among the most mysterious areas of the South Shetland Islands chain – a place of both subtle beauty and quiet solitude. Chinstrap and gentoo penguins nest on the island and can be seen porpoising offshore. Gliding cape and giant petrels dance over the water, as the occasional Weddell seal and gigantic elephant seal laze on the beach. As the sea fog lifts, you are offered a glimpse into this magic world, where conversations tend to be only a few degrees north of a whisper

Almirante Brown Base

On a small rocky peninsula deep within Paradise Bay lies one of the few landing spots on the rocky outcrop of the Argentine station of Almirante Brown. The visually stunning location is truly dwarfed by its backdrop of vertical ice. Climbing the slope you will be rewarded with spectacular views all around and have the chance to hear the distant, loud calving of glaciers as their bergs rumble and thunder into the water

Scenic Cruising Antarctic Sound

Often covered by pack ice, the Antarctic Sound is an ever-changing labyrinth of cathedral-like icebergs of various shapes and sizes. Its wildlife is varied and plentiful. Some of the region's largest Adélie penguin colonies can be found along its shores and a wide diversity of whales and other sea mammals frequent the area

Arktowski Station, King George Island

The Polish Antarctic research station, Arktowski, was established in 1977 on the shoreline of Admiralty Bay on King George Island. It is named for Henryk Arktowski, the Polish geologist, oceanographer and meteorologist of the Belgian Antarctic Expedition from 1897-1899. This was the first expedition to overwinter in Antarctica and, perhaps unsurprisingly, Arktowski was the first scientist to propose the idea of wind chill factor

- Sat 10 **Ushuaia, Argentina**
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- Day 1 **Embark *MS Maud* and depart London Tilbury**
- Day 2 - *Relax at sea on your way to Norway*
- Day 3 Meet your Expedition Team who will prepare you for exciting adventures ahead
- Day 4 **Nordfjorden – Loen, Norway**
Gaze in awe as you pass Hornelen, Europe's highest sea cliff before heading towards Jostedalbreen, Europe's largest glacier. If conditions allow, you'll land in Loen where there is much to discover in the shadow of a mighty glacier. Take the Loen Skylift to enjoy spectacular views from the summit of Mount Hoven
- Day 5 *Relax at sea on your way to the Arctic Circle*
Keep your eyes on the scenery as you pass Helgelan County. Sail past the Seven Sisters Mountain range and Torghatten mountain, with its distinct hole right through the middle. Travel under the Auroral Zone, a prime area for the Northern Lights
- Day 6 **Lofoten – Reine, Norway**
A majestic wall of snowcapped mountains signal your arrival in stunning Lofoten. Then you'll spend the day in the pictureperfect fishing village of Reine, known for its iconic red shing huts. Your included activity for the day is a trip to Å, one of the best-preserved traditional fishing villages in Norway
- Day 7 **Alta, Norway**
Dubbed 'The Northern Lights City', Alta is the turning point of your expedition and one of the northernmost towns in the world. It's charming to stroll around, swathed in Christmas lights and snow. Lying 70° north of the Arctic Circle, Alta sits directly beneath the Auroral Oval, a zone known for consistent Northern Lights activity. If the conditions are right, you could be in for a show

11TH & 25TH NOVEMBER AND 9TH DECEMBER 2023

- Day 8 **Tromsø, Norway**
Look out for humpback whales, stop off at the Arctic Cathedral or drop in on the world's northernmost brewery. On your included Polar Museum visit, discover the city's heritage or try an optional excursion like dogsledding^{*}
- Day 9 **Narvik, Norway**
Explore the galleries, shops and restaurants that specialise in local seafood then ride the cable car to the top of Mount Narvik and in the evening look out for the Northern Lights
- Day 10 - *Go off the beaten track*
- Day 11 Over the next two days, the Expedition Team may go off the beaten track to discover many islands and fjords in the region and look for wildlife in their natural habitat, making your voyage unique
- Day 12 **Bergen, Norway**
Enjoy the unique charm of one of Norway's most picturesque cities, surrounded by seven mountains and the sea. Explore the cobbled streets and alleys on foot, stopping at museums, artisanal boutiques, cafes or a pub. Enjoy an included excursion up Mount Fløyen
- Day 13 **Egersund, Norway**
With its brightly coloured, wooden houses, you'll love the cosy feel of Egersund. People have lived here since the Stone Age. Take an optional hike^{*} in the hills or enjoy exploring the town centre on your own
- Day 14 *Relax at sea on your way back to London Tilbury*
- Day 15 **Arrive in London Tilbury**

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