

#### 36 HOURS IN VALENCIA

Spain's beguiling third  
city beckons

#### EXPEDITION CRUISING

Venture into seas less travelled  
with the latest cruising trend

#### FLORIADE 2022

Discover this once-a-decade  
horticultural extravaganza

#### IN THE LAP OF LUXURY

Silversea MD Peter Shanks lifts  
the lid on six-star cruising

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## ISLAND IDYLLS

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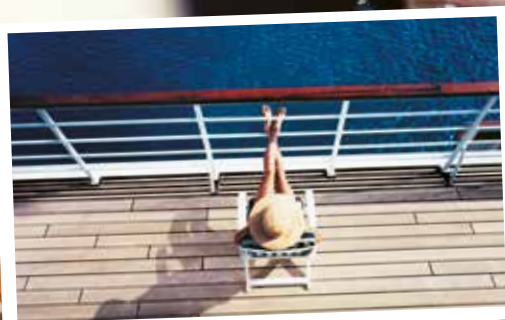
**“Glass in hand,  
smile on my face and  
the best company.**

**That was my idea of the  
perfect evening”**

Isn't it about time to start making incredible holiday moments again? With so much variety on a P&O Cruises holiday, you can... Rise and shine to new destinations and the promise of fresh flavours, sights and sounds ashore. Discover fine dining and drinks packages, live music and luxury spa treatments. Make new friends or catch up with old ones in the world's most captivating places. Discover your spirit of adventure, and the good times that'll last much longer than your time away.

So how about it? Sail away with P&O Cruises and you're sure to find a million moments that matter.

*Holidays as  
varied as you*



Customers rate P&O Cruises



Rating as of February 2022

†Select Prices shown are per person based on two adults sharing the lowest grade of cabin available within the applicable cabin type and are subject to availability. 05% low deposit applicable to new Select Price or Early Saver bookings made by 30 May 2022 on applicable departures from 15 March 2022 to 30 March 2024. Offer excludes The World Cruise, Classic Southern Hemisphere Journeys and Exotic fly-cruises. For bookings made after the balance due date the full amount will be due at time of booking. Offer is combinable with our current on-board spending money offer on qualifying departures 15 March 2022 to 30 March 2024. \*Book an applicable Select Price holiday and receive extra on-board spending money to spend during your cruise holiday. Amount varies by cabin and cruise duration. Applicable to new Select Price bookings made by 30 May 2022 on selected cabin grades on applicable departures 15 March 2022 to 30 March 2024. Offer is not applicable to Inside cabins. ~Book an applicable holiday and 3rd and 4th adult, child or infant guests sail for free. Available



Exciting things are up ahead for P&O Cruises ships Arcadia and Aurora. As they're exclusively for adults, you're sure to enjoy each and every destination they sail to; and with their friendly service, delicious dining and striking entertainment, your special holiday moments will no doubt flow freely.

A much-loved ship since she joined the P&O Cruises family in 2005, Arcadia has so much to offer. From her chic design that has wowed many, to the variety of things to do whilst on board, Arcadia continues to win the hearts of all guests who holiday on her. With her opulent spa, three-tier theatre and ten bars to meet and socialise with friends new and old, Arcadia is the perfect place to relax, indulge and discover.

And then we have Aurora – an elegant ship with timeless style. Aurora dazzles with her four-deck atrium, exceptional dining and spectacular shows. Whether you're looking to soak up the sun on deck, while away an afternoon in one of her stylish bars or revitalise with a swim in her Crystal pool with its retractable roof, Aurora has something for all moods. And her recent refit means she's all fresh and ready for you.

There's so much to look forward to on a P&O Cruises holiday. As well as delicious dining and jam-packed entertainment, you can savour a range of beverages with a P&O Cruises drinks package. With unbeatable choice and incredible value, these are available on any holiday of five nights or more and can be used in all the restaurants, bars and cafés on board. From the Ultimate package to non-alcoholic, this is definitely something to say cheers to.



## Spain and Portugal AURORA R317 | 27 AUG 2023 | 7 NIGHTS

Southampton - Vigo - Lisbon - Porto  
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Southampton

EXCLUSIVELY FOR ADULTS | DISCOVERY CRUISE

Sea view  
Select Price from  
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per person



## Norway ARCADIA J314 | 20 OCT 2023 | 12 NIGHTS

Southampton - Åndalsnes ● - Cruise in  
Romsdalsfjord - Tromsø ● - Narvik ●  
Haugesund - Southampton

Northern Lights

EXCLUSIVELY FOR ADULTS | DISCOVERY CRUISE

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per person



### Guide to symbols

● evening in port  
⚓ land by tender ● ship usually berthed alongside, but there is a possibility we may be required to land guests by tender  
✦ Please note that sightings of the Northern Lights cannot be guaranteed due to their unpredictable nature, though visiting in the winter months gives you the best chance of seeing them.

## Offers too good to resist

5% low deposit<sup>o</sup>

on applicable Select Price and Early Saver holidays

Extra on-board spending money\*

on applicable Select Price holidays  
(Sea view cabins and above)

Book by 30 May 2022

PLUS

Extra guests sail for free on  
applicable Select Price holidays~

Sailings from £199 per person on applicable  
selected off-peak cruises sailing from/to  
Southampton for 11 nights or more

Fee-free booking changes<sup>^</sup>

Transfer your Select Price or Early Saver booking as  
many times as you'd like, free of charge, up to the  
date the balance for your holiday is due

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Cover image: Zlatni Beach, an excursion from Hvar

## WELCOME

**W**elcome to the latest edition of *Into the Blue*. As countries start to welcome back holidaymakers and the world opens up again, we have plenty of inspiration for your future travel plans. Our main feature is a guide to just some of the incredible islands of the Mediterranean. I've personally visited many of the destinations we've highlighted on a number of occasions, and know they are proving popular among our Cruise Club members.

If you find yourself holidaying in Spain's third-largest city, we have compiled a few suggestions of how to spend 36 hours in Valencia. Staying in Europe, we also take a look at the forthcoming Floriade Expo in the Netherlands, which only comes around once a decade. Many cruise lines have dedicated sailings to the event, so I hope this gives you a short break idea for the coming months.

We've also included a couple of features on expedition cruising, which is certainly an emerging trend we are seeing across the industry. Among them is an interview with Seabourn's Vice-President of Expedition Operations Robin West, so see if this whets your appetite for an adventure.

Silversea Managing Director Peter Shanks also talks to us about luxury cruising, and explains why now more than ever so many people are keen to experience the six-star treatment.

I hope you enjoy reading.

Yours sincerely

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Sicily, Italy



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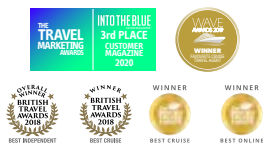
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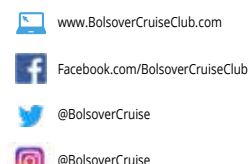
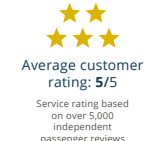
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## MAIDEN VOYAGE WESTERN EUROPE

Celebrity Beyond<sup>SM</sup>  
27 April 2022 | 10 Nights

Southampton, La Rochelle (Bordeaux), Bilbao, Lisbon, Seville (Cadiz), Malaga, Palma De Mallorca, Barcelona

CABIN	CRUISE CLUB FARES FROM PER PERSON
INTERIOR	£1,928
OCEAN VIEW	£2,124
BALCONY	£2,634
CONCIERGE CLASS	£2,879
AQUACLAS <sup>®</sup>	£3,614

Cruise only - call for flights.



## NORWEGIAN FJORDS

Celebrity Silhouette<sup>®</sup>  
7 May 2022 | 7 Nights

Southampton, Bergen, Alesund, Olden, Stavanger, Southampton

CABIN	CRUISE CLUB FARES FROM PER PERSON
INTERIOR	£1,229
OCEAN VIEW	£1,425
BALCONY	£1,689
CONCIERGE CLASS	FREE UPGRADE £1,689
AQUACLAS <sup>®</sup>	£2,277





## ITALY & GREEK ISLANDS

Celebrity Beyond<sup>SM</sup>

4 June 2022 | 9 Nights

Barcelona, Provence (Marseille), Nice (Villefranche),  
Santa Margherita, La Spezia (Florence/Pisa, overnight in port),  
Messina (Sicily), Naples, Civitavecchia (Rome)

CABIN	CRUISE CLUB FARES FROM PER PERSON
INTERIOR	£1,731
OCEAN VIEW	£2,055
BALCONY	£2,437
CONCIERGE CLASS	£2,853
AQUACLASS®	£2,976

Cruise only - call for flights.



## BRUGES & AMSTERDAM

Celebrity Silhouette®

25 August 2022 | 4 Nights

Southampton, Zeebrugge (Bruges), Amsterdam, Southampton

CABIN	CRUISE CLUB FARES FROM PER PERSON
INTERIOR	£718
OCEAN VIEW	£855
BALCONY	£894
CONCIERGE CLASS	£973
AQUACLASS®	£1,237



## SPAIN & FRANCE

Celebrity Silhouette®

30 September 2022 | 9 Nights

Southampton, La Rochelle (Bordeaux, overnight in port), Bilbao,  
La Coruna, Vigo, Le Havre (Paris), Southampton

CABIN	CRUISE CLUB FARES FROM PER PERSON
INTERIOR	£1,367
OCEAN VIEW	£1,485
BALCONY	£1,651
CONCIERGE CLASS	£1,896
AQUACLASS®	£2,337



## TRANSATLANTIC

Celebrity Silhouette®

20 October 2022 | 14 Nights

Southampton, Funchal (Madeira), Tenerife, Royal Naval Dockyard  
(Bermuda, overnight in port), Miami, Florida

CABIN	CRUISE CLUB FARES FROM PER PERSON
INTERIOR	£1,421
OCEAN VIEW	£1,636
BALCONY	£1,960
CONCIERGE CLASS	£2,117
AQUACLASS®	SOLD

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intermittent days are at sea.





Queen Anne

# QUEEN ANNE TO JOIN CUNARD FLEET

Cunard will be adding Queen Anne to its fleet in 2024, as she becomes the first new Cunard ship to be launched in more than a decade.

Joining Queen Mary 2, Queen Victoria and Queen Elizabeth, she will have a capacity of 3,000 guests and will share the iconic livery and red funnels that have become synonymous with the cruise line. World-renowned designers have created onboard spaces complete with bold colour tones and striking aesthetics, which will set Queen Anne apart from other members of the Cunard fleet.

British Historian, Author and Television Presenter Professor Kate Williams was enlisted to decide on the name of the new vessel. She commented: "It is so exciting that the fourth ship of the fleet will be named after Queen Anne. She has a fascinating tale to tell - one of queenship, unity of developing

constitutional monarchy, a golden age of the arts. She was an inspiring woman, wildly popular with her people. She should be celebrated. This new ship in the Cunard fleet is the perfect way to do it!"

Carnival UK President Sture Myrmell said: "I am absolutely delighted to welcome Queen Anne, the fourth ship to Cunard's fleet. This marks a very special moment in Cunard's 182-year history and showcases Cunard's exciting global plans for the future,

allowing even more guests around the world to set sail with Cunard.

"With design inspired by the past and set for the future, Queen Anne is the perfect way for our guests to rediscover the joy of exploration and travel again. We look forward to sharing more details in the coming weeks and months."

Queen Anne's maiden season will be available to book from May 2022, with the ship's first sailings scheduled for early 2024.



Queen Anne



# BOLSOVER CRUISE CLUB NOW SELLING DISNEY CRUISE LINE

**B**olsover Cruise Club is delighted to announce it is now selling itineraries for Disney Cruise Line, bringing all the magic of the fleet to the seven seas. With four ships currently in operation, Disney Magic, Disney Wonder, Disney Dream and Disney Fantasy, the cruise line offers the perfect getaway for the young and the young-at-heart. Each ship pays homage to the grand age of the luxury ocean liner, combined with state-of-the-art comforts and the opportunity to encounter popular Disney, Marvel and Star Wars characters on board.

This is the first time Bolsover Cruise Club has offered Disney Cruise Line to its loyal customer base. The news comes at an exciting time as the brand new, 4,000-capacity Disney Wish prepares to set sail on her maiden voyage in summer 2022. Disney Wish will embark on her inaugural sailing on 14 July, where she will visit Nassau in the Bahamas, and Castaway Cay, a private



Disney Magic



Mickey & Minnie

island paradise exclusively reserved for Disney Cruise Line guests. The Bahamian oasis offers signature Disney hospitality and amenities including restaurants, sprawling beaches, sparkling lagoons teeming with curious sea life and entertainment.

Although Disney Cruise Line offers the ultimate in family friendly travel, the ships also have a large adults-only offering. From a separate pool to dining venues reserved just for the grown-ups, there is also the option to take part in drinks tastings and mixology classes while on board.

Disney Cruise Line itineraries are now



available to book through Bolsover Cruise Club and include voyages from the UK to destinations across Northern Europe, and a series of fly-cruises to the Mediterranean. Speak to one of our Cruise Experts on 01246 819 819 for more information.



Disney Dream



## CASE CONTENDERS

# PRACTICAL PACKING

Feel a little out of touch when it comes to packing your suitcase? You're not alone. If you're venturing on your first holiday in what seems like forever, here are some small practical purchases that will make a big difference to your travels.

## 1. Personalised Classic Travel Wallet, Noble Macmillan

No matter how hard you try to go paperless, there will still be the odd travel document here and there that you'll need within easy reach. This wallet can be personalised with initials or a message for that extra-special touch.

£80 ([noblemacmillan.com](http://noblemacmillan.com))

## 2. PowerCore Essential 20000, Anker

Never run out of battery for taking those much-anticipated holiday snaps. With this power bank, you can go from zero to 100% in little time at all.

£37.99 ([uk.anker.com](http://uk.anker.com))

## 3. Melt Travel Holiday Pack, Melt

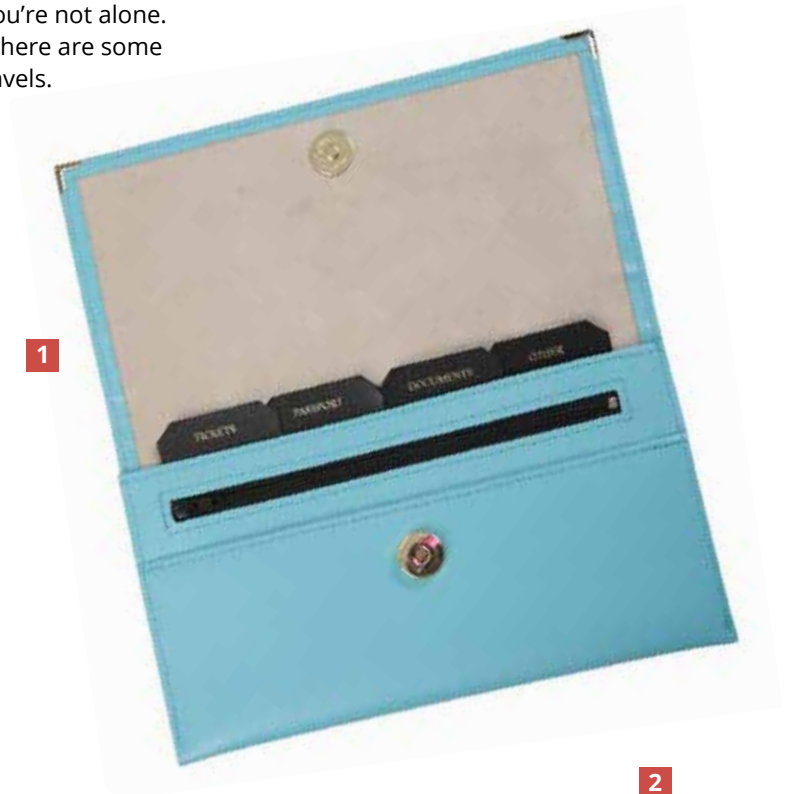
The thought of doing any washing on holiday may fill some people with dread, but there's every chance you might need to freshen up an item or two on a longer break. Throw one of these super concentrated laundry strips in with your washing and your clothes will be fresh as a daisy.

£6.50 ([meltlaundry.com](http://meltlaundry.com))

## 4. Pure Cotton Sand Resistant Striped Beach Towel, M&S

Don't fancy taking half the beach home with you? This sand-resistant beach towel is just the ticket to a grit-free suitcase.

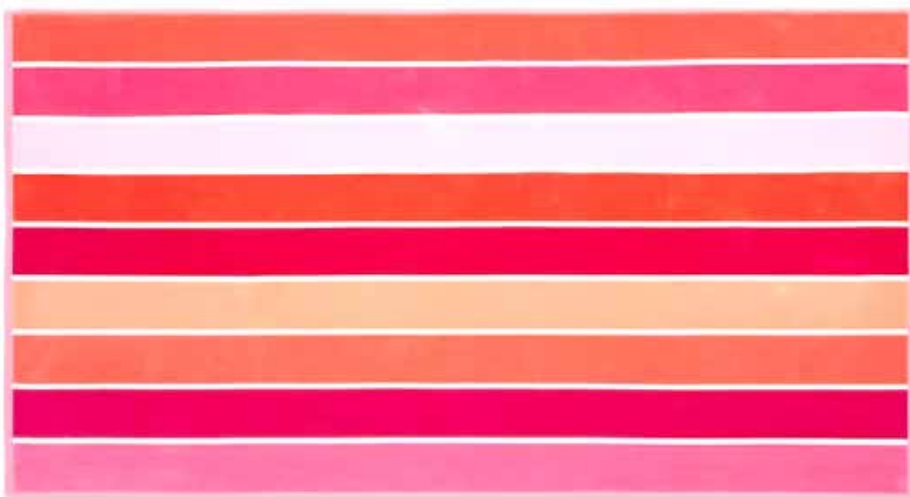
£15 ([marksandspencer.com](http://marksandspencer.com))



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#### 5. Fujifilm Instax Mini 40 Instant Camera, Boots

The days of waiting weeks on end for your holiday snaps to be developed might be long gone, but you can still capture the magic with this instant camera. Create credit card-sized images in just a matter of moments - it even has a selfie mirror!

£89.99 (boots.com)

#### 6. Cabin Suitcase, Madlug

Still baffled as to what size bag you can take on your flight? This 40-litre carry-on case should have you covered. It also comes with an added feel-good factor, as they'll donate a bag to a child in care for every product bought.

£74.99 (madlug.com)

#### 7. Great Barrier Sun Lotion, Tropic Skincare

Not all sun protection is created equal. This one is non-greasy, reef-friendly, broad-spectrum and water-resistant, as well as being available in SPF 30 and 50.

£28 (tropicskincare.com)

#### 8. Lip Defence, Temple Spa

Once you've applied your sun lotion, it's time to turn your attention to your lips. This ultra-moisturising lip balm also has SPF 30 so you can enjoy your holiday knowing you're protected against the elements.

£15 (templespa.com)





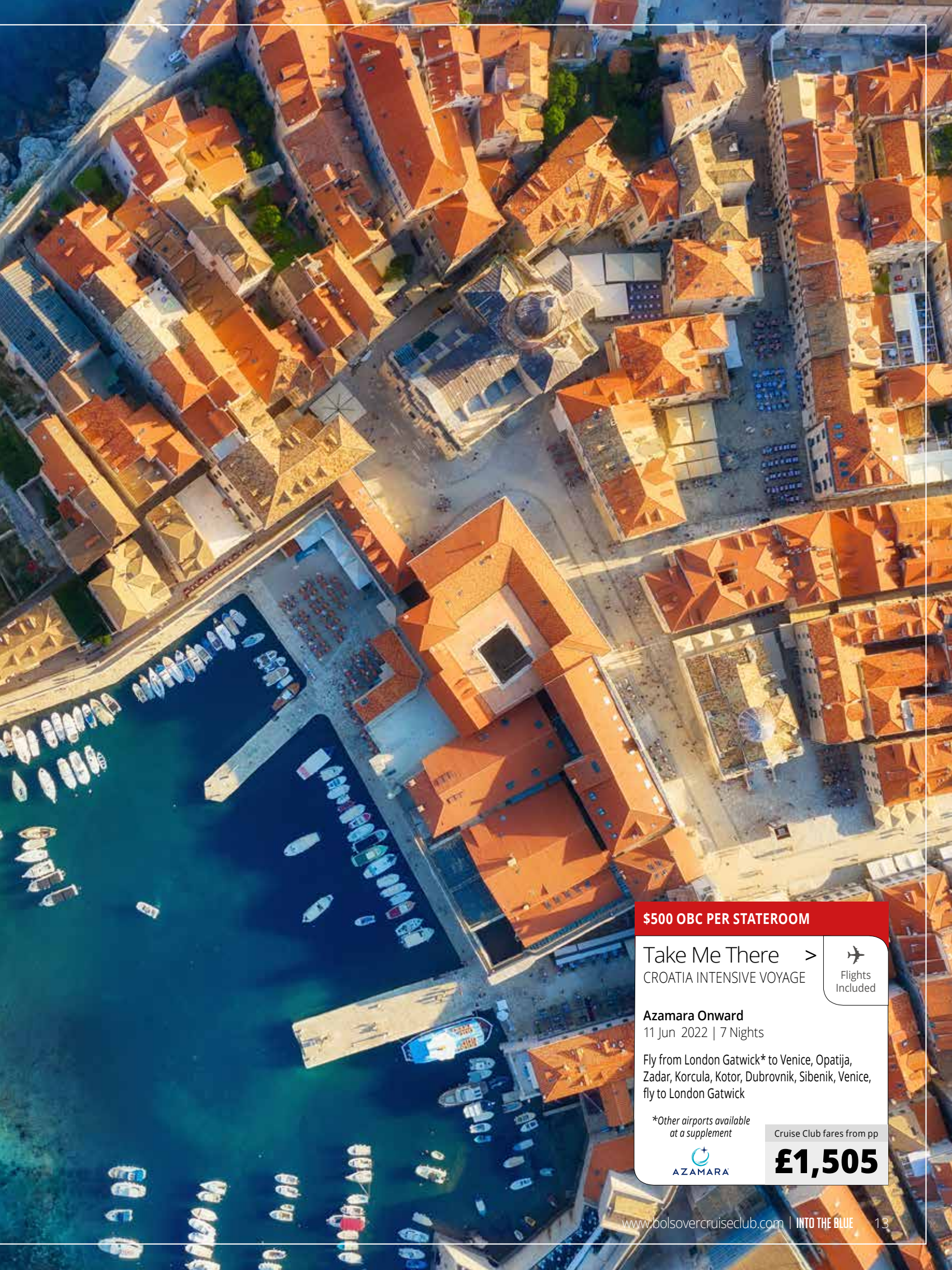
DESTINATION INSPIRATION

# DUBROVNIK

Croatian capital and jewel of the Dalmatian Coast, Dubrovnik is one ancient wonder that has never changed its spots. And nor should it have to. The azure Adriatic shimmers in the distance, providing a picture-perfect backdrop to the charming baroque architecture - hailed as one of the world's most perfectly preserved medieval cities, its beauty is far from skin deep.

Aerial View of the Old Town





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We have picked a selection of itineraries that really appreciate the joy of the journey taking in some of the best scenic cruising the world has to offer.



## CRUISE THE OLSEN WAY



## WHALES, WATERFALLS & GEYSERS OF ICELAND

BOREALIS | Sail from Liverpool | 10 nights  
17th June 2022 | Cruise code S2216 | from **£1,699pp**



Godafoss Waterfall, Iceland

## RUGGED & REMOTE SPITSBERGEN

BALMORAL | Sail from Newcastle | 15 nights  
22nd June 2022 | Cruise code L2217 | from **£2,899pp**



Longyearbyen, Spitsbergen

## SCENIC BRITISH ISLES

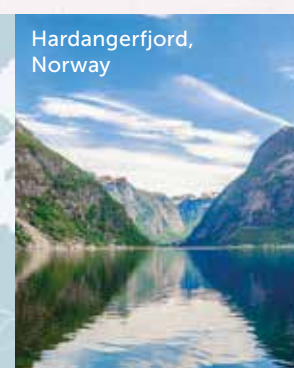
BOLETTE | Sail from Southampton | 11 nights  
1st August 2022 | Cruise code T2217A | from **£1,799pp**



Scenic cruising

## SCENIC SUMMERTIME NORWEGIAN FJORDS

BOLETTE | Sail from Southampton | 7 nights  
12th August 2022 | Cruise code T2218 | from **£1,149pp**



Hardangerfjord, Norway

## EXPLORATION OF SOUTH AMERICA & THE ANTARCTIC

BALMORAL | Sail from Southampton | 78 nights | 5th January 2023 | Cruise code L2301 | from **£8,999pp**



Machu Picchu, Peru

Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines terms and conditions apply. Prices based on Freedom fare, correct at time of going print Feb 2022. All offers subject to availability.

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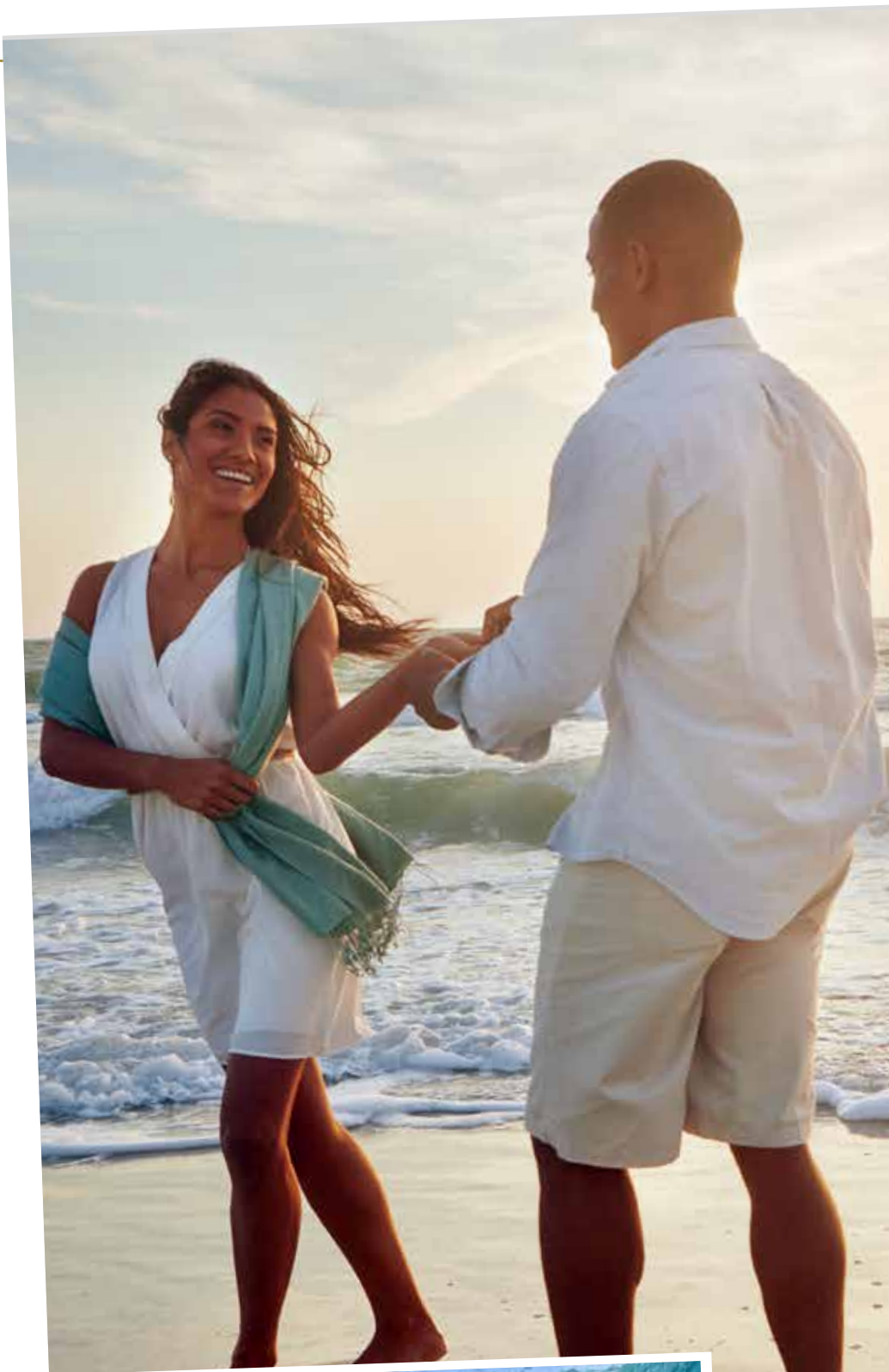
## “We were on island time...

carefree, but always ready for our next adventure.”

Dreamy beaches, serene sunsets and adventures around every corner... The kind of holiday that makes you believe in magic. Whether you plan on roaming around the colourful islands or snorkelling the coral reefs, marvelling at the post-card perfect skies or sampling local delicacies. How you explore each destination is up to you.

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*Holidays as varied as you*



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## Short Break

VENTURA N228 | 18 OCT 2022 | 4 NIGHTS

Southampton - Amsterdam ★  
Southampton

Sea view  
Select Price from

£479<sup>†</sup>  
per person



## Norwegian Fjords

IONA G319 | 17 JUN 2023 | 7 NIGHTS

Southampton - Stavanger - Ålesund  
Olden - Cruise in Innvikfjorden - Cruise in  
Nordfjord - Haugesund - Southampton

Sea view  
Select Price from

£929<sup>†</sup>  
per person



### Guide to symbols

☾ evening in port ★ overnight in port

## Baltic

BRITANNIA B312 | 12 MAY 2023 | 14 NIGHTS

Southampton - Kiel - Helsinki  
St Petersburg ★ - Tallinn - Stockholm  
Copenhagen ☾ - Southampton  
2 full days in St Petersburg

Balcony  
Select Price from

£1,699<sup>†</sup>  
per person



## Caribbean Transatlantic<sup>Δ</sup>

ARVIA K321A | 14 OCT 2023 | 14 NIGHTS

Southampton - Tenerife - St Maarten  
Martinique - Barbados ★ - Fly to UK ➔

Flights  
included

Sea view  
Select Price from

£1,599<sup>†</sup>  
per person



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Extra on-board spending money\*

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# ISLAND IDYLLS

Island hopping may once have been the reserve of the Caribbean, but the Med is hot on its heels. From west to east, there's an oh-so-tempting palette of destinations waiting to be explored, each peppered with its own distinct draws for the curious tourist.

Move over, mainland, it's time for the islands to take centre stage.

Cala Saladeta, Ibiza

## Madeira

**M**adeira seems a logical place to start in our west-to-east sashay across the islands of the Med. Set aside for a moment that it's not in the Mediterranean but the Atlantic, and that strictly speaking it's an archipelago, and we're good to go.

Geographical disputes settled, Madeira is unarguably a mecca for year-round sun seekers. Closer to Africa than Europe, the mercury rarely dips to a level where you'll need to grab a coat - and if that's not what holidays are made for, we don't know what is. Famed for its fortified wine and dense cake, it's Madeira's lesser-known attractions and little quirks that give the so-called Pearl of the Atlantic its glistening appeal.

Sideline everything you'd expect from a Mediterranean island; Madeira is all about black-sand beaches and thick forest. Lovers of the great outdoors will be in their element, and while a slow-paced amble around Funchal Marina is pleasant enough, adventurous kinds can find themselves much better satisfied. Set your sights on Ribeiro Frio, where nature has kindly signposted the way to some of Madeira's most incredible vistas. Simply follow the path of the Levada, carefully carved by streams of water in centuries past, where you'll be guided up to the Balcões viewpoint. Magnificence doesn't quite cover it; the world below is densely green as far as the eye can see, so take a moment to contemplate

just how stunning this island, sorry, archipelago, is from above before tackling the descent back to reality.

Two-footed travel is hardly the reserve of Madeira, we hear you. But we challenge you to find anywhere else on earth that offers transport quite as unique - and some would say exhilarating - as the *carros de cestos*. Picture this: You're hurtling down Funchal's streets huddled together in a wicker toboggan, putting all your faith in a pair of waxed wooden runners and the skills of your gondoliers. It's a bizarre experience, and one we promise you will look back on fondly one day. This mode of transport has been around since the mid-19th century, and who are we to argue with tradition?





## Ibiza

Once hailed as the party island of the Mediterranean, Ibiza has shed its glow sticks in favour of an altogether more adult vibe. Yes, there are still pockets of pure party hedonism to be found in Playa d'en Bossa and Ibiza Town, but this is an island that has far much more to offer.

Dalt Vila is the antithesis to clubbers' Ibiza. With a translation that means 'High Town', this part of the island is exactly that; ascending the narrow cobbled streets will challenge even the most sure-footed of flip-flopped holidaymakers, but boy is it worth the trip. At the top you'll be greeted by the majestic Portal de Ses Taules, and what better way to infiltrate the city walls than via a drawbridge, a fitting entrance to the UNESCO World Heritage Site if ever we've seen one. You'd be forgiven for thinking this is the end of your ascent, but bear with us. Standing proud in the middle of Dalt Vila is a cathedral, and from here you'll be blessed with the best views of Ibiza. Pop inside to cool



off if you must, but you're going to want to savour every last moment of your endeavour.

Finding time to eat and drink like a local is essential while you're in Ibiza. Where once there were alcopops consumed by the dozen and cocktails served by the fish bowl, there are now more refined gastronomic experiences waiting to be discovered. Café caleta is one drink you should try

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at least once. A little like a souped up mulled wine, it's become one of Ibiza's best-kept secrets - order in advance, as it's only available in a select few restaurants on the island. Indulge in a slice of flaó while you're at it; this perfumed cheesecake tastes infinitely better than it sounds and will put you well on your way to reaching Ibiza's foodie pinnacle.

The White Isle is infinitely worthy of its title - and Las Salinas Beach will show you why. Located in the heart of Ses Salines Natural Park, the sea is glassy and the sands milky white. It's dotted with chiringuitos, informal bars where you can quickly cool down with a chilled cerveza and reflect on just how wonderful life is.

Ibiza, you've changed. But we love you all the more for it.

No trip to Madeira would be complete without at least sampling its wine. Most of us have a bottle languishing at the back of our drinks cabinet, bundled away somewhere between the saké and specialty sherry. There's no judgement here if you'd rather not take yet another bottle home, but it does seem like something of a rite of passage to sup at least a solitary glass while you're in Madeira. Fajã dos Padres is just the place to do it; only accessible by boat or cable car and complete with its own microclimate, you'll get a perfect viewpoint over the glittering Atlantic. Wine optional, but encouraged.

Madeira has been a mainstay of many a Mediterranean cruise itinerary for years, and long may it remain that way.



Carros de Cestos



Madeira Wine



Ribeiro Frio

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Fishing Boat in Cefalù

## Sicily

Sicily has been alluring travellers with its good looks and sultry side glances for decades. A stone's throw from the Italian mainland, it's a destination most school children learn how to place on a map with the rhyme 'the big boot of Italy kicked little Sicily right into the Mediterranean Sea'. But rest assured there is nothing down-trodden about this not-so-piccola isola. Plans for a bridge to connect Sicily to the mainland have stalled more times than a clapped-out Lambretta, so with one foot firmly on the brake for the time being at least, Sicily remains cut off by the Messina Strait.

One of Sicily's main allures is its climate. Balmy summers make way for more pleasant autumn and spring sojourns, and if you happen to find yourself here in winter? Well, that wouldn't be the end of the world, either.

No cursory glance over Sicily's offering would be complete without a mention of Mount Etna. The novelty of being home to an active volcano aside, Sicily owes a lot to its brooding presence. Lava-

formed rocky outcrops act as shrines to centuries gone by, while the lush, vibrant vineyards are testament to the fact that life always goes on. The slopes of Mount Etna are where Sicilia DOC wine is produced - and for that, we are forever thankful.



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Prepare for a gastronomic reawakening from the moment you step ashore. There's nothing finer than a bowl of pasta con le sarde by the sea; who knew that sultanas and sardines were such a great match? Find yours in Cefalù on the north of the island - an ancient fishing port full of character, charm and

that's arguably more restful than some of its neighbours on the Tyrrhenian coast. With the 270-metre rock that dominates the area looking over your shoulder and the low-key buzz of the harbour, we invite you to pull up a chair, pour a glass of that DOC wine and allow yourself to be wined and dined like royalty.

Sicily's la dolce vita is about as lavish as you can get. Cheers to that.



A Glass of Sicilia DOC Wine with a View of Mount Etna

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# Malta

Malta may be small, but it is oh-so-beautifully formed. Home to the tiniest capital city in Europe, this island spans just 20 miles by 10 - you won't find a single lake or river here, but not that it matters. The Maltese islands archipelago is brimming with culture and a resident population who are about as friendly as they come.

A handful of decades ago, you would have been hard pushed to find any tourists who had walked on these fossil-studded shores, but Malta has since made a name for itself as the popular kid on the block. The eagle-eyed will notice nods to a bygone era - this island was British for a short time

(well, over 150 years), before reverting back to independence in 1964. It's been through the Mediterranean equivalent of pass-the-parcel, but for those visitors' laps it has landed in, there is no shortage of layers to unwrap.

The capital, Valletta, is pretty much unavoidable on an island of this size, but it's the old walled capital of Mdina that really caught our attention. Standing proud at the top of a large hill, it's known locally as the Silent City, and as you traverse the narrow streets and discreet alleyways, you'll soon realise why. There are no cars in this part of town; only a select few have permission to drive in Mdina, so you can bask in the Norman and Baroque architecture without beeping horns or the fear of obstructing someone's driveway.

Mankind's finest handiwork may help you while away a few hours in Malta, but it's the archipelago's natural beauty that makes it so enticing. And so the Blue Lagoon beckons. Not to be confused with the Blue Grotto which will feature

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on many a tourist's hit list, the lagoon squats quietly on Comino, obscured by the surrounding islands of Malta and Gozo. Pearly-white sands are flanked by rugged cliff faces on one side, and a patchwork of shimmering blue hues on

the other. These mesmerising waters leave everything and nothing to the imagination, making it ideal for even the most amateur snorkeller.

Malta has gone from little-known to must-see in a mere matter of decades. It's time to see what all the fuss is about.



Valletta



Old Walled Capital of Mdina



Blue Lagoon

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## Crete

So many Greek islands, so little time. With no fewer than 227 to choose from, you could easily over-analyse each and every one and still be none the wiser as to which is worthy of your time. Entirely guilty of taking the simplest route, we present you with Crete, the largest of the Greek islands. From sun-drenched beaches to snow-sprinkled mountains, it may sound like a cliché, but there really is something for everyone. Crete epitomises everything that's great about holidaying in the Mediterranean: the sea, the sand, the sunshine and the souvlaki, it's an island waiting to be savoured in every sense of the word.

If your foray into the far corner of Europe just isn't complete without feeling the sand between your toes and the salty kiss of the sea air, then fear not. Sure, you can get the typical white-sand experience at the likes of Matala and Preveli, but it's Elafonisi where Crete's real wow factor awaits. Blush-coloured shores melt into the clearest of waters; thousands of shells have washed up on these lily-white sands over the centuries, creating swathes of pastel pink that wouldn't look out of place on a watercolour painting. Shallow waters ensure this the perfect spot for families,

but be warned, you'll be far from alone during peak times of the year.

Few visit Greece without at least a brief glance into its rich history and culture. Where else in the world are you going to stumble across the birthplace of Zeus? Nestled high in the Dicte mountain range is the humble Psychro Cave, where legend has it that Greek God Zeus was born and raised. Believe what you like, it's hard not to become swept up in the hype while you're here. Marvelling at crags, photographing them from every angle - it's all par for the course.

If heading home with a head full of the who's who of Greek mythology isn't really your bag, there are plenty of other opportunities to get your historical fix in Crete. Chania, has more of a laid back vibe; the Old Town is the perfect place to get momentarily lost, its maze of cobbled walkways sure to stump even



Psychro Cave

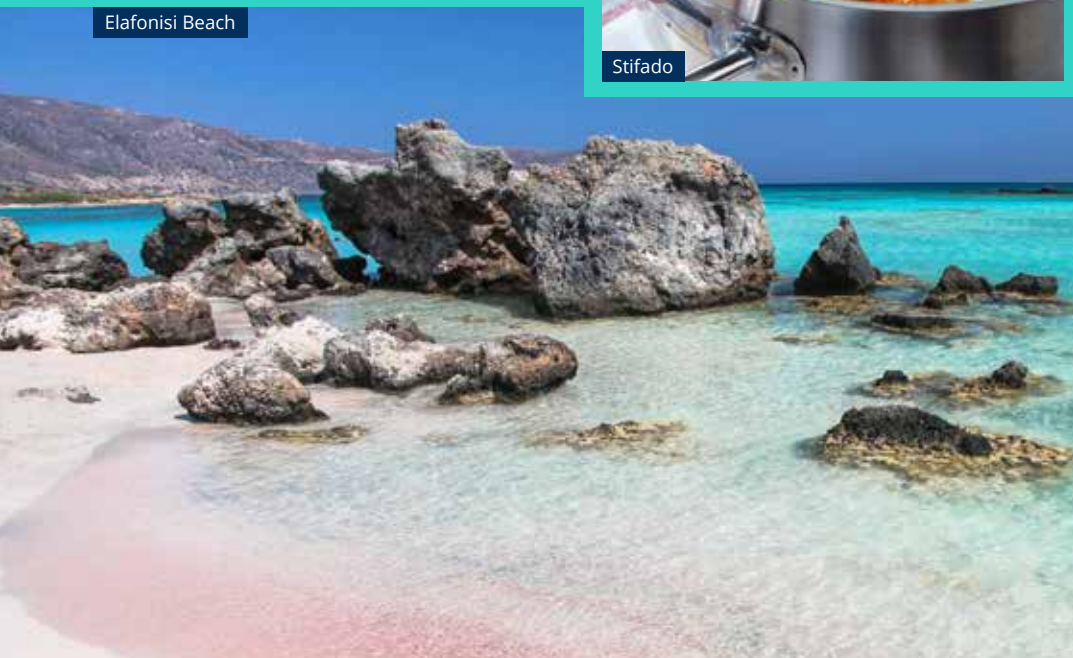
the strongest sense of direction. But this isn't a bad thing. Far from it. If you're fortunate enough to happen across a taverna, then shun all your other pre-laid plans and prepare to be treated to some of the finest food that's ever passed your lips. Rich, melt-in-the-mouth stifado, lightly-seasoned red snapper that's as fresh as fresh as can be - it's all here for the taking. Washed down with a thimble of ouzo, you'll begrudge ever having to find your way back.

Crete is the Med's all-round crowd pleaser, where good times are guaranteed.



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Hvar Harbour

## Hvar

We'll finish our trip across the Mediterranean just as we started - on an island that's not actually in the Med. But Hvar is so stunning that we can't help but give it a mention, and we'd defy even the worst photographer in the world to take a bad picture. The harbour is reminiscent of Monte Carlo, but Hvar is some 700-plus miles away, where the sun (almost) always shines and the times are always good. While you're unlikely to be losing your shirt in a Croatian casino any time soon, you'd be forgiven for being swept off your feet by this island's chiselled good looks and obvious wealth sweating out of every pore.

Hvar Old Town is the tonic you need after being blown away by such a grand entrance to the island. A quiet retreat away from the hullabaloo of the harbour, the only sound you'll hear in these parts is the quiet padding of your own footsteps. Winding stone streets and whitewashed buildings stand shoulder to shoulder with Venetian architecture that serves as a reminder

of times gone by. You can spend hours here just wandering, and not feeling like a moment of your day has been wasted.

There are debates over just how many days of sunshine a year Hvar achieves, but rest assured, it's a lot. Sun-scorched landscapes lend themselves beautifully

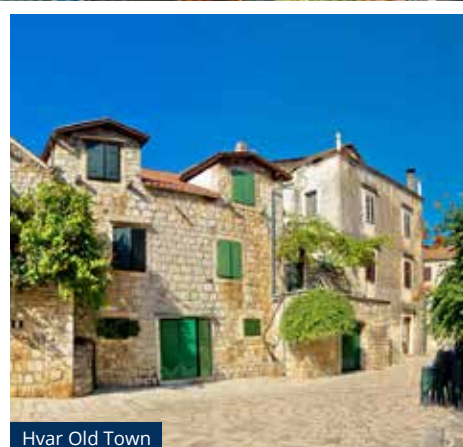


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to growing olives and grapes, so it's hardly a surprise that olive oil and wine remain some of Hvar's prime exports. According to a local saying, a fish swims three times in Dalmatia; once in the sea, once in local olive oil as it's being prepared, and finally in white wine as it is relished during the meal. Put this theory to the test by tracking

down the local dish Hvarska Gregada, a moreish stew of fish, potatoes, onions and garlic finished with lashings of locally-made olive oil. Devour every last morsel, it'll be well worth it.

This island never fails to provide an assault on the senses. Jasmine often circles in the sea breeze, as does the unmistakable scent of lavender. Swathes of purple adorn the landscape in early summer, born out of the



Hvar Old Town

cracked, chalky soils where little else thrives. But don't worry, a trip to Hvar in June or July won't evoke memories of your granny's favourite perfume - this lavender is considered some of the best in the world.

Hvar looks, smells and tastes as good as good can be. A match made in holiday heaven if ever we've seen one.

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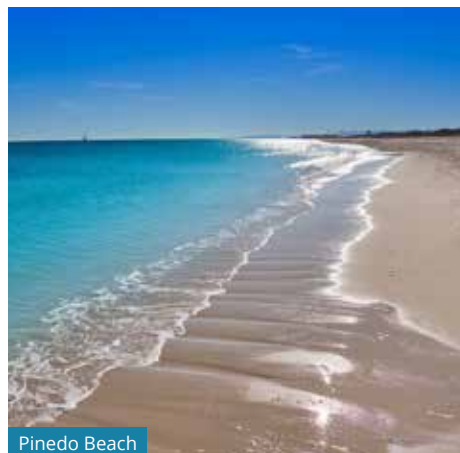
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## DO THIS



Turia Park

Valencia used to flood. A lot. And in 1957, the city finally decided enough was enough. Turia River had wreaked havoc one too many times, so officials decided to reroute the river to the western outskirts of the city. What's left behind are scars that Valencia is only too proud to bear - Turia Park is a ribbon of green that winds carelessly throughout the city, the now-drained river bed providing a place to amble and seek solace from the searing summer heat. How you choose to explore depends on just how energetic you're feeling, but bear in mind Turia Park spans a pretty long way. We'd recommend hiring a bike or hopping on the twee tourist train to maximise your miles.

It's near-on impossible not to happen upon Ciudad de las Artes y las Ciencias, or The City of Arts and Sciences, during

your time in Valencia. This feat of modern architecture was designed by local boy Santiago Calatrava, who, fair enough, might not have quite the same stripes as Gaudi. His construction is

nevertheless recognised as one of the 12 Treasures of Spain, where it's wedged between the likes of La Sagrada Familia and the Alhambra Palace. So, if you're easily swayed by rankings and the like, this is one to tick off your list. It's very much the Marmite of futuristic buildings, but love it or hate it, this modern masterpiece provided the

backdrop to a Doctor Who episode and featured in the George Clooney flick, Tomorrowland.

But what's inside, we hear you ask? The Ciudad de las Artes y las Ciencias is home to a science museum, opera house and a planetarium - it really is

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Ciudad de las Artes y las Ciencias

the attraction to end all attractions. The València Aquarium Oceanogràfic is right next door; finding Nemo might be a little challenging, as the largest aquarium in Europe, there are a humongous 45,000 living creatures from 500 different species under its roof.

If you want to return home with bragging rights to having seen one of the world's most famous artefacts on your travels, this one's for you. The Cathedral of Valencia is an impressive building in itself, a focal point of surrounding plazas that brings together Baroque, Romanesque and Gothic architecture. But what lies between its four walls is what makes it so deserving of a few of your precious tourist minutes. Valencia Cathedral claims to be home to the Holy Grail - yes, that Holy Grail. Admittedly, there are hundreds of these dotted around the globe, but this is the only one officially recognised by the Vatican. Believe what you will, it's well worth a look and the coolness of the cathedral will give you a few minutes' respite from the Valencian heat.

Oceanogràfic in Valencia



Valencia Cathedral





Valencian Paella

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La Pepica is among the best, and with that view of the Med, waiting for your freshly-prepped paella will be more of an honour than a chore.

Few of Spain's regional delicacies are as famous as Valencia's. Paella has made a name for itself the world over, but there's something quite special about sampling this sumptuous rice dish right here in the city of its birth. Purists will tell you a truly authentic paella isn't packed with juicy prawns and succulent squid - chicken and rabbit are how it started, and anything else is sacrilege.

Wend your way down Valencia's winding back streets and find yourself a place where the paella is made to order. Ideally, you want one that's been tended to for hours by a passionate cocinero -

this isn't a dish to grab on a flying lunch break. Pour yourself a glass of vino (or a carafe if you're in it for the long haul) and let the chefs work their magic.

Anything that makes it

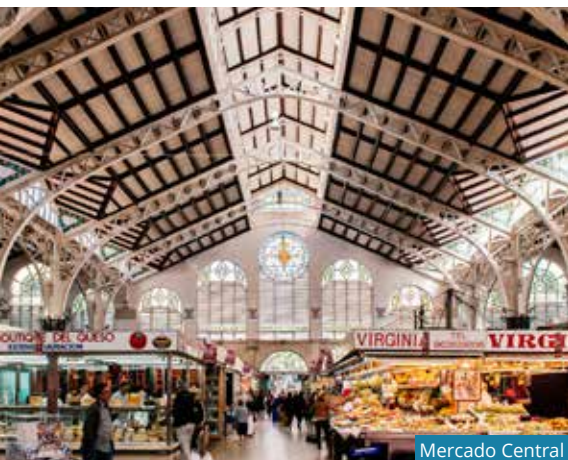
onto your plate in under half an hour is likely to have been pre-made, frozen and reheated, and that just won't do. You've come all this way, so let the Valencians show you how it's really done. La Pepica is among the best, and with that view of the Med, waiting for your freshly-prepped paella will be more of an honour than a chore.

If that doesn't indulge all your foodie fantasies in one fell swoop, then Mercado Central certainly will. Believe us when we say it's a real feast for all the senses; held in the same building since the 13th century, each section of the market is dedicated to different produce. If you can't find a particular Spanish delicacy under this roof, it's safe to say it probably doesn't exist.

Rest your legs at Central Bar, where all the ingredients are sourced from the surrounding market. Play it safe with the sweetness of a Valencian tomato salad, or push the boundaries with a grilled pig's ear complete with mojo picón sauce.



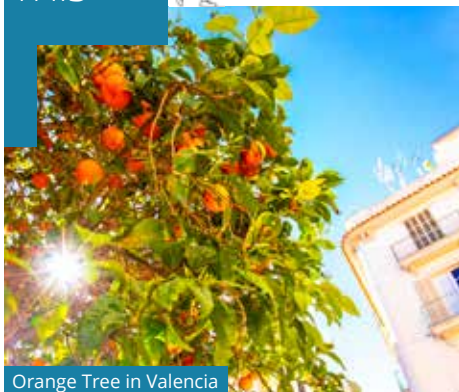
Food and Sunshine in Front of the Mercado Central



Mercado Central



## DRINK THIS



Orange Tree in Valencia

**F**or a city that's unarguably the Citrus Capital of Europe, you'd be hard pushed not to find a decent tippie. And while a refreshing glass of Valencian orange juice probably can't be beaten, it also forms the basis of another regional speciality: Agua de Valencia.

This local cocktail is a bit like a turbo-charged buck's fizz; fresh orange and cava, topped with vodka and gin. Yes, you read that right, a holy trinity of boozy delights go into this concoction. For one of the most authentic Agua de Valencia, head to Ciutat Vella where there's a huddle of restaurants and bars just waiting to make you one. You might end up needing that siesta, after all.

Prefer something a little more subdued and less alcoholic? Find time for a horchata. This milky concoction is made from locally-grown chufa nuts combined with sugar and water; at best it has health benefits (or so locals believe) and at worst it's a delicious drink. Make sure you grab a fartón to dip in the cool, sweet, creamy nectar - these elongated, doughnut-like pastries are the perfect pairing.

Not only are there plenty of places to try horchata in Valencia, but they're helpfully named 'horchatería'. Depending on how committed you are to hunting down the best in town, you could head slightly north of the city to Alboraya, where the chufa nuts are grown. Alternatively, Horchatería Daniel is nestled right in the city centre and will satisfy your craving just as well.



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Agua de Valencia



Horchata Served with a Fartón

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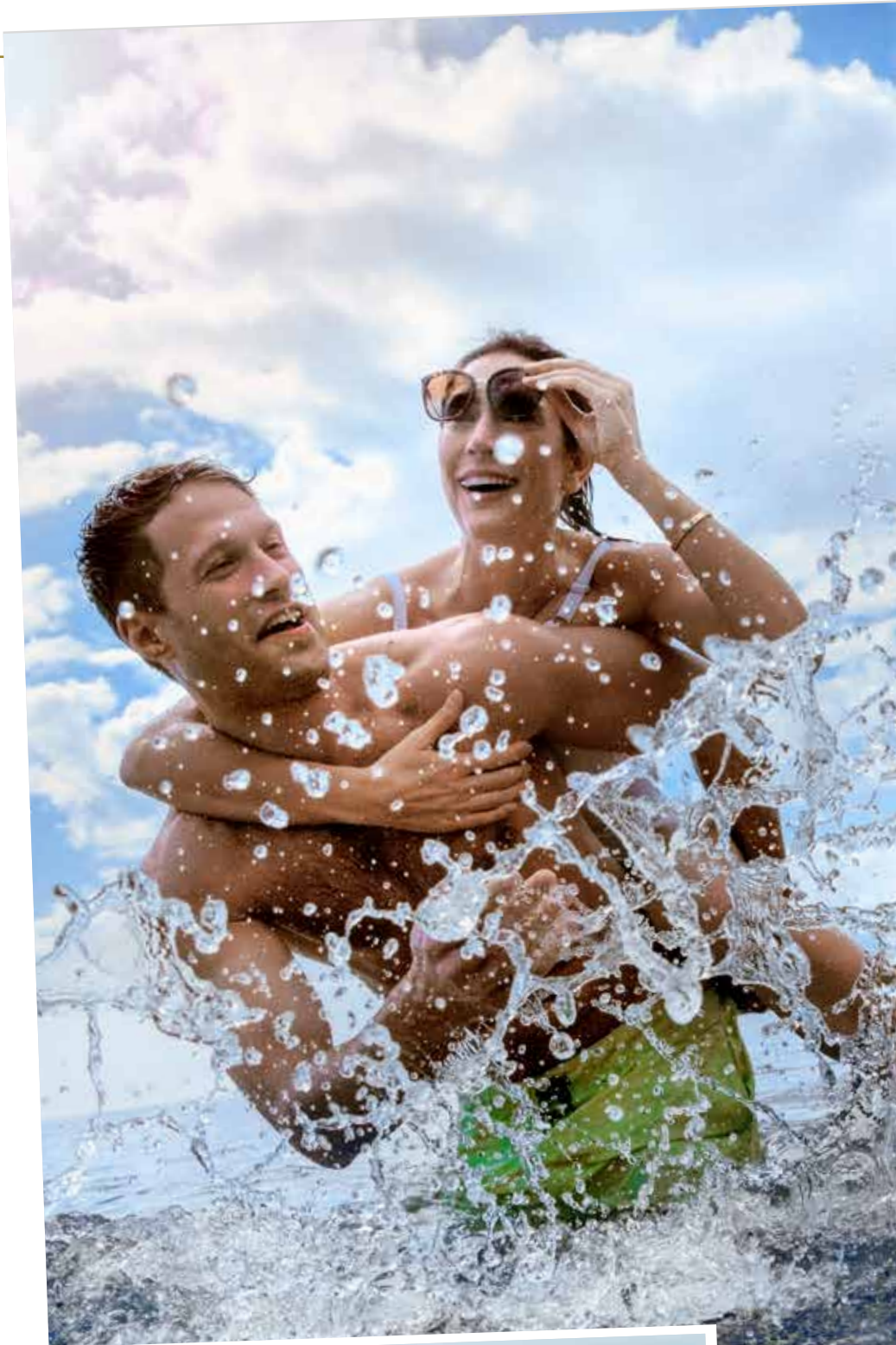
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#### Your Itinerary

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##### DAY 3 BARCELONA

Ice Bar Experience

##### DAY 4 BARCELONA

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##### DAY 5 PALMA DE MALLORCA

##### DAY 7 GIBRALTAR

##### DAY 8 MALAGA

##### DAY 9 & 10 IBIZA (OVERNIGHT IN PORT)

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#### Holiday Highlights

3-night stay at 4★ hotel in Zante (AI)	Flight from Zante to Athens	1-night stay at a 4★ hotel in Athens (B&B)	7-night cruise onboard Resilient Lady
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#### Your Itinerary

##### DAY 1 UK

Fly from London ✈ to Zante. On arrival, private transfer to your 4★ hotel for a three-night stay.

##### DAY 4 ZANTE

Private transfer to the airport for your flight ✈ to Athens. On arrival, private transfer to your 4★ hotel for a one-night stay.

##### DAY 5 PIRAEUS (ATHENS)

Private transfer to the port and embark Resilient Lady. Depart Athens.

##### DAY 6 SANTORINI

##### DAY 7 RHODES

##### DAY 8 CHANIA (SOUDA BAY)

##### DAY 10 & 11 MYKONOS (OVERNIGHT IN PORT)

##### DAY 12 PIRAEUS (ATHENS)

Disembark Resilient Lady and take your private transfer to the airport for your return flight to London ✈.

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# EXPLORED

## CRUISING

Hjørundfjorden, Norway

Cruising has long made a name for itself as being about scratching the surface of a destination, dipping just enough of a toe into its uncharted waters to know whether it's worth a return visit. Until expedition cruising came along.

Intrepid explorers have been voyaging into the unknown for

generations, but cast aside any images of clapped-out fishing trawlers crusted with peeling paint and dorm-like digs. This is expedition cruising reimagined. It's an opportunity to expand your horizons and go further, higher and deeper than ever before, with all the luxury you'd expect from the modern-day cruise ship.



Viking Expedition Ship Finse Terrace

## Cruising, but not as we know it

Cruise lines have been clamouring over one another for years to bring the biggest, best and most advanced technology to the seven seas. Expedition cruises are no different. Where once there were bumper cars, surfing simulators and suspended viewing decks, there's now onboard expedition technology that wouldn't look out of place in a James Bond film. From all-weather in-cabin viewing platforms to Zodiacs, there's an entire alphabet of features waiting to be explored.



Scenic Eclipse Helicopter

The best way to approach an expedition is to throw everything you think you already know about cruising out of a porthole and start again. This includes all the cruise lingo you've amassed over the years. Take ice breakers as an example. These are no longer the conversation topics you have in reserve just in case you get placed with another couple at lunch. Instead, they are what your expedition ship is equipped with to - you guessed it - break the ice.

But with expedition ships, it's not a case of style over substance. Regardless of which cruise line you choose, each vessel has been meticulously designed to optimise your on and off board experience. Whether it's the 85-foot, in-ship marina housed onboard the all-new Viking Octantis and Viking Polaris, or the climate-controlled mudroom on board Scenic Eclipse, no detail has been left to chance.

Options for exploring the stunning surroundings of your destination have

also never been greater. Aside from offering the usual inflatable Zodiac boats, cruise lines are serving up experiences that will surpass even your wildest expectations. Seabourn's new expedition ships offer a jaw-dropping adventure above and beneath the waves, their custom-built submarines capable of transporting up to six passengers to depths of 300 metres. This once-in-a-lifetime experience puts shipwrecks, coral reefs and marine wildlife just a glass-thickness away.

You would also be forgiven for thinking your expedition cruise is only going to show you the best of nature from land and sea. Scenic Cruises have taken expectations up a notch by offering guests the opportunity to soar high above select destinations. Two state-of-the-art Airbus EC-130-T2 helicopters are available on board Scenic Eclipse, helping adventurers tick another item off those quickly-dwindling bucket lists.





## Casting an Expert Eye

One important thing to bear in mind about expedition ships is all this isn't just for show. Important work is being undertaken, so when you see a scientist peering down a microscope or carefully transporting a petri dish, it's not someone fresh out of an amateur dramatics society. The Hurtigruten Expeditions onboard Science Center is testament to this. Packed with microscopes, interactive maps and a whole host of other stuff that will make any scientist go weak at the knees, this is where the hard work happens. Some experts will use their time on board to advance their studies,

analysing samples they've taken ashore and chatting with guests as they do so.

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The onboard team aren't just textbook-educated know-it-alls, but genuine, bona fide leaders in their respective fields.

The onboard team aren't just textbook-educated know-it-alls, but genuine, bona fide leaders in their respective fields. Anyone can claim to be an anthology of all things Antarctica, or clued-up on the rainforest canopies of Central America, but few have the decades of research and experience in their arsenal, ready to deploy at any moment.

Expedition cruising is about more than just giving a cursory shrug to an exciting new nugget of information. It's about really getting to the beating heart of the



Seabourn's Mini Sub

destinations you're visiting, guided by the people who know them best.

Expedition ships have been designed for learning. Where you'd usually while away your day exercising your bingo dabbers or learning how to lambada, expedition cruises involve lectures, seminars and the like to really get your grey matter going. That's not to say you'll have to leave your sense of fun on the shore, but this is an altogether different way to cruise. You'll likely find a dedicated expedition team on board, a handpicked selection of experts that range from marine and wildlife biologists to palaeontologists, oceanographers to glaciologists. They will run activities, give talks and delve deeper into the scenery that surrounds you. Wherever in the world you're headed, there will be plenty of know-how to bring your destinations to life, ensuring you return home with a head full of memories and facts that will animate any conversation.



Guests Enjoying a Drink at DolceVita, Silver Cloud



Sunset Over the Amazon Rainforest

## Exploring Seas Less Travelled

The real star of the show on an expedition cruise is the destination. If you're one of those people who takes great pleasure in reeling off the names of exotic, far-flung locations nobody else has heard of, let alone visited, then an expedition cruise is for you. Be prepared to turn traditional excursions on their head. Saint Augustine once said "the world is a book, and those who do not travel read only a page"; if this is true, then expedition cruising is the War and Peace of the library.

As the popularity of expedition cruising gathers pace, so does the list of destinations on offer. From winter tundras to wildlife havens, there are few landscapes that remain untouched by this type of itinerary. The real beauty of expedition ships is that they're small enough to tackle some of the world's most restricted waterways; the freshwater playground of Canada's Georgian Bay awaits, as does the majesty and magnitude of the Chilean Fjords. Crystalline waters to foam-crested waves, these adventures are as varied as they are exciting. Expect

scenery that will encourage you to stop and stare.

Some are even coupled with land tours to take the voyage of discovery one step further. The cloud-shrouded peaks of El Chaltén high in Patagonia are an option on some itineraries - it's up to you just how deep into these incredible destinations you want to go. You might start planning your trip with a pretty firm idea of where - and what - you want to see. However, an expedition cruise wouldn't live up to its name if its imagination was limited to the confines of the usual tourist destinations.



Wildlife encounters are undoubtedly one of the most memorable elements of any expedition cruise.

## Wildlife Wonderlands

Wildlife encounters are undoubtedly one of the most memorable elements of any expedition cruise. See whales breach the glassy waters of Norway's Svalbard Archipelago, hear the roar of the howler monkey in the depths of the Amazon - these are memories that will stay with you for a lifetime. Each itinerary has been carefully curated to maximise your time at a destination; while chance might play a small part on the amount of wildlife you see, there's

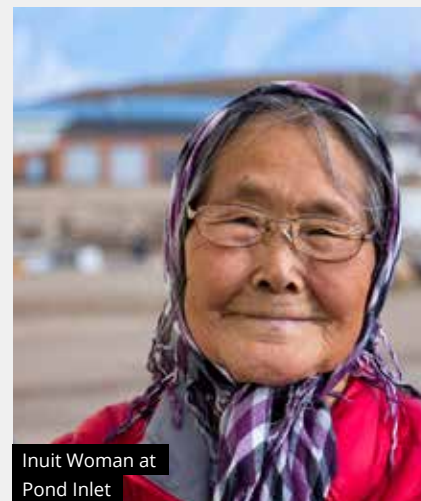


Black Howler Monkey

also a great deal of planning involved, too. Those experts we mentioned are integral to your entire experience.

The Galapagos Islands have been a mainstay of many a travel wishlist, especially for families in search of that extra-special adventure. On approach to this wilderness, younger generations might be left wondering what possessed you to bring them here. Leaving the bright lights of the television screen and games consoles at home may, at first glance, not seem like a fair trade. But oh, how opinions can change. Iguanas basking in the Ecuadorian heat, toddler-sized tortoises ambling their way across sun-scorched sands. This unassuming archipelago is home to more than 4,000 species, a cool 40% of them found nowhere else on earth. Charles Darwin spent a good few weeks here, and while we can't promise you'll come away with your own evolutionary theory, you will at least get a glimpse of what makes this part of the world so magical.





Inuit Woman at  
Pond Inlet

## Be Led by the Locals

And what are these places if not for the people? Natural splendour might be the order of the day on an expedition cruise, but being welcomed into some incredible communities only adds to the sense of adventure. Seabourn transport their guests to the Inuit town of Pond Inlet, where just 1,600 people call home. It's a far cry from the usual tourist trails of northern Canada, but one that will stay with you forever. Yes, the fjords, glaciers and icebergs are sights to behold, their icy-cold exterior a stark contrast to the warm, welcoming nature of the Inuit people. They'll guide their visitors through the town they are so proud of, speckled with animal hides drying in the watery sun, and wooden sledges providing the preferred mode of transport. It's a world away from normality, but this is what expedition cruising does best.



Colombia's Utría National Park

## Not-to-be Missed National Parks

You've pencilled a line through all the usual must-see national parks, and now it's time to trade them up for somewhere a little more adventurous. Yosemite and Kruger might have their appeal, but with an expedition cruise, you'll have a front row seat for getting the best photo.

Colombia's Utría National Park is one to add to your ever-depleting list. Dotted with gnarly mangroves against the contrast of lush, tropical rainforest, you'll be treated to everything that nature has to offer. It's also billed as one of the best places to see whales; during calving season the pods will meander their way into the inlet and play just a matter of metres from the shore. Scenic Cruises is just one of those bringing this experience to life.



Humpback Whale

From green as far as the eye can see to swathes of snow, expedition cruises go as far north as Greenland's National Park. It's the largest in the world spanning an eye-watering 972,000 square kilometres - that's nearly the equivalent of France and Spain combined. The national park is home to just a handful of inhabitants (around 40, we're led to believe), its rugged wilderness just as imposing as it is intriguing, with jagged mountains carving their way through the inky sky. Hurtigruten Expeditions shows Northeast Greenland National Park in all its glory, and with visitor numbers limited, it's an honour to be among them.

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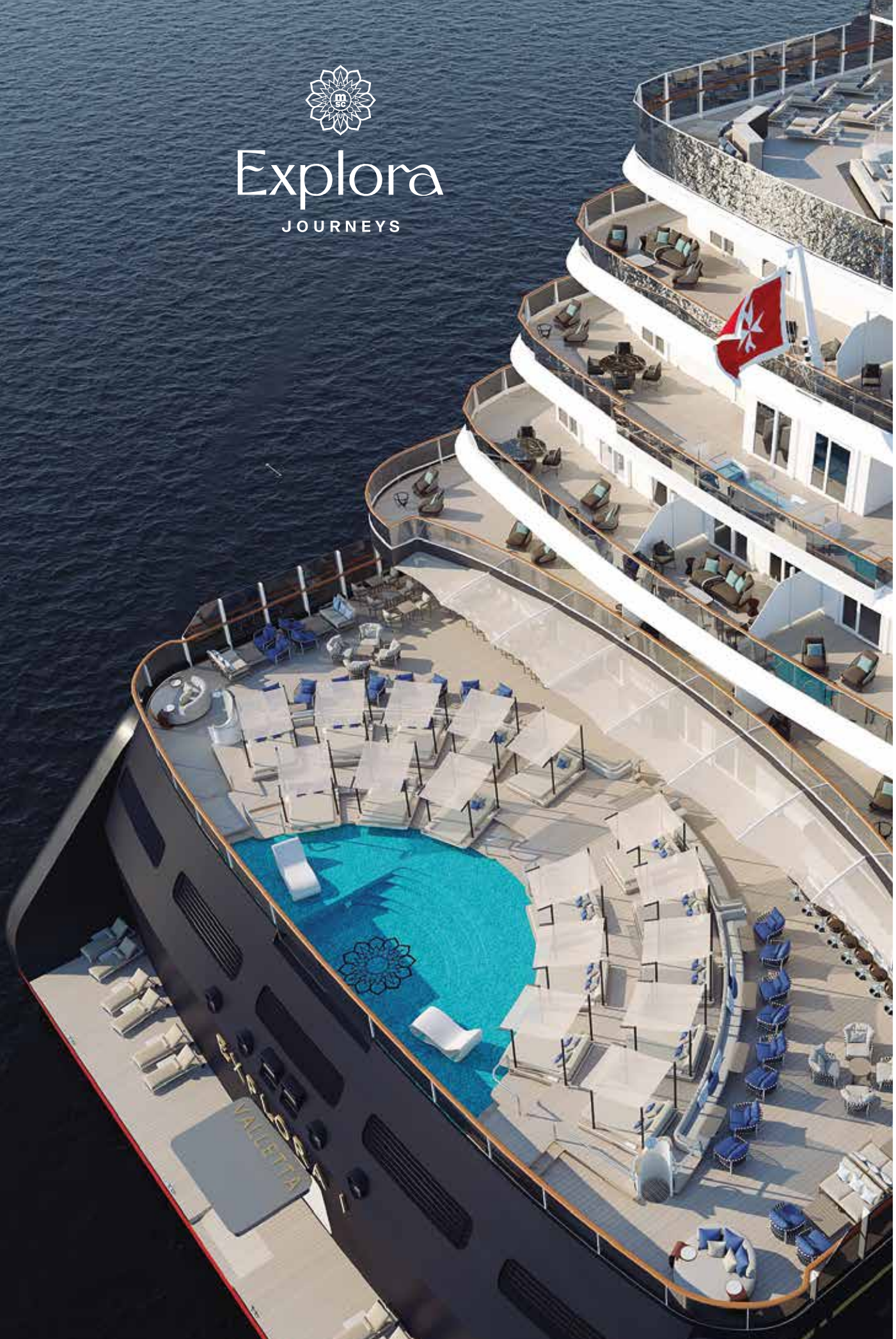
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**DAY 7** San Juan

**DAY 8** Dominican Republic

**DAY 9** Grand Turk

**DAY 11** Arrive in Port Canaveral. Disembark Carnival Mardi Gras and take your private transfer to the airport for your return overnight flight to the UK.

**DAY 12** Arrive in UK.



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Orlando



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**FUN 1**


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Departing 7 May 2022

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**DAY 2 BARCELONA**  
Private transfer to the port and embark Carnival Pride for your 11-night cruise. Depart Barcelona.

**DAY 4 PORTIMAO (ALGARVE)**

**DAY 5 LISBON**

**DAY 6 LEIXOES (PORTO)**

**DAY 7 VIGO**

**DAY 8 LA CORUNA**


**DAY 10 GIBRALTAR**

**DAY 11 MALAGA**

**DAY 13 BARCELONA**  
Disembark Carnival Pride and take your private transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK ➔.

Based on Manchester






**£899** pp

**INNOVATIVE 2**


## Wonders of the Western Med

### Wonder of The Seas 8 Nights

Departing 7 May 2022

**DAY 1 UK**  
Fly from UK ➔ to Barcelona. On arrival, private transfer to your 4★ hotel for a one-night stay.

**DAY 2 BARCELONA**  
Private transfer to the port and embark Wonder of the Seas for your seven-night cruise. Depart Barcelona.

**DAY 3 PALMA DE MALLORCA**

**DAY 4 PROVENCE (MARSEILLE)**

**DAY 5 LA SPEZIA (FLORENCE/PISA)**


**DAY 6 CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)**

**DAY 7 NAPLES**

**DAY 9 BARCELONA**  
Disembark Wonder of the Seas and take your private transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK ➔.

Based on Birmingham



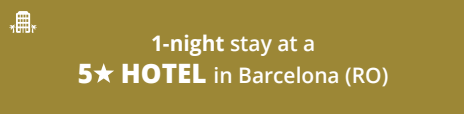

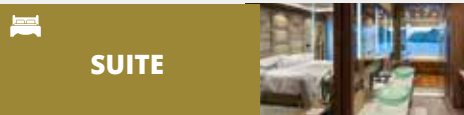
**£1,449** pp

**PREMIUM 3**


## Springtime Siesta

### Azamara Pursuit 8 Nights

Departing 30 May 2022

**DAY 1 UK**  
Fly from UK ➔ to Barcelona. On arrival, private transfer to your 5★ hotel for a one-night stay.

**DAY 2 BARCELONA**  
Private transfer to the port and embark Azamara Pursuit for your seven-night cruise. Depart Barcelona.

**DAY 3 VALENCIA**

**DAY 4 CARTAGENA**

**DAY 5 MALAGA**

**DAY 6 GIBRALTAR**

**DAY 7 CADIZ**

**DAY 8 LISBON (OVERNIGHT IN PORT)**

**DAY 9 LISBON**  
Disembark Azamara Pursuit and take your private transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK ➔.

Based on Heathrow

**£2,399** pp

➔ Flights from other selected UK airports may be available for a surcharge.

Lead package price based on 7 May 2022 Manchester/Barcelona flight operated by Easyjet EZY1843 06:05/09:25, returning 19 May 2022 Barcelona/Manchester flight operated by Easyjet EZY1856 14:15/16:00





# Stunning Shores of the Aegean

Silver Spirit | 13 Nights

Departing 6 Sep 2023

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From  
**£5,299** pp



Santorini

Paros

Silver Spirit



Athina Luxury Suites

There are few places as stunning as sun-kissed Santorini, with its turquoise waters and laid-back vibe - it's the perfect location to unwind in before heading off to see other jewels of the Aegean crown. Bask in the late-summer sun and sample the best of what this amazing part of the world has to offer.

## Holiday Highlights



4-night stay at 5★  
Athina Luxury Suites  
in Santorini  
(B&B, Junior Suite)



Flight from  
Santorini to Athens

### INCLUDES SHORE EXCURSIONS



9-night **ultra all-inclusive**  
cruise onboard Silver Spirit



Athina Luxury Suites



Athina Luxury Suites



Nauplion

## Your Itinerary

### DAY 1 UK

Fly from UK ✈ to Santorini. On arrival, private transfer to your 5★ hotel The Athina Luxury Suites for a four-night stay.

### DAY 5

Private transfer to the airport for your flight to Athens. On arrival in Athens, private transfer to the port and embark Silver Spirit for your nine-night cruise. Depart Athens.

### DAY 6 PAROS

### DAY 7 SANTORINI

### DAY 8 KUSADASI

### DAY 9 PATMOS

### DAY 10 MYKONOS

### DAY 11 RHODES

### DAY 12 CRETE

### DAY 13 NAUPLION

### DAY 14 ATHENS

Disembark Silver Spirit and transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK ✈.



Crete

Date	Vista Suite pp	Classic Veranda pp
6 Sep 2023	<b>£5,299</b>	<b>£5,799</b>

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# Mediterranean and Greek Medley

Regal Princess | 12 Nights

Departing 22 Aug 2022

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From  
**£1,799** pp

Includes Princess Plus – Drinks, Tips & Wi-Fi

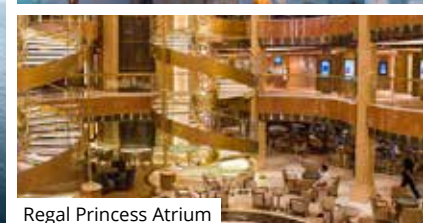


Rhodes

Santorini



Regal Princess



Regal Princess Atrium

This itinerary is a mezze platter of all the best bits of the Mediterranean and Greece. Start your trip in Rhodes with its charming Old Town and blissful beaches before venturing to a host of other stunning destinations. This is a sun-soaked adventure you won't want to miss.

## Holiday Highlights



5-night stay at a 5★ beach front hotel in Rhodes (All Inclusive)



Flight from Rhodes to Athens



7-night cruise onboard Regal Princess



Kotor



Messina

Date	Inside pp	Balcony (obs) pp
22 Aug 2022	<b>£1,799</b>	<b>£2,099</b>

## Your Itinerary

### DAY 1 UK

Fly from UK ✈ to Rhodes. On arrival, private transfer to your 5★ beach front hotel for a five-night all-inclusive stay.

### DAY 6 ATHENS

Private transfer to the airport for your flight to Athens. On arrival, private transfer to the port and embark Regal Princess for your seven-night cruise. Depart Athens.

### DAY 7 SANTORINI

### DAY 9 KOTOR

### DAY 10 MESSINA

### DAY 11 NAPLES

### DAY 13 BARCELONA

Disembark Regal Princess and take your private transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK ✈.

Intermittent cruise days are at sea.



Naples

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Lead package price based on 22 Aug 2022 Gatwick/Rhodes flight operated by Easyjet EY6541 13:10/1:15, returning 3 Sep 2022 Barcelona/Gatwick flight operated by Easyjet EY8576 17:05/18:35. Internal flight 27 Aug 2022 Rhodes/Athens Sky Express GQ281 09:25/10:25.





# Uncover Your Spanish Obsession

Valiant Lady **BRAND NEW SHIP** | 10 Nights

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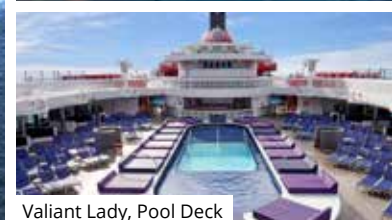
Barcelona



Mallorca



Valiant Lady



Valiant Lady, Pool Deck

Barcelona. It's a city where over-indulging on tapas and architecture is expected and encouraged. Whether you choose to gorge yourself on patatas bravas or marvel at the works of Gaudi, it's the ideal place to begin your Spanish adventure. Then it's onwards to the paradise of Palma and stunning sunsets of Ibiza (among others) - you won't want it to end!

## Holiday Highlights



3-night stay at a 4★ hotel in Barcelona (RO)



Barcelona Food Tasting Tapas and Wine Tour



7-night cruise onboard Valiant Lady

### Barcelona Food Tasting Tapas and Wine Tour

Discover the real Barcelona through its food. Start your day at Santa Caterina Market before venturing to other traditional bars and eateries throughout this amazing city. You'll get 14 different food tastings and three local drinks to savour - from homemade paella to a glass of warming vermouth, this is a tour that leaves no gastronomic stone of Barcelona unturned.



Tapas

### Wine Tasting



## Your Itinerary

### DAY 1 UK

Fly from UK ✈ to Barcelona. On arrival, take your private transfer to your 4★ hotel for a three-night stay.

### DAY 2

Food Tasting Tapas and Wine Tour.

### DAY 4

Private transfer to the port and embark Valiant Lady for your seven-night cruise. Depart Barcelona.

### DAY 5 PALMA DE MALLORCA

### DAY 6 MALAGA (OVERNIGHT IN PORT)

### DAY 7 MALAGA

### DAY 8 GIBRALTAR

### DAY 9 IBIZA (OVERNIGHT IN PORT)

### DAY 10 IBIZA

### DAY 11 BARCELONA

Disembark Valiant Lady and private transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK ✈.



Ibiza

Date	Insider pp	Sea View pp	Sea Terrace pp	Seriously Suite pp
28 Jul 2022	<b>£1,749</b>	<b>£1,849</b>	<b>£1,999</b>	<b>£2,649</b>
22 Sep 2022	<b>£1,499</b>	<b>£1,599</b>	<b>£1,729</b>	<b>£2,299</b>

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✈ Flights from other selected UK airports may be available for a surcharge.

Lead package price based on 28 Jul 2022 Heathrow/Barcelona flight operated by British Airways BA480 14:30/17:40, returning 7 Aug 2022 Barcelona/Heathrow flight operated by British Airways BA481 18:25/19:45.





# Tastes and Traditions of the Mediterranean

Queen Elizabeth | 10 Nights

Departing 19 Aug, 2, 16 & 30 Sep 2022

**CRUISE & STAY**  
EXCLUSIVE HOLIDAYS

From  
**£1,099** pp

Based on 2 Sep 2022



Barcelona

Villefranche



Queen Elizabeth



Rome

From ancient cities to the traditional dishes, immerse yourself in everything the Mediterranean has to offer. Kick off your adventure with wine and tapas in Barcelona, before discovering the captivating cities and stunning sunsets that give the region its enduring appeal.

## Holiday Highlights



3-night stay at a  
4★ hotel  
in Barcelona



Montserrat Tapas  
and Wine Tour



7-night cruise onboard  
Queen Elizabeth

### Montserrat Tapas and Wine tour

Experience wine tasting with a difference at the family-run Oller del Mas Winery, one of the most important in the foothills of Montserrat. This castle is 1,000 years old and stretches over acres of land, the perfect backdrop for you to learn first hand about the wine making process. An expert guide will then take you on a walk amongst the vines and down into the wine cellar, before you round off your day with a wine tasting course. Sample a trio of local wines alongside a tapas lunch before returning to Barcelona.



Montserrat

## Your Itinerary

### DAY 1 UK

Fly from UK ✈ to Barcelona. On arrival, private transfer to your 4★ hotel for a three-night stay.

### DAY 3 BARCELONA

Enjoy a Montserrat Tapas and Wine tour.

### DAY 4

Private transfer to port and embark Queen Elizabeth for your seven-night cruise. Depart Barcelona.

### DAY 6 VILLEFRANCHE (NICE)

### DAY 7 CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)

### DAY 8 NAPLES

### DAY 9 PALMA DE MALLORCA

### DAY 11 BARCELONA

Disembark Queen Elizabeth and private transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK ✈.

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Date	Inside pp	Outside (obs) pp	Balcony (obs) pp	Princess Grill pp
19 Aug 2022	<b>£1,549</b>	<b>£1,599</b>	<b>£1,759</b>	<b>£2,699</b>
2 Sep 2022	<b>£1,099</b>	<b>£1,199</b>	<b>£1,349</b>	<b>£2,299</b>
16 Sep 2022	<b>£1,399</b>	<b>£1,499</b>	<b>£1,599</b>	<b>£2,499</b>
30 Sep 2022	<b>£1,199</b>	<b>£1,299</b>	<b>£1,379</b>	<b>£2,269</b>



Barcelona

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# Mediterranean Lakes and Lookouts

## Celebrity Reflection | 14 Nights

Departing 30 May, 11 Jul, 1 Aug, 12 Sep, 3 Oct 2022

From  
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Based on 3 Oct 2022

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Lake Garda



Rome

Celebrity Reflection

Corfu

The stunning views and glassy waters of Lake Garda make for the perfect start to your holiday. You'll then jet off to the historic city of Rome, before discovering some of the Mediterranean's most captivating locations.

## Holiday Highlights



3-night stay at a 4★ hotel in Lake Garda (B&B)



1-night stay at a 4★ hotel in Rome (B&B)



Train from Lake Garda to Rome



Dubrovnik



Naples

Date	Inside pp	Outside (obs) pp	Balcony (obs) pp	Concierge Balcony pp
30 May 2022	<b>£1,999</b>	<b>£2,199</b>	<b>£2,339</b>	<b>£2,459</b>
11 Jul 2022	<b>£1,999</b>	<b>£2,249</b>	<b>£2,319</b>	<b>£2,429</b>
1 Aug 2022	<b>£2,159</b>	<b>£2,399</b>	<b>£2,459</b>	<b>£2,499</b>
12 Sep 2022	<b>£2,049</b>	<b>SOLD OUT</b>	<b>£2,499</b>	<b>£2,599</b>
3 Oct 2022	<b>£1,959</b>	<b>£2,189</b>	<b>£2,249</b>	<b>£2,359</b>

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## Your Itinerary

### DAY 1 UK

Fly from UK ✈ to Verona. On arrival, private transfer to your 4★ hotel in Sirmione, Lake Garda for a three-night stay.

### DAY 4 LAKE GARDA

Make your way to the train station for your train to Rome and enjoy the rolling scenic Italian countryside as you travel. On arrival, make your way to your 4★ hotel for a one-night stay.

### DAY 5 CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)

Private transfer to the port and embark Celebrity Reflection for your 10-night cruise. Depart Civitavecchia.

### DAY 7 CORFU

### DAY 8 KOTOR

### DAY 9 DUBROVNIK

### DAY 11 OLYMPIA (KATAKOLON)

### DAY 12 MESSINA (SICILY)

### DAY 13 NAPLES

### DAY 14 LA SPEZIA (FLORENCE/PISA)

### DAY 15 CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)

Disembark Celebrity Reflection and take your private transfer to the airport for your return flight to the UK ✈.

Intermittent cruise days are at sea. Itinerary order varies depending on date.



Florence

✈ Flights from other selected UK airports may be available for a surcharge.

Lead package price based on 3 Oct 2022 Gatwick/Verona flight operated by Easyjet EZY8447 10:15/13:15, returning 17 Oct 2022 Rome/Gatwick flight operated by Easyjet EZY8447 13:20/15:05.



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Nieuw Statendam: 8 May 2022

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VISITS: Dubrovnik; Kotor; Corfu; Katakolon (Olympia); Navplion

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per person

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Fly/cruise from  
**£939**  
per person

Oosterdam: 9 Jul 2022

**ROUNDTRIP VENICE**

VISITS: Dubrovnik; Kotor; Santorini; Split

- Free Air from London and regional airports

### 7-night Mediterranean Rivieras

Fly/cruise from  
**£749\***  
per person

'Have It All+'  
Fly/cruise from  
**£989**  
per person

Nieuw Statendam: 1\*, 22<sup>A</sup> May 2022

**BARCELONA TO CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)  
(or reverse\*)**

VISITS: Monte Carlo; Livorno (Florence/Pisa);  
La Goulette; Palermo; Naples

Lead fare based on 1/5/22\*

\*Or reverse. Ports may vary

- Free Air from London and regional airports

**TERMS & CONDITIONS:** Fares based on promo(s) NH (Advantage Fare) and N1 (Have It All Fare). Featured fares are pp based on double occupancy, cruise only including taxes, Fees & Port Expenses. Have it All amenities are subject to availability, available for new bookings only, available for 1st/2nd guests only, are not combinable with any other discounts and are not transferable or refundable. Have it all fares are applicable on select 2022 & 2023 departures and exclude Grand Voyages and any voyage 5 days or less. **Signature Beverage Package** has a daily limit of 15 beverages, which includes all beverages priced at US\$11.00 or lower and includes gratuities. Beverage packages include non-alcoholic beverages such as sodas and speciality coffees. Guests must order beverages one at a time and must be 21 years or older for alcoholic beverages. Sharing is not permitted. Package excludes purchases made in Signature Shops, Mini Bar and In-Room Dining, or beverages on Half Moon Cay. **Speciality dining** is based on cruise duration and ship type. Offer excludes Speciality Dining Events in the Pinnacle Grill such as Sel De Mer, De Librije and Sommelier Dinner. Reservations and dining times will be available to pre-reserve. Shore excursion offer is based on cruise duration. For 6–9-day voyages, choose one excursion (up to US\$100 value) or apply US\$100 off any one tour. For 10–20-day voyages, choose two excursions (up to US\$100 value per tour) or apply US\$100 off each of any two tours. For 21+ day voyages (excluding Grands), choose three excursions (up to US\$100 value per tour) or apply US\$100 off each of any three tours.





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Oosterdam: 8 May 2022

#### ROUNDTRIP VENICE

**VISITS:** Katakolon (Olympia); Piraeus (Athens); Ashdod (Jerusalem); Haifa (Tel Aviv); Limassol; Rhodes; Chania (Crete); Cephalonia

- Free Air from London and regional airports

### 12-night Mediterranean Tapestry

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per person

'Have It All+'  
Fly/cruise from  
**£2,019**  
per person

Oosterdam: 1 Jun\*; 16 Sep 2022

#### BARCELONA TO VENICE

**VISITS:** Marseille; Villefranche-Sur-Mer (Nice); Livorno (Florence/Pisa); Civitavecchia (Rome); Naples; Taormina; Corfu; Dubrovnik; Kotor; Venice (overnight)

Lead fare based on 1/6//22\*

- Free Air from London and regional airports
- Overnight Venice

### 12-night Mediterranean Empires

Fly/cruise from  
**£1,249\***  
per person

'Have It All+'  
Fly/cruise from  
**£1,669**  
per person

Oosterdam: 13 Jun; 9 Aug\* 2022

#### ROUNDTRIP VENICE

**VISITS:** Katakolon (Olympia); Piraeus (Athens); Kusadasi (Ephesus); Istanbul (overnight); Mykonos, Crete; Korkula; Venice (overnight)

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# EMBARKING ON A NEW VENTURE

Seabourn Venture is the luxury cruise line's first purpose-built expedition ship, bringing a six-star experience to the ocean waves. Ahead of her launch later this year, we caught up with Robin West, Senior Vice-President of Expedition Operations at Seabourn, to find out more about what intrepid travellers can expect from this exciting style of cruising.

**You're responsible for the development and operation of Seabourn's global expedition programming - what would you say are the essential components for creating a great expedition?**

A great expedition is a combination of remote destinations, where culture and natural history combine to create an educational experience, one that is enhanced by the expedition team who deliver the product, both on and off the ship. The ship and its capabilities also play a key role, not only by getting you there safely and in comfort, but the overall experience once at the destination. The expedition team, their background and skills are key in the final delivery of the destination experience. At Seabourn, we have built a ship, designed itineraries, and staffed world-class expedition team members to deliver great expeditions.

**Expedition cruising has been identified as a major travel trend in 2022 and for years to come. Which itinerary would you recommend to someone who hasn't embarked on an expedition cruise before, and why?**

This really depends on an individual's personal interest. Some expeditions

focus on culture, like the South Pacific and Papua New Guinea, others focus on natural history and some voyages are more historical journeys of exploration, like the Northwest and Northeast Passage or a Cape to Cape voyage. The Arctic and Antarctica are incredible destinations with a great combination of natural history and breathtaking scenery. All of these would be excellent first-time expeditions.

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The ship is equipped with 24 Zodiacs and eight double sea kayaks to explore remote areas. All of this is complemented by the ultra-luxury onboard experience that is Seabourn.

My one recommendation is not to visit Antarctica first. When I used to work as Expedition Leader, I would always start an Antarctica Expedition by saying, “every other destination after this will be dull in comparison”. Guests would laugh, but by the end of the expedition, they understood what I meant!

**What sort of holidaymaker do you think is attracted to an expedition cruise, and do you think attitudes towards this sort of travel have changed since the onset of the pandemic?**

Generally speaking, our guests are well travelled, well educated and have an urge to explore new remote areas which are only achievable on a purpose-built expedition ship. I believe people's



Robin West

attitudes have changed since the onset of the pandemic. We used to take the ability to fly and travel for granted, now we realise we need to make the most of the time we are given and some of the more bucket list destinations we would put off till later, we want to explore now.

**Expedition ships are kitted out with a host of features that make them perfectly equipped for this type of cruising. What makes Seabourn Venture so well adapted to expeditions?**





Kayaks



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Seabourn Venture and her sister ship, Seabourn Pursuit, are built and designed by a team that has extensive expedition operational experience. We built a ship with excellent autonomy to allow it to explore remote destinations for extended periods of time. It has a PC6 ice-strengthened hull, Azipod propulsion and three bow thrusters, allowing it to operate in heavy ice conditions with absolute ease, comfort, and safety. It has a very shallow draft, with a full dynamic positioning system, which gives us access to more secluded, environmentally-sensitive destinations without having to drop anchor.

We have a world-class 26-person expedition team, comprising scholars, historians, geologists, marine biologists, naturalists, submarine pilots, kayak guides and professional photographers and videographers. We have two six-seater submarines which can take guests to 300 metres or 1,000 feet below sea level, delivering exceptional underwater experiences. The ship is equipped with 24 Zodiacs and eight double sea kayaks to explore remote areas. All of this is complemented by the ultra-luxury onboard experience that is Seabourn. In short, Seabourn Expeditions is a product that has no

compromise between the on and off ship experience. It is a true ultra-luxury expedition.

**You mentioned Seabourn's submarines. Can you tell us more about these and what guests can expect from this experience?**

The submarines are truly incredible. I have been fortunate enough to do multiple dives in our first two subs, 71/1 and 71/2, aptly named as 71% of the earth is covered by the ocean. Both subs are capable of taking six guests to a maximum depth of 300 metres. The submarines are going to deliver a true expedition experience and I say that because at depths below 40 metres (below scuba diving depths) the ocean is almost completely unexplored.

An average sub dive will be about 45 minutes in duration, exploring depths between 50 to 150 metres. The submarines have eight sets of floodlights and eight sets of LED spotlights giving incredible light at greater depths. Both submarines are equipped with a 4K underwater video camera system, capable of capturing underwater footage, that can be shared later with guests onboard. The submarines are luxuriously appointed with leather seating, air conditioning and a surround sound system.

What guests will encounter while on a sub dive is very region-specific. Some dives may explore a wreck, others coral reefs, some dives might focus on a specific geological formation, others could be exploring the walls of a fjord. What's most exciting for me is the true exploratory nature that the submarines bring to the overall expedition experience.

**Where is your favourite expedition destination, and is there anywhere you haven't managed to travel to yet that's still on your bucket list?**

For cold-weather destinations, my favourite is Antarctica, coupled with South Georgia. For a warm-weather destination, I would love to return to Aldabra in the Seychelles. New Zealand is a place I have not managed to visit yet and it has eluded me. I would love to visit one day.

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**S**ilversea has been making waves in the luxury cruising market since 1994, when it became the world's first all-inclusive, ultra-luxury cruise line. Fast forward to the present day and the company is now part of the

Royal Caribbean Group, where it continues to push the boundaries of what people expect from luxury cruising, and delivering those little extra-special experiences they will never forget.

We spoke to Silversea's Managing Director in the UK and Ireland Peter Shanks to get his reflections on cruising over the past couple of years, and take a look at what the future has in store.

## What has guests' experience of cruising been like since the onset of the pandemic? Have their attitudes towards holidays changed at all?

Guests' experience of both their ships and cruise as a whole is everything that it used to be, and we're still doing all those magical things we used to do. In the short term, people will notice all the protocols we have in place, but it doesn't get in the way of them having a really good experience. I've been on a couple of our ships and felt very safe; cruising is coming back as one of the safest forms of travel. All the cruise lines have seen record levels of customer satisfaction in the last six months. The crew are happy

to be back, the guests are happy to be back and that really shows.

We're finding that guests more than ever like the security of knowing that every single aspect of their holiday is taken care of from start to finish, and they're working out the value of everything they receive when they book a cruise. This is why we offer an all-inclusive experience, or the door-to-door service as we call it. This starts with an executive limo pick-up service from home, as well as the flight, hotel and transfer. It's all included, as is absolutely everything on board from the fine wines to the fine dining, and all the shore excursions in every port.

The experience doesn't stop when guests disembark, as they'll also be transported back home in an executive limo. Guests now want this extra level of security and assurance.

## Do you think guests are becoming more adventurous in their choice of holiday destinations?

Many British guests will sail with us two or three times a year and they like to go back to their favourite places - like for example the Mediterranean or the Caribbean, before committing to something a bit more intrepid, be it an expedition voyage or perhaps venture to a



destination like Asia or Australia. I always say we go to places people didn't know were places. We cover over a thousand destinations around the world, which means we can accommodate guests who want to travel to the big hitters, but also the far-flung corners of the world.

What we've seen over the past year, despite the environment, is that over 50% of our bookings have been from people booking with Silversea for the first time. I think those are the people who have done lots of cruising to the usual destinations and now want something further afield. Because we offer that incredible destination experience, and because we operate smaller ships, if you're going to go somewhere like Asia, you will be able to get into some of the most incredible places that bigger ships won't go.

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Galapagos is a year-round expedition destination and one that really appeals to families. The real magic of the Galapagos is the wildlife and it is truly a trip of a lifetime.

### Do you think that expedition cruising is an extension of people's desire to travel to more unusual destinations?

Bucket list travel has always been a big thing. As people have been cooped up for the past couple of years, the demand and interest in getting some of these bucket lists done is bigger than ever. People are yearning to escape reality and explore the incredible world we all live in. There's a bit of a 'get away from it all' theme going on and expeditions are a

growing interest because they're just a wonderful experience of really getting into the heart of a destination through

its wildlife, nature and so much more.

There are three iconic expedition destinations: Antarctica, the Arctic and Galapagos. This summer is a great opportunity to try the Arctic. We have two ships, the *Silver Cloud* and the *Silver Wind*, cruising the Arctic and Greenland throughout the summer, which we're expecting to be really popular, especially as you only need to take a three or four-hour flight to join them.

Galapagos is a year-round expedition destination and one that really appeals to families. The real magic of the Galapagos is the wildlife and it is truly a trip of a lifetime. Imagine a family with children or youngsters in their early teens - the experience of being with that wildlife as a family would just be unforgettable.



Whale Watching from a Zodiac in Antarctica



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And for the real explorers, you can't beat Antarctica. It's just an extremely emotional experience. We say it's the closest thing to being on another planet while still being on this one!

We have the most incredible expedition crews on the ship, so not only do you have the destination itself, but you're also surrounded by a team of 20 on each ship who do lectures, accompany guests and teach them about everything from photography to the environment. It's just a really wonderful all-round experience.

Silversea have been doing this for 15 years and not only are our expeditions great, but you also get all the luxuries you'd expect from us. When you've been out on your Zodiac circling icebergs and you come back on the ship, it's still the butler who welcomes you back to your suite, there's still chilled champagne if you would like. It's a unique, ultra luxury experience that goes hand in hand with the expedition.

**Silver Nova will be the latest ship to join the fleet when she launches in summer 2023 and boasts a number of firsts for Silversea. How important is it for you to continue to innovate and offer guests something they haven't seen before?**

We're calling *Silver Nova* the game changer in ultra-luxury cruising. We haven't released all the details and designs yet, but it's a very radically different ship. There's a lot more use of space and of glass - it will be breathtaking when we give out the details. *Silver Nova* will still have everything you'd expect from us in terms of our S.A.L.T programme, Otium Spa, all of our wonderful restaurants, but the design of the ship will just be so different.

We now have the backing of the Royal Caribbean Group which is famous for ship innovation. We've been part of the Group for the past three years and this is the first ship that we have designed and built together - we're combining the

innovation of the Royal Caribbean Group with the luxury of Silversea.

The other big story for *Silver Nova* is the environment. We recognise it's becoming increasingly important for all of us to show how responsible we are going forward on not only

protecting the marine environment, but the environment as a whole. *Silver Nova* will be the first ship to run on her fuel cell batteries when she comes into port, so there will be absolutely no emissions when she's docked. We also have a mix of different fuels so we can burn the most environmentally-efficient fuels and we're

excited by that. She's a game changer.

**Silversea offers hundreds of itineraries covering all seven continents, which would you say is your favourite and why?**

The destination I dream of is Antarctica - which I haven't managed to visit yet - but my favourite is the Greek Islands. Now this might not sound terribly ambitious, but the smaller ships mean we can



Silver Nova

visit the more unspoilt islands of the Mediterranean. You can go ashore and find a relaxing time, which when matched with the spacious, luxurious ships, just makes for the most incredibly relaxing holiday. The Eastern Mediterranean lends itself to a smaller ship and is proving to be our most popular destination for this summer, not least because it's easy to get to and is close to home.

I think our newer ships, *Silver Muse*, *Silver Moon* and *Silver Dawn* are ideally



S.A.L.T Lab, Silver Moon





S.A.L.T Kitchen

suited to first-time cruisers. They each have around 600 guests, and although they're smaller, there are still 10 different dining options on board, as well as a really good-sized spa and gym.

### Can you tell us more about the S.A.L.T experience that's available on board?

S.A.L.T - Sea And Land Taste - is proving to be hugely successful on *Silver Moon*, and we're excited to introduce the concept to *Silver Nova* when she launches.

Wherever a ship is in the world, through S.A.L.T we try to give people a taste of that destination. The first thing we have on board is our S.A.L.T Kitchen, which is one of our main restaurants. We'd have a whole beautiful selection of local food and wines, so guests can experience all the food from the region in which the ship is sailing.

The second aspect is the S.A.L.T Bar, a cocktail bar where we recreate all the cool cocktails and drinks from the part of the world we're in. Then we have the S.A.L.T Lab, which is a bit like being on Masterchef. There's a beautiful little room where there are 12 cooking stations, and our chefs will teach people how to cook a local delicacy. When I was on the *Silver Moon* in Greece, we were all taught how to cook moussaka.

Lastly, we have the S.A.L.T Excursions where we take people ashore. We immerse them in the local food culture; for example, we'll take guests to a farm where we show them how local produce is grown, and the farmer will get them to taste some of that food. We then go to a local restaurant where again the chefs there will prepare a beautiful meal, which they will eat on the beach under the trees with the locals. It's all about immersing people in their destination - it has a real wow factor and is proving really popular.

### What in your mind is it about Silversea that encourages your guests to return time and time again?



Guests Having a Tea Enjoying the View from *Silver Cloud*

The most incredible thing is our crew. We have the most amazing people welcoming guests onboard our ships and they are the ones who deliver the magic of Silversea. There's a great reunion when guests come back to the ships again and again, they meet up not only with other guests but also the crew.

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INSIDE FROM: £ **545** PP\*\*  
BALCONY FROM: £ **769** PP\*\*

Based on 17 April 2022 sailing.

INSIDE FROM: £ **675** PP\*\*  
BALCONY FROM: £ **1,299** PP\*\*

Based on 22 May 2022 sailing.

INSIDE FROM: £ **735** PP\*\*  
BALCONY FROM: £ **1,175** PP\*\*

Based on 27 May 2022 sailing.

**10-DAY GREEK ISLES & ITALY:** SANTORINI,  
ATHENS & FLORENCE FROM ROME (CIVITAVECCHIA)  
**NORWEGIAN ESCAPE** | MAY – OCT 2022

**12-DAY TRANSATLANTIC:** SCOTLAND  
& ICELAND FROM SOUTHAMPTON  
**NORWEGIAN PRIMA** | 23 SEP 2022

**12-DAY MEDITERRANEAN:** ITALY, GREECE  
& TURKEY TO HAIFA FROM ROME (CIVITAVECCHIA)  
**NORWEGIAN EPIC** | 3 NOV 2022



INSIDE FROM: £ **755** PP\*\*  
BALCONY FROM: £ **1,449** PP\*\*

Based on 11 May 2022 sailing.

INSIDE FROM: £ **2,785** PP\*\*  
BALCONY FROM: £ **4,185** PP\*\*

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Stateroom	Cruise Club Fares from
Interior	<b>£1,388pp</b>
Oceanview (obs)	<b>£1,527pp</b>
Balcony	<b>£1,933pp</b>

## Barcelona - Barcelona

Queen Elizabeth (Q226A)

7 nights ♦ 22 Aug 2022

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Stateroom	Cruise Club Fares from
Interior	<b>£1,388pp</b>
Oceanview (obs)	<b>£1,527pp</b>
Balcony	<b>£1,685pp</b>

## Barcelona - Barcelona

Queen Elizabeth (Q227A)

7 nights ♦ 5 Sep 2022

Fly from/to London\*, Barcelona, Villefranche, Civitavecchia (Rome), Naples, Mallorca, Barcelona

Stateroom	Cruise Club Fares from
Interior	<b>£943pp</b>
Oceanview (obs)	<b>£1,091pp</b>
Balcony	<b>£1,240pp</b>

## Barcelona - Barcelona

Queen Elizabeth (Q228B)

7 nights ♦ 26 Sep 2022

Fly from/to London\*, Barcelona, Cannes, Livorno (Florence/Pisa), Ajaccio, Valencia, Barcelona

Stateroom	Cruise Club Fares from
Interior	<b>£943pp</b>
Oceanview (obs)	<b>£943pp</b>
Balcony	<b>£1,091pp</b>

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# WHAT TO EXPECT FROM FLORIADE 2022

If something only comes around every ten years, you can bet it'll be worth the wait. The last time the Floriade Expo took place, we were basking in patriotism cheering on athletes at the London 2012 Olympics, and decking out streets with bunting for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee.

Floriade 2022 is being held in the Netherlands between 14 April and 9 October 2022 - and the whole world is invited. If you haven't heard of this homage to all things horticulture before then read on. It's a not-to-be-missed spectacle, and with several cruise lines including the event in their itineraries - and even dedicating entire sailings to it - getting there has never been easier.



Floriade Aerial

## AN OVERVIEW

The International Horticultural Exhibition Floriade Expo 2022, to give it its full name, is a decennial event that celebrates everything that's great about the well, great outdoors. Two million visitors are expected to descend on the Dutch city of Almere during the six-month stint, as the expo marks its seventh outing.

This year's theme is Growing Green Cities, and over 400 participants from across the globe will be taking part. It's all about celebrating the superheroes of horticulture and how city centres can be made greener, more sustainable and liveable, all presented on a scale that can only be believed first hand. From the

humble asparagus grower to the greenhouse technician, this year's expo is all about recognising even the smallest of cogs in the machine and giving them the spotlight they deserve.

Scents, colours, tastes - they're all here for the taking. Here are just some of our highlights.



The Green House



## TAKE TO THE SKIES

**F**loriade is huge. Sixty hectares of huge. To make the most of it, you'll need to plan your itinerary with military precision, and the bird's-eye view from a cable car will give you just the right vantage point. Step aboard and you'll glide from one side of the park to

the other, where, from a height of 35 metres, you'll be able to plot your route across the site. The journey only takes around five minutes in total, so your speed planning skills will be well and truly put to the test.

## AROUND THE WORLD IN 40 PAVILIONS

**A**lthough Floriade is decidedly Dutch, it presents an entire world of possibilities to be discovered. More than 40 national pavilions are located throughout the site, each showcasing the culture, plants, flowers and innovations that make each country so unique. From the traditional-meets-modern structures of Qatar to the tranquillity of the Chinese Bamboo Garden, few parts of the world remain untouched. Each pavilion will explore one of the sub-themes of the expo: Greening the City, Feeding the City, Healthying the City and Energising the City.



China Bamboo Garden

## THE A TO Z ARBORETUM

**F**loriade 2022 is also home to a living, breathing plant and tree encyclopaedia. Each species growing in the arboretum is alphabetically organised based on their botanical name, so if you already know your agapanthus from your zantedeschia - or could do with a bit of a refresher course - the Arboretum is definitely one to visit.



Aeres University Green Facade

## THE GREEN HOUSE

**T**here are greenhouses, then there are Floriade greenhouses. Never one to do things by halves, the expo's offering spans a mere 10,000 square metres, and is home to more crops than you could ever imagine. Sustainable cultivation is the order of the day here, so whether

you fancy yourself as a bit of a science buff, or simply like to know how things work, The Green House is just the place to indulge your curiosity. And the good news if you're an avid foodie like us? You can sample what has been produced in the greenhouse at the Kasrestaurant.



The Green House

## ARTS, CULTURE AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN

**P**lants are undoubtedly the star of the show here, but you will also encounter pockets of arts and culture as you meander your way across the park. Theatre performances, art, cinema and live music are woven into the fabric of the expo, providing plenty of opportunities to sit back, enjoy, and take the weight off your legs for a moment or two. Also find time to drop by The Kunstpaviljoen Flevoland (that's

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Natural Pavilion

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2 Jun 2022 | 12 Nights

Southampton, St. Peter Port (Guernsey), Cobh (Cork), Dun  
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11 Jun 2022 | 14 Nights

Southampton, St. Peter Port (Guernsey), Cobh (Cork),  
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Ocean View:	<b>£ 2,712</b>
Balcony:	<b>£ 2,928</b>



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**Queen Victoria (V218)**

24 Jul 2022 | 7 Nights

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Inside:	<b>£ 692</b>
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Balcony (obs*):	<b>£ 1,138</b>



### Discover the Canaries

**Anthem of the Seas**

5 Oct 2022 | 12 Nights

Southampton, Vigo, Funchal (Madeira), Lanzarote,  
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Cruise Club fares from PP

Interior:	<b>£ 1,106</b>
Ocean View:	<b>£ 1,384</b>
Balcony:	<b>£ 1,427</b>



### Canary Islands

**Azura (A229)**

9 Dec 2022 | 7 Nights

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### INGREDIENTS

**Serves 4**

#### For the prawns:

- > **450g** large prawns, shelled and deveined
- > **3 tablespoons** olive oil
- > **1 tablespoon** minced garlic
- > **Pinch** of pepperoncini flakes
- > **4 slices** of lemon, cut in half

#### For the pesto:

- > **A generous** handful of basil leaves
- > **30g** shelled pistachios
- > **30g** pine nuts
- > **2** garlic cloves
- > **120ml - 240ml** extra virgin olive oil, preferably Sicilian

#### For the pasta:

- > **450g** dried spaghetti or fettuccine
- > **2 tablespoons** olive oil
- > **1** shallot, minced
- > **Pinch** of pepperoncini flakes
- > **120ml** white wine, preferably Sicilian
- > **150g** cherry tomatoes, halved



### METHOD

- > Preheat the oven to 190°C.
- > In a medium bowl, combine the prawns with the olive oil, garlic and pepperoncini and toss to coat. Place in a single layer in a baking dish and intersperse the lemon alongside the prawns.
- > Bake until the prawns are pink and opaque, which will take about five to eight minutes.
- > Remove from the oven and reserve.
- > To make the pesto, add the basil to a food processor, reserving four leaves for garnish. Pulse the remaining leaves, pistachios, pine nuts and garlic. Gradually add the oil and blend, using only enough oil to create a thick paste.
- > Transfer the pesto to a small bowl and cover with cling film and press the

plastic onto the surface of the pesto to prevent browning. Set aside.

- > Bring a large pot of generously-salted water to a vigorous boil. Add the pasta and cook until al dente. Using tongs, transfer the pasta to a medium bowl. Do not rinse or add any oil. Reserve the pasta water.
- > In a large sauté pan over medium heat, sweat the shallot in the olive oil until soft. Add the pepperoncini and sauté until the aromas are released.
- > Increase the heat to medium-high, add the wine and simmer until the alcohol evaporates, which will take around two or three minutes. Add 60ml of the reserved pasta water and the tomatoes and heat to just below a boil.
- > Remove from the heat, add the pasta and toss to coat. Add the prawns and

half of the pesto and toss gently. Taste and add more if needed.

- > Add more pasta water if needed to smooth out the sauce.
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