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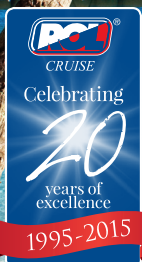
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*The Most Luxurious Ship
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The brand new Regent Seven Seas cruise ship is currently in construction and with every passing day guests are one step closer to stepping foot aboard Seven Seas Explorer®. Since her construction began back in July 2014 more details are emerging about her incredible features:

- The Culinary Arts Kitchen will provide guests with highly-individualised instruction in a welcoming environment reminiscent of the most prestigious cooking schools in France.
- In the Meridian Lounge guests will discover a new elegant entertainment venue, ideal for enjoying a drink while peering out the

floor-to-ceiling windows, soaking in the breathtaking views over the horizon.

- Chartreuse will be the new tantalising gourmet French speciality restaurant along with the sophisticated American steakhouse, Prime 7, and the Pan-Asian restaurant, celebrating the culinary traditions of Asia.
- The state-of-the-art Canyon Ranch SpaClub® will rival the finest land-based spas. Inspired by the Seven Seas of the modern world, a selection of ultra-luxurious treatments will be debuted, available exclusively aboard Seven Seas Explorer®.

Please see pages 46-47 for your chance to sail on The Most Luxurious Ship Ever Built™ during her maiden season.

ROL NEWS

**The 20th Anniversary
Cruise Show 2015**

In celebration of our 20th anniversary we are delighted to announce this year's Cruise Show will take place on Wednesday 12th and Thursday 13th August 2015 at The Weston Homes Community Stadium, Colchester.

This is a great opportunity to talk to a wide variety of our cruise line partners, receive personal service from our experienced cruise consultants and take advantage of exclusive Cruise Show offers.

For full details please see page 16.

**Our brand new
Cruise Miles blog
is now live**

We are excited to announce that our new blog website is now live, featuring our latest promotions, cruise news and reviews. Whether you're looking for that must-have deal, or simply want to find out more about your chosen ship or cruise line, our expertise will keep you up-to-date and provide you with all you need.

Visit www.cruisemiles.blogspot.co.uk to find out more.

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

Book any cruise featured in this issue of Blue Horizons before 31st July 2015 and you'll receive a free Summer Wine Collection.



Please see page 51 for full details.



Hello and welcome to the August edition of Blue Horizons.

With the summer months now well in full swing many people are looking forward to their summer holidays, but why stop there? This month we have an incredible choice of voyages you'll want to take all year round.

We are delighted to present a selection of world cruise promotions featuring exclusive benefits only available with Reader Offers Ltd. All of these magnificent world cruises depart

from the UK so you can discover more than you ever dreamed of without stepping foot on a plane. No matter what your tastes we have a cruise line to suit you, from the traditional British cruising of Fred. Olsen (pages 4-5) and Cruise & Maritime (page 13), to the style and comfort of P&O Cruises (pages 30-31) and the famous White Star service of Cunard (pages 32-33).

If you can't commit to a full world cruise then we also have a selection of shorter world cruise sectors, so you can still explore plenty of exotic shores. Please see pages 14-15 for our tailor-made packages including exclusive hotel stays and free shore excursions.

This month we are excited to present the brand new promotions from Royal Caribbean and Celebrity Cruises. On pages 18-19 you'll find a great range of Royal Caribbean cruises featuring the choice of free car parking, coach transfers or regional flights from select UK airports. And on pages 24-25 the brand new Celebrity Cruises promotion includes free on board spend, free drinks and free internet so book now to receive these superb added benefits.

As a Blue Horizons reader we want to ensure you don't miss out on our best deals so on pages 9-11 you'll find our best-selling voyages from the Cruise & Maritime Buy One Get One Free 2016/17 launch promotion, but hurry as cabins are selling fast.

Our tailor-made packages are created exclusively for you and in this issue you'll find a huge choice of brand new voyages. In fact there are so many I can't mention them all, so make sure you browse through this edition to find your dream destination. Explore Mexico & Alaska featuring the Panama Canal (pages 38-39), relax on the sparkling shores of the South Pacific (pages 36-37) or discover the magical Far East featuring the Eastern & Oriental Express (pages 44-45).

You'll also find our brand new package featuring the maiden season of Seven Seas Explorer on pages 46-47. As with all Regent Seven Seas Cruises you'll enjoy free drinks, gratuities, shore excursions and more, plus you'll also experience the golden age of travel with a journey on board the beautiful Venice Simplon-Orient-Express.

If you can't find what you're looking for in this issue then please do not hesitate to contact one of our friendly Cruise Specialists who will be delighted to help.

Happy Cruising!

Jeremy Dickinson
CEO, Reader Offers Ltd

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JANUARY 2017

- Mon 2 Start your holiday in style with a **FREE** pre-cruise hotel stay and car parking package provided by Reader Offers Ltd#
- Tue 3 Transfer from the hotel to the port, embark **Black Watch** and depart Southampton
- Sat 7 Funchal, Madeira
- Sat 14 Bridgetown, Barbados
- Mon 16 Kralendijk, Bonaire
- Tue 17 Oranjestad, Aruba
- Thu 19 **TRANSIT THE PANAMA CANAL**
- Sat 21 Manta, Ecuador
- Tue 24 - Wed 25 Callao, Peru (overnight stay on board)
- Thu 26 General San Martin (Pisco), Peru
- Tue 31 **CRUISING ISLA SALAS Y GÓMEZ, CHILE**

FEBRUARY 2017

- Wed 1 Hanga Roa, Easter Island, Chile
- Tue 7 Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia
- Wed 8 Bora Bora, French Polynesia
Bora Bora lies 150 miles northwest of Tahiti in the Society Islands, in the centre of a world-famous multi-coloured lagoon, surrounded by offshore 'Motu' islets inside a protective coral necklace
- Fri 10 Rarotonga, Cook Islands

Sun 12 **CROSSING THE INTERNATIONAL DATE LINE**

- Thu 16 - Fri 17 Auckland, New Zealand (overnight stay on board)
- Sat 18 Tauranga, New Zealand
- Mon 20 Wellington, New Zealand
- Wed 22 **CRUISING MILFORD SOUND
CRUISING DOUBTFUL SOUND
CRUISING DUSKY SOUND**
- Sat 25 Eden, Australia
- Sun 26 - Mon 27 Sydney, Australia (overnight stay on board)
Why not visit Taronga Zoo, perhaps the most famous in all of Australia, enjoy the sights of the city 250m high atop the Sydney Tower, relax on beautiful Bondi beach, or get away from the crowds with a walk around the Blue Mountains

MARCH 2017

- Wed 1 Brisbane, Australia
- Thu 2 - Fri 3 **CRUISING GREAT BARRIER REEF**
- Sat 4 Hamilton Island, Australia
- Sun 5 Townsville, Australia
- Mon 6 Cairns, Australia
- Fri 10 Darwin, Australia
- Mon 13 Komodo Island, Indonesia
- Tue 14 - Wed 15 Benoa, Bali, Indonesia (overnight stay on board)



Maldives

Cruise Highlights

Panama Canal: Black Watch will take you on a very scenic transit of the Panama Canal, or the 'Big Ditch' as it's known, although anyone who has enjoyed a cruise through this passage will argue that it deserves a name far more spectacular! During this transit, the Canal lifts Black Watch through three great locks - 'Gatun', 'Pedro Miguel' and 'Miraflores'

Easter Island: Enjoy a fantastic chance to witness the mysterious Moai statues on Easter Island and discover the myths surrounding these iconic ancient monuments

French Polynesia: Paradise hunters will take pleasure in Black Watch visiting no fewer than three breathtakingly beautiful islands of French Polynesia. These include Papeete (Tahiti), Rarotonga and Bora Bora

Komodo Island: Black Watch visits Komodo Island, home to the Komodo Dragons, the only place to see the world's largest lizard in its natural habitat. This is sure to be an unmissable opportunity

Maldives: This incredible world cruise is packed with highly sought-after destinations, including the beautiful paradise islands of the Maldives - a unique dream destination rarely visited by cruise ship

- Sat 18 - Singapore** (two night stay on board)
- Mon 20** Singapore is the ultimate Asian metropolis with an exciting mix of old and new, from futuristic skyscrapers to traditional architecture. Discover the fusion of Indian, Malay and Chinese cuisine, enjoy 24-hour shopping in the mega malls or try the famous Singapore Sling
- Tue 21 Port Klang (for Kuala Lumpur), Malaysia**
- Thu 23 Phuket, Thailand**
- Sun 26 Hambantota, Sri Lanka**
- Mon 27 Colombo, Sri Lanka**
- Wed 29 Uligamu, Maldives** (overnight stay on board - depart early am)
- Thu 30 Utheemu, Maldives**

APRIL 2017

- Mon 3 Salalah, Oman**
- Sat 8 Safaga, Egypt**
- Sun 9 Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt**
- Mon 10 TRANSIT THE SUEZ CANAL**
- Tue 11 Alexandria, Egypt**
- Fri 14 Valletta, Malta**
Renowned for its architectural wonders, marvel at the Maltese capital, which has been granted a UNESCO World Heritage status. Relax with a drink by the impressive Grand Harbour or saunter the narrow streets for a taste of everyday life
- Mon 17 Málaga, Spain**
- Fri 21 Arrive Southampton**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

What's Included

IN YOUR EXCLUSIVE READER OFFERS LTD PACKAGE

FREE hotel and car parking package for all bookings#

FREE on board spend of up to £2,500*

A truly British cruise experience
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All meals throughout your cruise from five course à la carte dining to casual buffets and late night snacks

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On board leisure facilities including spacious gyms, heated swimming pools and jacuzzis

Every night a different show - from comedians, to musicians, to the ships own show company

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24-hour room service with light snacks available at certain times throughout the day

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| Balcony Cabin | BC | £16,699 |
| Balcony Suite | BS | £19,999 |
| Superior Suite | SS | £23,129 |
| Marquee Suite | MS | £26,599 |
| Premier Suite | PS | £30,899 |
| | | |
| Single Inside | M | £16,599 |
| Single Outside | L | £20,299 |

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Bali, Indonesia

Please note this cruise crosses the International Date Line therefore a day may be lost or gained. Please note ship image featured in Sydney depicts Balmoral not Black Watch. Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines booking conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

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11 NIGHTS DEPARTING 8TH AUGUST 2016

AUGUST 2016

Mon 8 Embark Braemar and depart Southampton

Tue 9 Falmouth, Cornwall
This beautiful seaside town offers the chance to wander through the world's largest indoor rainforest at the nearby Eden Project and get closer to nature on a trip to the Lost Gardens of Heligan[^]

Wed 10 Cardiff, Wales
Explore Cardiff's abundance of sights and attractions including the impressive Wales Millennium Centre - one of the world's most iconic arts and culture venues

Thu 11 Relaxing at sea

Fri 12 Barrow-in-Furness (for the Lake District)
Situated south of the Lake District and bordered by Morecambe Bay, the Duddon Estuary and the Irish Sea, Barrow-in-Furness is one of Britain's most picturesque towns

Sat 13 Liverpool, England
Spend a day in the lively city of Liverpool, the former European Capital of Culture and home of The Beatles - arguably the world's most famous rock 'n' roll band

Sun 14 Relaxing at sea

Mon 15 Lerwick, Shetland Islands, Scotland
During your time in the capital of the Shetland Islands don't miss your chance to sample 'Britain's best fish and chips'

Tue 16 - Rosyth (for Edinburgh), Scotland
Wed 17 (overnight stay on board)
During your time in Edinburgh you'll have the opportunity to enjoy an experience like no other, the Edinburgh Tattoo - a fantastic celebration of music, theatre and dance - all performed to the backdrop of Edinburgh Castle^x

Thu 18 Relaxing at sea

Fri 19 Arrive Southampton

**YOUR FANTASTIC
READER OFFERS LTD PRICES**

| CABIN | GRADE | READER OFFERS LTD PRICE (PP) |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------|
| Inside Twin | I | £1,299 |
| Inside Twin | G | £1,459 |
| <i>Free upgrade to an Outside Twin Cabin (F)[^]</i> | | |
| Outside Twin | D | £1,659 |
| Balcony Cabin | BC | £2,549 |
| <i>Free upgrade to a Superior Balcony Cabin (BA)[^]</i> | | |
| Deluxe Balcony Cabin | DC | £2,699 |
| Balcony Suite | BS | £2,899 |
| Superior Suite | SS | £3,299 |
| | | |
| Single Inside | N | £2,199 |

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**What's Included
In Your Fantastic
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FREE Door-to-Door transport^{**}
FREE up to £150 on board spend for Deluxe Balcony Cabins and above[^]
FREE cabin upgrades[^]

A truly British cruise experience - Sterling on board and all English speaking crew

All meals throughout your cruise from five course à la carte dining to casual buffets and late night snacks

FREE tea and coffee on board (at selected venues)

On board leisure facilities including spacious gyms, heated swimming pools and jacuzzis

Every night a different show - from comedians, to musicians, to the ship's own show company

Captain's drinks party and Gala Buffet

24-hour room service with light snacks available at certain times throughout the day

All current port supplements and taxes

EXCLUSIVE CRUISE MILES

Earn up to **6,598** when booking this fantastic voyage^{**}



^{**}Free Door-to-Door transport offer is applicable for departures within up to 90 mainland miles of your home booked by 8pm 31st August 2015, any additional mileage must be paid to the transport provider at the time of booking. You may be required to share the transport for all or part of the journey. Passengers may elect to use the Door-to-Door service the day before departure but will then be responsible for finding their own way to the port, at their own expense, on the day of departure. Once your transport arrangement has been confirmed; if you fail to take this arrangement and not cancel with the transport provider, then you will be liable for the cost. Your on board account will automatically be charged and your return journey cancelled. [^]Excursions mentioned will be at an additional cost. Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines booking conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

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ON BOARD SPEND*

21 NIGHTS DEPARTING 21ST NOVEMBER 2015

NOVEMBER 2015

Sat 21 Embark Balmoral and depart Southampton

Sun 22 - Tue 24 Relaxing at sea

Wed 25 Praia da Vitória, Terceira, Azores

Thu 26 Ponta Delgada, São Miguel, Azores
The capital of São Miguel offers so much to do and see. The ancient volcanic crater, spectacular Fire Lake and hot springs of Fumas Valley are all worth discovering

Fri 27 - Sun 29 Relaxing at sea

Mon 30 Mindelo, Cape Verde

Set around a crescent-shaped port and surrounded by barren mountains, Mindelo is Cape Verde's answer to the Riviera. Complete with cobblestone streets, pastel-coloured colonial buildings and yachts bobbing in the peaceful harbour, you'll find Mindelo a pleasure to explore

DECEMBER 2015

Tue 1 Fogo, Cape Verde

Wed 2 Praia, Cape Verde

Thu 3 - Fri 4 Relaxing at sea

Sat 5 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria

The perfect Spanish getaway all year round, Gran Canaria offers beautifully diverse landscapes including the sand dunes at Maspalomas and gorgeous beaches to simply relax and enjoy the enviable climate

Sun 6 Santa Cruz, Tenerife

Mon 7 - Tue 8 Funchal, Madeira (overnight stay on board)

The city can easily be explored by foot, a perfect way to discover the historic architecture and beautiful scenery.

Explore the fragrant botanical gardens, enjoy the stunning views from the Monte cable car or sample Madeira wine during your time in picture-perfect Funchal

Wed 9 - Fri 11 Relaxing at sea

Sat 12 Arrive Southampton



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| CABIN | GRADE | FRED. OLSEN CRUISE LINES BROCHURE PRICE (PP) [±] | READER OFFERS LTD PRICE (PP) |
|---------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Inside Twin | I | £1,799 | £1,299 |
| Superior Inside Twin | G | £2,039 | £1,469 |
| Outside Twin | F | £2,149 | £1,549 |
| Superior Outside Twin | C | £2,499 | £1,799 |
| Superior Balcony Cabin | BA | £3,299 | £2,379 |
| Superior Suite | SS | £3,899 | £2,799 |
| Premier Suite | PS | | £4,499 |
| Single Inside | N | £2,999 | £2,159 |

What's Included

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SAVE up to an incredible £2,200[±]

Exclusive Reader Offers Ltd Bonus -
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Full board accommodation
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All meals and late night snacks
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enrichment programmes

Daily on board activities and evening
entertainment including cabarets, dance
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NOVEMBER 2015

- Sat 7 Embark Magellan and depart London Tilbury
- Sun 8 Amsterdam, Netherlands
- Fri 13 Ponta Delgada, Azores
Cosmopolitan Ponta Delgada combines the traditional with the modern. Intermingled are parks, narrow cobbled streets and a marina, with a variety of restaurants and waterside cafés
- Fri 20 St. John's, Antigua
- Sat 21 Gustavia, St. Barts (am)
Philipsburg, St. Maarten (pm)
- Sun 22 Basseterre, St. Kitts
Discover an unspoilt paradise and Caribbean charm in St. Kitts with rolling sugar cane fields, secluded bays and great historic architecture offering a glimpse of a bygone era
- Mon 23 Castries, St. Lucia
- Tue 24 Kingstown, St. Vincent (am)
Bequia, Grenadines (pm)
- Wed 25 Mayreau, Grenadines
Mayreau is a true slice of the untouched Caribbean with picture-postcard beaches, crystal clear seas, beautiful coral gardens, scenic views and quaint villages. Enjoy your time soaking up the Caribbean charm of this stunning island paradise
- Thu 26 St. George's, Grenada
- Fri 27 Bridgetown, Barbados

DECEMBER 2015

- Fri 4 Funchal, Madeira
- Sun 6 Lisbon, Portugal
Stroll along elaborate mosaic paved streets and pass by the Monument to the Discoveries. A quick trolley ride transports you to the cobblestone district of Baixa
- Thu 10 Arrive London Tilbury
Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR RED HOT READER OFFERS LTD PRICES

| CABIN | GRADE | WAS PRICE (PP) [±] | RED HOT PRICE (PP) |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| Voyager Inside | IG ^c | £4,059 | £1,699 |
| Voyager Ocean View | OG ^c | £5,619 | £1,999 |
| Superior Ocean View Twin | 9 | £6,969 | £2,999 |
| Premium Ocean View Twin | 12 | £8,139 | £3,599 |
| Junior Suite | JS | £13,069 | £5,999 |
| De Luxe Suite | DS | £14,519 | £6,599 |
| Single cabins from £2,999 | | | |



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12 NIGHTS DEPARTING
31ST MAY & 3RD AUGUST 2016

15 NIGHTS DEPARTING
28TH MARCH 2016

| Day | Destination | Day | Destination |
|-----|-------------------------------------------|-----|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Embark Magellan and depart London Tilbury | 8 | Belfast, Northern Ireland |
| 2 | Relaxing at sea | 9 | Cobh (for Cork), Ireland |
| 3 | Invergordon, Scotland | 10 | St. Mary's, Isles of Scilly |
| 4 | Kirkwall, Orkney Islands | 11 | St. Malo, France |
| 5 | Stornoway, Outer Hebrides | 12 | Honfleur, France |
| 6 | Tobermory, Isle of Mull | 13 | Arrive London Tilbury |
| 7 | Dublin, Ireland | | |

Itinerary is based on 31st May 2016 departure and ports of call may vary on other date

| MARCH 2016 | | APRIL 2016 | |
|------------|---------------------------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Mon 28 | Embark Astoria and depart Bristol Avonmouth | Mon 4 | Horta, Azores |
| Tue 29 - | Relaxing at sea | Tue 5 | Ponta Delgada, Azores |
| Wed 30 | Relaxing at sea | Wed 6 | Relaxing at sea |
| Thu 31 | Leixões (for Porto), Portugal | Thu 7 | Funchal, Madeira |
| Fri 1 | Lisbon, Portugal | Fri 8 - | Relaxing at sea |
| Sat 2 - | Relaxing at sea | Sat 9 | |
| Sun 3 | | Sun 10 | La Coruña (for Santiago de Compostela), Spain |
| | | Mon 11 | Relaxing at sea |
| | | Tue 12 | Arrive Bristol Avonmouth |

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| CABIN | GRADE | 1 ST PASSENGER PRICE | 2 ND PASSENGER PRICE |
|--------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Standard Inside Twin | 1 | £1,749 | FREE |
| Premium Inside Twin | 4 | £2,299 | FREE |
| Standard Ocean View Twin | 6 | £2,419 | FREE |
| Superior Ocean View Twin | 9 | £2,899 | FREE |
| Premium Ocean View Twin | 12 | £3,379 | FREE |
| De Luxe Suite | DS | — SOLD OUT — | |
| Royal Suite | RS | — SOLD OUT — | |

Single cabins from **£1,359**

| CABIN | GRADE | 1 ST PASSENGER PRICE | 2 ND PASSENGER PRICE |
|--------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Standard Inside Twin | 1 | £1,959 | FREE |
| Premium Inside Twin | 4 | £2,569 | FREE |
| Standard Ocean View Twin | 6 | £2,699 | FREE |
| Superior Ocean View Twin | 9 | £3,239 | FREE |
| Premium Ocean View Twin | 12 | £3,779 | FREE |
| Junior Suite | JS | £4,999 | FREE |
| De Luxe Junior Suite | DJS | £6,079 | FREE |

Single cabins from **£2,029**

Prices and availability based on 31st May 2016 departure

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*Price per person per night is based on two adults sharing an IG cabin on 7th November 2015 departure. Gratuities of £5pp per night (£4pp per night for 7th November 2015 departure) will be added to your on board account. South Quay Travel & Leisure Ltd t/a Cruise & Maritime Voyages booking conditions apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

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VOYAGE

FREE
UP TO £100
ON BOARD SPEND*

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39 NIGHTS DEPARTING 5TH JANUARY 2017

JANUARY 2017

Thu 5 Embark Marco Polo and depart Bristol Avonmouth

Fri 6 - Relaxing at sea
Sat 7

Sun 8 Lisbon, Portugal
Explore Portugal's capital city with a delightful mix of palaces, churches, Art Nouveau cafés, gardens and ancient castles

Mon 9 Relaxing at sea

Tue 10 Funchal, Madeira

Wed 11 - Relaxing at sea
Thu 12

Fri 13 Mindelo, Cape Verde
From the serene harbour to the dainty cobblestone streets, the multi-coloured colonial architecture to the array of mountainous peaks, Mindelo is an idyllic retreat

Sat 14 - Relaxing at sea
Wed 18

Thu 19 Santarém, Brazil

Fri 20 Boca da Valeria, Brazil

Sat 21 - Manaus, Brazil (overnight stay on board)
Sun 22 Manaus is a sight to behold, namely for its 'Wedding of the Waters' - a confluence between the dark Rio Negro and the sandy-coloured Amazon, creating two distinct bands of coloured water which never mix

Mon 23 Parintins, Brazil

Tue 24 Alter do Chaó, Brazil (depart early afternoon)
Alter do Chaó boasts 'The Island of Love', turquoise waters, a famous beach, indigenous art stores and a huge lagoon you can explore by canoe

Wed 25 *CRUISING AMAZON RIVER*

Thu 26 Icoaraci (for Belém), Brazil

Fri 27 Relaxing at sea

Sat 28 Îles du Salut, French Guiana

Sun 29 Relaxing at sea

Mon 30 St. George's, Grenada

Visit St. George's - the 'Spice Island' capital of Grenada with its lush tropical rainforest, spectacular mountainous scenery and plantations of cocoa and banana just waiting to be explored



THE AMAZON

The lush vegetation, beautiful flora and of course, the world-famous river make up a majority of this wondrous land, but then there's the wildlife. Teeming with thousands of endemic species of birds, amphibians, fish, mammals and reptiles, the giddy array of colours and their inquisitive nature is simply awe-inspiring



BARBADOS

Barbados offers a holiday paradise for all: beautiful beaches, inviting clear seas and rolling sugar cane fields, not to mention the duty-free shopping. You'll find something to suit all desires



SANTAREM, BRAZIL

One of the most astonishing sights in Santarém is not in the town itself but in the river. It's on the banks of the Tapajós, where it joins the Amazon: the two rivers flow side-by-side without mixing, creating two distinct bands of different-coloured water



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Tue 31 Kingstown, St. Vincent (am)
Bequia, Grenadines (pm)

FEBRUARY 2017

Wed 1 Castries, St. Lucia

This pretty island is lush, green and mountainous with golden beaches, emerald blue seas and dominated by the twin peaks of the Pitons. Castries Market is a great place to buy local products such as textiles and carved mahogany from the people who make them

Thu 2 Bridgetown, Barbados

Fri 3 - Relaxing at sea
Tue 7

Wed 8 Horta, Azores

Thu 9 Ponta Delgada, Azores

Fri 10 - Relaxing at sea
Sun 12

Mon 13 Arrive Bristol Avonmouth

Automatic gratuities of £4 per person per night will be added to your on board account. Yellow fever vaccination is recommended for passengers travelling on this voyage. Booking conditions of South Quay Travel & Leisure Ltd t/a Cruise & Maritime Voyages apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.

TOP 5

CRUISE PORTS

LAND AHOY! IMAGINE THE WORLD OF EXCITEMENT AND POSSIBILITY THAT AWAITS YOU AS YOU ARRIVE AT A NEW DESTINATION. THIS MONTH'S **TOP 5** FEATURES SOME OF THE FINEST SPOTS TO DOCK AT, SO TAKE NOTE OF THE PLACES YOU WANT TO WAKE UP TO ON YOUR NEXT CRUISE.

This landmark harbour of architecture and natural beauty is one of the most popular in the world, which is why the 'gateway to Australia' has undergone extensive upgrades. Benefitting from two dedicated terminals, White Bay and Circular Quay are accommodating, efficient and a boomerang's throw from the city. Shop, eat and stroll your way through streets and Botanical Gardens, making your way to the crowning glory: the Sydney Opera House.



1 SYDNEY HARBOUR, AUSTRALIA

2 BORA BORA PORT, TAHITI



Dramatic scenery greets you as you cruise towards Bora Bora: Mount Otemanu, a green volcanic peak, protrudes from Bora's landmark ring of islets and coral reefs. As you cruise through Passe Teavanui, expect to anchor near Vaitape (pronounced Vee-tap). This little city serves half the island's population with banks and supermarkets alongside shack-shops of mouth-watering wares. Depending on how long you tender, you can visit the nearby Lagoonarium (underwater zoo) swim in the lagoon or enjoy an island jeep ride. Avoid the crowded buses and opt for a taxi to savour this enchanting Neverland.

For a city that straddles 2,000 years and two continents, it's little wonder Istanbul port is as bustling as its Grand Bazaar. Passengers docking in Karaköy couldn't have wished for a more prime position: mingling East and West, secular and sacred, this magnificent gateway to antiquity comes packed with mosques, museums and mosaics. If time allows, discover Byzantine brilliance in Topkapi Palace and The Great Palace Mosaic Museum, but for those who can't roam far, there's the Museum of Modern Art nearby, plus cafes outside the port from which you can sip at the spectacle of mosques.



3 PORT OF ISTANBUL, TURKEY

4 PORT OF CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA



Another giant of natural architecture is Table Mountain, a breath-taking backdrop to 'The Fairest Cape'. The Victoria and Alfred Waterfront – South Africa's oldest working harbour – is especially enchanting for its Gothic-Victorian buildings like the Clock Tower. Unexpected pleasures include seal-watching, the Dragon Tree and Wheel of Excellence. The port is open 24 hours (check out daily ferry trips to Robben Island) and there's plenty of modern entertainment like cinemas, shops and an aquarium, but with sweeping views of the Atlantic, you'll want to sit back for the sun-set.

The snow-capped city of Juneau is a gold-mine of culture and wildlife set against glacial scenery, making this a popular cruise port with visitors. Sightseeing is a must - Mendenhall glacier is just 12 miles from town, and buses to the national park are cheap at under a dollar. High-spirited adventurers can hike up Nugget Falls or raft down Mendenhall River, while gold lovers will feel the rush in Alaska's shops. A tramway from the port will whisk you to Mount Roberts for exceptional views, but you'll want to pack a rain mac, however, as Juneau is enwreathed by a rainforest, lush from 220 days of rain per year.



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JANUARY 2017

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- Fri 6 Amsterdam, Netherlands
- Wed 11 Ponta Delgada, Azores
- Wed 18 Bridgetown, Barbados
- Fri 20 Willemstad, Curaçao
- Sat 21 Oranjestad, Aruba
- Mon 23 **TRANSIT THE PANAMA CANAL**
- Fri 27 Acapulco, Mexico

FEBRUARY 2017

- Sun 5 Nuku Hiva, Marquesas Islands, French Polynesia
- Wed 8 Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia
- Thu 9 Bora Bora, French Polynesia
- Sat 11 Rarotonga, Cook Islands
- Thu 16 Auckland, New Zealand
- Sat 18 Wellington, New Zealand
- Thu 23 - Sydney, Australia
- Fri 24 (overnight stay on board)
- Mon 27 Hamilton Island, Australia
- Tue 28 Townsville, Australia

MARCH 2017

- Wed 1 - Cairns (for Great Barrier Reef), Australia
- Thu 2 (overnight stay on board)
- Mon 6 Darwin, Australia
- Thu 9 Komodo, Indonesia
- Fri 10 Benoa, Bali, Indonesia
- Sun 12 Semarang, Java, Indonesia
- Mon 13 Jakarta, Java, Indonesia
- Thu 16 Muara (for Bandar Seri Begawan), Brunei
- Fri 17 Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia

- Sun 19 Manila, Philippines
- Tue 21 - Hong Kong, China
- Wed 22 (overnight stay on board)
- Fri 24 Halong Bay (for Hanoi), Vietnam
- Sun 26 Ch�n M̃y (for Da Nang), Vietnam
- Tue 28 - Phu My (for Ho Chi Minh City), Vietnam
- Wed 29 (overnight stay on board)
- Fri 31 Singapore (overnight stay on board)

APRIL 2017

- Sat 1 Singapore
- Sun 2 Port Kelang (for Kuala Lumpur), Malaysia
- Mon 3 Penang, Malaysia
- Tue 4 Phuket, Thailand
- Sat 8 Chennai, India
- Mon 10 Colombo, Sri Lanka
- Wed 12 Malé, Maldives
- Sun 16 Salalah, Oman
- Fri 21 Safaga (for Luxor), Egypt
- Sat 22 Aqaba (for Petra), Jordan
- Sun 23 **TRANSIT THE SUEZ CANAL**
- Mon 24 Ashdod (for Jerusalem), Israel
- Wed 26 Piraeus (for Athens), Greece
- Fri 28 Valletta, Malta

MAY 2017

- Mon 1 Gibraltar
- Tue 2 Lisbon, Portugal
- Fri 5 Arrive London Tilbury

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JANUARY 2017

- Thu 5** Embark Magellan and depart London Tilbury
- Fri 6** Amsterdam, Netherlands
- Wed 11** Ponta Delgada, Azores
- Wed 18** Bridgetown, Barbados
Perhaps no port typifies our idea of the classic West Indian island better than Barbados. Glorious golden beaches and towering palms with names like Paradise Beach and Silver Sands
- Fri 20** Willemstad, Curaçao (depart late night)
- Sat 21** Oranjestad, Aruba
- Mon 23** **TRANSIT THE PANAMA CANAL**
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- Fri 27** Acapulco, Mexico
Once the playground for the rich and famous, and dubbed the 'Pearl of the Pacific' in its heyday, Acapulco remains gorgeous

FEBRUARY 2017

- Sun 5** Nuku Hiva, Marquesas Islands, French Polynesia
- Wed 8** Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia
A modern and bustling town, Papeete is the capital of Tahiti (often called the 'Island of Love'), and largest of the French Polynesian islands
- Thu 9** Bora Bora, French Polynesia
- Sat 11** Rarotonga, Cook Islands
- Thu 16** Auckland, New Zealand
Disembark and transfer to a 4★ hotel[‡] for your two night stay

- Fri 17** **Auckland, New Zealand**
Explore Auckland at your leisure and enjoy your FREE Auckland Sky Tower admission*. Enjoy breathtaking views of beautiful Auckland as you ascend the Sky Tower. Standing at 238m, it's the tallest building in the Southern Hemisphere and from the viewing platform, you'll witness amazing 360 degree panoramas of the city, the Hauraki Gulf and beyond

- Sat 18** **Auckland, New Zealand**
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- Sun 19** **Arrive London**
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Bora Bora, French Polynesia



Hong Kong Harbour, China

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FEBRUARY 2017

- Sun 19** Fly from London to Sydney, Australia (regional and premium class flights available on request*)
- Mon 20** Sydney, Australia
Upon arrival in Sydney, transfer to a 4★ hotel† for your three night stay
- Tue 21 -** Sydney, Australia
Wed 22 Explore Sydney at your leisure and enjoy your FREE Blue Mountains tour*
- Thu 23** Sydney, Australia
Transfer to the port and embark Magellan for your 27 night voyage
- Mon 27** Hamilton Island, Australia
- Tue 28** Townsville, Australia

MARCH 2017

- Wed 1 -** Cairns (for the Great Barrier Reef), Australia (overnight stay on board)
Thu 2 Cairns lies on Trinity Bay in far north Queensland. The city's historic museum reveals the traditions of the ancient Aboriginal tribes. The meticulously maintained Boardwalk, Esplanade and Lagoon are well loved, while the Great Barrier Reef is never far away
- Mon 6** Darwin, Australia
- Thu 9** Komodo Island, Indonesia
- Fri 10** Benoa, Bali, Indonesia (depart late night)
- Sun 12** Semarang, Java, Indonesia
- Mon 13** Jakarta, Java, Indonesia
- Thu 16** Muara (for Bandar Seri Begawan), Brunei
- Fri 17** Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia
- Sun 19** Manila, The Philippines
- Tue 21** Hong Kong, China (overnight stay on board)
The city boasts a vibrant cultural scene influenced by its Chinese roots and colonial connections. Take the tram up to Victoria Peak where you'll get a spectacular 360 degree view of the island

- Wed 22** Hong Kong, China
Disembark and transfer to a 4★ hotel† for your two night stay
- Thu 23** Hong Kong, China
Explore Hong Kong at your leisure and enjoy your FREE Hong Kong island tour*
- Fri 24** Hong Kong, China
Transfer to the airport for your return flight to London (regional and premium class flights available on request*)

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| Standard Inside | 1 | £5,899 | £3,799 |
| Standard Plus Inside | 2 | £6,299 | £4,199 |
| Premium Inside | 4 | £7,199 | £4,799 |
| FREE upgrade to a Standard Ocean View Cabin (6)* | | | |
| Standard Plus Ocean View | 8 | £7,599 | £4,999 |
| Superior Ocean View | 9 | £8,199 | £5,349 |
| Premium Ocean View | 12 | £9,199 | £5,899 |
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| Royal Suite | RS | £15,899 | £9,499 |

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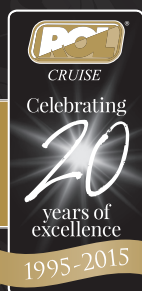
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| 8 | Miami, Florida, USA Wander around the Art Deco buildings on South Beach or, for the shopaholics amongst us, head to Lincoln Road Mall which has been compared to New York's Fifth Avenue | |
| 10 | Falmouth, Jamaica Located between Ocho Rios and Montego Bay you are perfectly placed to explore the best of what Jamaica has to offer. Swim in the crystal clear Caribbean waters, relax on the beach or climb the world famous Dunn's River Falls, you're sure to find activities to suit all tastes | |
| 11 | George Town, Cayman Islands Relax on one of the best beaches in the Caribbean - Seven Mile Beach is a long crescent of coral sand. Alternatively visit the famous sea turtle farm, the only one of its kind in the world | |
| 12 | Cozumel, Mexico Cozumel has been called the gem of the Mexican Caribbean. The island is located approximately 12 miles off the southern coast of the Yucatán Peninsula, just across from Playa del Carmen. The waters and coral reefs off Cozumel are world-renowned as a diving destination | |
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| 15 | Miami, Florida, USA Disembark and transfer to the airport for your return overnight flight to London | |
| 16 | Arrive London | |

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MAY 2016

- Sun 29 Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton
- Mon 30 Relaxing at sea
- Tue 31 Flåm, Norway

JUNE 2016

- Wed 1 Skjolden, Norway
- Thu 2 Olden, Norway
- Fri 3 Ålesund, Norway
- Sat 4 Stavanger, Norway
- Sun 5 Relaxing at sea
- Mon 6 Arrive Southampton

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- | Day | Destination |
|---------|------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 | Embark Navigator of the Seas® and depart Southampton |
| 2 | Relaxing at sea |
| 3 | Oslo, Norway |
| 4 | Copenhagen, Denmark |
| 5 | Relaxing at sea |
| 6 | Tallinn, Estonia |
| 7 - 8 | St. Petersburg, Russia (overnight stay on board) |
| 9 | Helsinki, Finland |
| 10 - 11 | Relaxing at sea |
| 12 | Zeebrugge (for Brussels), Belgium |
| 13 | Arrive Southampton |

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14 NIGHTS DEPARTING
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JUNE 2016

- Sat 18 Embark Independence of the Seas® and depart Southampton
- Sun 19 - Mon 20 Relaxing at sea
- Tue 21 Gibraltar
- Wed 22 Relaxing at sea
- Thu 23 Villefranche (for Nice), France
- Fri 24 Ajaccio, Corsica
- Sat 25 Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy
- Sun 26 - Mon 27 Palma de Mallorca, Spain (overnight stay on board)
- Tue 28 Málaga, Spain
- Wed 29 Cádiz (for Seville), Spain
- Thu 30 Relaxing at sea

JULY 2016

- Fri 1 Relaxing at sea
- Sat 2 Arrive Southampton

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| Ocean View | £1,399 |
| Deluxe Balcony | £1,699 |
| Suite | £2,599 |

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WHAT'S INCLUDED

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

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**14 NIGHTS DEPARTING
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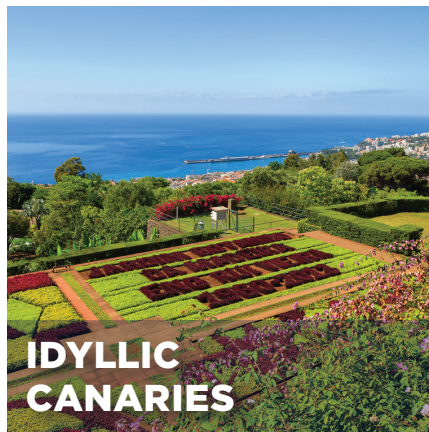
AUGUST 2016

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| Sat 13 | Embark Independence of the Seas® and depart Southampton |
| Tue 16 | Gibraltar |
| Thu 18 | Villefranche (for Nice), France |
| Fri 19 | Civitavecchia (for Rome), Italy |
| Sat 20 | Livorno (for Florence/Pisa), Italy |
| Sun 21 | Toulon (for Provence), France |
| Tue 23 | Málaga, Spain |
| Wed 24 | Lisbon, Portugal |
| Sat 27 | Arrive Southampton |

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR INCREDIBLE READER OFFERS LTD FARES

| STATEROOM | READER OFFERS LTD FARE FROM (PP) |
|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Interior | £1,499 |
| Ocean View | £1,649 |
| Deluxe Balcony | £1,899 |
| Suite | £2,999 |



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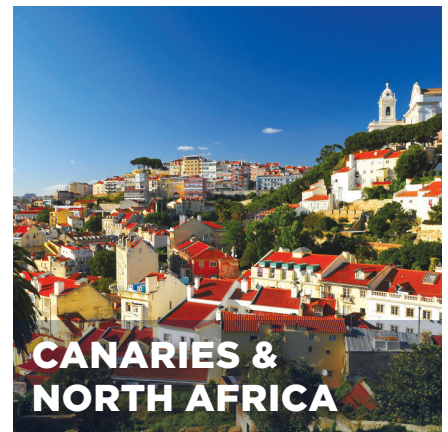
**10 NIGHTS DEPARTING
9TH SEPTEMBER 2016**

SEPTEMBER 2016

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| Fri 9 | Embark Independence of the Seas® and depart Southampton |
| Sat 10 - Sun 11 | Relaxing at sea |
| Mon 12 | Funchal, Madeira |
| Tue 13 | Santa Cruz, Tenerife |
| Wed 14 | Las Palmas, Canary Islands |
| Thu 15 | Arrecife, Lanzarote |
| Fri 16 | Relaxing at sea |
| Sat 17 | Vigo, Spain |
| Sun 18 | Relaxing at sea |
| Mon 19 | Arrive Southampton |

YOUR INCREDIBLE READER OFFERS LTD FARES

| STATEROOM | READER OFFERS LTD FARE FROM (PP) |
|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Interior | £999 |
| Ocean View | £1,149 |
| Deluxe Balcony | £1,299 |
| Suite | £1,799 |



CANARIES & NORTH AFRICA

**13 NIGHTS DEPARTING
28TH OCTOBER 2016**

OCTOBER 2016

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

NOVEMBER 2016

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

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR INCREDIBLE READER OFFERS LTD FARES

| STATEROOM | READER OFFERS LTD FARE FROM (PP) |
|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Interior | £899 |
| Ocean View | £1,099 |
| Deluxe Balcony | £1,399 |
| Suite | £1,999 |

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- Sunset river cruise on the Zambezi River
- Close encounter with elephants during an elephant-back safari
- Guided tour of Victoria Falls on the Zimbabwean side
- All transfers

32 NIGHTS DEPARTING 31ST MARCH 2017

MARCH 2017

Fri 31 Fly from London on your overnight flight to Cape Town, South Africa

APRIL 2017

- Sat 1** **Cape Town, South Africa**
Upon arrival, transfer to the port and embark Voyager for your 31 night voyage, beginning with an overnight stay on board
- Sun 2** **Cape Town, South Africa**
Cape Town is considered one of the most beautiful cities in Africa and it's easy to see why. Ascend Table Mountain by cable car and enjoy breathtaking views of the city, surrounding suburbs and Atlantic Ocean. If you can prise yourself away from this magnetic mountain, visit the charming towns of Stellenbosch and Franschoek, regions famed for their wines
- Tue 4** **Lüderitz, Namibia**
- Wed 5 - Thu 6** **Walvis Bay, Namibia** (overnight stay on board)
Nature lovers and seekers of peace and quiet will find a haven in Walvis Bay. Situated at a wide, picturesque lagoon and surrounded by salt flats, it is one of the most important wetlands of Southern Africa and is the hibernation area for thousands of migratory birds. 'Dune 7' is the highest sand dune in the region, and anyone who makes the climb will be rewarded with spectacular views.
- Mon 10** **Jamestown, St. Helena**
The remote island of St Helena was home to Napoleon Bonaparte, exiled here until his death in 1821. Scenically spectacular, step ashore to marvel at verdant hillsides, steep, vegetation-filled valleys and high cliffs of volcanic rock rising from the sea

- Thu 13** **Georgetown, Ascension Island**
An isolated volcanic island in the equatorial waters of the South Atlantic Ocean, with beautiful views and a wide array of flora and fauna
- Tue 18** **Mindelo, Cape Verde**
- Sat 21** **Las Palmas, Gran Canaria**
- Sun 22 - Mon 23** **Santa Cruz, Tenerife** (overnight stay on board)
Lush forests, spectacular beaches, deserts, mountains - Tenerife's options will leave you in a quandary for how to spend your precious day. Take a cable car to the top of Mount Teide, a volcano which also happens to be the highest point in Spain
- Tue 24** **Arrecife, Lanzarote**
- Thu 26** **Casablanca, Morocco**
Discover the gems of Morocco's largest and most cosmopolitan cities, from its Old Medina to the side streets with their tiny shops and bazaars. The Hassan II Mosque dominates the city and is worth a visit for its glass floors and marble walls; while Ville Nouvelle with its art-deco architecture is beautiful
- Sat 28** **Lisbon, Portugal**
- Mon 30** **La Coruña, Spain**
- MAY 2017**
- Wed 2** **Arrive Portsmouth**

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



WHAT'S INCLUDED

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KEITH MURAS is a former British diplomat. Drawing on his long experience serving and living in Southern Africa, Keith highlights Intelligence and Security in exploring challenges faced by regional nations, (Angola, the former Rhodesia, Zimbabwe, South Africa) emerging from colonialism through 'Cold War' into the present.

STEVE RAGNALL, a maritime historian and author, will also be joining you on board. Steve is a member of the Society for Nautical Research, is an expert on the voyages of Captain Cook and has close links with National Historic Ships. From his wide knowledge of the maritime world, Steve will present stories relating to our cruising area, including the homeward voyage of the Resolution and Discovery after the death of Captain Cook.

JOHN COVENTRY, a travel industry veteran of more than 25 years, will be joining you on board this cruise. His engrossing and superbly-crafted presentations take in a diverse range of topics.



Voyager

YOUR READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARES

| CABIN | GRADE | BROCHURE FARE (PP)* | READER OFFERS LTD LAUNCH FARE (PP) |
|------------------|-------|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| Inside Standard | IST | £2,559 | £2,169 |
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| Outside Standard | OST | £3,409 | £2,889 |
| Outside Deluxe | ODX | £4,249 | £3,599 |
| Junior Suite | JS | £4,379 | £3,719 |
| Balcony Suite | BS | £5,209 | £4,419 |
| Owner's Suite | OS | £8,289 | £7,039 |

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A two day cruise?

Cruise Miles Ambassador, Jennie Bond, enjoyed a taster cruise on board Celebrity Eclipse and shares her experience with readers



The idea sounded a bit nuts to me, I must admit. But I was tempted by the prospect of exploring an award-winning, newly refurbished ship which I'd never been on before. And, the more I thought about it, the more sensible it seemed to have a taster of all that a ship has

to offer before parting with your hard-earned cash on a full-length voyage.

Which is why, on a breezy day in early May, my friend Sue and I found ourselves heading to Southampton to join Celebrity Eclipse on a jaunt to Le Havre and back.

First impressions were great. Check-in was smooth and we were greeted by our personal butler Dominic (very grand!), who escorted us to a lovely suite, with a good sized balcony, at the stern of the ship. The Blanc de Blancs was already on ice and Dominic even offered to unpack for us. I really couldn't let him see what a slovenly packer I am, and so declined.

A peek in the bathroom confirmed my first impressions: a proper bath! I'm the kind of person who just can't get to sleep unless I've soaked in hot, bubbly water for 20 minutes or so before bed. So I was delighted to have the home from home comfort of a tub.

Very happy with our accommodation, Sue and I set off to discover what else Celebrity Eclipse has to offer. The short answer is: more than we could possibly manage in two days!

I think the first thing that struck us was that everyone seemed in a party mood; we were surrounded by smiling faces and laughter, and the bars were already buzzing!

Celebrity Eclipse oozes elegance and the spectacular all-glass lifts give you a bird's-eye view of what each deck has to offer. But don't stand at the edge of the lift if you suffer from vertigo!

I loved the library, with its floor to ceiling bookcases and comfy armchairs, the parade of shops tempting us to splash out, and the Lawn Club - an unusual innovation on a cruise ship - where you could imagine you were sitting outside in a green park or perhaps play croquet or bowls on the lush grass.

My immediate task, though, was to go to a wine-tasting master class presented by the legendary Oz Clarke. He told wonderful stories, introduced us to some extremely fine wines and taught us a great deal about the industry. It was an hour very well spent!

The only problem was that it meant I didn't get to hear the stories of the adventurer Ben Fogle, who was entertaining other guests in Celebrity Central... a neat little auditorium next to the huge main theatre. Frankly, there's too much to do on this ship... and I managed to miss the sail-away!

As we steamed out into The Solent, Sue and I were busy exploring the Spa. Now, if only we'd had a week or so on board, I'd have had time to indulge myself with some of those treatments - and then relax on the heated beds. It all looked very swish!

Please turn over to experience Celebrity Eclipse for yourself and take advantage of the brand new promotion featuring fantastic benefits



And, following through from the Spa, there's a really spacious Solarium and pool. The whole area was deliciously warm and the pool was surrounded by loungers and luxurious white hammocks that just cried out to be enjoyed!

I thought about having a quick dip - but time was marching on, the sparkling wine in our suite had yet to be cracked open...and we were due at a show in the theatre as well as dinner in one of the ship's speciality restaurants. It's a tough life on board!

The Tuscan Grille did us proud: excellent food, served with care. Afterwards, we headed for the Martini Bar: an exotic venue with an eye-catching counter made of ice. But we got distracted by a fabulous disco with all the very best dance tunes from the 60's and 70's - and that was us gone for the next hour or so! We boogied the night away - until we remembered that the clocks were going forward an hour and it was already way past our bedtime!

Day Two gave us time to hop ashore in Le Havre and speak a bit of French before returning to the job in hand: getting to know Celebrity Eclipse.

We found the Art Gallery and the jogging track, watched a cooking demonstration by some of the fabulous chefs on board, and then stumbled across more swimming pools and a cocktail bar. The day ended with a real treat: dinner in a new and extremely classy speciality Restaurant, Luminae - which is exclusive to guests staying in suites.

We swooned over the lobster from Maine, we were in heaven with the halibut from Alaska, we marvelled at the hand-made macarons and chocolate desserts. It was, quite simply, exquisite - and would have been our downfall if we'd stayed a moment longer!

The ship was still humming with laughter and life long after we should have hit the sack - but we couldn't resist a quick visit to the nightclub. More great music... more wild dancing and a chance to burn off some of those calories!

Two days felt more like five, and everyone seemed to agree that a short break is a real tonic. The whole ship also seemed set on returning as soon as possible to Celebrity Eclipse for more of the same - but next time for longer!

Denise

TV Presenter, Journalist, Cruise Miles Member and Ambassador



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30TH APRIL 2016

ICELAND & IRELAND

12 NIGHTS DEPARTING
10TH MAY 2016

BALTIC & ST. PETERSBURG

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING
5TH JUNE 2016

APRIL 2016

Sat 30 Embark Celebrity Eclipse® and depart Southampton

MAY 2016

Mon 2 Bergen, Norway

Tue 3 Flåm, Norway

Wed 4 Geiranger, Norway

Thu 5 Ålesund, Norway

Fri 6 Stavanger, Norway

Sun 8 Arrive Southampton

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

MAY 2016

Tue 10 Embark Celebrity Eclipse® and depart Southampton

Wed 11 St. Peter Port, Guernsey

Thu 12 Cork (from Cobh), Ireland

Sun 15 Akureyri, Iceland

Mon 16 Ísafjörður, Iceland

Tue 17 - Reykjavík, Iceland
Wed 18 (overnight stay on board)

Fri 20 Belfast, Northern Ireland

Sun 22 Arrive Southampton

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

JUNE 2016

Sun 5 Embark Celebrity Eclipse® and depart Southampton

Mon 6 Bruges (from Zeebrugge), Belgium

Thu 9 Stockholm, Sweden

Fri 10 Tallinn, Estonia

Sat 11 - Mon 13 St. Petersburg, Russia
(Brand New - two night stay on board)

Wed 15 Berlin (Warnemünde), Germany

Thu 16 Copenhagen, Denmark

Sun 19 Arrive Southampton

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| Ocean View | £1,699 |
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| Concierge Class | £1,999 |
| AquaClass® | £2,299 |
| Suite | £3,399 |

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Full board modern luxury cruising on board the award-winning Celebrity Eclipse®, winner of the 'Best from the UK' in the 2015 Cruise Critic - UK Choice Awards, including:

- Indulge in a range of restaurants offering sumptuous cuisine

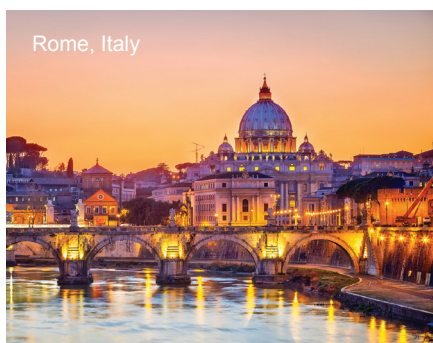
- Thrilling entertainment including electrifying shows in the main theatre

- Experience cruise firsts including the top deck Lawn Club; half an acre of real grass lawn where you can enjoy a picnic on freshly mown grass or play a game of golf, croquet or bowls

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Rome, Italy



Santa Cruz, Tenerife



Lisbon, Portugal

MEDITERRANEAN CITIES

14 NIGHTS DEPARTING
3RD SEPTEMBER 2016

SEPTEMBER 2016

- Sat 3 Embark Celebrity Eclipse® and depart Southampton
- Tue 6 Gibraltar
- Thu 8 Nice (from Villefranche), France
- Fri 9 Florence/Pisa (from Livorno), Italy
- Sat 10 Rome (from Civitavecchia), Italy
- Sun 11 Genoa, Italy
- Tue 13 Málaga, Spain
- Wed 14 Lisbon, Portugal
- Sat 17 Arrive Southampton

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| Deluxe Balcony | £1,999 |
| Concierge Class | £2,249 |
| AquaClass® | £2,449 |
| Suite | £3,899 |

AUTUMN IN THE CANARIES

13 NIGHTS DEPARTING
17TH SEPTEMBER 2016

SEPTEMBER 2016

- Sat 17 Embark Celebrity Eclipse® and depart Southampton
- Tue 20 Ponta Delgada, Azores
- Thu 22 Funchal, Madeira
- Fri 23 Santa Cruz, Tenerife
- Sat 24 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria
- Mon 26 - Lisbon, Portugal
- Tue 27 (overnight stay on board)
- Fri 30 Arrive Southampton

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR FANTASTIC READER OFFERS LTD FARES

| Stateroom | Reader Offers Ltd fare from (pp) |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Interior | £1,399 |
| Ocean View | £1,749 |
| Deluxe Balcony | £1,899 |
| Concierge Class | £2,149 |
| AquaClass® | £2,299 |
| Suite | £3,399 |

SPAIN & CANARY ISLANDS

13 NIGHTS DEPARTING
3RD OCTOBER 2016

OCTOBER 2016

- Mon 3 Embark Celebrity Eclipse® and depart Southampton
- Wed 5 La Coruña, Spain
- Sat 8 Funchal, Madeira
- Sun 9 Santa Cruz, Tenerife
- Mon 10 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria
- Wed 12 - Lisbon, Portugal
- Thu 13 (overnight stay on board)
- Sun 16 Arrive Southampton

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THE BEST OF & INDIA & SRI LANKA

Sri Lanka

ABU DHABI TO SINGAPORE

16 NIGHTS DEPARTING 10TH JANUARY 2017

JANUARY 2017

- Tue 10** Fly from London to Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (regional flights available on request*). Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel[†] for your overnight stay
- Wed 11** Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
★ MAIDEN PORT ★
Transfer to the port and embark Celebrity Constellation[®] for your 15 night cruise
- Thu 12** Dubai, United Arab Emirates
- Fri 13 -** Relaxing at sea
- Sun 15** Relax and rejuvenate in the serene spa at sea. Experience the unique services of the Canyon Ranch SpaClub[®] in a breathtaking setting - aboard Celebrity's modern luxury ship**
- Mon 16** Mumbai (Bombay), India
- Tue 17** Goa (Mormugao), India (depart late night)
- Wed 18** New Mangalore, India
Experience New Mangalore, a bustling city with rich historical influences. Surrounded by coconut, Ashoka and palm trees, rolling Sahyadri Mountains, and majestic rivers that flow toward the Arabian Sea, New Mangalore will dazzle you

- Thu 19** Cochin, India
One of the finest natural harbours on the Arabian coast of India, Kochi (also known as Cochin) was once known as the centre of the Indian spice trade. Here you will find forts, palaces and museums that show the city's rich history
- Fri 20** Relaxing at sea
- Sat 21** Colombo, Sri Lanka
The largest city in Sri Lanka is also one of the most vibrant stops on the Indian Ocean. Move around Colombo on a sightseeing tour in a three-wheeled tuk-tuk
- Sun 22 -** Relaxing at sea
- Mon 23** Sailing on board Celebrity's award-winning ship, enjoy your days at sea by exploring the lavish décor and incredible venues
- Tue 24** Phuket, Thailand
- Wed 25** Relaxing at sea
- Thu 26** Singapore
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your flight to London (regional flights available on request*)

YOUR FANTASTIC READER OFFERS LTD FARES

| STATEROOM | GRADE | READER OFFERS LTD FARE (PP) |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| Interior | 12 | £2,199 |
| Ocean View | 8 | £2,429 |
| <i>Free upgrade to an Ocean View Stateroom (7)*</i> | | |
| Deluxe Balcony | 2C | £2,949 |
| Concierge Class | C3 | £3,169 |
| AquaClass [®] | A2 | £3,299 |
| Sky Suite | S2 | £4,759 |
| Celebrity Suite | CS | SOLD OUT |
| <i>Book a Royal Suite and receive a FREE Premium Drinks Package**</i> | | |
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Taj Mahal, India

SINGAPORE TO ABU DHABI

17 NIGHTS DEPARTING 31ST MARCH 2017

MARCH 2017

Fri 31 Fly from London to Singapore
(regional flights available on request[†])

APRIL 2017

- Sat 1** **Singapore**
Upon arrival, transfer to a hotel[‡] for your overnight stay
- Sun 2** **Singapore**
Transfer to the port and embark Celebrity Constellation[®] for your 15 night voyage
- Tue 4** **Phuket, Thailand**
The beautiful palm-fringed beaches in Phuket offer a paradise on Earth. Take a dip in the warm waters of the Andaman Sea, or discover shimmering temples in Thailand's most famous dream destination
- Fri 7** **Colombo, Sri Lanka**
Go on a cultural journey as you explore this melting pot of nations. Head to Galle Face Green - a haven within the bustling city with a pretty beach area, or marvel at some of the world's most striking temples including the beautiful Gangaramaya Temple
- Sun 9** **Cochin, India**
- Mon 10** **New Mangalore, India**
A popular destination for holidays offering cultural attractions from temples to churches as well as idyllic beaches to relax and soak up the sun. A visit wouldn't be complete without trying the famous Mangalorean fish curry
- Tue 11** **Goa (Mormugao), India**
Experience the epitome of India with Goa's colourful culture, gleaming palaces and exquisite temples. If you just want to sit back and relax, the white sand beaches and warm-sea waters make for an ideal spot to watch the world go by
- Wed 12** **Mumbai (Bombay), India**
Climb to the top of Malabar Hill and visit the terraced Ferozes hah Mehta Gardens, which overlook the Arabian Sea and the famous Towers of Silence. Or make your way to

- Sat 15** **Muscat, Oman**
This charming destination has retained its old-world charm with a modern blend. Spend your time exploring the colourful souks, beautiful beaches and intriguing forts and castles, or for a modern twist, explore the boutique shops and opulent Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque
- Sun 16** **Dubai, United Arab Emirates**
- Mon 17** **Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates**
★ MAIDEN PORT ★
Disembark and transfer to the airport for your flight to London (regional flights available on request[†])

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea

YOUR FANTASTIC READER OFFERS LTD[†] FARES

| STATEROOM | GRADE | READER OFFERS LTD FARE (PP) |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| Interior | 11 | £2,499 |
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Maritime Memories

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



AS I'VE MENTIONED BEFORE, OUR BUSINESS DOES SEEM TO DO A LOT OF "MEETINGS", WITH CONFERENCES A PARTICULAR SPRINGTIME FEATURE.

Needless to say it's not always easy to convince my better half that I'm genuinely setting off on a really justifiable business trip, but my experience over the years has been that many of the cruise and travel industry's most significant developments have come from face-to-face discussions and shared ideas.

In June I chaired the biennial cruise conference in Athens, known as the "Posidonia Sea Tourism Forum". Readers with keen memories will recall that two years ago I mentioned having to introduce speakers from the new right wing Greek government...well, as they have been voted out, I now had to introduce a whole new set of left wing politicians, who in turn are under considerable threat! You really do have to feel some sympathy for the Greek people, who have got themselves into a real no-win situation.

The repercussions of their political instability are only making matters worse, as tourism numbers fall and their once proud ship operating tradition has almost disappeared. The Greek Islands offer such a fabulous cruise holiday experience, with the exotic Turkish coastline adding even more choices, so it is good to see that all the major cruise lines are still offering itineraries around Greece and the Aegean. Apart from the Athens port of Piraeus, many cruises sail round from Venice, whilst Istanbul is also developing as a home port.

For those of you who have yet to sail in the Eastern Mediterranean, I do highly recommend giving it a try - and with Sterling so strong your money goes a long way in the region.

A point noted at the conference was the relative stability of the Middle East's key cruise destination areas, with tourism to Egypt picking up; cruise calls to Israel back in the itinerary planning mix, and Suez Canal transits posing no issues. This latter subject is particularly important to

the cruise lines operating Round the World or Europe to Far East voyages. These have always been a particular favourite of UK cruise fans, with that magical combination of visiting dozens of iconic destinations whilst escaping three months of dreary British winter! (see page 4-5, 13 & 30-33 for our world cruise promotions).

THAT MAGICAL COMBINATION OF VISITING DOZENS OF ICONIC DESTINATIONS WHILST ESCAPING THREE MONTHS OF DREARY BRITISH WINTER!

For those who don't have the time to take an entire world cruise, many cruise lines offer a wide range of sectors to choose from (see pages 14-15 for Cruise & Maritime Voyages World Cruise sectors), and indeed over the years Sonja and I have pretty much circumnavigated the globe bit by bit! However not everyone wants to, or can fly, so it is good to see an increasing choice of ex UK cruises, typically 30 to 40 nights, reaching winter sun destinations.

With best wishes to all!



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- Tue 22 Embark Magellan and depart London Tilbury**
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- Thu 24
- Fri 25 Christmas Day at sea**
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- Sat 26 Gibraltar**
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- Sun 27 Relaxing at sea
- Mon 28 Arrecife, Lanzarote**
The volcanic island of Lanzarote offers plenty to see and do. Why not discover the amazing scenery from the slopes of Fire Mountain in the Timanfaya National Park?
- Tue 29 Santa Cruz, Tenerife**
- Wed 30 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria**
The perfect Spanish getaway all year round, Gran Canaria offers beautifully diverse landscapes including the sand dunes at Maspalomas and gorgeous beaches
- Thu 31 Funchal, Madeira - New Year's Eve**
In addition to the New Year fireworks extravaganza and lush gardens, be sure to try an exhilarating Toboggan ride*, guided by the friendly carreiros

JANUARY 2016

- Fri 1 Relaxing at sea
- Sat 2 Lisbon, Portugal**
- Sun 3 - Relaxing at sea
- Mon 4 With a final few days on the Atlantic before arriving home, rejuvenate in the Jade Wellness Centre** or share your experiences with new-found friends whilst sipping a refreshing cocktail
- Tue 5 Arrive London Tilbury**

CRUISE HIGHLIGHTS

The largest of the Canary Islands, **Tenerife** is dominated by Mount Teide in the central mountain range and several spectacular valleys covered with lush landscape, banana plantations and pinewoods. Santa Cruz offers a number of museums and churches to explore as well as plenty of shops and restaurants.

Spend New Year's Eve on the charming island of **Madeira**. Known as the Floating Garden of the Atlantic, the vibrant flora is sure to wow; while Funchal Bay will be decorated with lights and other displays in time for the New Year celebrations.

Yellow trams wind their way through narrow tree-lined streets in historic **Lisbon**. Gothic cathedrals, majestic monasteries and museums are all part of the colourful cityscape, but you'll find the real wonders as you explore the backstreets. Leafy plazas, quaint cafés and lively jazz music await; while the port celebrates the city's maritime heritage.

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| Standard Plus Inside Twin | 2 | £2,089 | £1,259 |
| Premium Inside Twin | 4 | £2,479 | £1,489 |
| Standard Ocean View Twin | 6 | £2,609 | £1,569 |
| Standard Plus Ocean View Twin | 8 | £2,799 | £1,679 |
| Superior Ocean View Twin | 9 | £3,129 | £1,879 |
| Premium Ocean View Twin | 12 | £3,649 | £2,189 |
| Royal Suite | RS | £7,169 | £4,299 |

Automatic gratuities of £5 per person per night will be added to your on board account. Booking conditions of South Quay Travel & Leisure Ltd via Cruise & Maritime Voyages apply. Please see back page for full terms and conditions.



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114 NIGHTS DEPARTING 2ND JANUARY 2016

JANUARY 2016

- Sat 2 Embark Aurora and depart Southampton for your 114 night world voyage
- Wed 6 Ponta Delgada, Azores
- Tue 12 Bridgetown, Barbados (depart late night)
- Thu 14 Oranjestad, Aruba
- Sat 16 **FULL DAYTIME TRANSIT OF THE PANAMA CANAL**
- Tue 19 Huatulco, Mexico
- Sun 24 - San Francisco, USA
- Mon 25 (overnight stay on board)
- Sat 30 Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii (depart late night)
★ MAIDEN PORT ★
- Sun 31 Honolulu, Oahu, Hawaii

FEBRUARY 2016

- Fri 5 Pago Pago, Tutuila, American Samoa (depart late night)
CROSS THE INTERNATIONAL DATE LINE
- Sun 7 Apia, Upolu, Western Samoa
- Thu 11 Auckland, New Zealand (depart late night)
- Fri 12 Bay of Islands, New Zealand

- Sun 14 Wellington, New Zealand
- Mon 15 Christchurch (from Akaroa), New Zealand (depart late night)
- Tue 16 Dunedin, New Zealand
- Wed 17 **CRUISING DUSKY SOUND, DOUBTFUL SOUND AND MILFORD SOUND**
- Sat 20 - Sun 21 Sydney, Australia (overnight stay on board)
- Tue 23 Brisbane, Australia (depart late night)
- Thu 25 Whitsunday Islands (from Airlie Beach), Australia
- Mon 29 Darwin, Australia

MARCH 2016

- Fri 4 Cebu, Philippines
★ MAIDEN PORT ★
- Mon 7 Okinawa, Japan (depart late night)
- Wed 9 Shanghai, China (depart late night)
- Fri 11 Keelung, Taiwan (depart late night)
★ MAIDEN PORT ★
- Sun 13 - Mon 14 Hong Kong, China (overnight stay on board)
- Wed 16 Nha Trang, Vietnam

- Thu 17 Ho Chi Minh City (from Phú Mỹ), Vietnam
- Sat 19 Singapore (depart late night)
- Sun 20 Malacca, Malaysia
★ MAIDEN PORT ★
- Thu 24 Colombo, Sri Lanka (depart late night)
- Mon 28 Victoria, Mahé Island, Seychelles
★ MAIDEN PORT ★
- Thu 31 Port Louis, Mauritius

APRIL 2016

- Fri 1 Le Port, Réunion Island
- Tue 5 Port Elizabeth, South Africa
- Thu 7 - Fri 8 Cape Town, South Africa (overnight stay on board)
- Sun 10 Walvis Bay, Namibia
- Sun 17 Banjul, Gambia (depart late night)
★ MAIDEN PORT ★
- Tue 19 St. Vincent, Cape Verde
- Thu 21 Santa Cruz, Tenerife (depart late night)
- Fri 22 Las Palmas, Gran Canaria
- Tue 26 Arrive Southampton

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VOYAGE HIGHLIGHTS



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LAHAINA, MAUI, HAWAII ★MAIDEN PORT★

A visit to the Old Lahaina Luau is a must for a traditional taste of Hawaii. Experience the best and most authentic Hawaiian luau in the Pacific with fire dancing, hula, refreshing drinks and local cuisine providing a treat for all your senses



MAHÉ ISLAND, SEYCHELLES

★MAIDEN PORT★

The best way to explore Mahé's capital, Victoria, is simply to wander around by foot. Explore local markets as you take in the sights of the town centre, which has remained unchanged since its colonial era. The islands of the Seychelles are surrounded by coral gardens and colourful fish - a haven for divers and snorkelers, while the white sand beaches make for the most relaxing retreat



CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA (overnight stay on board)

Cape Town is considered one of the most beautiful cities in Africa and it's easy to see why. Ascend Table Mountain by cable car and enjoy breathtaking views of the city, surrounding suburbs and Atlantic Ocean. Discover the historic Malay Quarter of Bo Kaap, with its cobbled streets and brightly coloured buildings

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| Outside | LC | £14,129 |
| FREE upgrade to an Outside Stateroom (LB)* | | |
| Balcony | GF | £17,299 |
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| Balcony | GC | £17,649 |
| Balcony | GB | £17,919 |
| Mini-Suite | CB | SOLD OUT |

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AURORA

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Langkawi, Malaysia

JANUARY 2016

- Sun 10 Embark Queen Victoria and depart Southampton
- Thu 14 Ponta Delgada, Azores
- Thu 21 Port Canaveral, Florida, USA
- Fri 22 Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA
- Mon 25 Oranjestad, Aruba
- Wed 27 Cartagena, Colombia
- Thu 28 **TRANSIT THE PANAMA CANAL**
- Sun 31 Puerto Quetzal, Guatemala

FEBRUARY 2016

- Fri 5 Los Angeles, California, USA
- Sat 6 San Francisco, California, USA (overnight stay on board)
- Sun 7 San Francisco, California, USA
- Fri 12 Honolulu, Oahu, Hawaii
- Sat 13 Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii
- Tue 16 **CROSS THE INTERNATIONAL DATE LINE**
- Fri 19 Apia, Western Samoa
- Tue 23 Auckland, New Zealand
- Thu 25 Akaroa, New Zealand
- Fri 26 **CRUISING DUSKY SOUND AND DOUBTFUL SOUND, NEW ZEALAND**
- Sat 27 **CRUISING MILFORD SOUND, NEW ZEALAND**
- Mon 29 Sydney, Australia

MARCH 2016

- Wed 2 Hobart, Tasmania
- Fri 4 Kangaroo Island, Australia
- Sun 6 Melbourne, Australia
- Tue 8 Sydney, Australia
Disembark and transfer to the ParkRoyal Darling Harbour hotel[†] for your three night stay
- Wed 9 - Explore Sydney at your leisure
- Thu 10
- Fri 11 Embark Queen Mary 2 and depart Sydney
- Sun 13 Brisbane, Australia



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Wed 16 Cairns (from Yorkeys Knob), Australia
Tue 22 Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia
Sat 26 Shanghai, China
Tue 29 Hong Kong, China
Thu 31 Halong Bay, Vietnam

APRIL 2016

Mon 4 Bangkok (from Laem Chabang), Thailand
Tue 5 Sihanoukville, Cambodia
Thu 7 Singapore
Fri 8 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Sat 9 Langkawi, Malaysia
Tue 12 Colombo, Sri Lanka
Thu 14 Cochin, India
Mon 18 Dubai, United Arab Emirates (overnight stay on board)
Tue 19 Dubai, United Arab Emirates
Wed 20 Muscat, Oman
Fri 22 Salalah, Oman
Tue 26 Luxor/Karnak (from Safaga), Egypt
Thu 28 **TRANSIT THE SUEZ CANAL**
Port Said, Egypt
Fri 29 Limassol, Cyprus
Sat 30 Haifa, Israel

MAY 2016

Mon 2 Ephesus (from Kusadasi), Turkey
Tue 3 **TRANSIT THE MESSINA STRAIT**
Wed 4 Capri/Naples, Italy
Sat 7 Seville (from Cádiz), Spain
Tue 10 Arrive Southampton

Dates not mentioned are spent relaxing at sea



Golden Gate Bridge,
San Francisco, USA

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| Balcony | BC | £22,618 |
| PRINCESS GRILL | | |
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| QUEENS GRILL | | |
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| Penthouse | Q4 | £58,068 |
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Alas poor Yorkeys

because
I'd rather go
to Cairns

I have only visited Australia once, for a cruise in the Kimberley. I flew in to Broome via Perth, sailed to Darwin and left; now, four years later, I am delighted to say I no longer have the rather dubious claim to fame of surely being the only person to have gone to the land Down Under and missed seeing Sydney.

And when I say delighted, I really mean it. I expected good and got brilliant - the views of the Harbour Bridge and Opera House; the laid-back vibe in Circular Quay and Darling Harbour; the joy of the outdoor lifestyle even though I was there in June and the city was heading into mid-winter.

It was the wrong time of year for visiting cruise lines to be there but just for once I was not on a ship; instead mine was a fact-finding mission to see what world cruise passengers can look forward to when they go ashore in this far-flung corner of the Commonwealth.

After a couple of days in Sydney, I headed north to Cairns, gateway to the Great Barrier Reef. It's a lively city, full of restaurants and backpackers, and a regular stop for ships on world cruises (Cruise & Maritime Voyages' Magellan will be there in early March 2017, on

its inaugural world cruise, while Crystal Symphony will be there in 2018). P&O Cruises and Cunard use nearby Yorkeys Knob, but apart from a rather memorable name and long beach, it doesn't have much going for it. The bus into Cairns or an excursion is a must.

There are certainly plenty of things to see and do. I went snorkelling on the reef, learned how to take a piece of meat out of a croc's mouth (no, not something I will be trying at home!) at Hartley's Crocodile Adventure, and walked over the Ma Mu rainforest canopy walk at Millaa Millaa on a trip to the Atherton Tablelands. I also discovered Australia's answer to the Panama Canal - a railway hewn out of rock by the blood, sweat and tears of thousands of itinerant workers.

The railway is now a tourist attraction and during a snaking two-hour journey from Cairns to Kuranda, a village high

in the rainforest, you hear how and why it was built (work started in 1886 to ship supplies to tin miners digging in the Tablelands and bring the tin back) and the hardships the workers endured. There are 15 tunnels, a stunning 180 degree bend and a 10 minute stop at a lookout point to see Barron Falls.

These days Kuranda is just a souvenir hunter's paradise with, bizarrely, a great French-owned creperie. I looked around, had lunch, then took the SkyRail cable car on a 45 minute ride over the rainforest canopy back to sea level at Smithfield, a huge shopping centre midway between Cairns or Yorkeys Knob.

It was a fabulous few days that only scratched the surface of Australia but I just see that as the best excuse I need to go back. Time to check out a cruise around the continent, I think!



Cairns, Australia



Hartley's Crocodile Adventure



Jane in front of Harbour Bridge, Sydney

And so farewell **ADONIA**...



I was so sorry to see Adonia is leaving P&O Cruises next year. I had a brilliant cruise from Buenos Aires to Valparaiso on her a few years back - memorable not only for where we went (the Falklands and Chilean fjords) but because the Argentinian authorities banned us from visiting Ushuaia. It was big news in the UK and I spent the rest of the day being interviewed by the BBC and various national newspapers.

But at least she is leaving for a good cause - to launch a new US-based cruise line called fathom (obviously very trendy as it's all lower case) for P&O's parent company Carnival Corporation that's aimed at people who want to give their time and skills to help those less well-off than themselves.

Adonia will be based in Miami and cruise each week to Carnival's new port of Amber Cove in the Dominican Republic. During two days at sea, those on board can learn skills such as how to teach English, make water purifiers from clay or cultivate seedlings; in Amber Cove they will have three days to put their new talents to use and also have time to see a bit of the destination.

The new line launches next April, after Adonia has been given a makeover to reflect the new ethos. I gather shops will sell items made with recycled materials, the low-key entertainment will include Dominican movies and menus will include local specialties.



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29 NIGHTS DEPARTING 7TH OCTOBER 2016

OCTOBER 2016

- Fri 7 Fly from London to Seattle, Washington, USA**
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- Sat 8 Seattle, Washington, USA**
Transfer to the port and embark Explorer of the Seas® for your 24 night voyage
- Fri 14 Honolulu, Oahu, Hawaii**
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- Sat 15 Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii** (overnight stay on board)
A visit to the Old Lahaina Luau is a must for a traditional taste of Hawaii. Experience the best and most authentic Hawaiian luau in the Pacific with fire dancing, hula, tasty drinks and local cuisine providing a treat for all your senses

- Sun 16 Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii**
- Sat 22 CROSS THE INTERNATIONAL DATE LINE**
- Mon 24 Suva, Fiji** (overnight stay on board)
Fiji's capital and largest city in the South Pacific offers an incredible mix of cultures and a range of things to do including trendy shopping malls, fascinating museums, picturesque parks and a vibrant nightlife
- Tue 25 Suva, Fiji**
- Thu 27 Port Vila, Vanuatu**
- Fri 28 Mystery Island, Vanuatu**
Escape to the pure paradise of an island only inhabited by palm trees and white sand. This remote gem is untouched providing the perfect opportunity to relax on the white sands, snorkel the surrounding coral reefs or take a walk around the whole island
- Sat 29 Noumea, New Caledonia**



Sydney, Australia

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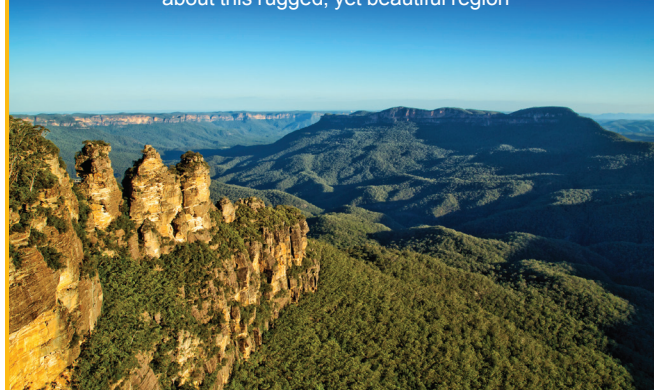
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- Wed 2 Sydney, Australia**
Disembark and transfer to a 4★ hotel[†] for your three night stay
- Thu 3 - Explore Sydney at your leisure**
- Fri 4** Aside from the symbolic Opera House and Harbour Bridge in Sydney, the nearby Blue Mountains make for an ideal trip off the beaten track and Balcony Staterooms and above will enjoy a free tour*. This UNESCO World Heritage Site has many eucalyptus trees, offers ample walking opportunities and, of course, the views are breathtaking
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- Mon 18** **TRANSIT PANAMA CANAL**
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- Wed 20** **Puntarenas, Costa Rica**
- Fri 22** **Puerto Quetzal, Guatemala**
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- Sat 23** **Puerto Chiapas, Mexico**
- Sun 24** **Huatulco, Mexico**
- Tue 26** **Puerto Vallarta, Mexico**
- Wed 27** **Mazatlan, Mexico**
- Thu 28** **Cabo San Lucas, Mexico**
The city of Cabo San Lucas has plenty of charm. Visit Land's End, known for its excellent views and walk along the picture-perfect Playa del Amante. Alternatively, the 300 year old Iglesia de San Lucas and Casa de la Cultura are worth discovering
- Sat 30** **Los Angeles, USA**

MAY 2016

- Mon 2** **San Francisco, USA**
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- Wed 4** **Victoria, Canada**
- Thu 5** **Vancouver, Canada**
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- Fri 6** **CRUISING INSIDE PASSAGE**
- Sat 7** **Juneau, Alaska**
- Sun 8** **Skagway, Alaska**
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- Mon 9** **Sitka, Alaska**
- Tue 10** **CRUISING GLACIER BAY**
- Wed 11** **Icy Strait Point, Alaska**
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Here's how it works...

Complete and return the cryptic crossword and form below to arrive no later than **23rd July 2015**. Send in to our Freepost address: **Freepost RSLH-GBZG-LBZC, Blue Horizons Crossword, August 2015, Reader Offers Ltd, Lexden House, Colchester, Essex CO3 4DB.**

The winner will be the first correct entry drawn on **24th July 2015**.

ACROSS

- 1** Rosy bud, runic variety (8)
- 5** During afternoon, one step taken on plain (6)
- 10** Doesn't sound like a hot one, one from South America (7)
- 11** Venezuelan banker (7)
- 12** Bathes naked in North America (6-4)
- 13** Reptile on half the pottery (4)
- 15** Bird on meadow going over river in Oxfordshire (6-2-6)
- 18** Wrong note Pansy played in the Highlands (8-2-4)
- 20** Rush by the river (4)
- 21** Be this to be independent individual building snowman (4,3,3)
- 24** Girl, one finding shelter on land in Middle East (7)
- 25** Not an original thing for ape to do (7)
- 26** Free gin distributed in old part of Yorkshire (6)
- 27** Particular places ie redeveloped (8)

DOWN

- 1** Holiday nook? (6)
- 2** Not the Spanish drink for Russian pancake (5)
- 3** Fresh start on chalkboard (5,5)
- 4** Something that's successful for very short time, more than a week (4,4,6)
- 6** Like centre of Kalahari Desert (4)
- 7** Favouring lightweight course (9)
- 8** Reveal lawsuit to Cabinet (8)
- 9** Bodies of people providing naval escorts (14)
- 14** Pen for another good entertainer sounds okay (5-5)
- 16** Mel leaned over to find it had been covered with paint (9)
- 17** A fish repeatedly produces jelly (4-4)
- 19** How bride, starting from the top, might undress (6)
- 22** Two French friends, one not starting in Florida (5)
- 23** Family coming from a Gaelic land (4)

Congratulations...

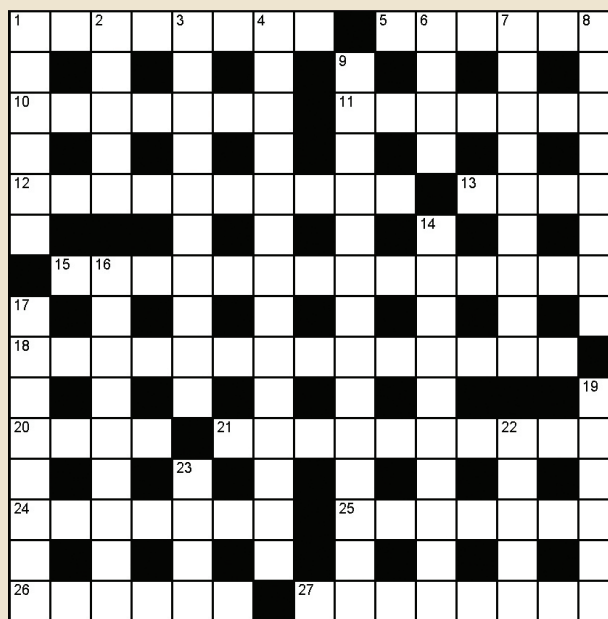
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Crossword Solution

JULY

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THE ROCKY MOUNTAINEER

- everything you've ever imagined and more!

Gemma Wyncoll, Marketing Executive at Reader Offers Ltd, was lucky enough to experience a journey on board the Rocky Mountaineer and shares her experience with Blue Horizons readers.

"Before travelling on the Rocky Mountaineer we spent a few days in Vancouver soaking up the sights and stayed at the luxurious Sutton Place hotel. After reading all about our Rocky Mountaineer packages I couldn't wait to get on board and it didn't disappoint. The 'First Passage to the West' route from Vancouver to Banff started in our hotel where we checked in for the train. The process couldn't have been smoother. You are simply issued your tickets for the train, then board the coach to transfer to the station and upon arrival you just get straight on the train - no waiting around like at an airport. As we were travelling in GoldLeaf Service my luggage would be taken straight to the next hotel and would be waiting for me in my room - it was indeed Gold Service!

The platform at the station was like a carnival with excited people and entertainers. The gleaming train looked so impressive and I couldn't wait to see inside the GoldLeaf Carriage. The outside looked amazing with a bi-level coach featuring a glass-domed roof and the inside didn't disappoint either! My first impression on entering was how much space there was, the seats had so much leg room I couldn't even reach my footrest and with windows all around I knew I was embarking on something special.

Shortly after departing it was time for breakfast, so we made our way downstairs to the dining area. The tables are set just like an upscale restaurant and there's no buffet here. Your breakfast is cooked to order and the menu had plenty of choice, with croissants and delicious fruit both being served before your chosen breakfast, which arrives freshly prepared.

It wasn't long before I was marvelling at sights I'd never even dreamed of and the large windows in the restaurant mean you don't miss a second. Rushing waters flowed by us surrounded by lush green forests and vast canyons - it was simply mesmerising.

After breakfast I thought it was time to explore the outdoor viewing area and as magnificent as the views are from your seat, it doesn't get any better than enjoying them while smelling the fresh mountain air. I could have spent hours out there and I think I did as the time flew by and it was soon lunchtime.

Again the menu had a wide choice for all tastes and the friendly staff couldn't do enough to please you. With three courses of sumptuous food you really couldn't ask for more and the choice of main dish would rival a luxury restaurant from fresh salmon, to the enormous 'Mountie' burger.

As we disembarked in Kamloops for an overnight stay it was a pleasure to explore the city whilst finding somewhere for dinner. Home to quaint shops and charming restaurants I really felt like I was on holiday, especially as you don't expect Canada to be warm!

After a restful night's sleep it was time for the second part of our journey as we got back on board the Rocky Mountaineer heading for Banff. The change in scenery is wonderful to see, as it transforms from desert-like mountains to the snow-capped Canadian Rockies.

There are no words to do the natural beauty justice except for wow. The winding river still accompanies your journey with tall pine trees on either side, and the Canadian Rockies towering into the sky. The outdoor area was an ideal spot to enjoy the awe-inspiring views.

Again the time just flew by on the train as I enjoyed breakfast, lunch and drinks with the hosts entertaining guests with interesting stories and keeping us informed of the upcoming sights. They even keep an eye out for bears, eagles and moose which can be seen along the way. There's plenty of room to move around the carriage to enjoy the views from different angles and chat to fellow passengers, so you'll never have a dull moment.

On arrival in Banff my luggage was waiting for me in my room but my journey wasn't over yet. The next day's agenda included a motorcoach tour from Banff to Calgary and along the way we stopped at a number of sights including the Hoodoos Rock formation, Surprise Corner and Bow Falls, as featured in the Marilyn Monroe film River of No Return. The highlight for me was the Banff Gondola riding to the top of Sulphur Mountain where the views were absolutely stunning. All around you are snowy mountains and everyday life feels a world away from this powerful landscape.

Upon arrival in Calgary we enjoyed a trip to the Calgary Stampede Showground. Unfortunately the Calgary Stampede was still a few weeks away but the Stampede Showground itself is an impressive venue and the ground was being prepared for the rodeo events. The grandstand provides a great view of the entertainment and the Stampede Park is so big that anyone who attends this event will be spoilt for choice on how to spend their time. From shopping stalls to unique food vendors, and music stages to the showground itself, it is clear that the Calgary Stampede really does offer the greatest outdoor show on Earth.

The end of my trip had finally arrived and even though I'd only been away for a week it felt like a month. A journey on board the Rocky Mountaineer is a must-do experience and if you turn the page you'll find our brand new promotion featuring the Rocky Mountaineer, an Alaskan cruise with Celebrity Cruises and the Calgary Stampede all in one package. This truly is an incredible experience unmatched by anything else so make sure you book a place on this once-in-a-lifetime journey."



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READER OFFERS TOP TIP

With so much to see and do you'll want to make the most of your time at "The Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth" so make sure you're wearing comfortable shoes! Throughout the Calgary Stampede you'll never need to buy breakfast as free pancakes are served at many venues. If your taste buds are more adventurous then explore the food stalls for unique cuisine - the scorpion-topped pizza proved popular last year selling out - what better time to test your bravery and try something new.



ROCKY MOUNTAINEER®

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- Sat 9 Fly direct from London to Calgary, Canada**
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- Sun 10 Calgary Stampede Rodeo***
Today, grab hold of the reins and get ready for a day at The Greatest Outdoor Show on Earth, the Calgary Stampede. In the afternoon enjoy the Rodeo events and in the evening the competition of the Chuckwagon Races followed by the energy of the Grandstand Show and world-class fireworks display
- Mon 11 Calgary Stampede Rodeo***
Enjoy admission to the legendary Half Million Dollar Rodeo. Witness breathtaking stunts, where top professionals take on the west's wildest horses in the Saddle Bronc, Bareback riding events and the famous Bull Riding event
- Tue 12 Calgary to Banff with sightseeing**
Today you'll enjoy a sightseeing tour of Banff. Highlights include the Hoodoos Rock formations, Surprise Corner, Tunnel Mountain Drive and a stop at the Banff Gondola to ride to the summit of Sulphur Mountain for breathtaking views. Overnight in Banff[‡]
- Wed 13 Rocky Mountaineer - Banff to Kamloops**
Board the world-famous Rocky Mountaineer and witness ever-changing landscapes beyond your window. Savour a delicious breakfast and lunch at your seat whilst enjoying the mesmerising sights of the fascinating Spiral Tunnels, Kicking Horse Canyon, Rogers Pass and the beautiful Canadian Rockies. Transfer to a hotel[‡] for your overnight stay in Kamloops
- Thu 14 Rocky Mountaineer - Kamloops to Vancouver**
Whilst enjoying breakfast and lunch on board you will travel through winding river canyons and pristine forests. Points of interest include the lush green Fraser River Valley and the beautiful rushing waters of Hell's Gate. Your rail journey ends on arrival in Vancouver. Transfer to a hotel[‡] for your three night stay in Vancouver

- Fri 15 Explore Vancouver at your leisure**
Enjoy a walk around beautiful Stanley Park, take a shopping trip to Granville Island and witness the city from high up at the Vancouver Lookout with free tickets included for all bookings^{**}. Don't miss Vancouver's newest attraction - FlyOver Canada - a unique flight simulation ride offering beautiful sights of Canada
- Sat 16 Tour of Vancouver's North Shore**
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- Sun 17 Vancouver, Canada**
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- Tue 19 Icy Strait Point, Alaska**
- Wed 20 CRUISING HUBBARD GLACIER**
- Thu 21 Juneau, Alaska**
- Fri 22 Ketchikan, Alaska**
- Sat 23 CRUISING THE INSIDE PASSAGE**
- Sun 24 Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada**
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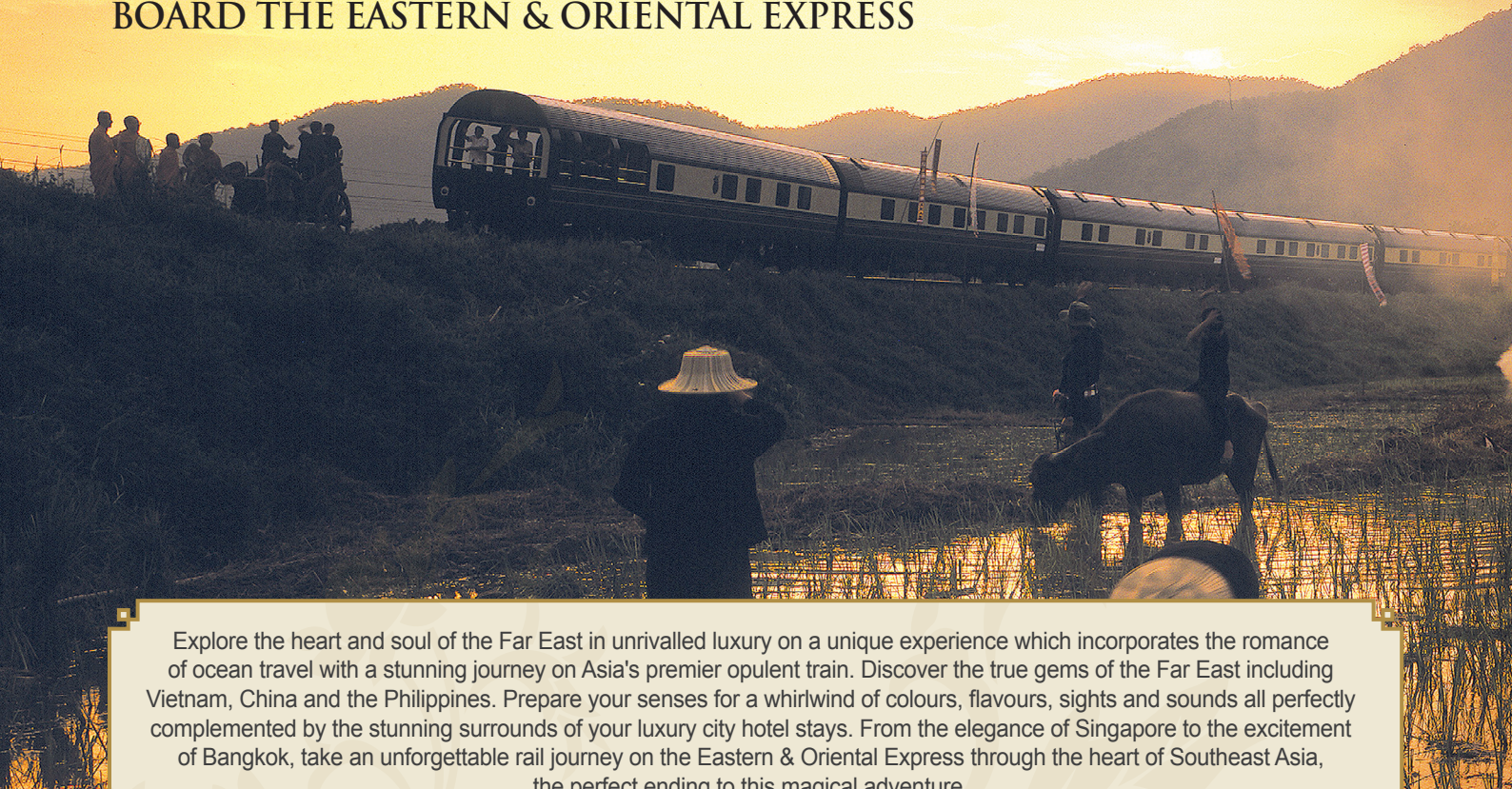
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NOVEMBER 2016

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| Thu 10 | Fly from London to Singapore (regional and premium class flights available on request*) | Wed 16 | Relaxing at sea | Wed 23 | Relaxing at sea |
| Fri 11 | Singapore Upon arrival, transfer to the Fairmont Singapore hotel [†] for your two night stay, including breakfast | Thu 17 | Hue/Da Nang (from Chân Mây), Vietnam Be spoilt for choice in Da Nang and Hue; visit the Imperial Citadel, once home to the Imperial family, marvel at the striking limestone and marble hills of the Marble Mountains or take a trip to Hoi An to witness ancient temples and traditional architecture | Thu 24 | Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia Kota Kinabalu is a hidden gem worth exploring - whether you're after some much-needed relaxation on one of the white sandy beaches, or trek intrepidly through the lush rainforests in search of unique wildlife |
| Sat 12 | Singapore Discover the beauty, culture and cuisine of this exotic Asian gem. Singapore is a dynamic city renowned for its shopping and exquisite restaurants. Spend your time strolling along the famous Orchard Road or wander through the exotic Botanic Garden | Fri 18 | Relaxing at sea | Fri 25 | Relaxing at sea |
| Sun 13 | Singapore Transfer to the port and embark Celebrity Millennium [®] for your 14 night voyage of the Far East | Sat 19 | Hong Kong, China Hong Kong offers a unique perspective of a modern metropolis mixed with traditional Chinese culture dating back 5,000 years. Enjoy breathtaking views of the famous skyline from the harbour or take the Peak Tram to the top of Victoria Peak and gaze at the stunning vistas of the whole region | Sat 26 | Singapore (overnight stay on board) |
| Mon 14 | Relaxing at sea | Sun 20 | Relaxing at sea | Sun 27 | Singapore Disembark and transfer to the station and board the Eastern & Oriental Express for your two night journey to Bangkok. Settle into your cabin as the train rolls through the countryside. Enjoy dinner in one of the luxurious dining cars before retiring to your cabin |
| Tue 15 | Ho Chi Minh City (from Phú Mỹ), Vietnam Ho Chi Minh City possesses a variety of beautiful buildings, displaying a characteristic combination of Vietnamese, Chinese and European cultures. These include Nha Rong (Dragon House Wharf), Quoc To Temple, as well as many pagodas and churches | Mon 21 | Manila, Philippines Known as the 'Pearl of the Orient', Manila offers a wealth of sights, from the leafy plazas and colonial houses in Intramuros, to bustling China Town with its antique markets, street food and incredible shopping opportunities | Mon 28 | Eastern & Oriental Express[™]: Kuala Kangsar After breakfast you arrive at Kuala Kangsar for a tour of the grand Ubudiah Mosque, the Royal Museum of Perak and the Sultan Shah Gallery. Return to the train and enjoy a relaxing afternoon at your leisure as you continue your journey to Thailand. A decadent dinner will be served on board |
| | | Tue 22 | Boracay, Philippines | | |



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Wed 30 Bangkok, Thailand
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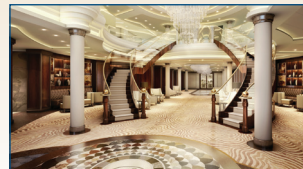
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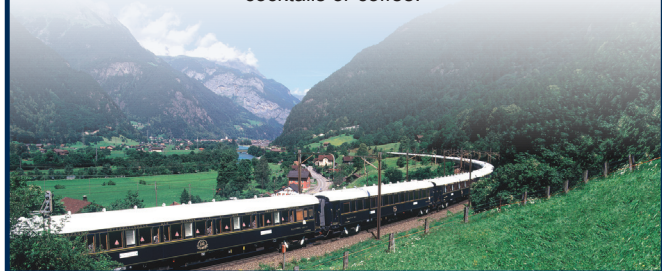
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| <p>Day 2 Mandalay, Myanmar Upon being met at the airport, transfer to the RV Princess Panhwar for your 14 night river cruise (L, D)</p> | <p>Day 8 Salay, Magwe, Myanmar Sail downstream to the sleepy delta town of Magwe and visit the market. This afternoon, explore the Mya Tha Lun Pagoda before returning to your ship and enjoy a puppet show this evening (B, L, D)</p> | <p>Day 12 Zalon, Danuaphyu, Myanmar In the afternoon, arrive in Danuaphyu, a small town where the revered General Maha Bandula led a famous Burmese defensive against the British troops during the First Anglo-Burmese War (B, L, D)</p> |
| <p>Day 3 Mandalay, Myanmar Visit Mandalay's Mahamuni Buddha Temple and explore local workshops. Later, tour Shwenandaw Monastery; visit Kuthodaw Pagoda and ascend Mandalay Hill followed by a stroll along the U Bein Bridge (B, L, D)</p> | <p>Day 9 Magwe, Thayetmyo, Myanmar Stop in Minhla, the site of a significant battle during the Third Anglo-Burmese War. Take a small boat to visit Gwechaung and Minhla forts built by Italian engineers in 1860. In the afternoon, cruise to Thayetmyo. Here, wander the streets and take in the colonial architecture (B, L, D)</p> | <p>Day 13 Danuaphyu, Myanmar In Danuaphyu you'll explore the Monastery of Maha Bandula and a home cheroot-making workshop before cruising to Maubin (B, L, D)</p> |
| <p>Day 4 Sagaing, Myinmu, Myanmar In Sagaing, visit a silversmith's workshop and explore the Soon U Ponya Shin and Kaunghmudaw Pagodas. Later, cruise to Inwa, an ancient imperial capital, where a tour will take you to the Maha Aung Mye Bon Zan and Bagaya Monasteries. Tonight, enjoy a cultural show on board (B, L, D)</p> | <p>Day 10 Thayetmyo, Pyay (Promé), Myanmar See a number of Pagodas this morning, including the imposing Shwesandaw Pagoda, before cruising to Sri Ksetra. Marvel at the 1,500 year old brick stupas and temples which are among the earliest Buddhist monuments in the world. Absorb wonderful views of the Akauk Mountains and their river-facing cliff carvings as you continue cruising towards Pyay (B, L, D)</p> | <p>Day 14 Maubin, Myanmar Upon arrival in Maubin, enjoy a walking tour and learn about the town's history. Visit the local market before returning to your ship (B, L, D)</p> |
| <p>Day 5 Myinmu, Bagan, Myanmar This morning, enjoy a walking tour of Myinmu taking in the sights of the local village. The afternoon is yours to enjoy at your leisure (B, L, D)</p> | <p>Day 11 Pyay, Myanaung, Myanmar A guided walking tour of Myanaung will take</p> | <p>Day 15 Yangon, Myanmar Tour the sights of this beautiful city including Sule Pagoda, Kandawgyi Lake and Bogyoke Market. In the afternoon, visit the Reclining Buddha and marvel at the Shwedagon Pagoda, before enjoying a Farewell Dinner on board (B, L, D)</p> |
| <p>Day 6 Bagan, Myanmar Discover the bustling Nyaung-U Market before embarking on a tour of Bagan. Visit the 13th century 'cave' Gubyaukgyi Temple and afterwards head to a lacquerware workshop and a local village for further insight into the local way of life (B, L, D)</p> | | <p>Day 16 Yangon, Myanmar Disembark your ship and transfer to the airport for your return flight to London (regional and premium class flights available on request*) (B)</p> |
| | | <p>Day 17 Arrive London Meals are included as stated. B = Breakfast. L = Lunch. D = Dinner Itinerary is based on 9th December 2016 departure. Itinerary may operate in reverse on selected dates</p> |

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HOLIDAY HIGHLIGHTS

- Ascend Singuttara Hill and visit the 90m high Shwedagon Pagoda
- Go for a stroll along the famed U Bein Bridge near Amarapura
- Tour Inwa by horse-drawn cart and see the 'Leaning Tower of Inwa'
- Explore Danuphyu where General Maha Bandula led a Burmese defensive during the First Anglo-Burmese War
- Visit Mahamuni Buddha Temple and perhaps add a sheet of gold leaf to the statue of the Mahamuni Buddha
- Take a small boat to visit the Gwechaung and Minhla forts
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Day 17 - Inle Lake: Today explore the southern section of Inle Lake by boat. See the ingenious one-legged rowing technique used by local fishermen. Stop at the village of Indein and wander amid the hundreds of ancient pagodas. Then visit the famous Nga Phe Kyaung Monastery, where monks have trained cats to jump through hoops (B, L)

Day 18 - Taunggyi, Kakku, Red Mountain: Today's excursion begins with a visit to Taunggyi. On a tour here you'll explore the Shan Cultural Museum. Tonight, enjoy a Farewell Dinner (B, D)

Day 19 - Inle Lake - Yangon: Transfer to the airport for your flight to Yangon and return flight to the UK (B)

Day 20 - Arrive London

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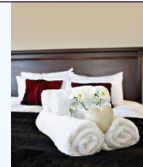
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INGREDIENTS

- 4 egg whites
- ½ tps cream of tartar
- 1 tbs cornflour
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 1 cup sliced fruit (kiwi, berries, peaches etc)
- 1 - 1½ cups lightly sweetened whipped cream
- ¼ cup chocolate chips, or additional fruit slices (optional)

METHOD

1. Preheat oven to 200°C/400°F.
2. Line a shallow baking tray with parchment paper.
3. Sprinkle the cream of tartar over the egg whites and beat until stiff.
4. Whisk together the sugar and cornflour. Add the mixture to the egg whites a tablespoon at a time, while beating on a medium speed, until all combined. The meringue should be shiny, white and stiff.
5. Reduce the oven heat to 100°C/200°F.
6. Mound the meringue on the pan in a round shape about 6 inches in diameter. Bake for 1 hour. Turn the oven off, leaving the meringue in the oven until cold or overnight.
7. Arrange the fruit over the base of the pavlova meringue, top with whipped cream, and sprinkle the chocolate chips, and/or additional fruit.
8. Use a serrated knife to gently cut slices. Store leftovers in a covered container.



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