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# Welcome

## TO THE DECEMBER EDITION OF BLUE HORIZONS

Another year under our belts, and what better way to celebrate than with an early Christmas Gift! On the opposite page you will find your £100 gift from ROL Cruise, to use on any booking from this edition of Blue Horizons!

We have recently seen a big celebration here at ROL Cruise, as we take the big step to becoming employee-owned! ROL Cruise prides itself on its remarkable record of staff loyalty, so there's no better way to secure our future and celebrate our approaching 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary than by transforming into an Employee Ownership Trust. What's more, Rosie Cairns takes the reins as CEO, ensuring our core values continue long into the future. Both these important steps usher in a new era of growth for ROL, and we do hope you continue to join us for our third decade as the UK's No. 1 Independent Cruise

Specialist. Find out more about these exciting developments on page 7.

From all of us at ROL Cruise, **Merry Christmas and Happy Cruising!**

*Rosie and Sarah*



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## Competition Winner!



In our Oceania Cruises Special 2024 edition of Blue Horizons we asked you to answer 10 questions.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to our winner **ELAINE SHEPHERD** from **BARTON-UPON-HUMBER** who wins a Fortnum & Mason Gift!

Your prize will arrive with you shortly.

**See how many you got right below:**

1. Who are Oceania Cruises' executive culinary directors? **Chef Alex Quaretti and Chef Eric Barale**
2. From the deck of which ship can you witness a full Solar Eclipse? **Marina**
3. Upgrade to a Suite and you'll enjoy a welcome bottle of Champagne – true or false? **True**
4. Which ship is the newest in the fleet? **Allura**
5. If you cruise to Mystery Island on board Riviera, you will find the island uninhabited – true or false? **True**
6. Oceania offer personalised service, with how many staff members for every three guests? **Two**
7. To reach Antarctica on board Marina, you must first cross the Drake Passage – true or false? **True**
8. Visit Japan on board Riviera during which month to see spectacular cherry blossoms? **May**
9. Which restaurant would Vista's Executive Chef Kevin Symes recommend? **Red Ginger**
10. You can enjoy an 18-hole putting green on board Allura – true or false? **True**

## 2024 Poppy Appeal



We are delighted to say that this year, we will be donating £9,000 to the Poppy Appeal.

This brings the total of donations over the years to £44,000!

A spokesperson from the Royal British Legion said, "A huge thank you to ROL Cruise for another incredible donation to this year's Poppy Appeal. The money you have raised will make a huge difference and is much appreciated."



Minimum spend of £3,999 applies.  
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## EASTER GETAWAY

7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 17<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2025



### APRIL 2025

Thu 17 **Embark *Ambience* and depart London Tilbury**  
Sat 19 **Honfleur, France** (depart late night)  
Nestled on France's Normandy coast, Honfleur mesmerises with its historic harbour and artistic ambience. Travel back in time as you explore cobbled streets and art galleries showcasing works by renowned painters like Eugene Boudin  
Mon 21 **St. Mary's, Isles of Scilly**  
Tue 22 **Cork (from Cobh), Ireland**  
Thu 24 **Arrive in London Tilbury**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Cabin	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	Sale Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Inside	-	£699
Ocean View <sup>†</sup>	-	£789
Balcony	£1,292	£969
Suite	£1,759	£1,299

Single Ocean View cabins are available from **£1,359**

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## FAROE ISLANDS AND ICELAND DISCOVERY

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 6<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2025



### MAY 2025

Tue 6 **Embark *Ambition* and depart Liverpool**  
Thu 8 **Runavik, Faroe Islands**  
Fri 9 **Klaksvik, Faroe Islands**  
Sun 11 - Mon 12 **Reykjavik, Iceland** (overnight)  
Tue 13 **Ísafjörður, Iceland**  
Wed 14 **Akureyri, Iceland**  
Thu 15 **Seyðisfjörður, Iceland**  
Sun 18 **Arrive in Liverpool**

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### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Cabin	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	Sale Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Inside	-	£1,169
Ocean View	-	£1,739
Balcony	-	SOLD OUT
Suite	£3,229	£2,399

Single Suites are available from **£3,629**

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Full-board cruising on board *Ambience* or *Ambition*, including:

- An authentic and traditional cruise experience at a fantastically affordable price
- All meals on board including breakfast, lunch, afternoon tea and dinner
- Locally inspired dishes on board and energy efficient engines, to help pave the way for more sustainable cruising
- A wide range of entertainment, including evening shows, plays, cabarets, live music & classical interludes
- Use of gym, swimming pool and hot tubs as well as spa access
- Portage of luggage between the port and cabin
- The currency on board is pound sterling, so you won't be affected by any foreign exchange rate fluctuation

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## CHRISTMAS IN THE CANARIES

18 NIGHTS DEPARTING 20<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2025



### DECEMBER 2025

Sat 20 **Embark *Ambience* and depart London Tilbury**  
Tue 23 **Leixões (for Oporto), Portugal**  
Wed 24 **Lisbon, Portugal**  
Thu 25 **★Spend Christmas Day relaxing at sea★**  
Fri 26 **Marrakesh (from Casablanca), Morocco**  
Sun 28 **Arrecife, Lanzarote**  
Mon 29 **Santa Cruz, Tenerife**

### Tue 30 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria

Wed 31 **Funchal, Madeira ★New Year's Eve★** (depart early am on 1<sup>st</sup> January)

### JANUARY 2026

Thu 1 **★Spend New Year's Day relaxing at sea★**  
Sat 3 **Getxo (for Bilbao), Spain**  
Mon 5 **Brest, France**  
Wed 7 **Arrive in London Tilbury**

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### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Cabin	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	Sale Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Inside	-	£1,539
Ocean View <sup>†</sup>	-	£1,899
Balcony	£3,059	£2,289
Suite	£4,299	£3,199

Single Ocean View cabins are available from **£3,379**

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## WELCOME TO THE SUITE LIFE



Whether to mark a special occasion or you just feel that you richly deserve to reward yourselves, an upgrade to a suite will provide you with some extra little touches and flourishes, all designed to make your cruise holiday a more fulfilling experience. All of these spacious suites are located in prime positions on board, and the combination of extra space, convenient position and added benefits will really make your cruise that extra bit special.

## YOUR SUITE BENEFITS

### EMBARKATION

- ✓ Priority Check-In
- ✓ Priority Luggage Delivery

### ON BOARD

- ✓ Welcome Bottle of House Wine or Sparkling Wine or Champagne
- ✓ Welcome Bottle Mineral Water or two bottles of Purezza Cabin water per day
- ✓ Mini Bar<sup>\*\*</sup>
- ✓ Fresh Fruit Bowl
- ✓ Bathrobe & Slippers
- ✓ Pair of Umbrellas (For Shore Use)
- ✓ Pair of Binoculars
- ✓ World Atlas
- ✓ Tea /Coffee Making Facilities
- ✓ Espresso Coffee Maker
- ✓ Laundry Service Discounts (30-50%)
- ✓ One complimentary bag of washing per week
- ✓ Continental Breakfast Tray or Breakfast In Bed Tray
- ✓ Pillow Menu and spray
- ✓ Complimentary WI-FI (Basic or Premium package)
- ✓ Priority on Destination Experiences Waitlist
- ✓ Enhanced Amenities
- ✓ Priority on restaurant table & sitting (Main Dining Room Only)
- ✓ Complimentary Meal In Speciality Restaurant
- ✓ Complimentary Room Service (From the Menu Only)

### DISEMBARKATION

- ✓ Late Suite check-out
- ✓ At your leisure disembarkation

All benefits are subject to the cruise line's T&Cs and vary per ship and according to suite grade booked.



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- Locally inspired dishes on board and energy efficient engines, to help pave the way for more sustainable cruising
- A wide range of entertainment
- Use of gym, swimming pool and hot tubs as well as spa access
- The currency on board is pound sterling

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## 31 NIGHTS DEPARTING 19<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2026

### FEBRUARY 2026

Thu 19 **Embark *Ambition* and depart London Tilbury**  
Sun 22 **Oporto (from Leixões), Portugal**  
Tue 24 **Cádiz, Spain**  
Wed 25 **Málaga, Spain**  
Fri 27 **Palma de Mallorca, Spain**  
Sat 28 **Barcelona, Spain**

Sat 7 **Valletta, Malta**  
Mon 9 **Tunis (from La Goulette), Tunisia**  
Tue 10 **Cagliari, Sardinia**  
Thu 12 **Valencia, Spain**  
Fri 13 **Alicante, Spain**  
Sun 15 **Lisbon, Portugal**  
Tue 17 **Santander, Spain**

### MARCH 2026

Mon 2 **Florence/Pisa (from Livorno), Italy**  
Tue 3 **Rome (from Civitavecchia), Italy**  
Wed 4 **Naples, Italy**  
Thu 5 **Palermo, Sicily, Italy**  
Fri 6 **Trapani, Sicily, Italy**

Wed 18 **Bordeaux (from Le Verdon), France**  
Fri 20 **Honfleur, France**  
Sun 22 **Arrive in London Tilbury**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

## YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Cabin	Full Fare (pp)	Sale Fare (pp)
Inside	-	£2,329
Ocean View†	-	£3,839
Balcony	£5,849	£4,389
Suite	£6,189	£4,639

Single Ocean View cabins are available from **£4,799**

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# ROL Cruise becomes employee-owned and announces senior promotions, launching a new era of growth and celebration



ROL Cruise, the UK's No. 1 Independent cruise retailer, is excited to announce its transformation into an Employee Ownership Trust (EOT), granting a majority stake of the company to its dedicated staff. This significant milestone marks the beginning of a new era for the business as it enters its 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2025, kicking off a year-long celebration of achievements and future ambitions.

In tandem with the shift to the EOT model, ROL Cruise is announcing a new leadership appointment. Rosie Cairns, formerly joint Managing Director, will assume the role of CEO, guiding the company through this exciting phase of growth and employee engagement. Sarah Wikevand will be working alongside Rosie in her current role as Managing Director, continuing to focus on strengthening key relationships and expanding strategic collaborations with its Commercial partners.

Jeremy Dickinson, who previously served as Chairman, will join the Board of the Corporate Trustee, where he will continue to contribute

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his expertise to the company's overall direction.

CEO Rosie Cairns confirms: "As we approach our 30<sup>th</sup> year, we are excited to celebrate our heritage and our fantastic staff. By becoming an employee-owned trust, we are securing the future of our company, our culture and, most importantly, the



future for our incredibly loyal and experienced team."

ROL Cruise prides itself on its remarkable record of staff loyalty and retention, which is a key factor in the company's success. Based in Colchester, Essex, the company employs 138 people, with an impressive staff retention rate of 98% and average length of service exceeding seven years. Over half of its employees have been with the company for more than five years, while 34% have dedicated a decade or more to ROL Cruise, and one staff member has been with the team since launching in 1995. This deep-rooted loyalty translates to nearly 950 years of combined experience in the cruise travel sector.

**Jeremy Dickinson adds:** "I am delighted to leave this legacy as we transition ROL Cruise into an employee-owned company. It's been a fantastic 20 years leading the business, and now feels like the perfect time to hand over the reins to the next generation. I have every confidence that the incredible team will continue to shape ROL Cruise's future with the same passion and dedication that have brought us to this milestone."

**Rosie Cairns concludes:** "As a major employer in Colchester and a recognised leader in the cruise travel industry, we are committed to supporting the local economy and maintaining our reputation for excellence. The move to employee ownership is a strategic investment in the future, empowering our dedicated team to help shape the company's direction while staying true to our core values of customer service excellence. It's an incredibly exciting time for all of us."



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- A different show every night, from cabaret shows and comedians to live music and dancing
- On board leisure activities including a gym, heated swimming pools and jacuzzis
- **FREE** self-service tea and coffee (at selected venues), morning coffee with biscuits and afternoon sandwiches and cakes
- On board currency of pound sterling, so you won't be affected by any foreign exchange rate fluctuation

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## Scenic Gems of the Dalmatian Coast

22 NIGHTS DEPARTING 5<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2025

JUNE 2025

Thu 5 Embark *Borealis* and depart Dover

Mon 9 Tangier, Morocco

Tangier is the gateway from Europe to Africa, due to its location on the Straits of Gibraltar, and has seen rapid progression into a cosmopolitan city, whilst still retaining its history



Thu 12 Cruising Valletta's Grand Harbour  
Valletta, Malta

Sat 14 Cruising by Mount Biokovo, Makarska Riviera  
Split, Croatia

Situated on the Dalmatian Coast, Split is famous for its beaches and magnificent Riva Waterfront. However, just a 10 minute walk away is the pedestrianised old town, protected by the walls of the UNESCO-listed Diocletian's Palace

Sun 15 Korčula, Croatia

Mon 16 Dubrovnik, Croatia

Known as the 'Pearl of the Adriatic', Dubrovnik is nestled between the mountains and sea on Croatia's Dalmatian Coast. The deeply historic city is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and still has magnificent medieval walls surrounding it

Tue 17 Kotor, Montenegro

Cruising the Bay of Kotor Located on the beautiful Bay of Kotor, the town of the same name is one of the best-preserved Medieval towns in the Adriatic. Kotor has ancient architecture that's displayed in Venetian palaces and Romanesque churches, earning itself a listing as a UNESCO World Natural and Historical Heritage Site



Wed 18 Kerkira, Corfu, Greece

Fri 20 La Goulette, Tunisia

Sun 22 Cartagena, Spain

Originally constructed in 223 B.C by the Carthaginians, Cartagena is immersed in ancient history

Mon 23 Gibraltar

Fri 27 Arrive in Dover

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE PRICES

CABIN	FULL FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>	SALE FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>
Interior	£3,499	£3,399
Ocean View	£4,299	£4,169
Terrace	£6,499	£6,299
Balcony Junior Suite	£7,999	£7,759
Premier Suite	£10,999	£10,669

Solo cabins are available from £6,489

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## Scenic Landscapes of Scotland & The Faroes

10 NIGHTS DEPARTING 14<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025

SEPTEMBER 2025

Sun 14 Embark *Bolette* and depart Liverpool

Mon 15 Cruising by Fingals Cave, Dutchmans Cap (Bac Mòr), Small  
isles, Loch Hourn & Loch Scavig, Scotland

Tue 16 Stornoway, Isle of Lewis, Scotland

Wed 17 Ullapool, Scotland

Thu 18 Kirkwall, Scotland

Fri 19 Tórshavn, Faroe Islands

Sat 20 Klaksvik, Faroe Islands  
Cruising Cape Enniberg

Sun 21 Lerwick, Shetland Islands,  
Scotland

Tue 23 Belfast, Northern Ireland

Wed 24 Arrive in Liverpool

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE PRICES

CABIN	FULL FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>	SALE FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>
Interior	£1,599	£1,549
Ocean View	£1,999	£1,939
Terrace	£3,299	£3,199
Suite	£3,699	£3,589

Solo cabins are available from £2,879

## Discovering Morocco

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 26<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025

NOVEMBER 2025

Wed 26 Embark *Borealis* and depart Portsmouth

Sun 30 Casablanca, Morocco (overnight)

DECEMBER 2025

Mon 1 Casablanca, Morocco

Modern, vibrant and boasting a fascinating history and heritage, Casablanca offers some incredible contrasts

Tue 2 Agadir, Morocco

Thu 4 Tangier, Morocco

Sat 6 La Coruña, Galicia, Spain

Mon 8 Arrive in Portsmouth

Dates not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea



### YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE SALE PRICES

CABIN	FULL FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>	SALE FARE <sup>(PP)</sup>
Interior	£1,399	£1,329
Ocean View	£1,699	£1,649
Terrace	£2,599	£2,499
Balcony Junior Suite	£3,299	£3,199
Premier Suite	£4,399	£4,269

Solo fares are available from £2,419

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#### JANUARY 2026

Sun 11 **Embark the brand-new *Queen Anne* and depart Southampton**  
Thu 15 **Funchal, Madeira**  
Fri 16 **Santa Cruz, Tenerife**  
Mon 19 **Mindelo, St. Vincent, Cape Verde**  
Tue 27 **Walvis Bay, Namibia**  
Fri 30 - **Cape Town, South Africa**  
Sat 31 (overnight)

#### FEBRUARY 2026

Mon 2 **Port Elizabeth, South Africa**  
Wed 4 **Durban, South Africa**  
Mon 9 **Le Port, Réunion**  
Tue 10 **Port Louis, Mauritius**  
Mon 16 **Colombo, Sri Lanka**  
Fri 20 **Kuala Lumpur (from Port Klang), Malaysia**  
Sat 21 - **Singapore (overnight)**  
Sun 22  
Thu 26 - **Hong Kong, China (overnight)**  
Fri 27

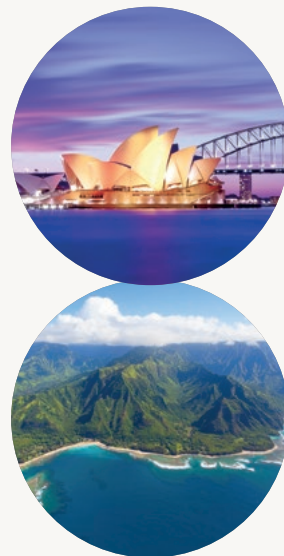
#### MARCH 2026

Mon 2 **Manila, Philippines**  
Thu 5 **Bitung, Indonesia**  
Sun 8 **Darwin, Australia**  
Thu 12 **Airlie Beach, Australia**  
★ **For the Great Barrier Reef** ★  
Sat 14 **Brisbane, Australia**  
Mon 16 - **Sydney, Australia (overnight)**  
Tue 17  
Sat 21 **Port Vila, Vanuatu**  
Mon 23 **Suva, Fiji**  
Thu 26 **Cross International Date Line**  
Sun 29 **Honolulu, Hawaii, USA**

#### APRIL 2026

Sat 4 **Los Angeles, USA (overnight)**  
Sun 5 **Los Angeles, USA**  
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to **London**  
Mon 6 **Arrive in London**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



## YOUR GRAND VOYAGE HIGHLIGHTS

### OVERNIGHT STAYS IN CAPE TOWN, SINGAPORE, HONG KONG, SYDNEY & LOS ANGELES

#### CAPE TOWN

The flat-topped Table Mountain forms a prominent landmark overlooking the city of Cape Town and it is a destination you simply cannot miss. This natural wonder, named a New 7 Wonders of Nature, is a hiker's paradise. Numerous trails offer a unique perspective of the city below and the vast ocean beyond. If hiking isn't your preference, the Table Mountain Aerial Cableway provides a smooth and scenic ride to the summit. The rotating cable car offers 360-degree views as you ascend.

#### SINGAPORE

Walk through the bustling streets of Chinatown, where traditional architecture and floating red lanterns line the streets and elegant calligraphy warns away evil with messages of good fortune. Visit the exquisite Buddha Tooth Relic Temple and Museum, then sample some Chinese cuisine at the local market. Be sure to save space though, as Singapore's diverse dining options are difficult to resist.

#### 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.

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- **COMPLIMENTARY** Gratuities worth up to **\$3,060\*\***
- Welcome on-board reception
- White Star fine dining, bars and lounges
- Dance instruction and host dancers
- Enjoy talks on a range of issues by well-known celebrities and experts
- Enjoy a traditional afternoon tea - a signature Cunard experience
- 24-hour room service

**Return flight to London** (regional and premium class flight may be available on request\*) and overseas transfer

## YOUR INCREDIBLE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH FARES

Stateroom/Suite	ROL Cruise Fare from <sup>(PP)</sup>
<b>BRITANNIA CLUB</b>	
Inside	£9,999
Outside	£13,999
Balcony	£14,699
Club Balcony	£17,699
<b>PRINCESS &amp; QUEENS GRILL</b>	
Princess Grill Suite	£25,899
Queens Grill Suite	<b>SOLD OUT</b>
Penthouse Suite	£39,699

**ALL HIGHER SUITES ARE SOLD OUT**

**Solo fares** are available from **£19,599**

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- ★ EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £3,200<sup>±</sup>
- ★ BOOK BY 4PM 24<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024 FOR AN EXTRA DISCOUNT OF UP TO £500<sup>±</sup>
- ★ FREE FOUR NIGHT 4★ HOTEL STAY IN SYDNEY

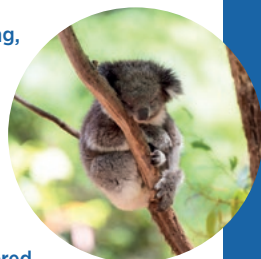
## ★YOUR ADVENTURE HIGHLIGHTS★

### SYDNEY

Sydney is one of the world's most exciting, must-see modern cities. Home to the famous Harbour Bridge and Opera House – two of the most iconic cityscapes on Earth – the capital of New South Wales has a visual wow factor that most other cities can only dream of. The imposing Darling Harbour is the hub of waterside life, with the revered Royal Botanic Garden nearby. For the more adventurous, Sydney Tower's outdoor platform, the Skywalk™, offers 360-degree views of the city.

### PERTH (FROM FREMANTLE)

Lying at the mouth of the Swan River, historic Fremantle - founded in 1829 - is your gateway to Perth, the capital of Western Australia. Situated on the banks of the Swan River some 15 miles upriver from Fremantle, Perth is a bustling city where soaring high-rises co-exist with elegant sandstone buildings from the colonial era. Life here moves at a slower pace, so during your visit, relax and savour the bounties of Western Australia, from the wonders of the bush to the wineries of the Swan Valley, from excellent shopping to a leisurely cruise on the Swan River.



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## AN ROL CRUISE BESTSELLING ITINERARY



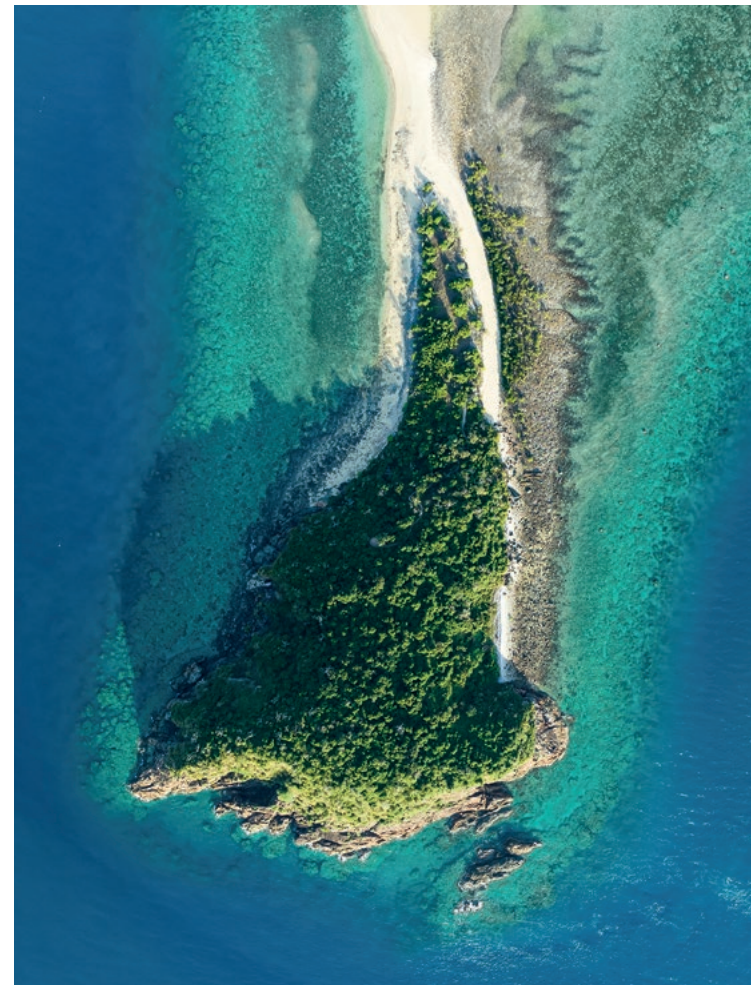
34 NIGHTS DEPARTING 2<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER 2026

### OCTOBER 2026

- Fri 2 **Fly overnight from London to Sydney, Australia**
- Sat 3 **Sydney, Australia**  
Upon arrival, transfer to a 4★ hotel for your **FREE** four night hotel stay<sup>1</sup>
- Sun 4 - Tue 6 **Sydney, Australia**  
Enjoy exploring this beautiful city at your leisure
- Wed 7 **Sydney, Australia**  
Transfer to the port and embark *Crown Princess*® for your 28 night Australia Circumnavigation voyage
- Thu 8 **Newcastle, Australia**
- Sun 11 **Melbourne, Australia**  
Melbourne is a sprawling city offering culture, art, fashion and friendly, sports-minded Australians. It is also an easy city to explore. At the heart of the city is the Golden Mile, the city's governmental and commercial center, home to hotels, shops, restaurants and theaters
- Tue 13 **Adelaide, Australia**
- Fri 16 **Albany, Australia**
- Sat 17 **Margaret River (from Busselton), Australia**  
This vibrant coastal city is a laid-back charmer with an enticing array of natural wonders and active pursuits
- Sun 18 **Perth (from Fremantle), Australia**
- Tue 20 **Exmouth, Australia**



## — DEMAND WILL BE HIGH —



## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE LAUNCH FARES

Stateroom/Suite	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	Now Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	IF	£6,199	£4,999
Ocean View	OZ	£6,849	£5,999
BOOK A BALCONY (BF) OR ABOVE & ENJOY AN UPGRADE TO ALL-INCLUSIVE**			
Balcony	BF	£11,299	£9,999
Mini Suite	ME	£12,599	£11,399
Owner's Suite	S2	£21,299	£19,799

Solo fares are available from £8,199

JUST A DEPOSIT REQUIRED THEN NOTHING TO PAY UNTIL 2026

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

- FREE FOUR NIGHT 4★** pre-cruise hotel<sup>1</sup> stay in Sydney, Australia
- 28 NIGHT** full board voyage on board *Crown Princess*® including:
  - Drinks Package, gratuities & unlimited Wi-Fi for Balcony Staterooms (BF) & above – other grades can **UPGRADE** to all-inclusive for £50<sup>pp</sup> per night\*\*
  - **EXCLUSIVE FREE ON BOARD SPEND** of up to **\$300** for Ocean View Staterooms & above\*
  - Princess Medallion Class™ experience featuring expedited arrival, touchless stateroom entry and on demand services

- **INCLUDED** dining options including Dine My Way™, 24-hour buffet, 24-hour international café, poolside grill, ice cream bar, pizzeria, and afternoon tea
- Engaging entertainment including enthralling theatre productions and live musicians
- Movies under the Stars® at the poolside theatre with free popcorn
- Return flights from London** (regional and premium class flights may be available on request<sup>3</sup>) and overseas transfers
- Earn **EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES**® worth up to **£395** towards your next cruise with ROL Cruise™





## THE BESTSELLING ALL-INCLUSIVE

# Best of Japan

16 NIGHTS DEPARTING 16<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2025

### JUNE 2025

Mon 16 **Fly overnight from London to Tokyo, Japan**

Tue 17 **Tokyo, Japan**  
Upon arrival, transfer to a 4★ hotel for your **FREE** two night stay

Wed 18 **Tokyo, Japan**  
Spend today exploring at your leisure

Thu 19 **Tokyo, Japan**  
This morning, transfer to the port in Yokohama and embark the award-winning *Celebrity Millennium*® for your 12 night all-inclusive voyage

Fri 20 **Mt. Fuji (from Shimizu), Japan ★ Voyage Highlight★**  
On clear days, Mt. Fuji (Fuji-san in Japanese) is visible from as far as Tokyo, 60 miles away. One of the best-known symbols of Japan, this iconic mountain has been considered sacred since ancient times and was even forbidden to women until the early 1900's. At 3,776m, Japan's highest and most famous peak is obviously the region's natural draw

Sat 21 – **Osaka (from Kyoto), Japan** (overnight)  
Sun 22 Discover a picturesque basin surrounded by wooded hills, known as Japan's most beautiful city, Kyoto. Though modernised, it remains a centre of traditional Japanese culture, with thousands of Buddhist temples, Shinto shrines, gardens and palaces

Mon 23 **Kochi, Japan**

Tue 24 **Hiroshima, Japan**  
Tiding over its turbulent history to now being known as the "City of Peace", Hiroshima has a lot to offer: visit The Peace Memorial Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, museums resplendent with renaissance art and more

Thu 26 **Busan, South Korea**

Sat 28 **Hakodate, Japan**

Sun 29 **Aomori, Japan**  
Chock full of picturesque historic temples, museums, and close to incredible nature like Mt. Hakkoda, Aomori offers an off the beaten path take on Japan

### JULY 2025

Tue 1 **Tokyo (from Yokohama), Japan**  
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to **London**

Wed 2 **Arrive in London**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Stateroom/Suite	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	Now Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	I1	£3,749	<b>£2,999</b>
Ocean View	O2	£4,299	<b>£3,699</b>
<b>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to an Ocean View Stateroom (O1)*</b>			
Veranda	V3	£5,049	<b>£4,399</b>
Deluxe Veranda	DV	£5,699	<b>£5,099</b>
<b>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to Concierge Class (C2)*</b>			
Concierge Class	C1	£6,199	<b>£5,599</b>
<b>EXCLUSIVE FREE upgrade to AquaClass* (A2)*</b>			
Sky Suite	S1	£9,899	<b>£9,199</b>

**Solo fares are SOLD OUT**

**JUST A DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO BOOK**

## WHAT'S INCLUDED

**FREE TWO NIGHT** pre-cruise 4★ hotel stay in Tokyo, Japan†

**12 NIGHT** all-inclusive luxury cruising on board the award-winning *Celebrity Millennium*®, including:

- **EXCLUSIVE FREE** on board spending money of up to **\$400** for Ocean View Staterooms & above\*
- **INCLUDED FOR ALL BOOKINGS** - All-inclusive Classic Drinks Package worth up to **\$2,136**, basic Wi-Fi & gratuities\*\*

Book a Suite or above & enjoy all of these incredible benefits, **PLUS:**

- Premium Drinks Package worth **\$2,616**, 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

- Thrilling entertainment including electrifying shows in the main theatre, surreal feats of acrobatics, exclusive speciality acts, musicals, comedy shows and much more
- A range of restaurants offering sumptuous dining experiences

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

Earn **EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES**® worth up to **£183** towards your next cruise with ROL Cruise††



**EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS** OF UP TO  
**£1,500** ±

**FREE**  
**TWO NIGHT**  
**4★ HOTEL STAY**  
**IN TOKYO, JAPAN**

**ALL-INCLUSIVE**  
**DRINKS, GRATUITIES**  
**& WI-FI INCLUDED**  
**FOR ALL BOOKINGS**

**EXCLUSIVE FREE**  
**STATEROOM**  
**UPGRADES**



## UNCOVER TOKYO WITH A FREE TWO NIGHT 4★ HOTEL STAY

You'll never forget a visit to the sensory explosion that is Tokyo. Capital of Japan, this is a city where you'll find centuries old culture jostling for a position next to cutting-edge technology – a fabulous blend of history and modernity that has to be seen to be believed.

To get a feel for Tokyo's natural beauty, head to Yoyogi Park. City life slows down just a touch in this former Olympic village, which also served as a military parade ground and barracks for American soldiers after the Second World War.

Close to the Yoyogi Park is the Meiji Jingu Shrine, established in 1920 and dedicated to Emperor Meiji who helped to open Japan up to the west.

As impressive as anything else is its 40-foot gate, made of 1,500-year-old cypress. At the main shrine buildings, you may show respect by bowing twice, clapping your hands twice, making a wish, then bowing once more. You may even be lucky enough to catch a traditional Japanese wedding procession.



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# THE NO-FLY 2025 PRICE DROP

FROM ONLY  
**£71<sup>PP</sup>**  
PER NIGHT

EXCLUSIVE  
SAVINGS  
OF UP TO  
**£3,600<sup>±</sup>**

ON BOARD  
SPENDING  
MONEY  
OF UP TO  
**£920**

OR

CAR  
PARKING  
OR  
COACH  
TRANSFERS

EXCLUSIVE  
FARES WILL  
INCREASE  
4PM 24<sup>TH</sup>  
DECEMBER  
2024



## IONA'S MAIDEN CARIBBEAN VOYAGE

35 NIGHTS DEPARTING 11<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2025

### JANUARY 2025

Sat 11 **Embark *Iona* and depart Southampton**  
Thu 16 **Santa Cruz, Tenerife**  
Thu 23 - **Road Town, Tortola**  
Fri 24 (overnight)  
Sun 26 - **Bridgetown, Barbados**  
Mon 27 (overnight)  
Tue 28 **Castries, St. Lucia**  
Wed 29 **Fort de France, Martinique**

Fri 31 **St. John's, Antigua**

### FEBRUARY 2025

Sat 1 **Basseterre, St. Kitts**  
Sun 2 **Philipsburg, St. Maarten**  
Sun 9 **Santa Cruz, Tenerife**  
Thu 13 **La Coruña, Spain**  
Sat 15 **Arrive in Southampton**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Inside (1 left)	PF	£3,269	<b>£2,499</b>
Sea View	LF'	£3,749	<b>£3,599</b>
Balcony	GF	£4,809	<b>£3,799</b>
Deluxe Balcony (1 left)	EZ	£5,499	<b>£4,799</b>
Conservatory Mini Suite	CZ	£7,299	<b>£5,499</b>
Suite (1 left)	BA	£9,349	<b>£8,729</b>

Solo fares are available from **£4,379**

DEPARTING  
SOON!



## TREASURES OF THE CARIBBEAN

35 NIGHT DEPARTING 27<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2025

### FEBRUARY 2025

Thu 27 **Embark *Ventura* and depart Southampton**

### MARCH 2025

Mon 3 **Santa Cruz, Tenerife**  
Mon 10 **Bridgetown, Barbados**  
(depart late night)  
Tue 11 **Fort-de-France, Martinique**  
Wed 12 **Castries, St. Lucia**  
Fri 14 **Kralendijk, Bonaire**  
Sat 15 **Willemstad, Curaçao**

Mon 17 **Roseau, Dominica**

Tue 18 **Point-à-Pitre, Guadeloupe**  
Wed 19 **St. John's, Antigua**  
Thu 20 **Basseterre, St. Kitts**  
Sat 22 **Road Town, Tortola**  
Sun 23 **Philipsburg, St. Maarten**  
Sun 30 **Praia da Vitória, Terceira, Azores**

### APRIL 2025

Thu 3 **Arrive in Southampton**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Inside	PF	£2,799	<b>£2,769</b>
Sea view	LF'	£3,779	<b>£3,739</b>
Balcony	HF	£4,599	<b>£4,499</b>
Suite	B5	£9,999	<b>£9,699</b>

Solo fares are available from **£4,839**

EXCLUSIVELY  
FOR ADULTS



## CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN & ADRIATIC

19 NIGHTS DEPARTING 13<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025

### JULY 2025

Sun 13 **Embark *Arcadia*, exclusively for adults, and depart Southampton**  
Thu 17 **Cartagena, Spain**  
Sat 19 **Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy**  
Mon 21 **Dubrovnik, Croatia**  
Tue 22 **Zadar, Croatia**  
Thu 24 **Corfu, Greece**

Fri 25 **Messina, Sicily, Italy**

Mon 28 **Cádiz (for Seville), Spain**  
Wed 30 **La Coruña, Spain**

### AUGUST 2025

Fri 1 **Arrive in Southampton**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Inside	PE	£2,139	<b>£2,099</b>
Sea View	LF'	£2,639	<b>£2,599</b>
Deluxe Balcony	EF	£3,299	<b>£3,229</b>
Mini Suite (1 left)	CE	£6,049	<b>£5,869</b>
Suite	B4	£6,599	<b>£6,399</b>

Solo fares are available from **£4,179**

## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE PRICE DROP

### EXCLUSIVE FARES WILL INCREASE 4PM 24<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024

No-fly cruising on board *Iona*, *Ventura* or *Arcadia* including:

- **ON BOARD SPENDING MONEY** of up to **£920\*** OR car parking OR coach transfers
- **NO TIPPING REQUIRED** on board
- 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
- The currency on board is pound sterling, so you won't be affected by any foreign exchange rate fluctuations

Earn **EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES\*** worth up to **£193** towards your next cruise with ROL Cruise\*





# THE BESTSELLING 6★ ALL-INCLUSIVE CARIBBEAN & AMAZON LUXURY SALE

LAST CHANCE  
TO BOOK THESE  
EXCLUSIVE FARES

SAVE UP TO  
£2,300

FREE \$500  
CHAUFFEUR  
TRANSFER CREDIT  
FOR ALL BOOKINGS

INCLUDED  
EXCURSIONS  
DRINKS, GRATUITIES,  
SPECIALITY DINING  
& WI-FI

BOOK TODAY WITH  
JUST A DEPOSIT THEN  
NOTHING TO PAY  
UNTIL 2026

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

### BOOK WITH ROL CRUISE BY 4PM 31<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER TO RECEIVE:

- **EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £2,300\***
- **PLUS**, receive a **FREE M&S Gift Card** worth up to **£200** – **EXCLUSIVELY** for readers of Blue Horizons\*

**FREE \$500** Chauffeur transfer credit with Blacklane for all bookings\*\*

**INCLUDED** pre-cruise hotel stay in Miami – Book a Concierge Suite or above & enjoy an upgraded hotel stay\*

**22 NIGHTS** all-inclusive 6★ cruising on board ultra-luxurious *Seven Seas Mariner*®, including:  
- Up to **43 INCLUDED** shore excursions\*

- **INCLUDED** speciality restaurant dining throughout\*\*
- **INCLUDED** unlimited drinks including fine wines and premium spirits, plus in-suite minibar replenished daily\*\*
- **INCLUDED** pre-paid gratuities & unlimited Wi-Fi\*\*
- **INCLUDED** butler service for Penthouse Suites and above
- **INCLUDED** 24-hour room service & laundry service

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

Earn **EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES\*** worth up to **£467** towards your next cruise with ROL Cruise\*



BLUE  
HORIZONS  
EXCLUSIVE  
FREE M&S GIFT  
CARD WORTH  
UP TO  
£200



## RADIANT AMAZON

Everyone knows the name, but only an intrepid handful of travellers get to experience the remarkable sights and sounds of the Amazon. Sail along the vast Amazon River as it flows through the heart of the world's largest tropical rainforest on a cruise holiday with a difference. Immerse yourself in exoticism; search for vivacious wildlife as you float amongst trees during the saturated wet season or explore on foot in the 'dry' season. Meet the local communities, soak up their cultures and be astounded by nature.



24 NIGHTS DEPARTING 8<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2026

### NOVEMBER 2026

- Sun 8 **Fly from London to Miami, Florida, USA**  
Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel for your overnight stay
- Mon 9 **Miami, Florida, USA**  
Transfer to the port and embark the ultra-luxurious 6★ *Seven Seas Mariner*® for your 22 night all-inclusive voyage
- Fri 13 **Bridgetown, Barbados**
- Sat 14 **Port of Spain, Trinidad & Tobago**
- Tue 17 **★Cruising the Amazon River★**
- Wed 18 **Santarém, Brazil ★Amazon River★**
- Thu 19 **Boca Da Valeria, Brazil ★Amazon River★**  
Boca Da Valeria is an Indian village where you will find log canoes, grass huts, and a life of hunting and fishing unchanged since the time of the early explorers
- Fri 20 **Manaus, Brazil ★Amazon River★**

### ★RECOMMENDED INCLUDED EXCURSION\*:

#### River Tour and Eco Maica Lake

Cruise by local riverboat along two different rivers that meet near Santarém, but don't mix immediately. If river conditions are right, learn how to bait and cast a line to catch one of the toothy piranhas that prowl these waters

### ★RECOMMENDED INCLUDED EXCURSION\*:

#### Manaus Jungle Trek

Enjoy an informative orientation, then a guided trail trek into the wondrous rainforest. Learn about the Amazon's trees, vines, understory plants and wildlife – and pick up some survival tips

- Sat 21 **Parintins, Brazil ★Amazon River★**
- Sun 22 **Alter Do Chão, Brazil ★Amazon River★**
- Mon 23 **★Cruising the Amazon River★**
- Thu 26 **St. George's, Grenada**
- Sat 28 **San Juan, Puerto Rico**

### DECEMBER 2026



## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

Suite	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Deluxe Veranda Suite	G	£10,534	£9,399
Concierge Suite	E	£11,364	£10,199
Penthouse Suite	C	£13,034	£12,699
Signature Suite	SG	£24,144	£23,399

Solo fares are available on request

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NOTHING COMES CLOSE

# THE BRAND NEW ALL-INCLUSIVE 2026 THAILAND, VIETNAM & THE MALDIVES

FEATURING A 5 NIGHT ALL-INCLUSIVE WATER VILLA STAY

BOOK BY  
4PM 24<sup>TH</sup>  
DECEMBER 2024  
TO RECEIVE AN  
EXTRA DISCOUNT  
OF UP TO  
**£500<sup>±</sup>**

## LUXURIOUS OBLU XPERIENCE AILAFUSHI STAY\*

Welcome to your Maldives Island paradise!  
There is something for everyone in this exotic utopia. Savour the spectacular views of the sparkling crystal-clear waters at this luxurious blend of adventure and quietude. This island paradise is home to the Only BLU, an exquisite underwater restaurant that is the largest in the Maldives. Dive into blue waters hiding shipwrecks and mysteries, explore an exclusive house reef a few steps away from your room, discover glass-clear shallows with coral kingdoms, indulge in sand bank picnics and Balinese spa experiences, or simply watch the ocean collide with sunset at the bar.  
The choice is yours!



## TWO NIGHTS IN SINGAPORE

Sparkling Singapore is an exciting city that prides itself on its architectural beauty with a modern twist. With an abundance of green spaces and stunning landmarks, you'll find no shortage of sites to discover during an Asia cruise that departs from Singapore. Take a stroll down the sprawling Singapore Botanic Gardens or marvel at the futuristic waterfront park of Gardens by the Bay. Soak in the city-wide views from the top of the Singapore Flyer Ferris wheel or walk along the Marina Bay and explore historic hotels and bars. Singapore has a little something for everyone, including outdoor adventure, a world-class dining scene, unrivalled shopping, and everything in between.



## TWO NIGHTS IN HONG KONG

You will immediately be swept away in the boundless energy of Hong Kong. This once-sleepy harbour town has blossomed into an international trade hub. Few cities balance old and new like Hong Kong. A city as fiercely modern as it is traditional, life here pulses with vigour and vitality while still honouring ancient customs and beliefs. Market traders hawk steaming dumplings on neon-lit streets and skyscrapers shadow sacred temples. Offering something for every traveller including, buzzing galleries and art complexes to tranquil parks and traditional tea houses. Hong Kong is not one to miss!



Exclusive  
SAVINGS  
OF UP TO  
**£2,600<sup>±</sup>**

DRINKS,  
GRATUITIES &  
WI-FI INCLUDED

Free  
4★ HOTEL STAYS  
IN SINGAPORE &  
HONG KONG

Exclusive Free  
ON BOARD SPEND  
OF UP TO  
**\$400**

23 NIGHTS DEPARTING 7<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY  
& 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY 2026

- Day 1 **Fly overnight from London to Malé, Maldives**
- Day 2 **Maldives**  
Upon arrival, transfer to *Oblu Xperience Ailafushi*® for your five stay on an all-inclusive basis
- Day 3 - **Maldives**
- Day 6 **Maldives**  
Explore your Maldives island, enjoying snorkelling or scuba diving, take a fishing trip or a sunset cruise to spot dolphins
- Day 7 **Malé, Maldives – Singapore**  
Transfer to the airport for your flight to Singapore. Upon arrival, transfer to a 4★ hotel<sup>†</sup> for your two night stay on a bed & breakfast basis
- Day 8 **Singapore**  
Explore the city at your leisure
- Day 9 **Singapore**  
Transfer to the port and embark the luxury *Celebrity Solstice*® for your 12 night voyage
- Day 11 **Ko Samui, Thailand**
- Day 12 - **Bangkok (from Laem Chabang), Thailand** (overnight)
- Day 13
- Day 15 **Ho Chi Minh City (from Phu My), Vietnam**
- Day 16 **Nha Trang, Vietnam**
- Day 17 **Hue/Danang (from Chan May), Vietnam**
- Day 18 - **Hanoi (for Halong Bay), Vietnam** (overnight)
- Day 19
- Day 21 **Hong Kong, China**  
Disembark and transfer to a 4★ hotel<sup>†</sup> for your two night stay on a bed and breakfast basis
- Day 22 **Hong Kong, China**  
Explore the city at your leisure
- Day 23 **Hong Kong, China**  
Transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to London
- Day 24 **Arrive in London**
- Days not mentioned will be spent relaxing at sea

## What's Included IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SIGNATURE EXPERIENCE



**FIVE NIGHT** stay at the *Oblu Xperience Ailafushi, Maldives*® in a Water Villa on an all-inclusive basis

**FREE TWO NIGHT** pre-cruise 4★ hotel<sup>†</sup> stay in Singapore on a bed & breakfast basis

**12 NIGHTS** luxury cruising on board *Celebrity Solstice*®, including:

- **EXCLUSIVE FREE** on board spend of up to **\$400** for Ocean View Staterooms (O2) and above\*
- **COMPLIMENTARY** All-Inclusive Classic Drinks Package worth **\$2,136** and basic Wi-Fi for Veranda Staterooms (V3) and above\*\*
- **INCLUDED** gratuities for all bookings\*\*
- Thrilling entertainment including electrifying shows in the main theatre

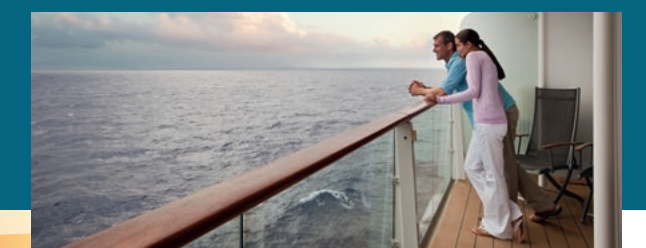
**BOOK** a Suite & enjoy all the above benefits, **PLUS** the following incredible Suite benefits:

- Premium Drinks Package worth **\$2,616**\*\*
- 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

**FREE TWO NIGHT** post-cruise 4★ hotel<sup>†</sup> stay in Hong Kong, China on a bed and breakfast basis

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

Earn **EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES**® worth up to **£303 off** your next booking\*\*



## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

Stateroom/Suite	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	Now Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	I2	£6,499	£5,299
Ocean View	O2	£7,199	£6,299
<b>BOOK A VERANDA STATEROOM OR ABOVE &amp; ENJOY ALL-INCLUSIVE CRUISING**</b>			
Veranda	V3	£8,699	£7,699
AquaClass®	A2	£9,299	£8,499
Royal Suite	RS	£16,499	£15,199

**Solo fares are available from £8,599**

Itinerary, fares & availability is based on 7<sup>th</sup> January 2026 departure.

**JUST A DEPOSIT REQUIRED TO SECURE  
YOUR PREFERRED STATEROOM/SUITE**

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# It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas

BY JANE ARCHER

Much like all addictions, ours started innocently enough. Wouldn't it be lovely, I thought, to get away over Christmas and rather than buying presents, trees and turkey, give the family a river cruise instead. Readers that was in 2012.

We're now counting down to Christmas river cruise number 11 (one every year bar the two we were banned from travelling, when we had BBQs in the garden on the 25<sup>th</sup> instead) and frankly we can't think of a better way to spend the festive season.

Whether on the oceans or rivers, a cruise is a brilliant way to take the stresses and strains out of the big day. Instead of worrying if the turkey is big enough or what to do with all those leftovers, you can relax and let the crew take care of everything.

Not just the cooking, cleaning, making beds and pouring drinks they always do, but dressing trees and hanging decorations. On the rivers they even sing a few carols the night before Christmas, while the captain sends a note to Santa so he knows where to park his sleigh when he visits (chimneys not being among the many attributes of river ships!).

Christmas river cruises are mostly on the Rhine, Main and Danube, or combine all three over Christmas and the New Year, and include port calls every day, even on the 25<sup>th</sup> (not Scenic, which sets that aside as a sailing day). There will be tours as well, or you can explore alone. Most Christmas markets close on December 23 but you can always find a café or stall doing a roaring trade in glühwein (spiced mulled wine).

Travelmarvel, which makes its Christmas cruise debut in 2025 with a one-week voyage on the Danube from Budapest to Nuremberg, has tours to Melk's famous Benedictine Abbey on the 25<sup>th</sup>, while Christmas Day in Ghent and New Year's Eve in Amsterdam await on a new festive cruise on the Dutch and Belgian waterways from Uniworld River Cruises next year.



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Ocean cruises, which conversely mostly spend Christmas Day at sea, have a wider choice of itineraries. Coming up in 2025, you can have guaranteed sun or snow, sail on British or American ships, even go wild in the Galapagos.

That last one is with HX, the expedition company, which starts its 2025 Christmas cruise with a couple of nights in Quito, Ecuador, and arrives in the islands on the 25<sup>th</sup>, where you are immediately whisked off for your first amazing encounter with wildlife that has no fear of humans.

For guaranteed snow, Fred Olsen Cruise Lines is off in search of the Northern Lights on a festive voyage to Arctic Norway from Southampton in December 2025 that is at sea for Christmas and includes an overnight in Tromsø on New Year's Eve so passengers can join the local celebrations welcoming in 2026.

If Christmas in the sun appeals, consider Ambassador Cruise Line's voyage to the Canary Islands from Tilbury. There's turkey on the big day, volcanoes, penguins and sand dunes in the islands and a late stay in Madeira on New Year's Eve to watch the famous Funchal fireworks.

Or how about a Caribbean Christmas with Princess or P&O Cruises? There'll be lots of sun, plenty of rum and beaches galore. Go with Oceania Cruises and you'll have Christmas Day in St. Maarten, the Dutch side of the island shared with the French (their half is St. Martin). Tours take you around both.

You can celebrate Christmas with a traditional luau complete with hula and fire dancing on the island of Kauai on Norwegian Cruise Line's voyage around Hawaii from Honolulu or go full festive Down Under on an epic 28-day cruise in New Zealand and Australia with Holland America Line that promises everything from kiwis and koalas to convicts.

But that's all to plan for in 2025. For now, whether you're afloat or on land this Christmas and New Year, have a very merry time.

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### LEGENDS OF THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN

**24 NIGHTS** DEPARTING 20<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2025

Embark *Spirit of Adventure* and depart  
Portsmouth - Gibraltar -  
Valletta, Malta - Limassol, Cyprus -  
Paphos, Cyprus - Antalya, Turkey - Rhodes  
Town, Rhodes, Greece - Heraklion, Crete,  
Greece - Palermo, Sicily, Italy - Tunis  
(from La Goulette), Tunisia - Cádiz, Spain -  
Arrive in Portsmouth

#### YOUR ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare (pp)	ROL Cruise Fare (pp)
Standard Twin with Balcony	USDT*	-	£5,599
Deluxe Twin with Balcony	UDLT*	-	£10,314
Suite	EE	£18,878	£13,157

Solo fares are available from **£10,563**

### CASABLANCA AND THE CANARIES

**15 NIGHTS** DEPARTING 13<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2025

Embark *Spirit of Adventure* and depart  
Portsmouth - Cádiz, Spain - Casablanca,  
Morocco - Las Palmas, Gran Canaria -  
Arrecife, Lanzarote - Santa Cruz, Tenerife -  
Santa Cruz, La Palma - Funchal, Madeira -  
Arrive in Portsmouth

#### YOUR ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare (pp)	ROL Cruise Fare (pp)
Standard Twin with Balcony	USDT*	-	£4,671
Deluxe Twin with Balcony	A	£10,069	£8,557
Suite	-	-	SOLD OUT

Solo cabins have **SOLD OUT**

### CROATIA AND GEMS OF THE MEDITERRANEAN

**21 NIGHTS** DEPARTING 22<sup>ND</sup> MAY 2025

Embark *Spirit of Discovery* and depart Dover -  
Motril, Spain - Valletta, Malta - Korcula,  
Croatia - Split, Croatia - Dubrovnik, Croatia -  
Kotor, Montenegro - Syracuse, Sicily -  
Gibraltar - Arrive in Portsmouth

#### YOUR ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Cabin	Grade	Full Fare (pp)	ROL Cruise Fare (pp)
Standard Twin with Balcony	I	£9,743	£8,280
Deluxe Twin with Balcony	B	£14,891	£12,657
Suite	EE	£18,852	£14,138

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**NATIONWIDE CHAUFFEUR SERVICE INCLUDED** (up to 75 miles private service or nationwide shared service)\*\* OR **FREE** car parking near the port

Travel insurance with up to £5m medical cover, plus additional cancellation cover\*\*

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- A choice of dining for all speciality restaurants on board
- An unlimited luggage allowance, and included portage from the port to your cabin
- All-inclusive drinks including a choice of wines, spirits, cocktails, draught beer and lager, non alcoholic cocktails, all mixers, hot drinks and soft drinks\*\*

- All balcony cabins and complimentary 24-hour room service
- **INCLUDED** Sightseeing excursions\* in selected ports of call
- **INCLUDED** gratuities plus **FREE Wi-Fi\*\***
- Fitness classes and use of the gymnasium, swimming pools and hot tubs

The currency on board is pound sterling  
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• Book By 4pm 24<sup>th</sup> December 2024 & receive a **FREE** Duo of Wine with our compliments\*

• Earn **EXCLUSIVE DOUBLE CRUISE MILES®** worth up to **£565** towards your next cruise with ROL Cruise\*



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YOUR VOYAGE  
Highlights



### STUNNING SEATTLE

A dynamic, electric city with a thriving food-and-drink scene, eclectic neighbourhoods and a stunning coastal setting, Seattle is a dynamic urban enclave. Two must see attractions are the world-famous Space Needle, a 185.5-meter-high legacy of the 1962 World's Fair and symbol of the city, the other is Pike Place Market, which locals and visitors alike flock too. Wander among the stalls teeming with artisanal cheeses, fresh-baked bread and the catch of the day. Boasting a fabulous artsy scene why not visit Seattle Art Museum in Downtown or offbeat Fremont features public murals and sculptures, topiaries trimmed to resemble dinosaurs and a troll under a bridge. Experience Seattle's long and storied music history at the Museum of Pop Culture (MoPOP). Experience the city's music scene for yourself at a range of live music venues playing every night of the week. Seattle has something for every traveller, make the most of your visit to the Emerald City.

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TO RECEIVE AN  
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#### Signature Experience

**FREE THREE NIGHT** pre-cruise  
4★ hotel stay in Seattle,  
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**28 NIGHT** full board voyage on  
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**EXCLUSIVE FREE** on board spend  
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Staterooms and above\*

**BOOK** a Verandah Stateroom (VH)  
or above & receive an **UPGRADE**  
to the 'Have It All Plus Package'\*\*  
including:

- Elite Drinks Package including  
wine, beer, cocktails, specialty  
coffee and soda\*\*

- **FREE** shore excursion  
credit worth up to **\$600**  
per couple\*

- **THREE nights** of dining in a  
Speciality Dining restaurant\*\*

**EXCLUSIVE FREE** stateroom  
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- Wi-Fi & crew gratuities\*\*

**Return flights from London**  
(regional and premium class flights  
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Earn **EXCLUSIVE CRUISE  
MILES\*** worth up to **£383**  
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with ROL Cruise!††



**32 NIGHTS** DEPARTING  
28<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025

### AUGUST 2025

Thu 28 **Fly from London to Seattle, Washington, USA**  
Upon arrival, transfer to a 4★ hotel† for your  
three night stay

Fri 29 - **Seattle, Washington, USA**

Sat 30 Explore the city at your leisure

Sun 31 **Seattle, Washington, USA**

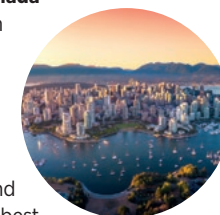
Transfer to the port and embark the 5★ *Westerdam*  
for your 28 night voyage

*Scenic cruising The Puget Sound*

### SEPTEMBER 2025

Mon 1 **Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada**

The perfect combination of urban  
meets nature, Vancouver is a hub  
for lovers of the great outdoors.  
Enjoy picturesque views of the  
mountains while exploring the  
city's local hot spots like Stanley  
Park, Granville Island, Gastown and  
more. Don't forget to sample the best  
of the local culinary and cocktail scene for something  
truly unique



Tue 2 *Scenic cruising The Inside Passage*

Wed 3 **Sitka, Alaska, USA**

Thu 4 *Scenic cruising The Hubbard Glacier*

Sat 6 **Anchorage, Alaska, USA**

This hospitable haven is one of the best places to  
see Alaska wildlife. A city moose roaming the streets  
(there are about 1,500) is a regular sight and views  
of whales, puffins, otters, and Dall porpoises going  
about their days is just a short excursion away\*\*

Sun 7 *Cruising College Fjord*

Mon 8 **Valdez, Alaska, USA**

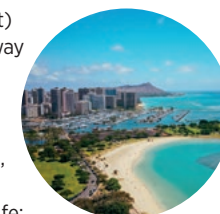
Tue 9 **Kodiak, Alaska, USA**

Thu 11 **Dutch Harbor, Alaska, USA**

Wed 17 **Nawiliwili, Kauai, Hawaii, USA**

Thu 18 - **Honolulu, Hawaii, USA** (overnight)

Fri 19 The capital of Hawaii – and gateway  
to the island chain – is a suitably  
laid-back Polynesian mash-up  
of influences and experiences.  
Discover brick Victorian buildings,  
including America's only royal  
palace; thriving Chinatown nightlife;  
sacred temple remains on distant bluffs; and the  
wartime memories of the attack on Pearl Harbor



Sat 20 **Kona, Hawaii, USA**

Sun 21 **Hilo, Hawaii, USA**

*Scenic cruising Kilauea Volcano*

Sun 28 **Seattle, Washington, USA**

Disembark and transfer to the airport for your  
overnight flight to **London**

Mon 29 **Arrive in London**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE FARES

Cabins	Grade	Full Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>	ROL Cruise Fare <sup>(pp)</sup>
Interior	N	£4,649	<b>£3,799</b>
Interior	J	£5,399	<b>£4,799</b>
<b>EXCLUSIVE FREE UPGRADE TO AN OCEAN VIEW (HH)^</b> <b>BOOK A VERANDAH (VH) OR ABOVE &amp; RECEIVE THE</b> <b>HAVE IT ALL PLUS PACKAGE**</b>			
Verandah Suite	VH	£10,899	<b>£9,799</b>
Signature Suite	SY	£14,899	<b>£13,499</b>
Neptune Suite	SA	£21,199	<b>£19,199</b>

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# Sensations of Southern France RIVER CRUISE LAUNCH PROMOTION



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### ◆ THE AWARD-WINNING FLEET

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

### ◆ STYLISH SUITES AND STATEROOMS

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

### ◆ A VIEW ESPECIALLY FOR YOU

While other operators offer a French Balcony, Emerald Cruises bring the outdoors in with their

Balcony Suites. At the touch of a button, their innovative open-air system's window drops down to let the air in and unveil full panoramic views.

### ◆ A CULINARY ADVENTURE AWAITS

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

### ◆ UNIQUE ON BOARD INNOVATIONS

Emerald Cruises don't aim to meet your expectations; they aim to surpass them. That's why their deluxe Star-Ships boast a heated pool with a retractable roof and bar, so you can wake up and take an early morning dip before the day begins. On selected evenings, the heated pool area is transformed into an oasis of entertainment. As the water disappears, a cinema screen is revealed.



\*\*A flight credit is included and may incur an additional supplement. Booking conditions of Emerald Cruises and Reader Offers Limited Agency terms of business apply. Please see the back page for full terms and conditions.

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EXCLUSIVE  
ROL CRUISE  
PROMOTION  
ENDS 4PM 24<sup>TH</sup>  
DECEMBER 2024

**7 NIGHTS DEPARTING 28<sup>th</sup> March, 4<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> April, 4<sup>th</sup> July, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> October 2026**

OTHER DATES ARE AVAILABLE, PLEASE CALL FOR DETAILS

#### Day 1 Fly from London to Lyon, France

Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark your contemporary *Emerald Cruises Star-Ship* for your seven night deluxe river cruise. This evening, enjoy a welcome reception on board

#### Day 2 Chalon-sur-Saône – Beaune, France

Chalon-sur-Saône is known for its art and history. Today, you will have the opportunity to witness the area's architectural heritage and peaceful surrounds as you travel to the quaint village of Beaune and visit the Hospices de Beaune. Originally a hospital for the poor, it is now home to one of Burgundy's most popular wine auctions

★**EmeraldPLUS**™: Cheese and olive tasting on board

★**INCLUDED EXCURSION**™: Visit to the Hospices de Beaune

#### Day 3 Lyon, France

Lyon is a former Roman capital, steeped in history and home to traditional Lyonnaise cuisine. Today, enjoy a guided city tour, including the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Basilica Notre-Dame de Fourvière, part of the inscribed historic site of Lyon. Alternatively, explore on two wheels as part of a guided bike tour of Lyon

★**EmeraldACTIVE**™: Guided bike tour of Lyon

★**INCLUDED EXCURSION**™: Guided tour of Lyon

#### Day 4 Tournon, France

The picturesque village of Tournon borders the gently meandering Rhône, dominated by a 16<sup>th</sup> century castle that overlooks the village and a number of iconic landmarks, including a set of ancient watchtowers. Your guided tour of the village will showcase its intangible cultural heritage, granting every opportunity for you to immerse yourself in your surroundings. Alternatively, embark on an EmeraldACTIVE hike through some of the local vineyards

★**EmeraldACTIVE**™: Guided hike through the vineyards

★**INCLUDED EXCURSION**™: Guided tour of Tournon

#### Day 5 Viviers, France

Arrive in Viviers, a town with much Middle Age flair and home to one of France's oldest cathedrals. Your included walking tour will showcase some of its numerous listed

monuments, along with their ornate windows and lavish façades

★**INCLUDED EXCURSION**™: Guided tour of Viviers

#### Day 6 Avignon, France

Avignon has a rich history, from Celtic beginnings to being the residence of the Pope and central to the French Revolution. Your included walking tour will take you past the ornate beauty of the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Palais des Papes, as well as Pont d'Avignon, an ancient stone bridge crossing the Rhône. Then, the afternoon is yours to explore at leisure

★**EmeraldPLUS**™: Classical concert in Avignon

★**EmeraldACTIVE**™: Canoeing excursion in Avignon

★**INCLUDED EXCURSION**™: Guided tour of Avignon

#### Day 7 Arles, France

Today, your included tour of the city will showcase some of its UNESCO World Heritage-listed Roman and Romanesque monuments. Visit the 2,000-year-old Arles Amphitheatre and follow in the footsteps of world-renowned artist, Vincent van Gogh. This evening, you'll enjoy a delightful Provençal dining experience on board, expertly prepared by Top Chef finalist, Fabien Morreale

★**INCLUDED EXCURSION**™: Guided tour of Arles with arena visit

★**EmeraldPLUS**™: Provençal dinner hosted by local chef Fabien Morreale

#### Day 8 Arles – Marseille, France

After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport in Marseille

Itinerary is based on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2026 departure and alternative dates may operate in reverse. Itinerary is subject to change.

## YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

STATEROOM/SUITE	FULL FARE (PP)	ROL CRUISE FARE (PP)
Emerald Stateroom	£2,495	<b>£2,129</b>
Panorama Balcony Suite	£3,490	<b>£2,899</b>

**Solo fares are available on request**

Fares and availability are based on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2026 departure  
Payment is required 10 months prior to departure to secure these fares

## EXPERIENCE THE DIFFERENCE

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

#### BOOK WITH THE TOP PARTNER FOR EMERALD CRUISES

**EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS OF UP TO £1,100\*  
PLUS, BOOK a Balcony or above by 4pm 24<sup>th</sup> December 2024  
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Seven nights award-winning river cruising on board your contemporary *Emerald Cruises Star-Ship* including:

- Wine, Beer & soft drinks included with lunch and dinner\*\*
- All gratuities included\*\*
- Expert-led shore excursions included\*
- Extra special included excursions\* with **EmeraldPLUS & EmeraldACTIVE**

- First-class service from English-speaking crew and knowledgeable guides

- Spacious accommodation on board Europe's most innovative river cruise fleet

- All on board meals

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

All port charges, airport taxes and transfers

Flights\*\* (regional and premium class flights may be available at a supplement\*) and overseas transfers

Earn **EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES**\* worth **£££s** towards your next cruise with ROL Cruise\*\*





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FREE WI-FI,  
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BRITISH ISLES

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING 31<sup>ST</sup> MAY 2026

MAY 2026

Sun 31 Embark the elegant 5★ *Marina* and depart Southampton for your 12 night all-inclusive voyage

JUNE 2026

Mon 1 Relaxing at sea

Tue 2 Edinburgh (from South Queensferry), Scotland

Wed 3 Scrabster, Scotland

Thu 4 Ullapool, Scotland

Fri 5 Londonderry (from Greencastle), Northern Ireland

Sat 6 Douglas, Isle of Man

Sun 7 Bangor, Wales

Mon 8 Dublin (from Dún Laoghaire), Ireland

Tue 9 Waterford, Ireland

Wed 10 Cork (from Ringaskiddy), Ireland

Thu 11 Portland, England

Fri 12 Arrive in Southampton



YOUR EXCLUSIVE  
ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Stateroom/ Suite	Grade	Brochure Fare (pp)	ROL Cruise Fare (pp)
Inside	G <sup>c</sup>	£4,909	<b>£3,989</b>
Deluxe Ocean View	C	£5,919	<b>£4,969</b>
Veranda	B4	£6,699	<b>£5,699</b>
Concierge Veranda	A4	£7,159	<b>£6,189</b>
Penthouse Suite	PH3	£8,869	<b>£7,799</b>
Vista Suite	VS	£14,599	<b>£13,389</b>

Solo fares are available from **£7,979**

VIBRANT CAPITALS

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 12<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2026

JUNE 2026

Fri 12 Embark the elegant 5★ *Marina* and depart Southampton for your 14 night all-inclusive voyage

Sat 13 Relaxing at sea

Sun 14 Copenhagen, Denmark

Mon 15 - Tue 16 Berlin (from Warnemünde), Germany (overnight)

Wed 17 Relaxing at sea

Thu 18 Tallinn, Estonia

Fri 19 - Sat 20 Stockholm, Sweden (overnight)

Sun 21 Relaxing at sea

Mon 22 - Tue 23 Fredrikstad, Norway (overnight)

Wed 24 Relaxing at sea

Thu 25 Bruges (from Zeebrugge), Belgium

Fri 26 Arrive in Southampton



YOUR EXCLUSIVE  
ROL CRUISE SALE FARES

Stateroom/ Suite	Grade	Brochure Fare (pp)	ROL Cruise Fare (pp)
Inside	G <sup>c</sup>	£4,839	<b>£3,899</b>
Deluxe Ocean View	C	£5,609	<b>£4,679</b>
Veranda	B4	£6,229	<b>£5,269</b>
Concierge Veranda	A4	£6,619	<b>£5,649</b>
Penthouse Suite	PH3	£8,479	<b>£7,439</b>
Vista Suite	VS	£14,219	<b>£12,999</b>

Solo fares are available from **£7,799**

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- **FREE** Gratuities for all bookings\*\*

- Experience 'The Finest Cuisine at Sea®' with multiple open-seating speciality dining venues at no additional charge

- **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** laundry facilities\*\*

- **FREE** Wi-Fi for all bookings\*\*

**PLUS**, book by 4pm 24<sup>th</sup> December 2024 to receive a **FREE Duo of Wine** – **EXCLUSIVELY** for readers of Blue Horizons\*

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# INDIA'S GOLDEN TRIANGLE & SACRED GANGES

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5★ OBEROI HOTEL  
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AGRA & JAIPUR

UNLIMITED  
DRINKS, WI-FI  
& GRATUITIES  
INCLUDED

EXPERT  
LED SHORE  
EXCURSIONS &  
LAND TOURS  
INCLUDED

## 14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 9<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2025 OCTOBER 2025

- Thu 9 Fly overnight from London to New Delhi, India**
- Fri 10 New Delhi, India**  
Upon arrival, transfer to the 5★ *Oberoi New Delhi*<sup>1</sup> for your two night stay
- Sat 11 New Delhi, India**  
Your guided tour provides an ideal first foray into this fascinating land (B, L)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: India's capital city with rickshaw ride to Old Delhi**
- Sun 12 New Delhi – Agra, India**  
This morning, head south to Agra, the site of Shah Jahan's best-known building project, the exquisite Taj Mahal. Widely considered one of the most beautiful monuments ever created this "elegy in marble" will not disappoint – especially when viewed at sunset. Enjoy an overnight stay at the 5★ *Oberoi Amarvilas Hotel*<sup>1</sup> (B, L)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Majesty and Grace – the Taj Mahal at sundown**
- Mon 13 Agra – Jaipur, India**  
This morning enjoy an exclusive experience and take a private golf buggy to witness the sunrise at the Taj Mahal without the usual crowds. Afterwards, journey to Jaipur for your two night stay at the 5★ *Oberoi Rajvilas Hotel*<sup>1</sup> (B, L, D)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Early morning at the Taj Mahal**
- Tue 14 Jaipur, India**  
Enjoy the visit to the "Pink City" of Jaipur's bazaar (B)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Rajasthan's princely city and Amber Fort**
- Wed 15 Jaipur – Kolkata, India**  
Transfer to the airport and fly to Kolkata. Upon arrival, embark the luxurious *Ganges Voyager II* for your seven night all-inclusive river cruise. This evening, enjoy a Welcome dinner and cultural performance (B, L, D)
- Thu 16 Kalna, India**  
After marvelling at the Rajbari temple complex, walk with your guide through the colourful local market (B, L, D)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: India's "Temple City"**
- Fri 17 Matiari, India**  
Travel to an artisan village where craftsmen use materials and techniques that have remained unchanged for centuries (B, L, D)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Matiari master craftsmen with an introduction to brass**

- Sat 18 Murshidabad – Baranagar, India**  
Today's adventures take you to both Murshidabad and Baranagar – each one boasting beautiful architectural monuments closely linked to the ruling families of the area (B, L, D)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Visit Murshidabad City, ride by buggy to Katra Mosque and visit Baranagar village**
- Sun 19 ★The Ganges★ – Khusbagh – Mayapur, India**  
Take in the remarkable scenery as you sail and be on the lookout for a rare sighting of the endangered Ganges river dolphin (B, L, D)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Khusbagh Walk**
- Mon 20 Mayapur Chandannagar, India**  
Few places of worship exist on such a head-spinning scale as what you will witness today in Mayapur. You'll also visit a former French outpost today. This evening, enjoy a farewell dinner complete with a lively cultural performance (B, L, D)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Hare Krishna complex and Temple of the Vedic Planetarium**  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: India's French colonial heritage**
- Tue 21 Kolkata, India**  
The city of Kolkata is synonymous with the legacies of Mother Teresa and the colonial era British Raj (B, L, D)  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Kolkata city tour with visit to the Flower Market, and Kumortuli visit (Potter's colony) and colonial site**  
**★Featured Excursion<sup>2</sup>: Choice of NGO's "Calcutta Rescue" visit OR Mother Teresa's home and tomb**
- Wed 22 Kolkata, India**  
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your overnight flight to **London** (B, L)
- Thu 23 Arrive in London**

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

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- Day 7

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- Day 12

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Cabin/Fare <sup>(pp)<sup>c</sup></sup>	12 <sup>th</sup> Apr 2025	14 <sup>th</sup> Jun 2025	28 <sup>th</sup> Jul 2025	3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug 2025	15 <sup>th</sup> Sep 2025	
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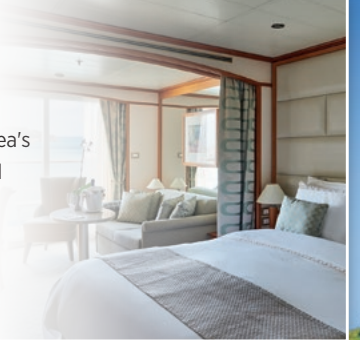
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Wed 6 **Moorea Island, French Polynesia**

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★Recommended COMPLIMENTARY Excursion\*:  
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Sat 9 **Atuona, Marquesas Island, French Polynesia**

Sun 10 **Nuku Hiva, Marquesas Island, French Polynesia**

★Recommended COMPLIMENTARY Excursion\*:  
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Sat 16 **Hilo, Hawaii, USA**

★Recommended COMPLIMENTARY Excursion\*:  
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Mon 18 **Honolulu, Hawaii, USA**

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Day 1	<b>Fly from London to Budapest, Hungary.</b> Transfer to the port and embark your <i>Scenic Space-Ship</i> for your luxurious 14 night all-inclusive river cruise	Day 9	<b>Bamberg, Germany</b> © Freechoice*: Visit Coburg and its impressive castle
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Day 3	<b>Vienna, Austria</b> © Enrich*: Visit Palais Liechtenstein and enjoy an enchanting private classical evening concert featuring the timeless music of Strauss and Mozart	Day 11	<b>Wertheim – Miltenberg, Germany</b> © Freechoice*: Enjoy a tour of Miltenberg before visiting a local farm where you will meet the friendly family, or meet a winemaker for a tasting. Alternatively, meet a Baron and Baroness and learn about aristocratic life, or visit a local Schnapps producer
Day 4	<b>Vienna, Austria</b> © Freechoice*: Delight in a guided tour of Bratislava or journey to Schönbrunn Palace. Or, enjoy a cycling tour to the Danube Island or discover the city centre of Vienna which is overflowing with history, elegance and diverse architecture. During this tour, your expert local guide will delight you with stories from the city before allowing you extended free time to explore as you wish	Day 12	<b>Rudesheim, Germany – Cruising the Rhine Gorge</b> © Freechoice*: Take the Winzerexpress mini-train to Siegfried's Mechanical Musical Instrument Museum before enjoying a cable car ride to the Niederwald Monument, or join a guided hike through the vineyards © Enrich*: Attend a lavish dinner and classical concert where live music from Beethoven and Mozart will be played in the spectacular La Redoute recital hall in Germany's former capital, Bonn
Day 5	<b>Krems – Dürnstein, Austria</b> © Freechoice*: Embark on a guided bike ride along the river to Dürnstein, one of the most enchanting villages in the region, or visit a local winemaker in the Wachau Valley and learn about the age old traditions of wine making while sampling delicious wines produced on site. Alternatively, visit the magnificent Gottweig Abbey	Day 13	<b>Cologne, Germany</b> © Freechoice*: Stroll through the city and get up close to the famous cathedral, or step inside the cathedral with your local guide
Day 6	<b>Brandstatt – Passau, Germany</b> © Freechoice*: Enjoy a guided tour of Salzburg, explore this incredible city before enjoying lunch at a local restaurant or wander Cesky Krumlov with your local guide and explore the historic centre before delighting in a delicious lunch at a local restaurant. Alternatively, stay on board and cruise to Passau to visit St. Stephens Cathedral	Day 14	<b>Amsterdam, Netherlands</b> © Freechoice*: Head off on a guided bicycle tour outside the city or taste some Dutch favourites on a walking tour. Alternatively, experience an iconic canal cruise, or visit the windmills of Alkmaar and Schermerhorn
Day 7	<b>Regensburg, Germany</b> © Freechoice*: Enjoy a walking tour of Regensburg, join an active walking tour from the ship to Thurn und Taxis Castle, or board a local ferry and sail the Danube Gorge to Weltenburg Abbey to sample beer at the oldest monastic brewery in the world	Day 15	<b>Amsterdam, Netherlands</b> After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport for your return flight to London
Day 8	<b>Nuremberg, Germany</b> © Freechoice*: Explore by foot on a guided walking tour		

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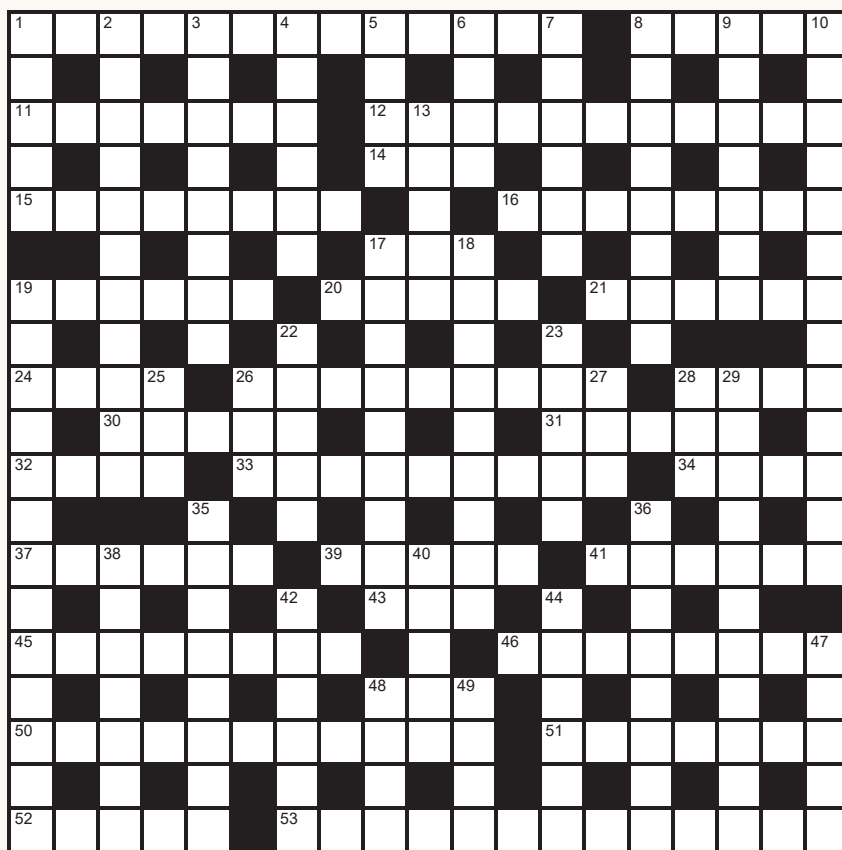
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### ACROSS

- 1 Conveyor of seasonal greetings (9,4)
- 8 '-- like a stone', (carol) (5)
- 11 Belgium's chief port (7)
- 12 Device for taking moving photographs (5,6)
- 14 Large permanently-lit stove (3)
- 15 One of the Three Wise Men (8)
- 16 Place dealing with reports of recent events (8)
- 17 Weep with convulsive gasps (3)
- 19 Small restaurant or eating-house (6)
- 20 All the plants of a region (5)
- 21 Farther Christmas's laugh (2-2-2)
- 24 First word in carol popular with children (4)
- 26 'Sing through all --', (carol) (9)
- 28 Flat wooden fruit-basket (4)
- 30 Famous Russian ballet company (5)
- 31 Soup without solid pieces (5)
- 32 Lightweight submachine-gun (4)
- 33 'Christ is born in --', (carol) (9)
- 34 Abbreviation for weapons (4)
- 37 'The Frog --', German fairy tale (6)
- 39 Person who resists authority (5)
- 41 'Let nothing you --', (carol) (6)
- 43 Cricket scoring unit (3)
- 45 Fed into computer (8)
- 46 Respected, venerated (8)
- 48 Having a cunning nature (3)
- 50 Narrow pedestrian entrance (7,4)
- 51 Study through experimentation (7)
- 52 'Let -- receive her King', (carol) (5)
- 53 'It came upon the -- --', (carol) (8,5)

### DOWN

- 1 Power of delighting or attracting (5)
- 2 American pit-viper (11)
- 3 '-s quail at the sight', (carol) (8)
- 4 Police officer in 'Noddy' books (2,4)
- 5 Third god of the Hindu triad (4)
- 6 Opera by Giuseppe Verdi (4)
- 7 Person who herds cattle (6)
- 8 Area in which one is not knowledgeable (4,4)



- 9 Vibrato, quivering effect in music (7)
- 10 'Angels from the -- -- --', (carol) (6,2,5)
- 13 Inuit ice house (5)
- 17 Killing of young boys ordered by Herod (9)
- 18 Make no profit or loss (5,4)
- 19 'O the holly -- -- --', (carol) (5,1,7)
- 22 Number of swans a-swimming (5)
- 23 North American Indian's tent (5)
- 25 -- and yang, principles in Chinese philosophy (3)
- 26 Old Testament book preceding Psalms (3)
- 27 --'s the word, complete silence is demanded (3)
- 28 Beverage drunk hot or cold (3)
- 29 -- Sunday, Armistice Day (11)
- 35 -- National Party (SNP) (8)
- 36 Dealing with ecclesiastical benefices (8)
- 38 One taking advantage of another's good nature (7)
- 40 Constructed or erected (5)
- 42 Eruption of the skin in teething babies (3,3)
- 44 Russian soup containing beetroot (6)
- 47 Dismal, gloomy or cheerless (5)
- 48 'Fear not -- he for mighty dread (carol) (4)
- 49 Abominable snowman (4)

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# THE ALL-INCLUSIVE 2025 GALÁPAGOS ISLANDS

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**HX** HURTIGRUTEN EXPEDITIONS

### 9 NIGHT EXPEDITION DEPARTING 29<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 12<sup>TH</sup> & 26<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY AND 12<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2025

#### Day 1 Fly from London to Quito, Ecuador

Upon arrival, transfer to a 4★ hotel for your two night stay, including breakfast<sup>1</sup>

#### Day 2 Quito, Ecuador

After breakfast, enjoy a guided tour of Quito's remarkable Old Town – one of the largest and best-preserved colonial-era quarters in South America. Wander through cobblestone streets as you admire the architecture. After lunch, visit the famous monument that delineates the imaginary line of the Equator

#### Day 3 Baltra Island and Mosquera Islet, Galápagos Islands

After breakfast, transfer to Quito Airport for your flight to Baltra. A transfer will take you to the port where you will embark *Santa Cruz II* for your six night expedition voyage

#### Day 4 San Cristóbal Island, Galápagos Islands

Today, visit the Cerro Colorado Tortoise Reserve, a breeding centre for the highly endangered giant tortoise. It's also home to other endemic species, including the San Cristóbal Mockingbird and lava lizard

#### Day 5 Santa Fe and South Plaza Islands, Galápagos Islands

Start the day with a scenic nature walk on the blissful beaches of Santa Fe, home to the endemic Barrington land iguana and a colony of sea lions. You can swim or snorkel, take a kayak for a paddle around the island, or join a trip in a glass bottomed boat to observe the marine life

#### Day 6 Santa Cruz Island, Galápagos Islands

Disembark at Puerto Ayora to visit the Charles Darwin Research Station. Here you can see recently hatched tortoises and Darwin's famous finches – the birds he used as a basis for his theory of evolution by natural selection. There's also an impressive forest of prickly

pear cacti that's home to many land birds. You'll have time for another activity, including mountain biking or visiting a sugar plantation

#### Day 7 Española Island, Galápagos Islands

Birdlife here is truly extraordinary – look out for Nazca Boobies, Bluefooted Boobies and Swallow-tailed Gulls. After lunch on board the ship, head to the picturesque coral beach of Gardner Bay and nearby Osborn Islet to seek out sea lions, mockingbirds and finches. If you're feeling active, you can go snorkelling or kayaking

#### Day 8 Eden Islet and North Seymour, Galápagos Islands

The wealth of wildlife watching opportunities continues at Eden Islet, where HX hope to see Galápagos green turtles, rays and friendly reef sharks. You can swim or snorkel to explore the reefs. Alternatively, see the reefs from their glass-bottomed boat or by kayak

#### Day 9 Baltra Island, Galápagos Islands

After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport for your flight to Guayaquil, then onwards for your overnight flight to London

#### Day 10 Arrive in London

Please note – weather has great influence on the itinerary and the ship's Captain will decide the final sailing schedule. Therefore, the itinerary is subject to change

### YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE SALE FARES FROM

Cabin	ROL Cruise Fare (PP)
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Darwin Suite	£7,699
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## WITNESS EVOLUTION IN ACTION

As one of the world's first operators of Galápagos expeditions, HX has been taking curious travellers on once-in-a-lifetime adventures here since 1969. With its almost mythic giant tortoises, endemic marine iguanas and over 150 species of birds, wildlife is one of the most compelling reasons to travel to the Galápagos. Here you'll observe animals and birds that are impossible to see elsewhere. Rest assured, HX keep a respectful distance from them, honouring conservation efforts and protecting the area's biodiversity.



## ON BOARD MS SANTA CRUZ II

Enjoy a relaxed atmosphere in high quality surroundings. The small size – with a guest capacity of maximum of 90 – allows for a cosy yet classy environment. This sleek, spacious ship has a layout that allows you to enjoy your sailing in all aspects. Enjoy delicious food in the restaurant and learn with fellow travellers in the Science Centre. While exploring the Galápagos, you'll have the opportunity to actively engage in activities and encounters. After a day in Darwin's footsteps, you will enjoy coming home to a casual atmosphere with the best service there is.

## WILDLIFE WATCHLIST

### THE GALÁPAGOS

#### MARINE IGUANA

The only marine lizard species in the world, these iconic iguanas are distinguishable by the white "wigs" of salt expelled from glands near their noses. They look fierce, but are actually gentle herbivores, surviving exclusively on underwater algae and seaweed. Their short snouts and razor-sharp teeth help them scrape algae off rocks.



#### GIANT TORTOISE

It was the Galápagos Giant Tortoise that gave the islands their name, and it continues to enchant nature lovers across the globe. Their leisurely existence – grazing, sunbathing and resting for 16 hours a day – belies a sad history of hunting, deforestation and near extinction. Fortunately, the Charles Darwin Foundation is working hard to protect all 12 species on the islands through research and breeding programmes.



#### BLUE-FOOTED BOOBY

Blue-footed boobies are thought to take their name from the Spanish word "bobo", meaning "stupid", the term suited these clumsy and ungraceful creatures. During mating rituals, male boobies show off their blue feet with a high-stepped strut to prospective females that they want to partner with. The bluer the feet, the more attractive the mate.



## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE ROL CRUISE ALL-INCLUSIVE SALE

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- Small ship experience – only 45 cabins on board
- Daily breakfasts, lunch and dinner\*\*
- A rich programme of daily activities including exploration and lectures on board and ashore\*
- The services of a professional English-speaking Expedition Team
- **FREE** Gratuities & Starlink Wi-Fi on board for all guests\*\*

- **COMPLIMENTARY** HX rucksack & Ocean Bottle reusable water bottle

- Professional photos of your trip from the on board photographer

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<sup>±</sup>Savings are based on a full fare of £10,586\*\* for a Darwin Suite. In keeping with HX's adventurous spirit, they visit small remote ports on their expeditions. Due to sea conditions and secluded locations they visit, it's not for full terms and conditions.

always possible to dock in port. Sometimes they have to use small expedition boats to get ashore. HX Expeditions and Reader Offers Limited Package Holiday booking conditions apply. Please see back page



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14 NIGHTS DEPARTING 29<sup>TH</sup> APRIL,  
27<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 24<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 22<sup>ND</sup> JULY &  
19<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025

Other dates are available – please call for details

- Day 1 **Fly from London to Budapest, Hungary.**  
Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark your *contemporary river ship* to begin your 14 night voyage
- Day 2 **Budapest, Hungary**  
Spend today exploring the sights of Budapest, including Castle Hill, the iconic Chain Bridge, Heroes' Square and St. Stephen's Cathedral. This evening, enjoy a Welcome Reception and Gala Dinner on board
- Day 3 **Mohács – Pécs, Hungary**  
History buffs will delight in the chance to travel to the ancient city of Pécs. Be sure to check out the copper domes of the Mosque of Pasha Qasim and 11<sup>th</sup> century Pécs Cathedral
- Day 4 **Almas, Osijek**  
Embark on a captivating tour of the dynamic city of Osijek
- Day 5 **Belgrade, Serbia**  
Enjoy a guided tour of Serbia's capital to see the Belgrade Fortress and the Serbian Orthodox Temple of St. Sava  
★ **INSIDER EXPERIENCE**★ Experience a traditional Serbian way of living as you visit a local family's village
- Day 6 **Cruising Iron Gates ★ Voyage Highlight★**  
Get ready to witness nature at its finest today as your ship cruises through the Iron Gate. This spectacular series of gorges connects Serbia and Romania, and makes for an out-of-this world cruising experience
- Day 7 **Ruse, Bulgaria**  
Join a walking tour of Ruse and admire the belle epoque architecture and manicured garden squares. Spend the afternoon at leisure
- Day 8 **Giurgiu – Bucharest, Romania**  
Join a guided tour of Bucharest and take in the wide tree-lined boulevards and belle epoque buildings. The afternoon is yours to spend at leisure
- Day 9 **Ruse – Veilko Tărnovo – Arbanasi, Bulgaria**  
With a local expert, be guided through this medieval city and uncover its rich history. See the restored Tsarevets Fortress, Citadel of the Second Bulgarian Empire. After, head to the hilltops to visit Arbanasi, a village brimming with history
- Day 10 **Vidin – Belogradchik, Bulgaria**  
Enjoy free time to explore Vidin before heading to the ancient fortress of Belgradchik, a medieval castle which dates back to the 10<sup>th</sup> century
- Day 11 **Scenic Cruising the Danube River**  
Relax on board today as you watch the postcard-perfect views pass you by
- Day 12 **Novi Sad, Serbia**  
Discover Serbia's second-largest city on a guided tour. Afterwards perhaps visit Petrovaradin Fortress and check out its catacombs
- Day 13 **Kalocsa – Puszta, Hungary**  
Get to know Hungary's oldest town, Kalocsa, set right on the Danube  
★ **INSIDER EXPERIENCE**★ Enjoy a traditional horse show featuring Magyar cowboys and fine equestrian skills
- Day 14 **Budapest, Hungary**  
Spend today exploring at your leisure
- Day 15 **Budapest, Hungary**  
After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport for your return flight to **London**
- Itinerary is based on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2025 and other dates may operate in reverse



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Middle Deck Cabin	MD	£5,495	<b>£4,199</b>
Upper Deck Cabin	UD	£5,745	<b>£4,499</b>
Owner's Suite	OS	£6,695	<b>£5,399</b>

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