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# CRUISE CALENDAR (NOVEMBER 2013 - APRIL 2015)

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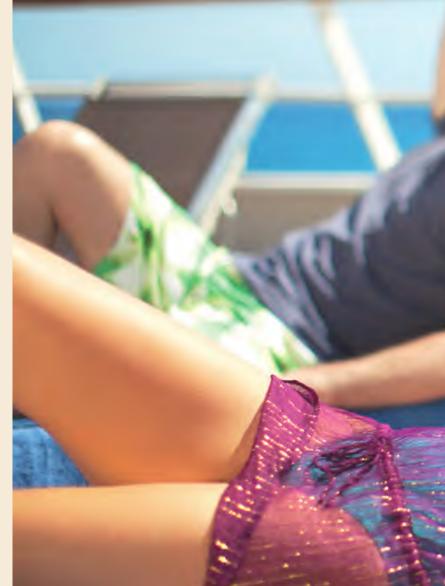
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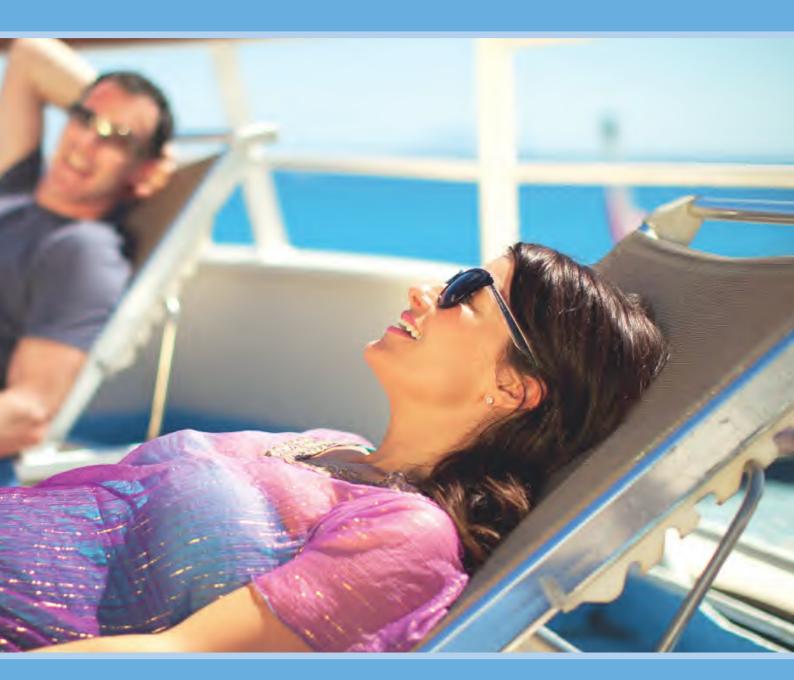
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# Designed for you. Only from Thomson.

Here at Thomson, we understand how precious your time away is. That's why we combine nearly 50 years of experience with constant customer feedback to bring you cruises like no other. In fact, we're proud to say we're the only cruise company to offer flights from 20 regional UK airports, and to include tips and service charges in the price.

We've gone further than that, too. The ships in our Platinum Cruises collection have to score 'good' or 'excellent' with 90% or more of our customers. If you feel like teaming your cruise with a stay in a hotel, meanwhile, take your pick from our exclusive range of holiday concepts – there's everything from the award-winning Thomson Couples to Thomson Family Resorts.







# **MOVING PICTURES**

Pictures speak louder than words, but videos really shout about Thomson Cruises.

There's something surprising about the pages of this brochure. Thanks to a technology called Augmented Reality, some of the photographs can be brought to life.











We like the seas and ports we visit just the way they are. That's why we're committed to preserving them. We've made 10 commitments to sustainability, covering everything from our water consumption to our charity work. And even though Thomson Cruises is already one of Europe's most carbon efficient cruise lines, we're always on the lookout for ways to improve.

Our work extends beyond our cruise line, too. At this year's TTG Travel Awards we won the 'Contribution to the Community' award for our work with the Travel Foundation. During the past few years we've done everything from protecting turtles in Mexico to helping farmers supply local products to hotels in Turkey. On top of that, Thomson Airways has reduced its fuel consumption by 6 per cent since 2008.

But we're not a one man band in our efforts to go green, and we need your help. Try reusing your towels, take a bike tour, enjoy a coffee in a local café, and pack light for your flight, and you can ensure the next generation gets to see the sights in the same way you have.

## **OUR PRICES EXPLAINED**

We've taken a more simple approach and introduced a set of 'guide' prices for each itinerary and Cruise  $\delta$  Stay holiday that we feature.

What you'll see is Low, Mid, High or 'From' style prices.

- Low covers holidays that start between 1st to 22nd May 2014, 1st to 20th October 2014, 20th November to 14th December 2014 and 1st January to 9th February 2015.
- covers holidays that start between 20th to 30th April 2014, 23rd May to 11th July 2014, 26th August to 30th September 2014, 21st to 31st October 2014, 1st to 19th November 2014, 10th February to 25th March 2015 and 10th to 30th April 2015.
- High covers holidays that start between 1st to 19th April 2014, 12th July to 25th August 2014, 15th to 31st December 2014 and 26th March to 9th April 2015.
- From covers that one particular itinerary and sailing date shown.

Low, Mid and High dates will remain the same, unless it says otherwise at the bottom of the page. On our hotel pages you'll see which season the prices relate to in the panel. All prices are based on two adults sharing the cabin/room type described.

Remember, all prices and supplements shown are a guide only and are subject to change, so once you've found the holiday you're looking for, simply log on to thomson.co.uk/cruise, speak to your Travel Advisor, or call our dedicated team on 0871 230 2800\* for the most up-to-date price before you book.

For more details about our pricing, see the A-Z Guide at the back of this brochure.

\*Calls cost 10p per minute plus network extras.

On our itinerary pages, the price you see refers to the standard cruise package, which includes everything from your flights and transfers, to your onboard accommodation and port taxes.

Adriatic Explorer Thomson Majesty	Full Boo	Summer 2014 ard Deck 3/	'4 Inside				
Prices per person from*	LOW	MID	HIGH				
7 nights	£999	£1099	£1169				
14 nights	£1649	£1899					
Code: 7 & 14 nights: MTJ; Single	e Cabin: MTK						
Child prices from £419							
Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20							
Select Your Seat from £19 Select Your Cabin for only £42.							

On our hotel pages, the price includes your cruise package and your following hotel stay. For stay and cruise prices you'll need to speak to your Travel Advisor.

Thomson Dream + Levante Summer 2014	Full Board Half Board	Deck 4/5 Standari				
Prices per person from*	LOW	MID	HIGH			
10 nights	£1139	£1269	£1399			
11 nights	£1169	£1299	£1429			
14 nights	£1249	£1379	£1579			
Codes: Cruise & Stay: REN; Stay & Cruise: RET; Deluxe Suite, Grand Suite: UEN/UET						
Hotel room and board upgrades pppn: Sea View £3; Single Sea View £15; Superior Room £16; Limited Sea View £2 Select Your Seat from £14 Select Your Cabin for only £42						

For our one-off itineraries you'll see just one 'from' price.

Sun	nmer 2014						
Full Board	Deck 1/2 Inside						
Prices per person from*							
<b>£1299</b>							
Code: 12 nights: NWB; Single Cabin: NWC							
Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20							
	Full Board £1299 in: NWC						

# CRUISES -Only from Thomson Hundreds of destinations from your doorstep.



From St Tropez to Havana, Thomson Cruises takes its passengers to 165 ports in 58 countries every year. And a quick glance at the destinations we visit is probably enough to tempt you onboard. Turn to our Destination Guide to see the full list, and keep a special eye out for some of our new Caribbean & Central America ports of call, such as Costa Rica, Colombia and Panama.



Our friendly service doesn't come with a price tag.

Unlike most cruise lines, we don't think tips and service charges should cost extra, so we've included them in the price. That means you're not expected to tip any of our crew – unless, of course, you want to.

We've worked out this could save you a couple of hundred pounds\* – in fact, we'll even tell you how much you've saved at the end of your cruise.

\*Based on competitor prices.



#### HELLO FROM FRASER ELLACOTT

After managing Thomson Cruises, Fraser Ellacott tells us what he's most excited about for winter 2014, and what he loves about our ships.



Scan the above image to see which itinerary he's planning on taking next.



#### JET OFF FROM YOUR DOORSTEP

We're the only cruise company to offer flights from 20 regional UK airports. Nearly all of them come courtesy of Thomson's airline, Thomson Airways. It's the first UK airline to fly the new 787 Dreamliner, and you can experience Dream Haul for yourself on some of our Caribbean & Central America itineraries. We make it really easy at the other end, too, by taking care of all your transfers. And if you're skipping the airport part altogether and sailing from the UK, we can arrange for you to be picked up from your house and taken to the port – see our Coach Transfers pages at the back of the brochure for details.



#### SMALLER SHIPS

Our smaller ships have bigger personalities. Our crew go the extra mile to make you feel at home, and deliver nothing but the very best service. In fact, last summer, 99% of our passengers rated our service as good or excellent.

What's more, the whole Thomson Cruises fleet scoped a swathe of awards in the 2013 Cruise Critic UK Cruisers' Choice Awards, voted for by cruise passengers.



#### **ALL INCLUSIVE DRINKS**

If you've got a budget to stick to while you're away, why not book our All Inclusive drinks package? Not only does it give you peace of mind you won't overspend, it's really good value, too. In fact, if you book early enough, it might even be free.

Turn to our Special Offers page for more great deals, and see the A-Z guide to find out what's included in the All Inclusive package.

# **DESTINATION GUIDE**

Beaches one day, national parks the next – no two days are the same on a Thomson cruise.



#### THE CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

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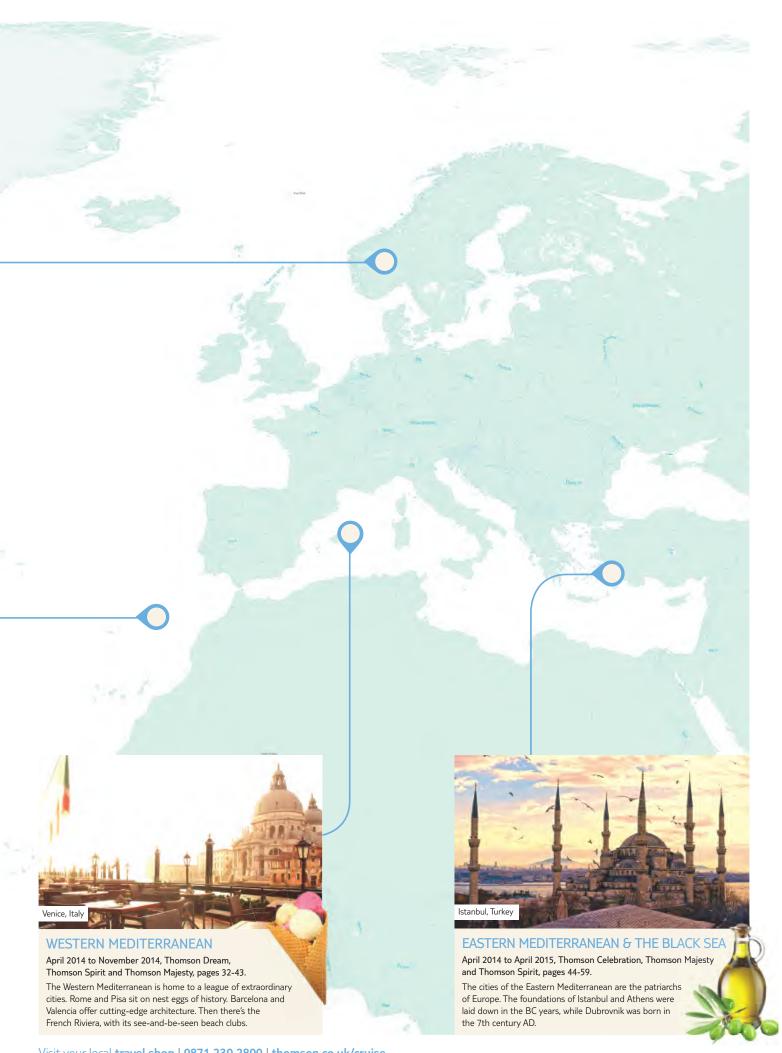
Weak-at-the-knees scenery is what the Caribbean is all about. There are flawless beaches in St Kitts, St Lucia and Aruba. There's tropical jungle in Costa Rica. And there's stately city architecture in Havana and Cartagena.



May 2014 to September 2014, Thomson Spirit, pages 60-75.

On the one hand, you've got epic fjords, thundering waterfalls, and vast countryside. Then, in places like St Petersburg and Tallinn, you can expect gold-glinting churches and turreted castles.

For more information on our ports of call and to view a video, turn to pages 182-200.



# YOUR CRUISE, YOUR WAY

We understand one size doesn't fit all when it comes to holidays, so we've designed a range of options for you. It means you can tailor-make your time away, so it's exactly how you want it...



## THE BEST OF BOTH WORLDS

#### CRUISE AND STAY OR STAY AND CRUISE

A Cruise and Stay holiday is a great option if you fancy relaxing after a week of port-hopping. How it works is up to you. Spend a week cruising, followed by 3, 4 or 7 nights at one of our hotels or apartments. Or do it the other way around, with a Stay and Cruise holiday, spending 7 nights in a hotel before setting sail.

Whichever one you go for, we've got a range of properties to choose from – everything from our luxurious Sensatori hotels to our budget-friendly 3T Favourites.

Turn to pages 94-96 for some inspiration.

#### GO AS YOU PLEASE

If you'd prefer to sort your own hotel, our  $\operatorname{\sf Go}\nolimits$  As You Please package lets you do exactly that.

You can book somewhere for 7 nights before your cruise, or 3, 4 or 7 nights after it. It means you've got total flexibility when it comes to the type of place and where it is.

But, at the same time, you've still got peace of mind that all the other elements are taken care of – return flights, transfers between the ship and the airport, and everything onboard, like your meals, entertainment, port taxes, tips and service charges.



## JUST A CRUISE

If you're only interested in a cruise, the easiest way to do it is to book one of our packages. We'll take care of everything, so it's all wrapped up in one easy booking.

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- Return flights
- 27kg luggage allowance inc. hand luggage
- Onboard accommodation
- Full Board meals

- Entertainment
- All tips and service charges
- Coach transfers
- Port taxes

## **OUR OTHER OPTIONS**

#### **COMBINE CRUISES**

You can turn a 7-night cruise into a 14-nighter with this option. Basically, once your itinerary has come to an end, you'll simply stay onboard for the next one, which means you can take in a whole new exciting range of ports.



Look out for the **Combine Cruises** logo to see which ones can be paired up.

#### PREMIER SERVICE

Premier Service benefits come as standard when you book a Suite, Junior Suite or Grand Suite on any of our ships, and a Deluxe Cabin on Thomson Dream.

Extras include priority check-in at the port, breakfast in bed once a week, and a free pressing service that means you'll look your best for the captain's cocktail night.

#### **FLEXIBLE DURATIONS**

It's not just a case of one week or two as far as our cruises are concerned. We have sailings that range from 3 nights to 27.

The Cruise Calendar at the front of the brochure shows you when each trip starts and finishes — it's a really handy chart for finding one that suits.

#### ADULTS-ONLY CRUISES

We've listened to customer feedback and continued to feature adults-only cruises in our line-up. The Cruise Calendar at the front of the brochure shows you when they sail,



or just look out for the itineraries with the **Adults-only** logo.

If you're planning a Cruise and Stay holiday, you can book an adults-only hotel, too.

#### SAILING FROM THE UK

You don't have to fly halfway around the world to start your cruise. We've got a great mix of itineraries setting sail from UK ports, including ones that stop at Stockholm and St Petersburg.

We can organise coach transfers to take you from your doorstep to the port, or if you decide to make your own way there, some sailings even come with free parking at the port if you book early. Another benefit is the fact there aren't any luggage restrictions on cruises from the UK, provided no one piece weighs more than 23kg.



Look out for the **No-fly Cruise** logo as you flick through the brochure.



We won the silver award for 'Best UK Departure Cruise Line' at the 2013 British Travel Awards.

#### CABIN ONLY

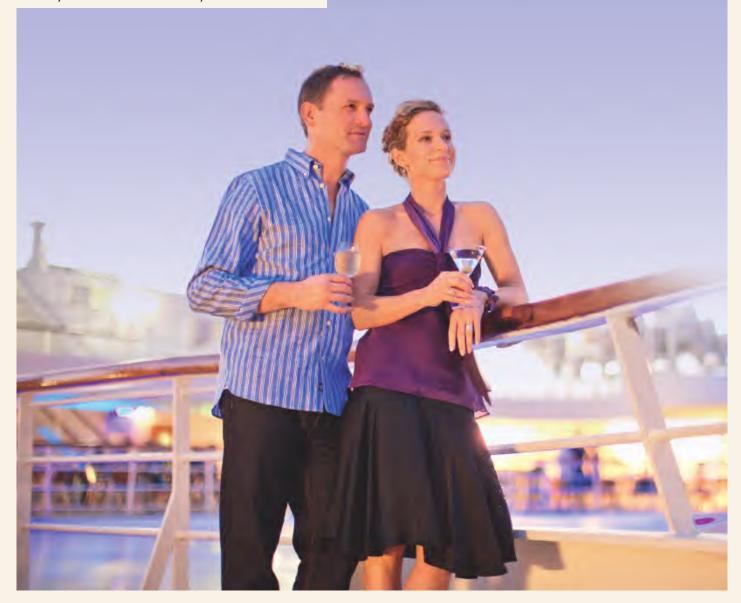
If you prefer to piece it all together yourself, you can book a cruise on its own, without the flights and transfers. If you go down this route, everything else is included in the price as usual – you just need to sort your journey separately.

# PLATINUM CRUISES

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Only from Thomson. Stylish 4T cruises.



If you're after a bit more in the way of style, consider sailing on one of our Platinum ships. Thomson Dream and Thomson Celebration are part of the exclusive Thomson Platinum collection, and have recently been refurbished. You can expect a more contemporary look and feel onboard, not to mention some exclusive extras.

#### PLATINUM BENEFITS

To make the grade, our Platinum ships must score 'good' or 'excellent' with 90% or more of our customers, but they also come with these special perks...

- Modern furnishings
- Themed à la carte restaurants
- Flatscreen TVs as standard
- iPod docking stations in Suites
- Tea and coffee-making facilities in every cabin



Rich colours, touchable textiles and mood lighting set the scene in these revamped spaces. Overall, things are much more modern and minimalist.



#### THE CABINS

All the cabins on our Platinum ships have had refurbishments. It means you can look forward to clean-cut, contemporary designs, tea and coffee-making facilities and flatscreen TVs.



You can also upgrade to a Suite, which gives you more space and comes with extras like iPod docking stations or a Balcony Cabin for your own private view, on Thomson Celebration.



## **CRUISE & STAY**

We handpick our Cruise  $\delta$  Stay hotels to make sure you get the best of the bunch. We've included several Platinum hotels in our collection – select one of these for the ultimate Platinum experience.





# THAT'S ENTERTAINMENT

Here's a sample itinerary that shows the kinds of things you could be getting up to onboard...



#### DAY 1

#### DAYTIME

Once you've seen your cabin and unpacked your belongings, join the crew for a tour of the ship. It'll help you get your bearings, plus you'll get some handy tips about what to do when.

## ■ EVENING

The sail-away deck party sets the tone for the entire cruise. It's a great chance to mingle with other guests, sip cocktails, and enjoy live music as the ship pulls away from the harbour.

#### DAY 2

#### DAYTIME

Most of our itineraries have a day at sea today, which means your time is yours to do what you like with. Spend the day relaxing by the swimming pool, indulge in some retail therapy, or sign up for an aerobics class in the gym.

You can also take a seat at the Port Showcase welcome meeting, where you'll get the lowdown on the destinations you'll be visiting and the exciting excursions on offer.

#### ■ EVENING

You can don your sequins and dickie bows this evening for Formal Night. Expect fine dining, live music, and a chance to get your photograph taken with the ship's captain.

#### DAY 3

#### DAYTIME

You'll make tracks for the gangway today for a day ashore. Join an organised tour with a knowledgeable guide, or explore under your own steam. Just don't forget your boarding card — you'll need it to get back on the ship.

And don't worry if you haven't brought the right currency with you — you can pick some up in reception before you head out.

#### **■** EVENING

Start your evening in one of the ship's bars or lounges and try the cocktail of the day.

Then, move into the show lounge to watch the entertainment team perform big numbers from well-known West End productions in shows like A Blast Of Broadway and West End Whizz.

#### DAY 4

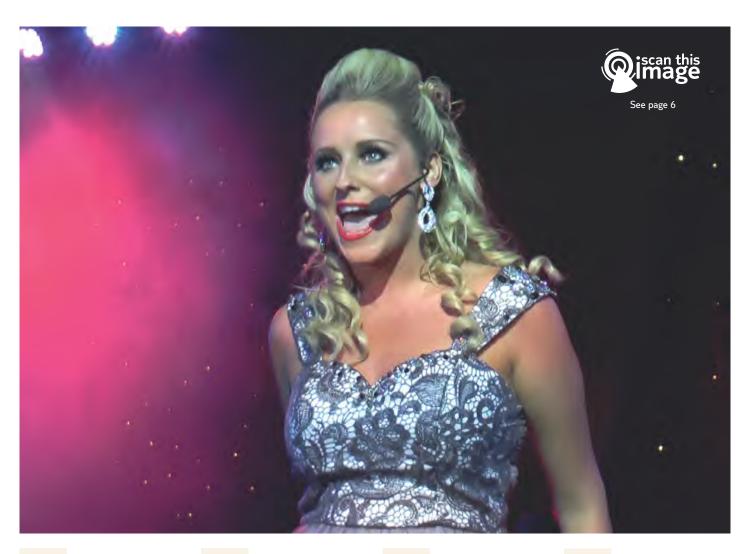
#### DAYTIME

You'll be docking again today, so ask the Star Bikes team about our bike tours. They let you see the sights on 2 wheels, and you'll pack in a lot more than you would on foot. You'll be pedalling behind a tour guide, too, so you'll be in expert hands. Later, visit reception to browse our selection of postcards. We have some available from each of the destinations we call at.

#### ■ EVENING

Put your knowledge to the test during a trivia-focused game show. You'll get to give your brain a workout on topics like sport, geography and music. Later, grab a seat in the show lounge to check out the entertainment team's dancing skills in performances like Burlesque and Dance, Dance, Dance. They span the likes of ballet, tap, ballroom and can-can.

Onboard facilities may differ depending on which ship you sail on, so check what's available when you book.



#### DAY 5

#### DAYTIME

You'll probably want to spend today taking it easy after yesterday's adventures. So enjoy a lie-in and a late breakfast, before heading to the spa for a massage. Or, if you're up and about early enough, you can head out to deck and watch the ship come into the port. In the afternoon, it's eyes down all round — join the entertainment team for some bingo.

#### ■ EVENING

Catch a movie in the ship's cinema, then make your way to the plush casino to try your luck with a late-night game of Blackjack or Roulette. Don't worry if you're a beginner – the casino staff will show you the ropes.



#### DAY 6

#### DAYTIME

Another day brings another exciting new port. If you don't want to spend the whole day out and about, though, you can head off on an excursion in the morning, and be back in time for lunch, ready to spend the afternoon joining in with things like cocktail-making and wine-tasting.

#### ■ EVENING

Make sure you bring your camera with you tonight, so you can capture the spectacular flaming desserts in the Baked Alaska Parade. And if you fancy taking some souvenirs home with you, you can pick up some duty-free goods in the onboard shops. Head to the show lounge and expect to see a UK guest act up on stage.

## DAY 7

#### DAYTIME

It's your last full day on the ship today, so you'll want to make the most of it. Don't forget to collect your pre-dinner portraits from the photo gallery. If you want to check the weather back home or get in touch with friends and family, meanwhile, pay a visit to the onboard internet room. Alternatively, if you're not ready to go home yet, speak to your Future Cruises Advisor about extending your holiday - they can book you on to the next itinerary, or add a hotel stay to the end of your cruise.

#### **■** EVENING

Things kick off with a live show starring the ship's entertainment team.
Then, the ship's staff will swap their dusters for microphones, to entertain you with musical performances and laugh-a-minute comedy in the Crew Talent Show.
Be sure to cheer for your favourite.

#### DAY 8

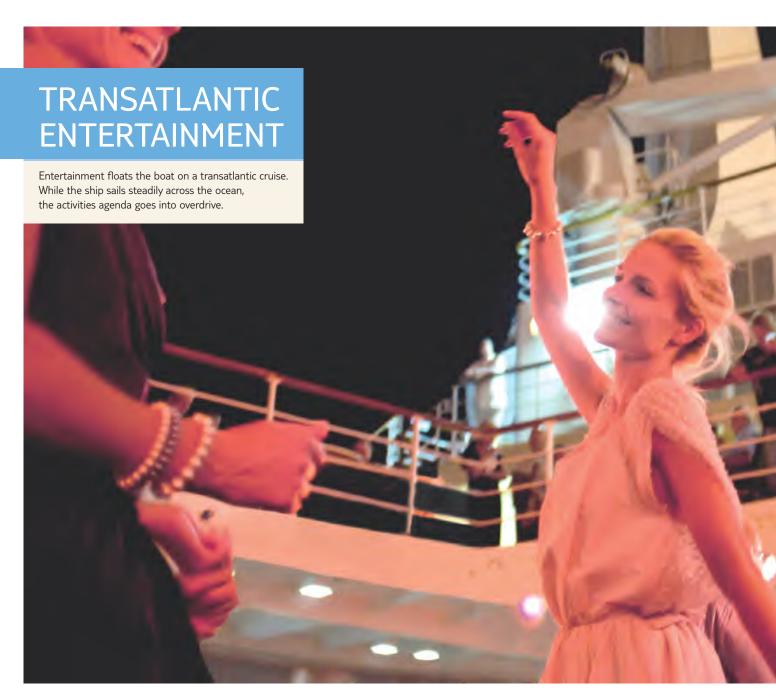
You'll pack your bags today, and wave goodbye to your favourite crew members. If you're already daydreaming about your next cruise, catch the Future Cruises Advisor before you head off. They'll fill you in on the places you could be ticking off next time you sail with us.

# WE'RE ONTO A WINNER

The entertainment onboard our ships is something to write home about.

All 4 of our ships have just received accolades for their entertainment offerings in the 2013 Cruise Critic UK Cruisers' Choice Awards and the global Cruise Critic Cruisers' Choice Awards. What makes these prizes worthy of a prime spot on the mantelpiece is that they're voted for by you.

Awards are handed out based on reviews submitted by the cruising public.



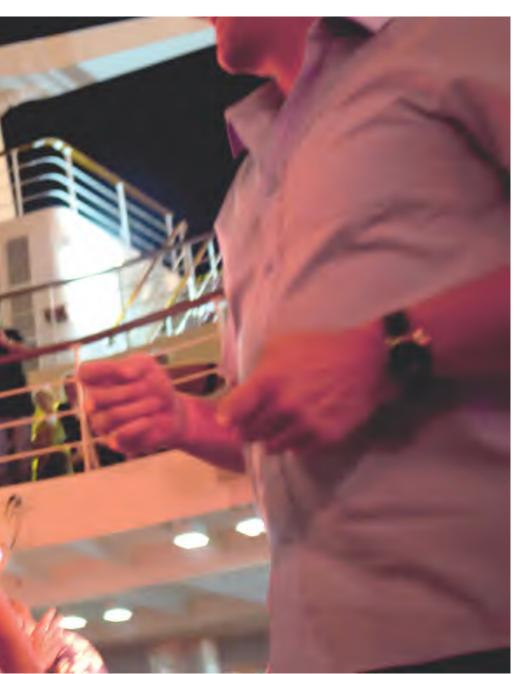
# WHAT'S ON? -

Every Thomson cruise comes with its own calendar. Daytimes are crammed with talks, workshops and demonstrations, where you can learn about everything from dance to cocktail-making from experts. We throw quizzes and game shows into the mix, too.

The evening entertainment, meanwhile, will keep you up until the early hours. There are West End-style shows in the show lounges, and live gigs and stand-up comedy take place around the ship.

And on our transatlantic cruises there are one-off events like Band-a-oke, when the ship turns into Abbey Road on Sea and you can join the house band and perform in front of a crowd. Or Deck Fest, a mini music festival featuring unplugged sessions and bands playing with the amp turned up.





#### **CLASS ACTS**

In our Class Acts workshops you can put your creative skills to the test...



Our transatlantic cruises will be alive with the sound of music during The Art of Singing classes. Led by a professional West End-experienced vocal coach, these workshops will help you find and formulate your voice. You'll learn how to warm up, harmonize and project. And you'll get the chance to be creative, too. The classes are suitable for beginners and experienced singers.

And, when they're done and dusted, you'll get the chance to perform in a public showcase – all that from £25 per person.



You'll be Britain's answer to Willy Wonka in The Art of Chocolate Making. The classes, designed by Gerry Wilton, go beyond mere chocolate making.

In this series of fun workshops, you'll learn how to taste chocolate, make your own truffles, and find out how a chocolate pizza is crafted, all from £30 per person.

Class Act workshops are available on these selected transatlantic cruises:

- Atlantic Explorer
- Transatlantic Sunrise
- Transatlantic Sunset
- Caribbean Ouest
- Transatlantic Moments

The workshops can be booked online at thomson.co.uk/cruise or via our call centre — call 0844 871 0872\*. You can book onboard, too, but places are limited so you're better off securing your place in advance.

\*Calls cost 5p per minute plus network extras.

#### SOUL BOAT -

On two special Thomson cruises, sailing is anything but plain. Both these cruises are themed around music.

#### **BIG BAND CRUISE**

Transatlantic Sunrise on Thomson Dream

Sailing from Lanzarote on Thursday 4 December, 2014

You'll get into full swing on this cruise.

Throughout your journey you'll be treated to concerts, live music, and events inspired by the Big Band era. The hits of Glen Miller, Count Basie, Benny Goodman and Ted Heath will boom out in the Broadway Show Lounge, courtesy of our special guest big band. Jam sessions will spring up on the decks and in the bars.

And the highlight of the cruise will be a decadent masked ball in the Medusa Lounge.

We've also invited a couple of guest speakers onboard to give talks about the boom time.

## SOUL AND MOTOWN CRUISE

Transatlantic Moments on Thomson Celebration

Sailing from Barbados on Sunday
 12 April, 2015

Motown is the watchword on this cruise. Your journey across the ocean will take place to a soundtrack of Stevie Wonder, Diana Ross and the Supremes, The Four Tops, The Temptations, Marvin Gaye and The Jackson Five.

We've recruited a list of special guest musicians from the UK who know the music of this era like the back of their hand.

What's more, there'll be a special guest speaker on the ship, who lived through the golden era of Motown and has more than a few beans to spill.



We've got a great selection of itineraries that start and finish in UK ports, which means you don't have to worry about getting to the airport or sitting through a long flight. The itineraries themselves take you to some of the most exciting destinations in Europe.

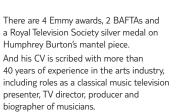
You can visit the likes of Stockholm, St Petersburg and Amsterdam, and even venture through the Norwegian fjords and into the Arctic Circle. The onboard experience is just as good. We've invited some famous faces onto selected itineraries, to give you the lowdown on showbiz life.



Edwina Currie is no stranger to the public eye. Since ending her career as an MP, she's written almost a dozen books and had them critiqued in the press.

Plus, she's appeared on numerous reality television shows, including Hell's Kitchen, Celebrity Stars In Their Eyes, and Come Dine With Me.

14 May 2014 – Icelandic Encounter Thomson Spirit Page 62



8 Jun 2014 - North Cape Discovery Thomson Spirit Page 65



LISA GODDARD

English actress Lisa Goddard ignored the advice of the industry and chose to work with children and animals in her career And in this audience with, the star of Skippy The Bush Kangaroo, Take Three Girls, Woof, Midsomer Murders and Give Us A Clue, will let you in on why.

27 May 2014 - Baltic Explorer **Thomson Spirit Page 64** 



In the late Nineties, Billy Murray was the DS you loved to hate in The Bill. Then he stepped over the thin blue line into the world of EastEnders to play thug Johnny Allen.

In 2006, the actor scooped the prize of Best Villain at the British Soap Awards.



20 Jun 2014 – Baltic Beauties Thomson Spirit Page 66



Richard Grey, Cruise Director on Thomson Spirit, explains what you can expect from 'An Audience With'.



When Nick Baker was a teenager he didn't have skeletons in the closet, he had silk moths. And that's where his metamorphosis from amateur naturalist to wildlife presenter began. Since then, he's worked on The Really Wild Show, Autumnwatch and Tomorrow's World. And he's also been involved in anti-poaching patrols in Cambodia, Yellowstone and the Congo.

12 Jul 2014 – Arctic Affair Thomson Spirit Page 68



Eddie 'The Eagle' Edwards became the face of the 1988 Winter Olympic Games in Calgary, when he was the first competitor to represent Great Britain in ski-jumping. In 2013, he went for gold again, and took it, by becoming the first winner of the diving reality TV show, Splash!

3 Aug 2014 – Baltic Highlights Thomson Spirit Page 70



As the only player to have ever scored a hat-trick in a World Cup final, Geoff Hurst's place in footballing history is cast in stone.

It was in 1966 that he put 3 goals past German keeper, Tilkowski, to secure England's only World Cup victory. Hurst's contribution to the beautiful game was officially recognised in 2004, when he was knighted.

26 Aug 2014 – Fire & Ice Thomson Spirit Page 73



Champion by name, champion by nature. In his lifetime, Bob Champion has overcome testicular cancer, despite being given 6 months to live.

He also rode Aldaniti to victory in the 1981 Grand National. And he scored an MBE for services to horse racing in 1982. These days, most of his time is taken up with fundraising for his charity, The Bob Champion Cancer Trust.

15 Sep 2014 – Baltic Flavours Thomson Spirit Page 75



The dining set-up on a Thomson cruise means you can eat your way around the world, without even leaving the ship.

All our ships have at least 3 restaurants, which serve everything from oven-fired pizza to roast beef. And their menus change every day, so you'll never sit down to the same menu twice.

To mix up your menu choices even more, Thomson Cruises put on regular captain's dinners. These nights begin with a cocktail party, guests dress to impress, and the menu also gets a dressing-up.

You can decide on the style in which you dine, too. It's no secret we're well-versed in fine dining. No matter which ship you're on, you can sit down to a formal 5-course dinner every night if you want to. In each ship's main formal restaurant, suited and booted waiting staff bring wine and food to your table.

For something really special, you can pay a bit more to dine in your ship's flagship à la carte restaurant. These dining spaces tend to be more intimate and the menus make the gourmet goal posts even wider.



But, we also know that you won't always feel like dressing for dinner. That's why we also offer more laid-back dining choices, like buffets and snacks on deck.

And we don't stop serving food just because it's not breakfast, lunch or dinner. If you're peckish between meals you can sit down to afternoon tea, with cakes and petit fours.

Or you can stop off for a buffet supper on your way back to your cabin after a night in the show lounge.



#### SPECIAL DIETS

You don't have to miss out if you're on a special diet. Just let us know what you can and can't eat when you book and the kitchen will make sure you don't go hungry.

For more information on how to request dishes designed for your diet, flick to page 31.





#### YES CHEF

Every cruise ship comes with a talent pool's worth of kitchen staff. Our experienced chefs have developed their skills by working all around the world. **Chef Bastillo**, the executive chef on Thomson Celebration, started his foodie education before he even started school. We caught up with him for a chat...

■ When did you first take an interest in cooking?

I grew up in the Philippines, where my grandparents taught me about food preservation from an early age. They taught me about about how ants store food for rainy days. From then on, I understood how important food was.

■ What's your food philosophy?

My passion is sharing culinary knowledge. I do demonstrations onboard Thomson Celebration. I also love inventing. The possibilities are endless for creating new ways of presentation and combining different ingredients. I refuse to stop creating the sort of menus you can't find in cookery books.

■ What do you do when you're not cooking?

I enjoy fishing with friends and gardening. I believe I have a magical touch with growing greens.

■ What's your favourite dish to cook?

It's choucroute à l'alsacienne — a rich platter of sausages and ham on a bed of sauerkraut. It's not to be missed, especially with a cold bottle of beer.

Cornelio Bastillo | Executive Chef



## **SHORE EXCURSIONS**

- We won't sail without you If one of our tours gets held up, we'll always make sure the ship waits for you.
- We make every second count Your time in port is precious and a day doesn't give you long to find your bearings. By coming with us, you can ditch the guidebooks and let our expert guides lead the way.
- We road test all of our tours We try out every one of our trips, so you're guaranteed only the highest quality.
- We only use the best suppliers We've teamed up with the best tour suppliers in each area. They're fully insured and ultra-reliable, giving you total peace of mind.
- We use English-speaking guides All of our trips have English-speaking guides who live in the area so they really know their stuff.
- We've got a great mix of tours We're not just talking about what the tours tick off, but how long they last – choose from half-day, full-day or overnight trips.



- We've got a 24-hour cancellation policy If you change your mind about a trip, you're free to cancel or swap it for a different one right up until 24 hours before.
- We offer child prices
   Children up to the age of 16 get discounted rates on some of our tours.
- We've won awards for our excursions Three of our ships – Thomson Spirit, Thomson Dream and Thomson Celebration – scooped awards for their excursion line-up in the 2013 Cruise Critic UK Cruisers' Choice Awards.



## **HOW TO BOOK -**

#### **BOOK ONLINE**

 ${\it cruise excursions.} thomson. {\it co.uk} is our online directory of all the shore excursions we offer.$ 

If you haven't booked your cruise yet, you can browse the trips by parts of the world – for example Western Mediterranean and the Caribbean & Central America – and get a feel for where would suit you most.

And if you've already got your cruise sorted, you can enter your booking reference to get a tailored list of the trips you can do while you're away.

Most excursions go on sale at least 2 months before you sail, and the prices will never be more expensive than if you wait and book onboard.

Also, if you book your trips before you go, you're not tied in to anything at this stage — you can cancel or swap it for a different one right up to 24 hours before the tour starts.





#### **BOOK ONBOARD**

If you can't decide on your trips in time to book online, you can book onboard at the Destination Services Centre.

Experienced staff can give you advice and insider info to help you decide which tours suit you best.



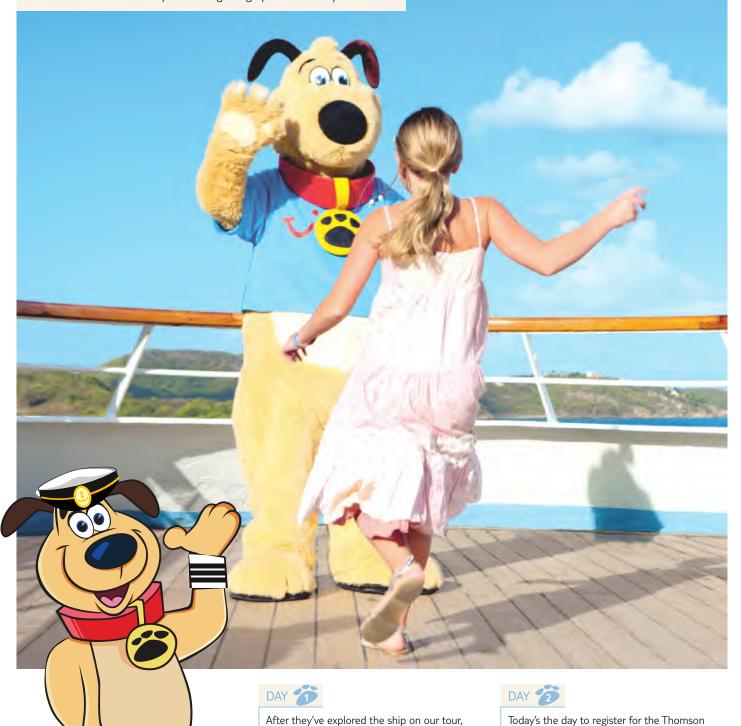
# HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT OUR BIKE TOURS?

If you really want to get under the skin of a place, book a bike tour. Each of our ships has a collection of mountain bikes onboard and, at almost every port, you can join an experienced guide and cycle your way around the best sights.

The distance and difficulty of each tour varies. There are leisurely rides over flat ground, or more challenging trips on hilly terrain.

# **GET THE KIDS ONBOARD**

Think cruising is just for adults? Think again. Our ships come with a great mix of activities that'll keep everyone from tots to teens happy. Here's a taste of what they could be getting up to on holiday with us...



the kids will probably be ready to make a

Tonight, keep your eyes peeled for Thomson

the Dog – he sometimes shows up to deck

For something a bit more chilled out, one of

our ships has a cinema, with favourites like

Puss In Boots and Happy Feet 2 showing.

parties to meet our pint-sized visitors.

splash in the pool.

Kids' Club and Showtime Stage School.

Afterwards, check out the sports deck – it's a massive hit with teens, with everything

Later on, pose for a family photo with the

ship's photographers, then let the kids loose

on some silly shots with famous backgrounds

from football to table tennis in store.

and fun props.



Ready to go ashore?

We've got a huge range of excursions, everything from interactive aquariums to action-packed waterparks. We've got lots of once-in-a-lifetime experiences, too, like swimming with dolphins.

Back onboard, the evening shows have been designed with families in mind. They run twice nightly, so little ones don't have to be up late.







A day onboard is a great way to recover from all the action of yesterday.

The buffet restaurant is great for a relaxed family lunch. All of our ships have children's menus featuring favourites like pizza and spaghetti bolognese.

Later, sign up for karaoke, challenge the kids to Monopoly in the games room, or do battle in a Nintendo Wii™ competition.



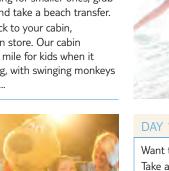
Three to 11-year-olds can spend their days onboard at the Thomson Kids' Club. They'll get messy with arts and crafts, play dress-up at superhero-themed parties, and search the ship for hidden treasure. Special behind-the-scenes backstage tours and trips to the bridge are also part of the line-up.

Groups are split in two, with activities tailored to 3 to 8-year-olds and 9 to 11-year-olds. Best of all, the club is free.



If you're travelling with older children, they'll love our bike tours - they're a great way to explore a place.

If you're after something for smaller ones, grab a bucket and spade and take a beach transfer. And when you get back to your cabin, there'll be a surprise in store. Our cabin stewards go the extra mile for kids when it comes to towel-folding, with swinging monkeys playing a starring role...







Want to mix things up a bit?

Take a half-day excursion before getting back onboard and signing up for a backstage tour of the ship's entertainment guarters. After dark, 3 to 11-year-olds can make the most of talent shows, mini discos and pyjama parties at the Thomson Kids' Club, while teens can hang out in the games arcade, internet room and disco.



Wannabe Harry Styles and budding Lady Gagas will be in their element at the Showtime Stage School.

Here, 9 to 16-year-olds can learn the tricks of the trade from the professionals, as our onboard show team put them through their paces with acting, dancing and singing workshops.

At the end of the cruise, (if there's enough children to join in) they may even get to show an audience what they're made of as they take to the stage for a live performance.

Three 90-minute lessons cost £35 per child.





On their last full day, children will be treated to a Thomson Kids' Club farewell breakfast, where they'll get to say goodbye to their new friends. Afterwards, there'll be a few last games to properly wear them out before they set off home in the morning. Don't forget to browse the shops for some last-minute toys and games to keep them busy on the way home.



Time to say goodbye - until next time at least...



# **DID YOU KNOW?**

- Children don't pay adult prices or cabin supplements - see the A-Z for more information
- We've got special infant prices for little ones under 2-years-old
- Our onboard cots are free of charge just ask about them when you book
- We won 'Best for Cruising with Kids' at the 2013 Cruise Critic Editor's Choice Awards and the silver award for 'Best Family Cruise Line' at the 2013 British Travel Awards.

Onboard facilities may differ depending on which ship you sail on, so check what's available when you book.



So you've booked your cruise and you're counting down the days until you set off. In the meantime, we've got loads of ways to make your holiday even more special. There's everything from chilled bottles of Champagne to chocolate-dipped strawberries to choose from. Take a look...

#### A LITTLE SOMETHING EXTRA

Whether you're celebrating a birthday or an anniversary, or just fancy treating yourself to something a bit special, there are loads of ways we can spoil you. Give us a call with your booking reference to order any of the following extras..

- Bouquet of flowers £37
- Chilled bottle of Moët Champagne and chocolate-dipped strawberries to be waiting for you in your cabin on arrival – £45
- Sparkling wine to be waiting for you in your cabin on arrival - £17
- $\blacksquare$  A celebration cake served in the restaurant £12
- A Champagne breakfast with a bottle of Moët brought to you in your cabin - £52
- Celebrate in Style Package with a bottle of Moët, chocolate-dipped strawberries and a bouquet of fresh flowers waiting for you in your cabin on arrival, breakfast in bed on a day of your choice and, finally, a cake, card and photograph - £95



#### **SURPRISE**

If you know someone who's got a cruise booked and you want to treat them to any of the onboard extras, we can sort it out for a small admin fee. Even better. we can arrange for whatever you choose to be waiting for them in their cabin, or for it to be delivered on a day or night of your choice. Just have the travellers' booking details handy when you call us.

#### **GETTING FROM A TO B**

If you're sailing from the UK, we can sort out parking for you in the ports of Newcastle, Liverpool or Harwich.

There are also return coach transfers available if you don't fancy the drive. Our coaches set off from many city centres - flick to page 202 to find out which ones.

#### CHOOSE YOUR CABIN NUMBER

You can book your cabin number in advance if you like. Just take a look at our deck plans, give us a call with your preference, and we'll do the rest. It only costs £42, and it's handy if you want to be close to the lifts, for example, or you'd prefer a cabin at the front of the ship. Check out the ship pages at the back of this brochure for more information.



#### **BLESSINGS AT SEA**

Cruising provides a romantic backdrop for a blessing ceremony. We can arrange a ceremony to be conducted by the ship's captain or a senior officer, followed by a lavish dinner at the captain's table on one night of your cruise.

You'll also get a sparkling wine toast, a bridal bouquet, a professional photograph of you both, and a bottle of Moët and Chandon Champagne. You can even request for these items

to be waiting for you in your cabin if you'd prefer. You also get the all-important certificate and a special announcement in the Cruise newsletter.

Blessings At Sea cost from £185, and we'll try to cater for specific requests where possible - give us a call to talk about what you'd like.

#### ANOTHER DAY, ANOTHER ADVENTURE..

One of the best things about cruising is the fact it allows you to explore new places and try new things every day. We've got a fantastic excursions programme, which could see you picking a path around ancient ruins one day. and snorkelling with loggerhead turtles the next.

Places fill up fast, so don't miss out – book your tours before you leave at cruiseexcursions.thomson.co.uk

There are more details about what we have to offer on the cruise area pages.

## SUSAN BALL, THOMSON CELEBRATION. I'm here to help you celebrate. If you've got a birthday

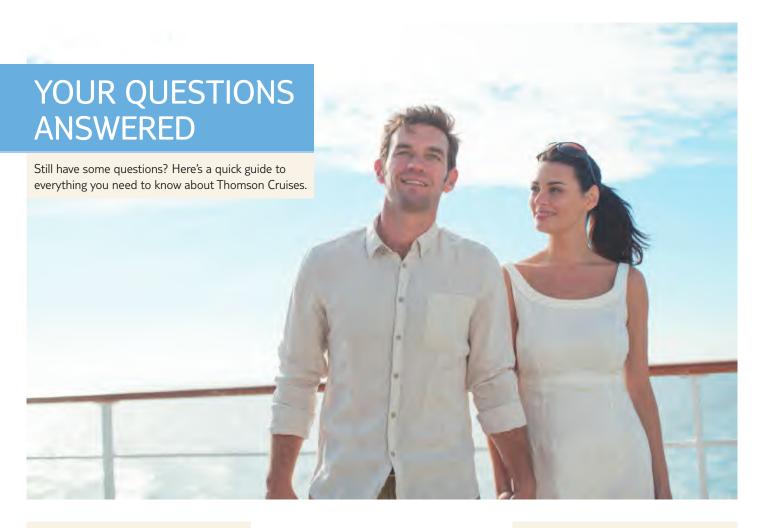
or anniversary, let me know, and I'll make sure you celebrate your special occasion in style. If you just want to celebrate being on holiday, I can help with that, too. I can organise a leisurely Champagne breakfast in bed or help you surprise someone special with fizz and strawberries dipped in chocolate. I can also arrange a blessing at sea, so you can reconfirm your commitment to your partner. Just pop in for a chat. It's also my job to provide support with welfare queries or concerns, so let me know of any assistance you need when you're onboard.

I look forward to seeing you soon onboard our Thomson ships - make sure you come and say hello.



If you want to book any of the above or need more information, give our cruise team a call on 0871 971 0533\*.

\*Calls cost 10p per minute plus network extras. The cost of calls was correct at the time of publication in December 2013.



#### HOW DO I PAY FOR THINGS ONBOARD?

We operate a cash-free system on all our ships. Everything is priced in Pounds Sterling, and you can charge everything from drinks to souvenirs to your cabin account as you go.

Your account can then be settled in cash, travellers' cheques, or credit or debit card at the end of your cruise.

If you choose to settle your bill in cash we'll ask for a  $\pounds 200$  deposit per cabin per week. There's also a 2% charge for using travellers' cheques or a credit card.

However you decide to pay, we'll give you an interim bill halfway through your holiday so you can keep track of your spending.

# HOW MUCH CAN I EXPECT TO PAY FOR A DRINK ONBOARD?

Drinks prices are similar to UK pub prices. You'll pay around  $\it E3.50$  for a pint of beer and  $\it E4$  for a glass of wine.

Keep an eye out for our daily drinks specials in the Cruise News, as well.



# HOW DO YOU LOOK AFTER SOLO TRAVELLERS?

Our Social Hostess arranges get-togethers for solo travellers, like dinners and coffee mornings.

If you're worried about dining alone, have a chat with the ship's Maître D', who'll make sure you're seated with other guests.

# CAN I RESERVE A PARTICULAR CABIN NUMBER AHEAD OF MY CRUISE?

Yes. Take a look at our deck plan and, if you see a cabin number you'd like, you can book it in advance for just  $\pounds$ 42. Just give us a call and we'll do the rest. For more information, flick to the ship pages at

# WHAT TIME DO I HAVE TO CHECK OUT OF MY CABIN?

the back of this brochure.

You'll normally need to leave your cabin by 8am on your last day, but you can still use all the onboard facilities until your transfer arrives. Alternatively, speak to reception about organising a late check out.

#### WHAT SHOULD I PACK?

Packing for a cruise is just like packing for any other holiday, but there are a few things you might want to bear in mind.

For starters, all towels – including pool towels – are provided, so you don't need to bring any with you.

Similarly, all our cabins come with hairdryers, so you can leave yours at home. It's a good idea to bring a light jacket with you, as there's often a strong sea breeze. And you don't have to panic if you forget any essentials — our onboard shops stock things like toothpaste and paracetamol.

The onboard dress code is smart-casual, although you'll want to pack something fancier for Formal Night. This weekly event leans towards black tie, and gentlemen tend to dig out their dickie-bows and ladies their cocktail dresses. Don't forget, you'll be photographed before dinner and have the chance to get a picture with the Captain, so you'll want to look your best.

Finally, if you book any excursions, you might need to adhere to certain dress codes. Some churches, for example, ask for legs to be covered up.

#### DO I NEED TO BRING MY PASSPORT?

Yes. You'll need your passport for every single one of our cruises — if you don't have it, you won't be able to board the ship.

#### DO I NEED TO TIP?

No. Unlike most cruise lines, we don't think tips and service charges should cost you extra, so we've included them in the price.

You're not expected to tip any of our crew – unless you want to, of course.

#### CAN I SMOKE ON BOARD?

All our ships are non-smoking, which means you can only smoke in designated areas of the open deck.

The presence of ashtrays usually makes these areas obvious. You can also smoke on your cabin balcony if you have one. As for e-cigarettes, you can use these in the casino and adjoining bar areas on each of our ships, as well as in the designated areas on deck



#### DO YOU CATER FOR SPECIAL DIETS?

Of course. If you've got any dietary requirements, mention it when you book and let the Maître D' know once you're onboard.

There are a wide range of restaurants onboard, and each one has at least one vegetarian selection on the menu. We also provide gluten-free, dairy-free, nut-free, vegan, and diabetic-friendly options on request.

We don't cater for kosher diets, but if you bring your own kosher food, we can prepare it for you.

Take a look at the sample menu on page 22 to see what kind of dishes are on offer.



#### CAN I DO MY OWN THING IN PORTS?

Absolutely. If you want to explore without the help of a guide, that's fine. Although you might want to do a bit of research first to find out about the area's must-dos, and the price of getting around on trains or buses.

Speak to our onboard Destination Services team for information – they're the local experts and can give you plenty of tips.

Just remember that one of the benefits of our organised excursions is that if the tour is delayed, the ship will wait until everyone is accounted for.

If you're on your own and you're not back on the ship at the time advertised at the gangway, we can't wait for you.

For more information, visit

#### WHAT IS A TENDER PORT?

For a variety of reasons, it's not always possible to tie a ship up at a dock. In these circumstances, we'll anchor a little way out from the shore, and use tender boats to get you to and from the ship.

Tender ports are marked in this brochure with an asterisk. You'll still get plenty of time in the port, plus you can use the tender services to go back and forth from the ship as much as you like.

For guests with disabilities or mobility issues, please bear in mind you'll need to have some independent mobility to step in and out of the tender boat.

Unfortunately, our crew aren't allowed to lift you.

See the Special Assistance section in our A-Z guide for more information.

#### DO YOU CATER FOR DISABILITIES?

Of course. Just give our Customer Welfare Team a call before you book your cruise. They'll be able to advise you on things like ship accessibility, bringing equipment onboard, disabled facilities and medical care.

All of our ships have a small number of adapted cabins for less mobile passengers. Just remember to make sure one is definitely available before you book.

#### IS WI-FI AVAILABLE?

We have internet rooms on all of our ships, as well as designated Wi-Fi zones. Internet access is charged to your cabin account at the rate advertised onboard.

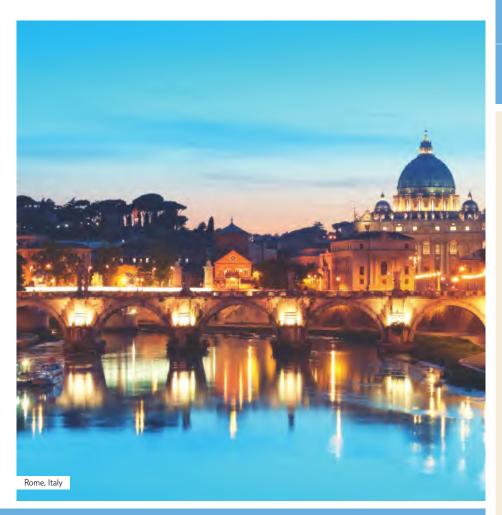
Mobiles can also be used on all of our ships, and there are telephones in each cabin, so it's easy to stay in touch with people back home.

# WHAT ADAPTORS SHOULD I BRING FOR THE CABIN SOCKETS?

You can use either a European or a US 2-pin adaptor in the cabins on our ships.

#### WHAT IF I THINK OF SOMETHING ELSE?

If there's anything else you want to know, give our cruise team a call on **0844 871 0872\*** or pop into your nearest Thomson Travel Shop. You can also find more information in the A-Z Guide at the back of this brochure. \*calls cost 5p per minute plus network extras. The cost of calls was correct at the time of publication in December 2013.



# WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN

Whether it's Rome, Barcelona, Lisbon or Florence, our carefully planned itineraries around the Med include the crème de la crème of cosmopolitan Europe.





# FAST FACTS

SAIL FROM	Majorca, Malaga, Tenerife or Harwich
SHIP	Thomson Majesty, Thomson Dream and Thomson Spirit
DEPARTURES	April 2014 to November 2014
KEY PORTS OF CALL	Barcelona, Civitavecchia (for Rome), Livorno
	(for Florence & Pisa) and St Raphael (for St Tropez)

For more information on our ports of call turn to pages 182 to 200

# TOP 5

## THINGS TO SEE & DO

## 1. Rome - All in One Day

Available from Civitavecchia (for Rome)
This tour gives you the chance to visit all the major sites of Rome. You'll see the Trevi Fountain, the Pantheon, Venice Square and of course, the ultimate symbol of Rome - the mighty Colosseum.
After some free time for lunch, you'll carry on to the Vatican City to see the famous St. Peter's Square. You'll also find the Basilica where St. Peter was buried. An ideal trip for first timers to Rome.

## 2. Sporting Barcelona

Available from Barcelona

See the world famous football stadium, Camp Nou, home of Barcelona FC since 1957. You'll start with a drive by the Masia – the football school where many famous players started their careers. Then it's time for a tour of the Stadium. See the visitors changing rooms, the tunnel, its dugouts, and the TV studio and press room. Then head inside to the museum and discover the history of the club. Afterwards, you'll head back to the port, passing fantastic views of the Olympic Stadium.

## 3. St Tropez by Boat

Available from St Raphael (for St Tropez)
This guided boat tour trails the Riviera coast and its miniature coves and villages, before reaching St Tropez and its frontline of dusky pink houses.
Beyond the waterfront, the old town is a maze of streets and fountain-decorated squares where fishermen's houses have been transformed into boutiques and restaurants. Start off your free time with our guided walk, or have the 2 hours to yourself before returning to St Raphael by boat.

#### 4. Florence and Pisa

Available from Livorno (for Florence & Pisa)
Florence has so much to offer, from grand old
Renaissance churches to timeworn Medieval streets.
Your guided tour will take in the Duomo and weave
through the maze of streets to the Gothic Old
Palace with its ornate courtyard. After that, you'll
have some free time to explore before heading to
Pisa. Once here, it's about a 15minute walk to the
Miracle Square to see the famous Leaning Tower.

#### 5. The Rock Tour

Available from Gibraltar

Discover the Rock, which rises nearly 1,400ft above sea level. Well known as the gateway to the Mediterranean, it's steeped in history. See Europa Point, the southernmost point of Gibraltar. You'll also pass over the only runway in Europe that has to stop vehicles for aircraft! At the famous Gothic-style St. Michael's Cave, marvel at the beautiful stalagtites and stalagmites. Your tour ends with a trip to the 'Barbary Apes', the tail-less, very naughty monkeys that roam free on rocky slopes.



## A TASTE OF ITALY THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2014: 24 Apr



Thursday Depart 21:00

Malaga - SPAIN

Friday Ship at Sea







Tuesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Civitavecchia (for Rome) - ITALY

Explore the Roman Forum. For centuries this was the centre of Roman life. As you wander around you'll see the remains of temples, the senate buildings and the house of the vestal virgins, a group of 6 of the most important women in the Empire.

#### Day 7 Wednesday 07:00 - 17:00

#### Naples - ITALY

Discover the remains of the ancient city of Herculaneum. Like Pompeii, this city was destroyed by the Vesuvian eruption of 79 AD. You can still see the remains of woodwork and mosaics

#### Day 8 Thursday 14:00 - 18:00

#### Crotone - ITALY

Ensure your camera battery is fully charged ahead of a visit to Santa Severina. This pretty town crowns a steep hill 300 metres above sea level and it commands views of the Neto Valley. Its claim to fame is that a saint was born here.

#### Day 9 Friday Arrive 08:00

#### Corfu Town - CORFU

Soak up the views from one of Corfu's best view points, Bella Vista. Sheer cliffs, lonely sea stacks, and hills threaded with evergreen trees and olive groves are in the frame from here.

#### Barcelona's Sagrada Familia

- Archaeological heirlooms in Rome
- The buzzing city of Naples



## Day 3 Saturday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Barcelona - SPAIN

ancient Indian rituals.

Imagine the roar of 99,000 football fans as you stand in the players' tunnel on a behind-thescenes tour of the Nou Camp stadium. And see what the commentators see from their box before heading to the FC Barcelona Museum to swot up on one of the world's greatest teams.

Relax in the Sana Wellness Centre. The bumper

scrubs. There's even an entire page dedicated to

Ayurvedic therapies, which have been inspired by

list of treatments here includes things like

anti-jetlag facials and honey and sugar body

#### Sunday 10:00 - 18:00

#### Toulon - FRANCE

Potter around the postcard-worthy fishing village of Sanary-Sur-Mer. Roam past the port and you'll glimpse a collection of traditional wooden fishing boats where artisan fishermen sell the catch of the day. If you're here in the morning, wander around the Provencal produce market.

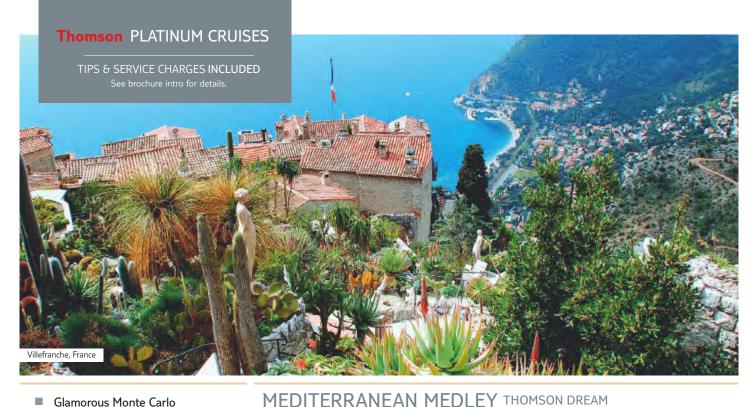
#### Monday 08:00 - 20:00

#### Livorno (for Florence & Pisa) - ITALY

Pose for the camera next to the Statue of David in Palazzo della Signora in Florence. Just bear in mind this is a replica. The original one was moved into the The Gallery of the Accademia di Belle Arti at the end of the 19th century to protect it.

#### A Taste of Italy Winter 2013/14 Thomson Majesty Full Board Deck 3/4 Inside Prices per person from\* €899 8 nights Code: 8 nights: PUG; Single Cabin: PUH Child prices from £469 Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £30 Select Your Seat from £14 Select Your Cabin for only £42.

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- Glamorous Monte Carlo
- Ponte Vecchio in Florence
- Sagrada Familia in Barcelona



COMBINE with Treasures of the Mediterranean or Moorish Delights



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# UPGRADE TO ALL INCLUSIVE FROM £10 PER PERSON

Mediterranean Medley	Summer 2014				
Thomson Dream	Full Board Deck 4/5 Insi				
Prices per person from*	LOW	MID	HIGH		
7 nights	£989	£1099	£1169		
14 nights	£1649	£1699	£1839		

Code: 7 & 14 nights: CEF; Deluxe Suite: DEF; Single Cabin: CEG

Child prices from £369

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

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Departures in 2014: 03 May, 17 May, 31 May, 14 Jun, 12 Jul, 09 Aug, 06 Sep, 20 Sep and 04 Oct.







#### Saturday Depart 23:00 Palma - MAJORCA

Day 2 Sunday Ship at Sea

Treat yourself to sandwiches and sweet treats with an afternoon tea, served in one of the ship's restaurants or lounge areas.

Monday 07:00 - 17:00

Villefranche\* (for Monaco & Nice) - FRANCE Rub shoulders with the rich and famous in Monte Carlo, the home of fast cars, roulette and yachts. Browse the stores for designer goods, and stop for a cappuccino at the Café de Paris. Before you go, make sure you catch a glimpse of the worldfamous Monte Carlo casino - it's where the annual European Poker Tour is held.

Tuesday 07:00 - 19:00

Livorno (for Florence & Pisa) - ITALY

Follow in Galileo's footsteps and pay a visit to the Leaning Tower of Pisa, one of the most photographed sights in the world. The 15thcentury scientist conducted gravity experiments from here, dropping stones off the top of the tower. Nowadays, people climb to the top to take in the views – you'll get to look out over the medieval and Renaissance architecture below.

Day 5 Wednesday 07:00 - 17:00

Rapallo\* - ITALY

Travel to Milan, one of the fashion capitals of the world. Browse high-end stores like Prada and D&G in the Galleria Vittorio Emanuele, and admire the Renaissance works of art in the Pinacoteca di Brera Museum. Then, before you leave, check out the

spectacular frescoes and marble interiors of the Duomo - the world's largest Gothic cathedral.

Day 6 Thursday 08:00 - 17:00

Toulon - FRANCE

Make like the A-listers and pay a visit to St Tropez. Once a sleepy fishing village, this up-market slice of the French Riviera now offers up luxury yachts, expensive Champagne and ladies-who-lunch. So, pull up a chair in one of the waterfront restaurants and play spot-the-celebrity, while you tuck in to a plate of mussels and sip red wine.

Friday 09:00 - 18:00 Day 7

Barcelona - SPAIN

Stroll down the tree-lined boulevard of Las Ramblas – Barcelona's answer to Covent Garden. Toss coins at the street performers, browse the shops and boutiques, or grab a bite to eat in one of the traditional tapas bars. Las Ramblas is also home to El Corte Ingles, Spain's famous department store, where you'll find high street favourites like Mango and Zara.

Day 8 Saturday Arrive 06:00

Palma - MAJORCA

Head down the road to Palma Nova and spend a bit of time on the sand if you haven't got to catch an early flight home today. The town is fringed by a golden stretch that's great for sunbathing. It's backed by shops, restaurants and bars, too, so grabbing an ice-cream or a magazine is easy.

Just so you know for the sailing on 31st May 2014 the ship will call at Cannes on day 3 instead of Villefranche.

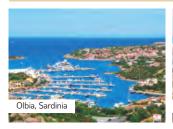
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## TREASURES OF THE MEDITERRANEAN THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 10 May, 07 Jun, 05 Jul, 02 Aug, 30 Aug, 13 Sep, 11 Oct and 25 Oct.

- Picturesque Sorrento
  - Rome's Colosseum
- Costa Brava's fantastic beaches







#### Saturday Depart 23:00 Palma - MAJORCA

#### Day 2 Sunday Ship at Sea Stock up on duty free goodies or browse for souvenirs of your trip in the onboard shops.

#### Day 3 Monday 07:00 - 15:00

#### Olbia - SARDINIA

Soak up glamour and old-world charm on a drive along Sardinia's Emerald coast. Cue sandy coves, turquoise seas and pretty villages like San Pantaleo - a slice of old-school Sardinia that's all crooked lanes and stone cottages. Then hit millionaires' playground Porto Cervo – the coast's chic capital where the in-crowd love to be seen.

#### Tuesday 08:00 - 18:00 Day 4

#### Sorrento - ITALY

Explore the remains of the ancient Roman city of Pompeii, a World Heritage Site and one of the most significant archaeological finds in the world. It's set at the bottom of Mount Vesuvius, and was destroyed almost 2,000 years ago when the volcano erupted. Among the remains, you'll see an amphitheatre, baths and a former swimming pool.

#### Day 5 Wednesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Civitavecchia (for Rome) - ITALY

Tick off some of the most famous sights on earth in Italy's Eternal City. Gaze up at the giant dome of the Pantheon, stare wide-eyed at Michelangelo's masterpiece in the Sistine Chapel, and rewind the clock at the Colosseum. Just make sure you toss a coin into the Trevi Fountain before you go – it's said to ensure your return to the city.

#### Thursday 07:00 - 15:00

#### Calvi\* - CORSICA

Explore the villages of Corsica's Balagne region, which is known for its fruit orchards and olive groves. One of the best places to start is picturesque Lumio, which, in ancient times, was a hotspot for sun-worshipping cults. Then there's Cateri, with its charming 12th-century chapel. Sant Antonino is worth a look, too - it's one of the oldest villages in the country.

#### Friday 09:00 - 17:00 Day 7

#### Palamos - SPAIN

Make your way to the pretty town of Tossa de Mar on the Costa Brava. It's a favourite with artists and poets with its craggy mountains, pine-cloaked hills and pea-green valleys. The whole place is overlooked by an ancient castle, and its cobbled streets are dotted with antique and craft shops. Plus, you'll find a lovely wide curve of sand here.

#### Day 8 Saturday Arrive 06:00

#### Palma - MAJORCA

Hop on board the Tren de Soller and explore Majorca's lesser-known side. This vintage electric train will take you through the island's almond and olive groves to the charming village of Soller. This hamlet is known for its ceramics, so pick up a souvenir or two while you're here.

#### \*Tender to shore

Just so you know for sailings on 2nd August & 30th August 2014, the ship will call at Trapani on day 3 instead of Olbia. For the sailing on 5th July 2014, the ship will call at Trapani on day 3 instead of Olbia & Barcelona on day 7 instead of Palamos.





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ADD A STAY Add a 3, 4 or 7 night stay in Majorca

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# UPGRADE TO ALL INCLUSIVE FROM £10 PER PERSON

Treasures of the Mediterranea Thomson Dream		Summer 2014 Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside					
Prices per person from*	LOW	MID	HIGH				
7 nights	£1019	£1039	£1219				
14 nights	£1599	£1749	£1919				

Code: 7 & 14 nights: CEF; Deluxe Suite: DEF; Single Cabin: CEG

Child prices from £349

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

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- Cosmopolitan Casablanca
- Spain's Alhambra Palace
- Rock of Gibraltar





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Moorish Delights Summer 2014 Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside Thomson Dream MID LOW HIGH Prices per person from\* £1019 7 nights £1099 £1239 14 nights £1549 £1699 £1849

Code: 7 & 14 nights: CEF; Deluxe Suite: DEF; Single Cabin: CEG

Child prices from £349

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Seat from £14 Select Your Cabin for only £42.

## MOORISH DELIGHTS THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 24 May, 21 Jun, 19 Jul, 16 Aug, 27 Sep, 18 Oct







#### Day 1 Saturday Depart 23:00 Palma - MAJORCA

Day 2 Sunday Ship at Sea
Join in jigsaw puzzle-building, board games and
cards in the reading room.

Day 3 Monday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Make friends with Gibraltar's famous Barbary Apes. They're actually monkeys, unlike the name suggests, and were originally found in the Atlas Mountain range, before being brought over to Gibraltar. Your best chance of seeing them is within 'the Rock', which rises nearly 1,400 feet above sea level.

#### Day 4 Tuesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Casablanca - MOROCCO

Get on two wheels to explore cosmopolitan Casablanca, the hub of modern Morocco. It's an intriguing fusion of France and Arabia, where restored 1930s Art Deco buildings mingle with mosques, markets and medinas. Cycling tours trace the palm-flanked Houphouet Boigny Boulevard, the leafy Parc de la Ligue Arabe and seaside resort Ain Diab.

Day 5 Wednesday 09:00 - 16:00

#### Cadiz - SPAIN

Explore the whitewashed city of Cadiz – said to be the oldest in Europe. Pass the decadent town hall, a neoclassical building that was completed back in 1861, and people-watch in Plaza España a sunny square filled with shops and cafés.
 There are a couple of parks boasting well-tended gardens and tree-studded lawns to take in, too.

#### Day 6 Thursday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Motril - SPAIN

Tuck into the unique local cuisine in Motril. This coastal town is the place to try white anchovies, Ron Palido rum, and migas, which is similar to couscous.

#### Day 7 Friday 08:00 - 14:00

#### Cartagena - SPAIN

Take a trip to the nearby town of Murcia, where it's all about the history. The pride and joy here is the cathedral, which showcases an ornate Baroque façade and a tower that's more than 90 metres high. Elsewhere, there's the Santa Clara Monastery, where you can wander the museum to see examples of Islamic art. The pretty courtyard is worth a look, too.

#### Day 8 Saturday Arrive 06:00

#### Palma - MAJORCA

Check out two very different sides of Palma. The marina showcases the city's modern face, with its chic bars and stylish eateries. The Gothic Quarter, meanwhile, is over 750 years old. Browse the stalls that line the cobbled streets, and get some snaps of the La Seu cathedral – it took more than 300 years to build.

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# HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MEDITERRANEAN THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 28 Jun, 26 Jul, 23 Aug







Saturday Depart 23:00 Palma - MAJORCA

Day 2 Sunday Ship at Sea Hit the onboard gym for an exercise session using the fitness equipment, then reward yourself with a trip to the sauna.

# Day 3 Monday 08:00 - 16:00

# Ajaccio - CORSICA

Find out why Corsica has been nicknamed the Scented Isle, with a tour through the beautiful countryside. The nation's meadows and fields are covered in sweet-smelling maqui blooms. The River Gorge – whose rushing waters are framed by red cliffs – and the vast lake of Tolla are also big hitters in these parts.

#### Day 4 Tuesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Civitavecchia (for Rome) - ITALY

Imagine the growl of tigers and the clang of swords on sharpening stones as you explore the area of the Colosseum where the underground tunnels once were. Some of the tunnels even led outside the Colosseum, to the gladiators barracks at the Ludus Magnus. Other passageways used to feature trap doors, to give performers and fighters instant access to the arena.

#### Day 5 Wednesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Livorno (for Florence & Pisa) - ITALY

Uncover Florence's best bits. Capture some pictures of the orange-capped Duomo, pick a path through the labyrinth streets of the old town, and take a look at Ponte Vecchio - the only bridge in Florence to survive the bombings of

World War II. And don't miss the Uffizi Gallery, which showcases some of the greatest works of art in the world.

#### Day 6 Thursday 07:00 - 17:00

#### St Raphael\* (for St Tropez & Cannes) -**FRANCE**

Rummage for bargains at one of St Raphael's farmers' markets. The stalls here are overflowing with local produce - expect to see piles of rainbow-colourful berries and knuckles of homemade cheese. Look out for the fresh flowers, too, which are beautifully cut and tied by the market sellers.

#### Day 7 Friday 10:00 - 18:00

#### Barcelona - SPAIN

Stroll around the weird and wonderful Parc Güell, the brainchild of famous architect. Antonio Gaudí. The leafy hilltop park is full of bizarre sculptures and beautiful mosaic-covered buildings, and its showpiece is the Blue Dragon - one of Barcelona's most photographed sights.

# Saturday Arrive 06:00

#### Palma - MAJORCA

Loop your way around Bellver Castle. Built in the 14th century for King James II of Majorca, this impressive fortress is one of the only circular castles in Europe. Today, the grand building contains Palma's history museum and the main yard is sometimes used to stage summer concerts.

\*Tender to shore

#### Florence's Duomo cathedral

- Rome's Vatican City
- Glitzy St Tropez





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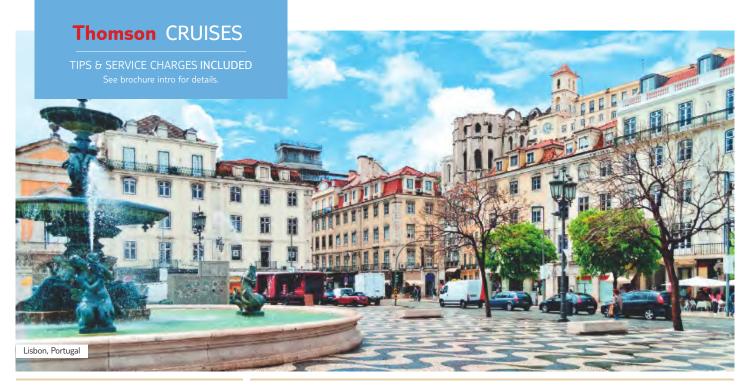
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7 nights	-	£1139	£1179
14 nights	-	£1799	£1849

Code: 7 & 14 nights: CEF; Deluxe Suite: DEF; Single Cabin: CEG

Child prices from £449

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Seat from £14 Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Roman ruins of Carthage
- Algiers' French Quarter
- Jeronimos Monastery at Lisbon





UPGRADE TO ALL INCLUSIVE FROM £10 PER PERSON

£1399

Summer 2014

Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

UPGRADE YOUR CABIN.

Mediterranean Explorer

Select Your Seat from £9.50

Select Your Cabin for only £42

Code: 15 nights: HRP; Single Cabin: HRQ

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Thomson Spirit

15 nights

Prices per person from\*

# MEDITERRANEAN EXPLORER THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 28 Sep







Day 1 Sunday Depart 16:00 Harwich - ENGLAND

Day 2 Monday Ship at Sea

Let our hair and beauty therapists pamper you in the salon. Have your hair cut and blow-dried, or pick a pedicure to show off in your flip flops.

Day 3 Tuesday Ship at Sea

While away an hour or two with a flutter in the ship's casino.

Day 4 Wednesday 08:00 - 15:00

Vigo - SPAIN

Visit Valenca do Minho, a walled border-straddling town with a Portuguese feel.

Day 5 Thursday 09:00 - 18:00

Lisbon - PORTUGAL

Admire the Jeronimos Monastery, Lisbon's showstopping Gothic masterpiece.

Day 6 Friday 08:00 - 17:00

Portimao\* - PORTUGAL

See the Algarve's whitewashed houses, cobbled streets, and boat-filled fishing villages.

Day 7 Saturday 08:00 - 13:00

Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Explore the Rock, which rises nearly 1,400 ft above sea level - said to be one of the pillars of Hercules.

Day 8 Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

Cartagena - SPAIN

Climb Cartagena's castle — or better yet, take the scenic glass lift, which glides 47 metres into the sky. From here, you'll enjoy views of the port, theatre, and bullring.

Day 9 Monday 08:00 - 18:00

Algiers - ALGERIA

Drive past Algiers' crisp white buildings, striking mosques, and its avenue-lined French Quarter.

Day 10 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Stock up on duty free goodies or browse for souvenirs of your trip in the onboard shops.

Day 11 Wednesday 08:00 - 15:00

Tunis - TUNISIA

Check out the ruins of Carthage. Theatres, temples, baths, & villas still stand on the ancient Roman site.

Day 12 Thursday 09:00 - 18:00

Valletta - MALTA

Tour tiny villages on your way to the Blue Grotto – picturesque sea caverns on the south coast.

Day 13 Friday Ship at Sea

Treat yourself to afternoon tea, served in one of the ship's restaurants or lounge areas.

Day 14 Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

Take photos of the Old Olympic Stadium. It's built entirely of marble with great view of the Acropolis.

Day 15 Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

Mykonos Town - MYKONOS

Visit the sights of the Three Wells, the Paraportiani Church, & picturesque Alefkandra - 'little Venice'.

Day 16 Monday Arrive 08:00

Marmaris - TURKEY

Start your day in Dalyan, an area of outstanding beauty & host to nesting Loggerhead Turtles.

\*Tender to shore

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# ITALIAN FLAVOURS THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2014: 20 Jun, 29 Aug







#### Day 1 Friday Depart 23:00 Corfu Town - CORFU

# Day 2 Saturday Ship at Sea Take your pick from a choice of buffet and

Take your pick from a choice of buffet and waiter-service restaurants at mealtimes, and snack on pizza or take afternoon tea in-between.

# Day 3 Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Valletta - MALTA

Cruise round Valletta's two natural harbours. This is the ultimate chill-out experience, so just sit back with a drink and as you float past Malta's capital. You'll drift by historical forts, battlements, and creeks that can only be seen from the sea.

#### Day 4 Monday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Trapani - SICILY

Taste olive oil-flavoured ice-cream at an 18th-century farm. Coming here is like stepping onto a film set, with cobbled floors and ancient Sicilian tools setting the scene. After getting the lowdown on how extra virgin oil is made, you'll have the chance to taste some of it yourself, accompanied by chunky bread and olives.

# Day 5 Tuesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Civitavecchia (for Rome) - ITALY

Tour Rome in a day from the comfort of an air-conditioned coach. You'll see famous sites like the Trevi Fountain, the Pantheon, Venice Square, and the ultimate symbol of Rome – the mighty Colosseum. Then you'll carry on to the Vatican City to see St. Peter's Square and the Basilica where St Peter was buried.

#### Day 6 Wednesday 08:00 - 17:00

# Sorrento - ITALY

Explore the ancient city of Pompeii, situated at the foot of Mount Vesuvius. It was destroyed in 79AD, following the famous volcanic eruption that smothered it in 7 metres of ash. You'll meander around the remains of this doomed city and get a feel for what life was like in Roman times.

#### Day 7 Thursday 07:30 - 12:30

#### Messina - SICILY

Cycle around Messina's lively centre. You'll pedal past the city's fountains, including the ornate Orion fountain in the main piazza, as well as the Arabesque church of Annunziatta dei Catalani. Venturing out of the city, you can ride along the scenic coast and through the charming fishing villages of Ganziri and Torre Faro.

### Day 8 Friday Arrive 08:00

#### Corfu Town - CORFU

Make a beeline for Bella Vista, the most famous viewpoint in Corfu. Here, you'll look out over the island's rugged west coast and towards Paleokastritsa's pretty sands.

- Rome's Colosseum
- Ancient Pompeii
- Valletta's natural harbour





COMBINE with Adriatic Explorer



ADD A STAY Add a 3 or 7 night stay in Corfu

#### PGRADE YOUR CABIN.

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# UPGRADE TO ALL INCLUSIVE FROM £15 PER PERSON PER NIGHT.

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 Italian Flavours
 Summer 2014

 Thomson Majesty
 Full Board
 Deck 3/4 Inside

 Prices per person from\*

 7 nights
 £1049

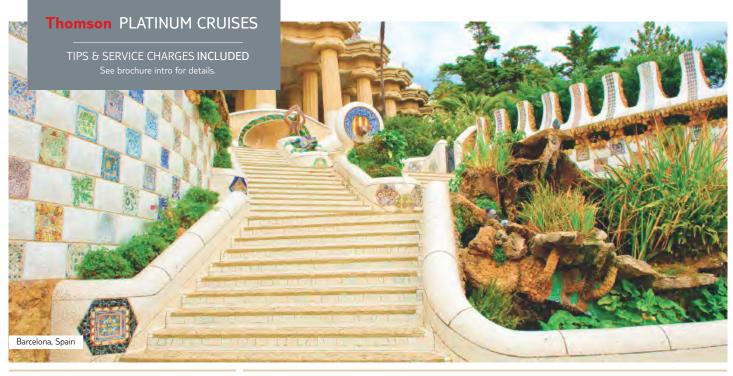
14 nights £1849

Code: 7 & 14 nights: MTJ; Single Cabin: MTK

Child prices from £449

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Seat from £19 Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Barcelona's Sagrada Familia
- A-list St Tropez
- Paella in Valencia





COMBINE with Iberian Escapade



ADD A STAY Add a 3 or 7 night stay in Malaga

#### UPGRADE YOUR CABIN. Turn to the ship pages at the back of this brochure to find out more.

# FREE ALL INCLUSIVE UPGRADE. Only applies to time spent onboard the ship. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details. Spanish Sensations Winter 2014/15 Thomson Dream Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside Prices per person from\* 7 nights £829 14 nights £1299 Code: 7 & 14 nights: DMA; Deluxe Suite: DMO; Single Cabin: DMB Child prices from £399 Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £14

# SPANISH SENSATIONS THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 13 Nov









#### Day 1 Thursday Depart 22:00 Malaga - SPAIN

Day 2 Friday Ship at Sea
Choose a cocktail from the drinks menu by
the Lido pool. If you're having trouble picking,
take the easy option and opt for the cocktail
of the day.

# Day 3 Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Barcelona - SPAIN

Oggle the surrealist art at the Salvador Dali Museum. The painter set this gallery up himself in the Sixties in the ruins of an old municipal theatre. Dali designed entire rooms to act as pieces of art. One room is an optical illusion – view it from the doorway and the face of Mae West forms from the contents.

#### Day 4 Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Toulon - FRANCE

Retrace the footsteps of dozens of celebrities in St Tropez. Anybody who's anybody gets spotted here, from footballers like Ronaldo to models like Kate Moss. Take a leaf out of their book and hit Pampelonne Beach.

# Day 5 Monday 13:00 - 20:00

#### Palma - MAJORCA

Pedal out to Playa de Palma. Cycling is the best way to get to this stretch of sand, 10 kilometres from Palma. When arrive, you can cool down with a dip in the sea or an ice-cream from a sandside vendor.

#### Day 6 Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Valencia - SPAIN

Go behind the scenes in the Lladro Porcelain Factory. Valencia is famous in the art world for producing these delicate figurines. On a tour of the factory you can see how they are moulded, painted, and polished off.

#### Day 7 Wednesday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Cartagena - SPAIN

Root around the San Felipe fortress. Building began on this gargantuan fort in the 16th century and it took more than 100 years to complete. But the effort was worth it. When the fort was attacked in 1741, a force of 23,000 soldiers and 200 ships were unable to invade it.

#### Day 8 Thursday Arrive 06:00

#### Malaga - SPAIN

Pull up a chair in one of the cafés in Orange Square in Marbella. The seating is largely open-air in this leafy plaza, so you get views of the town hall and historical whitewashed buildings. Once you've had a drink, pop into the souvenir shops nearby.

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Select Your Cabin for only £42



# IBERIAN ESCAPADE THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 06 Nov, 20 Nov







#### Day 1 Thursday Depart 22:00 Malaga - SPAIN

#### Day 2 Friday Ship at Sea

Loaf the day away on a sunlounger by the side of the main pool. When the time comes to stretch your legs, pop over to the pool bar to try the cocktail of the day, or pick up a fresh salad from the Terrace Grill.

#### Day 3 Saturday 09:00 - 17:00

#### Porto - PORTUGAL

Tour Porto's wine cellars. You'll go behind the scenes to find out how port is produced and to see the huge barrels the drink is stored and aged in. As you're exploring, you'll learn a little about the UNESCO-protected Duoro region where port wine grapes are grown. Then you'll get to give a few varieties the taste test.

#### Day 4 Sunday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Lisbon - PORTUGAL

Nosy around the Jeronimos Monastery. Construction began on this Manueline-style building in the 15th century and these days it's protected by UNESCO World Heritage Site status. It was built to commemorate Vasco de Gama's successful voyage to India and the go-ahead for building came directly from the Pope.

#### Day 5 Monday 11:00 - 20:00

#### Cadiz - SPAIN

Gawp at the Cathedral of Seville. It ranks alongside St Peter's in Rome and St Paul's in London as one of the largest churches in the world. It was built in the 13th century as a status symbol, to demonstrate Seville's wealth to the rest of the world. These days it's a national treasure protected by UNESCO.

#### Day 6 Tuesday 08:00 - 19:00

# Tangier - MOROCCO

Claim a front row seat at a Fantasia horse show. These traditional performances are supposed to mimic the way Berber and Arabic desert riders went into attack in times of ancient warfare. These days the shows are recognised as a part of martial art.

#### Day 7 Wednesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Lash cream and jam onto the top of a freshly-baked scone at the Rock Hotel. Afternoon tea is served here every day on the Wisteria Terrace. You won't just find scones on the menu, either. Springy chocolate cake, tangy apple pie, and glossy fruit tarts are also on offer.

#### Day 8 Thursday Arrive 06:00

#### Malaga - SPAIN

Potter around the mountain village of Mijas. The pace of life is slow in this whitewashed village. Amble into one of the handicraft shops to shop for pottery or paintings then duck into a tapas bar and wash some finger food down with a glass of cava.

#### ■ Wine-tasting in Porto

- Historical Seville
- Afternoon tea in Gibraltar





COMBINE with Spanish Sensations



ADD A STAY Add a 3 or 7 night stay in Malaga

#### UPGRADE YOUR CABIN. Turn to the ship pages at the back of this brochure to find out

#### FREE ALL INCLUSIVE UPGRADE. Iberian Escapade Winter 2014/15 Deck 4/5 Inside LOW MID HIGH Prices per person from<sup>1</sup> £799 7 nights £849 £1299 14 nights Code: 7 & 14 nights: DMA; Deluxe Suite: DMO; Single Cabin: DMB Child prices from £399 Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £14 Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Artistic Barcelona
- World Heritage Sites in Valencia
- Plush Puerto Banus



# SPANISH ESCAPES THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 01 Nov







Saturday Depart 23:00

Palma - MAJORCA

Sunday 10:00 - 18:00

Barcelona - SPAIN

Eye up the Sagrada Familia. The building work for this one-of-a-kind cathedral began in 1882 and it's still not finished. The designs for the building were created by Gaudi, and the gothic and art nouveau architecture is so intricate it might not be completed for another 20 years.

Day 3 Monday 09:00 - 17:00 Valencia - SPAIN

Scout around La Lonja. This former silk exchange was built in the 15th century and, these days, it's protected by World Heritage Site status. Its Gothic architecture is all vaulted ceilings, gargoyles, and towers.

Day 4 Tuesday 08:00 - 15:00

Cartagena - SPAIN

Canoe through the mangroves at Cueva del Manglar. These tangled forests are home to all sorts of wildlife, including kingfishers and pelicans. Parts of the mangroves are so knitted together that entwined vines and trunks have formed tunnels.

# Wednesday 10:00 - 19:00

Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Hop on a tour boat and search for dolphins in the Bay of Gibraltar. Striped and bottlenosed dolphins are often spotted in the waters here, as are flying fish and turtles.

Day 6 Thursday Arrive 06:00

Malaga - SPAIN

Lust after the yachts in Puerto Banus harbour. Some of the super yachts are multi-storey, some have helipads onboard, and others have parking spaces for Jeeps and Humvees.

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FREE ALL INCLUSIVE UPGRADE.

Winter 2014/15
Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside Spanish Escapes Thomson Dream

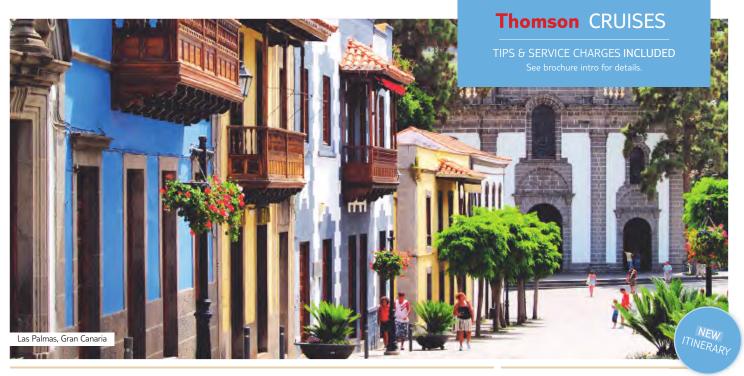
Prices per person from\* 5 nights £599

Code: 5 nights: DSE; Deluxe Suite: DSG; Single Cabin: DSF

Child prices from £399

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £14

Select Your Cabin for only £42



# **CULTURAL CLASSICS** THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2015: 17 Apr







- Friday Depart 23:59 Santa Cruz - TENERIFE
- Day 2 Saturday 08:00 22:00 Las Palmas - GRAN CANARIA

Head for the Caldera de Bandama. 3,000 feet high, the volcanic crater offers views across Gran Canaria.

Day 3 Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Arrecife - LANZAROTE

Visit the Fire Mountains at Timanfaya National Park. The craters, calderas and cones were formed by volcanic activity hundreds of years ago.

- Day 4 Monday Ship at Sea Relax with a cocktail in the piano bar.
- Day 5 Tuesday 07:00 19:00

#### Casablanca - MOROCCO

Tour this modern metropolis and discover sights like Notre Dame Church and Hassan II Mosque the world's largest religious monument after Mecca.

Wednesday 09:00 - 17:00 Day 6

#### Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Visit Europa Point - Gibraltar's most southern point. You can see the coast of N. Africa from here.

Day 7 Thursday Ship at Sea

Splash out on a deluxe caviar facial in the Sana wellness centre - designed to minimise the signs of aging and reduce the appearance of wrinkles.

Day 8 Friday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Barcelona - SPAIN

Stroll through the Santa Clotilde Gardens. They've been planted on a cliff top a few miles from Barcelona and they look out over the sea.

Saturday 09:00 - 16:00

# Toulon - FRANCE

Potter around Port Grimaud. It's architect used Venice as his muse, so water channels replace streets & boats are at the end of every garden.

# Day 10 Sunday 08:00 - 20:00

#### Livorno (for Florence & Pisa) - ITALY

Enjoy the paintings & drawings in the Uffizi Gallery with work by greats like Caravaggio & Da Vinci.

# Day 11 Monday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Civitavecchia (for Rome) - ITALY

Toss a coin into the Trevi Fountain. Legend says it will ensure you return to the Eternal City one day.

#### Day 12 Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Naples - ITALY

Trace your way along the Amalfi Coast. Bends curl around the mountains  $\boldsymbol{\delta}$  overhanging lemon trees.

#### Day 13 Wednesday 07:00 - 17:00

#### Messina - SICILY

Pose for a photograph by the entrance to Bar Vitelli - used as a set in the film The Godfather.

#### Day 14 Thursday 13:00 - 18:00

#### Katakolon - GREECE

Savour Greek wine at the Merkouri Winery - like folio, an unusual white made with roditis grapes.

#### Day 15 Friday Arrive 08:00

#### Corfu Town - CORFU

Paddle in the warm waters of Paleokastritsa's beach & pop into the beachside restaurant.

For prices for departures from Gran Canaria please speak to your Travel Advisor.

- Artistic Barcelona
- The French Riviera
- The Trevi Fountain





SAIL FROM TENERIFE OR GRAN CANARIA

#### UPGRADE YOUR CABIN.

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# FREE ALL INCLUSIVE UPGRADE.

Cultural Classics Thomson Majesty Prices per person from\*

Winter 2014/15 Full Board Deck 3/4 Inside

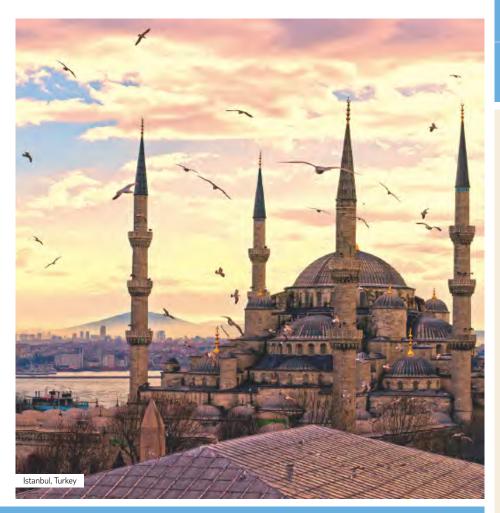
14 nights

£1299 Code: 14 nights: PAX; Deluxe Suite: PAZ; Single Cabin: PAY

Child prices from £499

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £19

Select Your Cabin for only £42.



# EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN & THE BLACK SEA

Stand atop the Acropolis in Athens. Be moved by the history of Sevastopol. Or delve into the bazaars of lively Istanbul.





# **FAST FACTS**

SAIL FROM	Marmaris, Cyprus or Corfu
SHIP	Thomson Spirit, Thomson Majesty and Thomson Celebration
DEPARTURES	April 2014 to April 2015
KEY PORTS OF CALL	Venice, Dubrovnik, Piraeus (for Athens), Heraklion,
	Mykonos Town, Kusadasi and Larnaca

For more information on our ports of call turn to pages 182 to 200

# TOP 5

# THINGS TO SEE & DO

#### 1. Gondola and St Mark's

Available from Venice

No visit to Venice is complete without a gondola ride. Our privately chartered launch will take you through the maze of canals to the heart of the city. After your ride, time's your own to see the sights. Visit St Mark's Square, the Bridge of Sighs and the Rialto Bridge. Or explore the quaint narrow back streets packed with shops, cafés and bars.

# 2. Athens and the Acropolis

Available from Piraeus (for Athens)
Leave Piraeus behind and head for the captivating city of Athens. You'll pass the main sights, like
Constitution Square, the Houses of Parliament, the
Royal Palace and the Old Olympic Stadium. The real highlight though, is when you arrive at the foot of the Acropolis - one of the most famous ancient monuments in the world. Set off on a walking tour, and let your guide explain its history to you. You'll also get some free time to admire the ancient temples of Athena Nike and the Parthenon.

#### 3. Medieval Dubrovnik

Available from Dubrovnik

Enjoy a scenic drive to the old walled city of Dubrovnik. Once inside, you'll start a walking tour to the heart of this UNESCO World Heritage site. Be charmed by its narrow, winding streets and Baroque architecture. Visit the 17th-century cathedral and the Rector's Palace, then on to the Dubrovnik Maritime Museum. You'll get some free time before taking a boat ride around the old city walls and the beautiful Lapad peninsula.

# 4. Jerusalem and Bethlehem

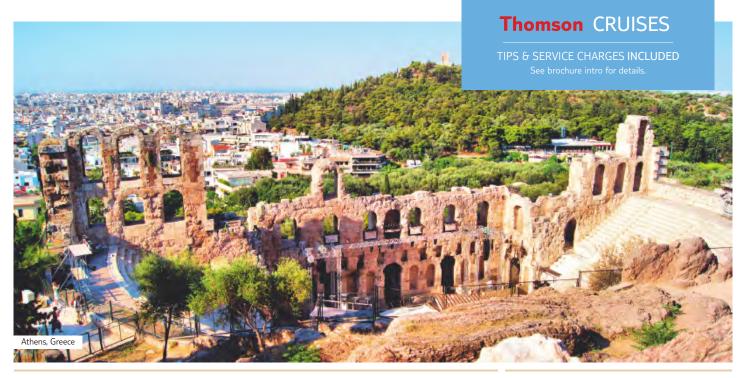
Available from Ashdod

Kicking things off is a fly-by tour, passing the Israeli parliament building, the Museum of Israel and the Shrine of the Book. Next, the top of the Mount of Olives - thought to be where the dead will be resurrected on Judgement Day. From here, it's on to the Garden of Gethsemane, where Jesus was betrayed. A visit to the Church of All Nations is also on the itinerary, and a walk through the old city following the path Jesus took as he carried his cross to Calvary. You'll also stop off at the Western Wall. Finally, Bethlehem and the Church of the Nativity - on the site of the stable where Mary gave birth.

# 5. Taste of Istanbul

Available from Istanbul

This excursion begins with a tour of the famous St. Sophia church that rises above the Old City. Then, on to the Blue Mosque - one of the only mosques with six minarets. The next stop will be the Underground Cistern. Built in the 6th century it's the grandest of its kind, complete with 336 columns.



# FROM CYPRUS WITH LOVE THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 23 Apr







- Wednesday Depart 21:00 Limassol - CYPRUS
- Thursday Ship at Sea Enjoy the ship's daytime activities. Rounds of bingo, guizzes and game shows all feature in the entertainment line-up.
- Day 3 Friday 08:00 15:00

# Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

Be captivated by the ancient city of Athens. Pass by the Old Olympic Stadium, then climb the Acropolis and look out from the Parthenon.

Day 4 Saturday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Katakolon - GREECE

Channel your inner Olympian at the birthplace of the Games, the famous site of  $\mbox{\sc Ancient Olympia}.$ 

Day 5 Sunday 12:00 - 18:00

#### Messina - SICILY

Let the scenery of Messina take your breath away. Expect blue waters, jagged peaks and Mount Etna smoking in the distance.

Day 6 Monday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Naples - ITALY

Two of Italy's most impressive sights - Pompeii, frozen in time since Mount Vesuvius erupted in 79AD, and the mighty fire mountain itself.

Day 7 Tuesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Civitavecchia (for Rome) - ITALY

Absorb Rome's art and culture - the Trevi Fountain, the Pantheon, Venice Square, the mighty Coliseum and the Vatican City are all must-sees.

Wednesday Ship at Sea

Head up to the sports deck to improve your tennis skills, shoot some hoops or have a kick about.

Thursday 09:00 - 17:00

#### Alicante - SPAIN

Gaze up at the biggest castle in the Med, Santa Barbara. Alicante's also home to ancient fortresses, Baroque cathedrals and cute little squares.

#### Day 10 Friday Ship at Sea

Recharge your batteries in the onboard spa. Book in for a manicure, facial or massage and unwind before exploring your next port.

Day 11 Saturday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Lisbon - PORTUGAL

Marvel at the imposing limestone Discoveries Monument, and the UNESCO-protected Jeronimos Monastery – a gothic masterpiece.

Day 12 Sunday 10:00 - 18:00

#### Vigo - SPAIN

Follow in the footsteps of thousands of pilgrims by visiting the Santiago de Compostela, where it's thought St James is buried.

Day 13 Monday Ship at Sea

Get to know your mojitos from your margaritas with the cocktail du jour, served in the ship's bars and lounges.

Day 14 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Pose for portraits in the onboard photographer's studio for a memento of your holiday.

Day 15 Wednesday Arrive 06:00

Liverpool - ENGLAND

- Ancient Olympia
- Medieval town Taormina
- Rome's mighty Colosseum



SAVE UP TO £200 PER COUPLE

From Cyprus With Love Thomson Spirit

Winter 2013/14 Deck 1/2 Inside

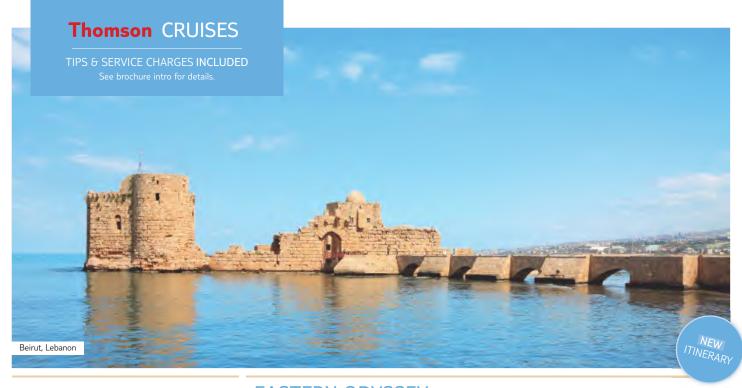
Prices per person from\* 14 nights

£1299 Code: 14 nights: SHF; Single Cabin: SHG

Child prices from £499

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Seat from £17 Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Up-and-coming Beirut
- Historical Athens
- Aghios Nikolaos' bottomless lake





COMBINE with Delights of the Promised Land



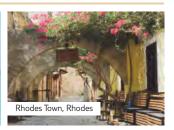
ADD A STAY Add a 3, 4 or 7 night stay in Cyprus

# **EASTERN ODYSSEY** THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 29 Oct







#### Wednesday Depart 21:00 Limassol - CYPRUS

Day 2 Thursday 07:00 - 18:00

#### Beirut - LEBANON

Photograph the Pigeon Rocks. In a part of Beirut known as Raouche, the city falls vertically into the sea. The cliffs are topped with a corniche known as Avenue de Paris. From here you can look out over a cluster of scenic sea stacks called Pigeon Rocks.

#### Friday Ship at Sea

Savour a 6-course dinner in the Compass Rose Restaurant. The menus are constantly evolving and you can expect a combination of familiar favourites like beef wellington and international dishes.

#### Saturday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Heraklion - CRETE

Wander around Lake Voulismeni in Aghios Nikolaos and contemplate the urban legend that it's bottomless. The lake is surrounded by restaurants, cafes, and ice cream parlours, which serve sundaes so big they could be scaled.

#### Sunday 08:00 - 16:00

# Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

Join a boat trip and sail along the Corinth Canal. This waterway was originally built in the 19th century. It was created to shave 185 miles of the journey of sailors wanted to travel from the Aegean to the Atlantic. There are no locks in this canal, it's just a narrow and deep rule of water.

#### Monday 08:00 - 17:00

# Kusadasi - TURKEY

Climb into the saddle of a horse and hack from the countryside to the coast. On Pamucak Beach, you can gallop your horse along the shoreline and you can take your ride into the sea to swim with it as it cools down in the waves.

#### Day 7 Tuesday 08:00 - 13:00

# Rhodes Town - RHODES

Imagine how the acropolis would have looked in ancient times. From its lofty cliff top position, this ancient area would have been unmissable. Among the columned temples here there was once a huge statue of the goddess of warriors. The spear-wielding statue would have risen 30 foot into the air.

#### Day 8 Wednesday Arrive 08:00

#### Limassol - CYPRUS

Explore the ancient city of Curium. This place was inhabited between antiquity and the middle ages. As you walk around here you can still see the mosaic floors of houses, an amphitheatre, and the remains of temples, including one dedicated to the god of the sun, Apollo.

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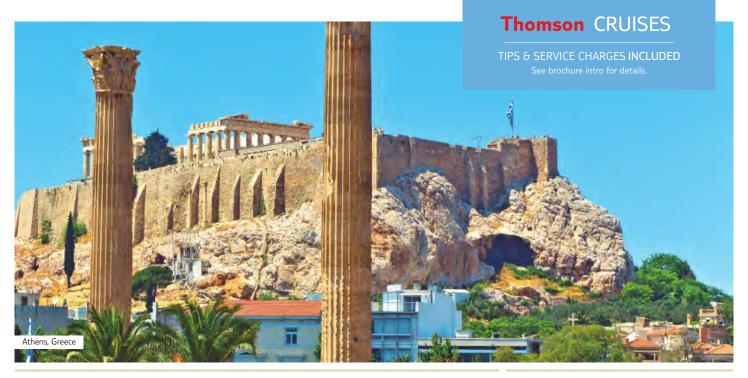
Eastern Odyssey Summer 2014 Deck 1/2 Inside Thomson Spirit Full Board

Prices per person from\* £949 7 nights

Code: 7 nights: SJB; Single Cabin: SJC

Child prices from £449

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £19 Select Your Cabin for only £42



# **EASTERN VENTURE** THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 13 Oct









#### Monday Depart 22:00 Marmaris - TURKEY

# Day 2 Tuesday Ship at Sea Take your pick from a choice of buffet and

waiter-service restaurants at mealtimes, and snack on pizza or take afternoon tea in-between.

# Day 3 Wednesday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

Soak up the atmosphere of the city of Plaka, which sits at the foot of the Acropolis. You can wander through the tangled maze of streets or pull up a chair in one of the pretty open-air cafes.

#### Thursday 09:00 - 16:00

#### Rhodes Town - RHODES

Wander the Mandraki harbour's glistening collection of luxury yachts. Italian-era Government buildings, pretty pavement cafés, and colourful boats dominate the scenery in these parts.

# Day 5 Friday 08:00 - 13:00

#### Alanya - TURKEY

Jump on a bike and see the main sights of Alanya. Head eastwards and you'll be rewarded by great views over Alanya Bay and its castle, where you can see the entire rocky peninsula.

# Day 6 Saturday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Beirut - LEBANON

Board a boat and float through Jeita's twin grottos. The millennia-old stalagmites and stalactites in here look like dripping candlesticks. Lunch is served in the Jeita Grotto Restaurant, where you'll get to munch on Lebanese mezze.

# Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

# Larnaca - CYPRUS

Wander through the museum-like streets of Larnaca. It's bulging at the seams with historical sites, including the Church of St Lazarus – the limestone building dates back as far as the 9th century.

#### Day 8 Monday 08:00 - 23:59

#### Ashdod - ISRAEL

Head to Bethlehem and see one of Christianity's most sacred sights, the Church of the Nativity, said to be built on the site of the stable where Mary gave birth to Jesus.

#### Day 9 Tuesday 00:01 - 17:00

#### Ashdod - ISRAEL

Drive through the Judean Hills, winding down the mountainside to the Dead Sea. Located at the lowest spot on earth, its waters are packed with therapeutic salt and minerals which find their way into products sold all over the globe.

#### Day 10 Wednesday Arrive 08:00

#### Limassol - CYPRUS

Go to Paphos and see Petra tou Romiou otherwise known as Aphrodite's Rock - where the goddess of love is said to have risen from the sea. While there, take a look at the underground Tombs of the Kings, a necropolis dating back to the 4th century BC.

#### The Acropolis

- Bethlehem town
- Sample Lebanese mezze



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Eastern Venture Summer 2014 Deck 1/2 Inside Thomson Spirit Full Board Prices per person from\* £1099

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Child prices from £499

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Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Rock tombs in Dalyan
- Crete's beaches
- Ancient history is Israel



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# UPGRADE TO ALL INCLUSIVE FROM £10 PER PERSON

Delights of the Promised Land Summer 2014 Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

Prices per person from\* 7 nights

£919 £1549 14 nights

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Child prices from £449

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Select Your Cabin for only £42

# **DELIGHTS OF THE PROMISED LAND THOMSON SPIRIT**

Departures in 2014: 22 Oct







#### Wednesday Depart 21:00 Limassol - CYPRUS

#### Thursday 12:00 - 18:00

#### Alanya - TURKEY

Journey along the Manavgat River to see Alanya's famous waterfall. It's one of the most photographed spots in Turkey, thanks to white foaming waters that plunge over low rocks. In fact, the rocks are so low the waterfall completely disappears during flooding.

# Day 3 Friday 08:00 - 18:00

# Marmaris - TURKEY

Spy the rock tombs from a boat on the Dalyan River. These ancient burial places were carved out of the riverside rock face in the 4th century BC. The façade of the tombs look like the front of temples, they were designed to be the final resting places of the kings of the city of Kaunos.

#### Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

# Aghios Nikolaos - CRETE

Drop in on the seaside town of Elounda. Do a bit of sunbathing on the golden beach. Break for lunch in a seaside fish restaurant. A few of them have floating seating areas in the sea. Then mooch around the souvenir shops in the main square.

#### Day 5 Sunday Ship at Sea

Learn how to mix your favourite cocktail or pair wines with food at an expert demonstration. There are unusual options, too - like presentations on the basics of ice carving.

#### Monday 06:00 - 19:00

# Ashdod - ISRAEL

Check out Tel Aviv, where old and new collide in the nation's biggest metropolis. The star of the show is the beach, a sweep of pale sand that's dotted with beach bars - the perfect set-up for a little R & R.

#### Day 7 Tuesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Haifa - ISRAEL

Head to Acre, the oldest city in northern Israel. Age-wise, it's over 500 years old, and you get a real feel for it by wandering its narrow alleyways. Newly excavated Crusader halls and a Templar tunnel are among the spoils you can explore here.

#### Day 8 Wednesday Arrive 08:00

#### Limassol - CYPRUS

Take a trip to Paphos and explore the Tombs of the Kings. This underground graveyard dates back to the 4th century BC and, despite its royal name, it was actually a burial chamber for aristocrats, not kings. Journey through the winding passageways to get a look at the incredible frescoed walls and the huge Doric



# **ADRIATIC EXPLORER** THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2014: 02 May, 16 May, 30 May, 13 Jun, 27 Jun, 11 Jul, 25 Jul, 08 Aug, 22 Aug, 05 Sep, 19 Sep, 03 Oct, 17 Oct







Friday Depart 23:00 Corfu Town - CORFU

#### Day 2 Saturday Ship at Sea TAKE your pick from a choice of buffet and

waiter-service restaurants at mealtimes, and snack on pizza or take afternoon tea in-between.

# Day 3 Sunday 09:00 - 20:00

#### Koper - SLOVENIA

Head underground to the Postojna Caves. This huge network of subterranean passageways and chambers stretches out for 20 kilometres. But don't worry - you don't have to walk it all. The caverns are fitted with an electric railway, which will take you past the stalactites and stalagmites without you having to move a muscle.

#### Monday 07:00 - 17:00

#### Venice - ITALY

Find out why they call St Mark's Basilica 'The Church of Gold'. This cathedral is one of the best-known works of Byzantine architecture in the world and it's covered inside and out with the precious metal. And the opulence doesn't end with the shiny stuff. The interior is plastered with mosaics, statues and gem stones.

#### Day 5 Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Zadar - CROATIA

Follow in ancient footsteps in the 3000-year-old city of Zadar. Criss-cross your way through the age-old street grid. Take in the biggest Roman forum on the eastern side of the Adriatic. And check out the city's most famous site - the pre-Romanesque Church of St. Donatus, built in the 9th century.

#### Wednesday 08:00 - 20:00

# Dubrovnik - CROATIA

Delve into the maze of terracotta rooftops that is Dubrovnik, and wander its ancient walled quarter. Its winding cobbled streets are crammed with old-world craft shops and ornate Baroque architecture. When it comes to history, must-sees include the Rector's Palace. It's got an impressive collection of artefacts, furniture and weaponry. The 17th-century cathedral, with its silver and gold relics, is definitely worth a look, too.

#### Day 7 Thursday 07:00 - 15:00

#### Kotor - MONTENEGRO

Journey to Budva to sip Champagne with the rich and famous. The town is fast becoming the A-list hotspot of the Adriatic, and, with its expensive boutiques and yacht-lined marina, it's easy to see why. There's another face of the city, though. Make your way into the backstreets, and it's a scene of cobbled alleyways and Medieval clock towers.

#### Day 8 Friday Arrive 07:00

#### Corfu Town - CORFU

Climb up to the hilltop monastery in Paleokastritsa. This religious house was originally built in the 13th century and it's a great example of Greek monastic architecture. The heart of the building is home to a museum, where you can learn more about the relics that were found on the site. The views from the top are pretty special, too.

- 'Little Italy' in Koper
- Gondola rides in Venice
- Medieval city of Dubrovnik





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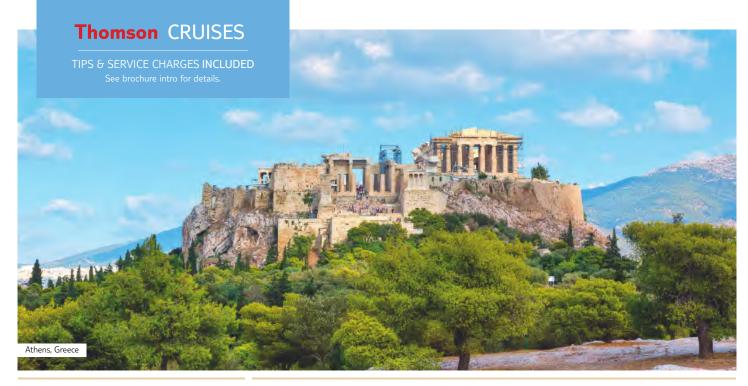
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- The Acropolis
- Corfu Town's ancient quarter
- Winery of Assimomitis





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# **AEGEAN DELIGHTS** THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2014: 09 May, 23 May, 06 Jun, 12 Sep, 26 Sep, 10 Oct, 24 Oct







#### Friday Depart 23:00 Corfu Town - CORFU

#### Day 2 Saturday Ship at Sea

While away an hour or two with a flutter in the ship's casino. Don't worry if you're a beginner, we'll show you the ropes.

#### Sunday 07:00 - 18:00

#### Mykonos Town - MYKONOS

See wine-making in action at the Winery of Assimomitis. Afterwards, sample the wine for yourself - white, red and rosé are all on the agenda. Plus, you'll tuck in to a buffet of traditional Greek snacks, featuring the likes of louza salami, kopanisti cream cheese, boiled eggs, and tomatoes.

#### Monday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Kusadasi - TURKEY

Head up into the hills to the house of the Virgin Mary. You'll see a small chapel, which has been built on the foundations of a humble dwelling where Mary's believed to have spent her last days. Tucked high in the hills above the coast, you don't have to be religious to appreciate this serene setting.

# Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

Climb up to the Acropolis, one of the most famous and photographed ancient monuments in the world. You'll admire the ancient temples of Athena Nike and the towering Parthenon. And don't forget your cameras for the breathtaking views of the city below.

#### Wednesday 07:00 - 17:00

#### Monemvasia\* - PELOPPONESE

Scale the stairs to the upper part of Monemvasia Town. From here you get grandstand views of the lower town and the fingerprint pattern of the ancient streets. Today, the island is a show-andtell of every empire that has come, seen, and conquered.

#### Day 7 Thursday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Katakolon - GREECE

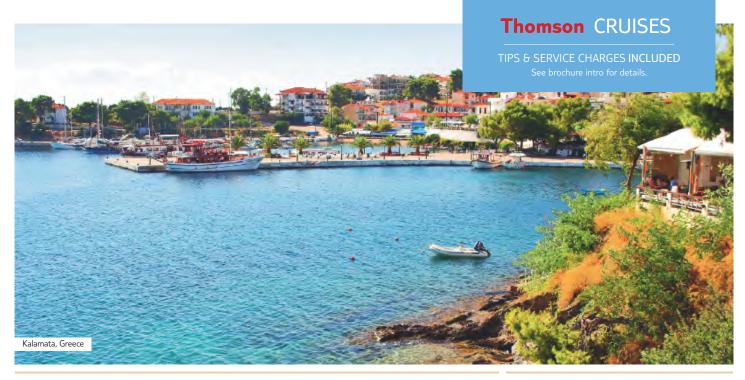
Experience the site of Olympia, birth-place of the Olympic Games. The sanctuary spreads around the green wooded feet of the Kronion Hill, where the rivers Alpheios and Cladeos meet. And remember to check out the Archaeological Museum, which hosts an impressive collection of treasures.

#### Day 8 Friday Arrive 07:00

#### Corfu Town - CORFU

Wander Corfu Town's ancient quarter. This part of the city was built by the Venetians more than 400 years ago, so there's a strong spectre of Italy in the architecture here. Expect narrow streets and Baroque building facades.

\*Tender to shore



# **AEGEAN CLASSICS** THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2014: 04 Jul, 18 Jul, 01 Aug, 15 Aug







#### Day 1 Friday Depart 23:00 Corfu Town - CORFU

# Day 2 Saturday Ship at Sea Dine out in the ship's flagship à la carte restaurant for a special meal in an intimate setting.

Day 3 Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Aghios Nikolaos - CRETE

Slip and slide your way through Aqua Plus Water Park's 21 water slides, which range from black holes and crazy rivers to toboggan runs and lazy rivers. And who says you can only slalom on skis? On the Aqua Slalom you'll shoot through tunnels, light beams and waterfalls.

# Day 4 Monday 08:00 - 17:00

# Bodrum - TURKEY

Paddle in the thermal waters of Pamukkale. This natural phenomenon is home to white, terraced pools, which were formed over thousands of years by warm water depositing calcium. Plus, there's the option of paying a bit extra to soak in the toasty waters of Cleopatra's Pool.

# Day 5 Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Kusadasi - TURKEY

Drive to the village of Sirince, a peaceful little place that hugs the hillside and is famous for its homemade wines and Gözleme – griddle bread with various fillings. After a short wine-tasting session, browse the souvenir stalls and cobblestone lanes where village women sell their colourful handiwork.

#### Day 6 Wednesday 08:00 - 17:00

# Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

See everyday Athenian life up close by heading off the tourist trail. You'll taste-test local delicacies like olives and cheese, and sip strong Greek coffee. The beautiful marble-floored Syntagma and Monastiraki metro stations are must-sees — they house millennia-old artifacts, so the high-tech hubs double up as museums.

### Day 7 Thursday 08:00 - 13:00

#### Kalamata - GREECE

Head for the archaeological site of Messini, which dates all the way back to 146 BC. You'll find plenty in the way of treasures here, including an almost-intact theatre, the ruins of a 3rd-century temple, a time-worn sanctuary, and a Byzantine monastery.

#### Day 8 Friday Arrive 07:00

#### Corfu Town - CORFU

Admire the Achilleion Palace in the village of Gastouri, a 19th-century summer retreat for Empress Elizabeth of Austria. Inside, grand halls are decorated with frescos, while outside the gardens are dotted with statues of Greek gods.

- Pamukkale thermal pools
- Turkish wine-tasting
- Explore Athens





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 Summer 2014 Full Board
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 14 nights
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Child prices from £549

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- Church of Nativity in Bethlehem
- Medieval castle in Alanya
- Dalyan's hot springs



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Aegean & the Holy Land Summer 2014 Deck 1/2 Inside LOW MID HIGH Prices per person from\* 7 nights £949 £969 £1619 £1629 14 nights

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# **AEGEAN & THE HOLY LAND** THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2014: 05 May, 19 May, 09 Jun, 23 Jun, 01 Sep, 15 Sep and 29 Sep.







#### Monday Depart 22:00 Marmaris - TURKEY

# Day 2 Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Rhodes Town - RHODES

Poke around the ruins of Lindos' ancient acropolis. The history is stratified here. The ancient Greeks, Romans, Byzantines, Knights of St John and the Ottomans have all had a presence on the site. Temples are built on top of temples and castles on top of castles.

Wednesday Ship at Sea Sunbathe on a lounger by the side of Oceans

Pool. This pool is just for adults, so it's a great place to read a book. There's a whirlpool bath by the water, too, which adds to the relaxation.

# Thursday 05:00 - 23:59

#### Ashdod - ISRAEL

Stand on the olive-bearded slopes of the Mount of Olives. According to scripture, this is the place  $% \left\{ 1,2,\ldots ,2,3,\ldots \right\}$ the dead will be resurrected on Judgement Day. According to the Book of Acts, it's also where Jesus ascended to heaven.

Friday 00:01 - 19:00

#### Ashdod - ISRAEL

Explore the Garden of Gethsemane, at the foot of the Mount of Olives. This green area is the setting of several of the Bible's most important stories and one of Jerusalem's best known places. According to the good book, Jesus' disciples prayed here the night before his crucifixion. Plus, it's the place where Judas betrayed him by handing him over to the police.

#### Saturday 11:00 - 18:00 Larnaca - CYPRUS

Alternate between shopping and sightseeing in the pretty village of Lefkara. This hilltop hamlet is famous for producing lace and silver handicrafts, so you can pick up some souvenirs as you wander through the cobbled streets. Keep a look out for the Church of St Lazarus, too, – it dates back to the 9th century and is one of Cyprus' best Byzantine churches.

#### Sunday 09:00 - 16:00 Day 7

#### Alanya - TURKEY

Listen to the roar of white water at the waterfall in Manavgat. The best way to soak up the atmosphere is to find a table at one of the waterside tea gardens and order a cup of apple tea. You'll find a few market stalls here, too, where you can pick up local handicrafts as souvenirs.

#### Day 8 Monday Arrive 08:00

#### Marmaris - TURKEY

Pamper yourself the natural way at Dalyan's hot springs. The mud baths and warm waters here are thought to help with everything from rheumatism to dry skin. You'll start your beautification by dunking yourself in mud as thick as milkshake and, once it's dried, you'll wash yourself off in a sulphur pool. You'll be in good company, too - Prince Charles, Sting and Dustin Hoffman have all had a go.

Just so you know for the sailing on 29th September 2014 the order of your itinerary will vary. Please speak to your Travel Advisor for more details.

See page 2.



# **ANCIENT WONDERS** THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2014: 12 May, 26 May, 16 Jun, 07 Jul, 21 Jul, 04 Aug, 18 Aug, 08 Sep, 22 Sep, 20 Oct







Day 1 Monday Depart 22:00 Marmaris - TURKEY

Day 2 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Borrow a book from the ship's library and curl up
in one of the lounges for a quiet reading session
with no interruptions.

# Day 3 Wednesday 07:00 - 18:00

#### Istanbul - TURKEY

Lower your voice to a whisper as you walk around the Hagia Sofia, otherwise known as the Church of the Holy Wisdom. This incredible piece of Byzantine architecture has been used as both a church and a mosque in its time, and is often referred to as the Eighth Wonder of the World. The hushed passageways here are lined with gold mosaics, marble pillars and Islamic calligraphy.

#### Day 4 Thursday 10:00 - 18:00

# Mytilene\* - LESBOS

Learn the legends that surround the icon of Mantamados during a visit to the Taxiarchis Monastery. The icon itself is a statue of Archangel Michael, and it's said to be partly made from the blood of monks who were slaughtered by pirates in the 10th century. Many islanders claim that miracles have happened after they asked the statue for help.

#### Day 5 Friday 09:00 - 17:00

# Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

Puzzle over the question that's wracked the brains of archaeologists for decades – how did they build the Parthenon? Set inside the Acropolis, this structure dates back to the 5th

century BC and is considered to be one of the greatest archaeological achievements of the ancient world. It was originally built as temple, and has also been used as a church and a mosque over the years.

# Day 6 Saturday 07:00 - 17:00

#### Thira\* - SANTORINI

Take a boat ride to the volcanic island of Nea Kameni, where you'll step out onto the Daphni lava flow, the oldest lava on the island. Climb to the top, over volcanic sand and lava fragments, and take in the sensational views of Santorini and its famous caldera.

#### Day 7 Sunday 08:00 - 16:00

# Kusadasi - TURKEY

Experience Turkey's wilder side with a horse trek through the country's outback. Saddle up your steed and ride along mountain paths and through shaded forests. When you get tired of simply trotting, head down the Cowboy Road to Pamucak Beach, where you can ride your horse into the water and swim with it.

#### Day 8 Monday Arrive 08:00

#### Marmaris - TURKEY

Find out what members of the ancient Ottoman Empire did for fun at a traditional Turkish Bath. Similar to modern-day saunas, these steam rooms were the main meeting places for friends as far back as the 13th century.

\*Tender to shore

#### Blue Mosque in Istanbul

- Horse trekking in Kusadasi
- Romantic Santorini





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 Ancient Wonders Thomson Celebration
 Summer 2014 Full Board
 Deck 1/2 Inside

 Prices per person from\*
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 7 nights
 £969
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 14 nights
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- Wartime history in Sevastopol
- Roman ruins in Constanta
- Blue Mosque in Istanbul





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Departures in 2014: 02 Jun, 30 Jun, 14 Jul, 28 Jul, 11 Aug, 25 Aug







- Monday Depart 22:00 Marmaris - TURKEY
- Day 2 Tuesday Ship at Sea Take your pick from a choice of buffet and waiter-service restaurants at mealtimes, and snack on pizza or take afternoon tea in-between.
- Day 3 Wednesday 08:00 17:00

#### Istanbul - TURKEY

Feast your eyes on the Hippodrome where Ben Hur-style chariot races were once held, then head to Sultanahmet Camii - a shapely house of worship decorated in bluey-green mosaics that's right next door. From here you can walk to the Hagia Sofia, a triumph of Byzantine design that's often heralded as the Eighth Wonder of the World.

Thursday 07:00 - 18:00

#### Constanta - ROMANIA

Pore over fascinating exhibits gathered from all over Dobrogea at the History and Archeology Museum. Or take time to unwind in Mamaia – a real weekend hot spot for the locals due to its sandy beaches and selection of tourist shops.

Day 5 Friday 09:00 - 17:00

# Sevastopol - UKRAINE

Look back at the events of the Crimean War. In Sevastopol, there are memorials around every corner. Among the most noteworthy is the 'Defense of Sevastopol' painting. It's housed in the Panorama Museum, and displayed on a wraparound wall, giving those who flock to see it a 360-degree view.

Saturday Ship at Sea Stock up on duty free goodies or browse for souvenirs of your trip in the onboard shops.

Day 7 Sunday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Mykonos Town - MYKONOS

Find out why the village of Alefkandra has been dubbed 'Little Venice' by locals. This picturesque portion of Mykonos showcases whitewashed houses huddled together at the seafront, and it's filled with winding lanes made for exploring. Grab something to eat along the waterfront for incredible views and the freshest seafood going.

Day 8 Monday Arrive 08:00

#### Marmaris - TURKEY

Spend the last day of your cruise being pampered in a traditional Turkish hammam. You'll be scrubbed down from head to toe, so you'll head home with super-soft, glowing skin.

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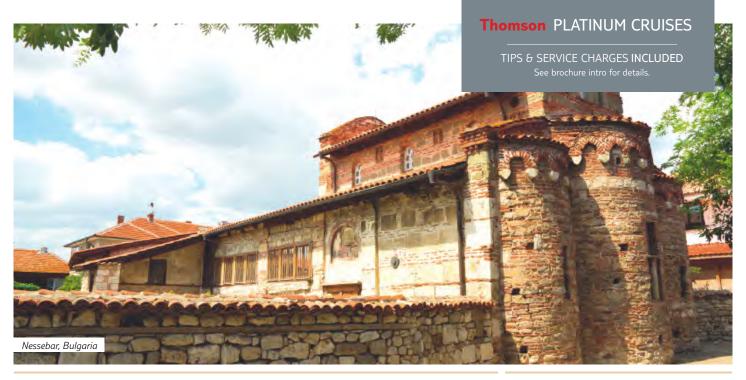
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14 nights	-	£1679	£1729

Code: 7 & 14 nights: TNA; Single Cabin: TNB

Child prices from £449

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Seat from £19 Select Your Cabin for only £42



# BEST OF THE BLACK SEA THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2014: 06 Oct







- Monday Depart 22:00 Marmaris - TURKEY
- Tuesday Ship at Sea Hit the onboard gym for an exercise session, then reward yourself with a trip to the sauna.
- Day 3 Wednesday 08:00 - 23:59

#### Istanbul - TURKEY

Take a whistlestop tour of Turkey's cultural capital, including a former chariot race venue and a bazaar.

Thursday 00:01 - 15:00 Istanbul - TURKEY Day 4

Wander the courtyards of Topkapi Palace and get up close to the jewels of the Imperial Treasury.

Day 5 Friday 07:00 - 15:00

#### Nessebar - BULGARIA

Step back in time at Erkech - try Bulgarian home cooking  $\delta$  watch traditional weavers.

Day 6 Saturday 10:00 - 18:00

#### Odessa - UKRAINE

Stroll past the Tolstoy mansion and grand 19th century buildings on Primorsky Boulevard, or take coach tour through the heart of Odessa.

Day 7 Sunday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Sevastopol\* - UKRAINE

Visit Balaklava, the British base in the Crimean War, where Florence Nightingale cared for casualties.

Day 8 Monday 08:00 - 14:00

#### Yalta - UKRAINE

Follow the winding streets of Yalta to the famous Livadia Palace, where Churchill, Roosevelt and Stalin outlined the future of post-war Europe.

Tuesday 08:00 - 18:00

# Sochi - RUSSIA

Snoop around Stalin's cottage, hidden in the mountains between the Matsestinskaya Valley and the Agura Canyon.

Day 10 Wednesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Trabzon - TURKEY

Explore the historic Sumela Monastery that looks as though it's been carved into the side of a cliff.

Day 11 Thursday 09:00 - 16:00

#### Sinop - TURKEY

Discover Bronze Age, Roman, Byzantine and Ottoman history in one of the North's oldest cities.

Day 12 Friday Ship at Sea

Browse the web, or catch up with the folks at home in the onboard internet café.

Day 13 Saturday 08:00 - 18:00

# Mytilene\* - LESBOS

Feast on Greek favourites like Ladotiri cheese, sardines, olives and Ouzo at a food tasting session.

Day 14 Sunday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Kusadasi - TURKEY

Take a tour of the world famous archaeological site of Ephesus, ticking off the sights of the Temple of Hadrian, the Marble Street and the Celsus Library.

Day 15 Monday Arrive 08:00

#### Marmaris - TURKEY

Unroll your towel on Turtle Beach – a 7-km stretch of golden sand, home to Loggerhead turtles.

\*Tender to shore

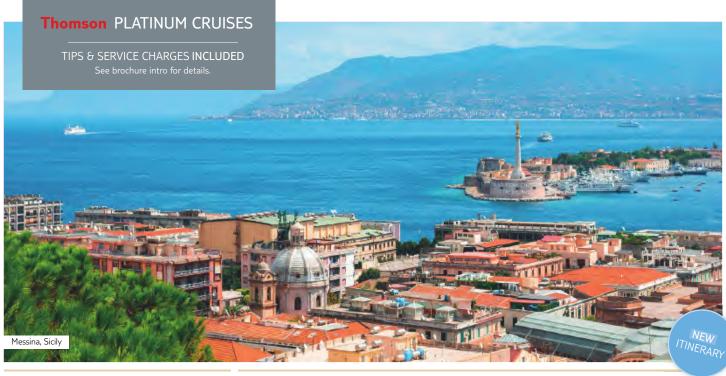
#### Historic Balaklava

- Archaeological site Ephesus
- Istanbul's Grand Bazaar



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#### GREAT SAVINGS AVAILABLE. Best of the Black Sea Summer 2014 Deck 1/2 Inside Full Board Thomson Celebration Prices per person from\* LOW £1799 14 nights Code: 14 nights: CFH; Single Cabin: CFI Child prices from £399 Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £19 Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Athens' acropolis
- Ancient Pompeii
- The Eternal City, Rome



# MEDITERRANEAN FLAVOURS THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2014: 05 Nov









- Wednesday Depart 22:00 Limassol - CYPRUS
- Thursday Ship at Sea Watch the line between dinner and entertainment blur during the weekly Buffet Magnifique. It's a feast for the eyes as well as the stomach, as ice sculptures are created and art is made using fruit and vegetables.
- Day 3 Friday 08:00 15:00

# Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

Photograph Athens' acropolis. The name of this structure translates as extremity city, and that's exactly what it is. It's nested on top of a 150 metre high rocky promontory, which overlooks the entire city of Athens.

Saturday 08:00 - 13:00

#### Katakolon - GREECE

Visit the birthplace of the Olympic Games. Learn about Ancient Greece as you tour the famous site of Olympia. Then head for the Archaeological Museum - one of the most important in Greece.

Day 5 Sunday 09:00 - 19:00

#### Messina - SICILY

Swot up on the city's history on a tour of its Byzantine, Greek, Norman and Spanish sights. Top of the must-see list is the reconstructed Norman cathedral where Richard the Lionheart worshipped enroute to a 12th-century crusade.

Monday 09:00 - 18:00

# Naples - ITALY

Wander the ruins of ancient Pompeii. The city was hidden underground for almost 1,500 years. It was buried under a blanket of lava and mudslides by the eruption of Vesuvius in 79AD.

Tuesday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Civitavecchia (for Rome) - ITALY

Explore the 2,000-year-old Colosseum. Gladiators used to fight to the death here, chariots raced, and Caesar decided who would live or die.

Day 8 Wednesday Ship at Sea

Place your bets in Hemingway's Casino. There are also slot machines here, so you can try and win some money for souvenir shopping the next day.

Day 9 Thursday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Palma - MAJORCA

Stroll along Palma's seaside promenade. If you're getting peckish stop at one of the chiringuitos and try the speciality sardines.

Day 10 Friday 09:00 - 15:00

#### Cartagena - SPAIN

Duck into Cartagena's oldest church – Santo Domingo - and you'll see sculptures of angels, inscribed floor tiles, and spiral staircases.

Day 11 Saturday Arrive 06:00

#### Malaga - SPAIN

Journey to Granada to see the Alhambra Palace. Moorish poets referred to this complex of palaces and fortresses as 'a pearl set in emeralds'. It was once the home of Muslim emirs.

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Mediterranean Flavours Winter 2014/15

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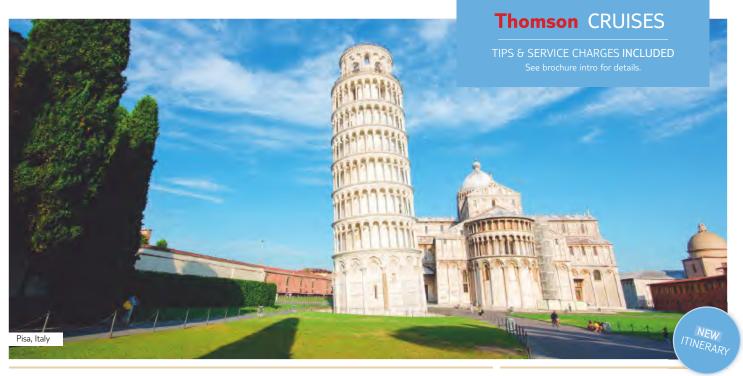
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10 nights

Deck 1/2 Inside



# TASTE OF THE MEDITERRANEAN THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2014: 31 Oct



Friday Depart 22:00 Corfu Town - CORFU

Saturday 12:00 - 18:00

Kotor - MONTENEGRO







Dent your budget on Las Ramblas. This tree-lined boulevard has more than its fair share of shops and artists sell paintings from street stalls.

Day 10 Sunday Ship at Sea

Sip a cocktail in the Royal Observatory bar. It's the highest vantage point on the ship, so you can watch the world go by as you drink.

Day 11 Monday 08:00 - 16:00

Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Soak up the views from Europa Point. It's Gibraltar's most southern point and you can see the coast of North Africa from here.

Day 12 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Iron out the kinks with a yoga class in Frame 52.

Day 13 Wednesday 09:00 - 17:00

Funchal - MADEIRA

Buckle your seat belt in a 4x4 and drive out to explore Madeira's mountain scenery. The tallest peak stands at 1,800 metres above sea level.

Day 14 Thursday 11:00 - 18:00

Santa Cruz de la Palma - LA PALMA

Nip to the village of Mazo to visit the pottery centre of El Molino. It's inside a windmill and the potters make their ceramics using traditional techniques.

Day 15 Friday Arrive 08:00

Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

Ride the cable car to Spain's highest peak, Mount Teide. This volcano soars more than 3,700 metres into the air.

Timeless Dubrovnik

**Brooding Vesuvius** 

Pisa's Leaning Tower



size of tennis rackets.

Sunday 08:00 - 18:00 Day 3

Dubrovnik - CROATIA

Poke around the old walled city of Dubrovnik protected by UNESCO World Heritage Site status because of its medieval and Baroque architecture.

Sample a signature eats in the village of Njegusi.

The cellars of locals here are full of prust hams the

Monday Ship at Sea

Indulge yourself with a treatment in the Sana Wellness Centre.

Tuesday 07:00 - 18:00

Naples - ITALY

Hike to the summit of Vesuvius. Or get a coach to the 1,000m mark and walk the 300m to the top.

Wednesday 09:00 - 17:00

Civitavecchia (for Rome) - ITALY

Marvel at the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel in the Vatican. It took Michelangelo 6 years to paint.

Thursday 09:00 - 18:00

Livorno (for Florence & Pisa) - ITALY

Visit the Leaning Tower of Pisa. The foundations were laid in 1173 and 5 years later it started to tilt.

Friday 13:00 - 16:00 Day 8

Toulon - FRANCE

The dinky fishing village of Cassis is known for its pretty coves and its bouillabaisse soup.

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Taste of the Mediterranean Summer 2014 Thomson Majesty Full Board Deck 3/4 Inside Prices per person from\*

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Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Photogenic Oia
- The Dead Sea
- Up-and-coming Tel Aviv





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# **ANCIENT AFFAIR** THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2015: 25 Mar, 08 Apr, 22 Apr







#### Wednesday Depart 21:00 Limassol - CYPRUS

#### Day 2 Thursday 10:00 - 18:00

#### Alanya - TURKEY

Relish Turkey's great outdoors at the Manavgat Waterfalls. These falls aren't tall, but they're wide and they tumble into a broad river. Parkland surrounds the water and there are a few cafes where you can stop for a drink. Locals are so proud of their falls that an image of them appeared on the Turkish 5 lira banknote for more than a decade.

#### Friday 09:00 - 18:00 Day 3

#### Marmaris - TURKEY

Stew in a traditional Turkish bath. These places are different to saunas or steam rooms. Once you're inside, you'll lie down on a heated gobektasi stone and be given a body scrub, before you begin the cool down process.

# Saturday 07:00 - 16:00 Thira\* - SANTORINI

Photograph the traditional village of Oia. This place is possibly the most Greek-looking village in the whole of the country. Most of the houses here are whitewashed and dice-shaped and the window shutters, gates and sometimes the roofs are painted Cyclade blue.

#### Sunday Ship at Sea

Upgrade your evening meal and make a reservation at the a la carte restaurant Sirocco's. The dishes on the 5-course menus here are inspired by foods around the world.

#### Monday 07:00 - 23:59

#### Ashdod - ISRAEL

Swim in the Dead Sea. It's one of the saltiest bodies of water in the world and the salt content means it's easy to float in. This sea was also one of the world's first health resorts. King David and Herod the Great are said to have relaxed here in biblical times.

#### Day 7 Tuesday 00:01 - 18:00

#### Ashdod - ISRAEL

Nip into Tel Aviv for a city-hit. There's plenty to occupy your time here. There's a beach right next to the city centre, a leafy central park, flea markets, art galleries and museums. For cafes and restaurants, head to Rothschild Boulevard. Thanks to its Bauhaus architecture, it's known as the city's prettiest street.

#### Wednesday Arrive 08:00 Day 8

#### Limassol - CYPRUS

Nosy around the Tombs of the Kings. This necropolis dates back to the 4th century BC. Its name is a bit of a red herring, though. It was only wealthy aristocrats who were buried here rather than members of royalty.

\*Tender to shore

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Ancient Affair Winter 2014/15 Deck 1/2 Inside LOW MID HIGH Prices per person from 7 nights £829 £889 £1399 14 nights £1399

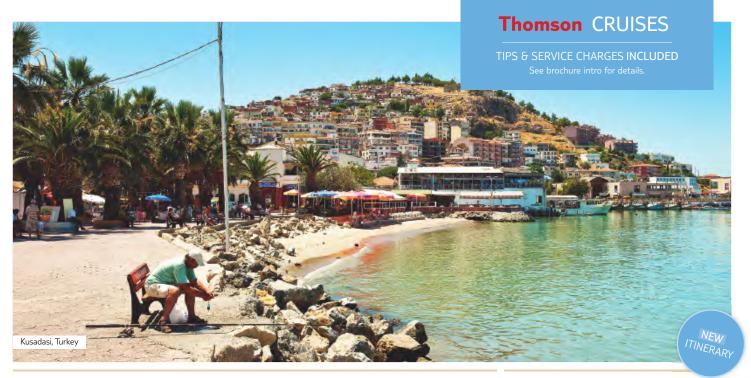
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Child prices from £399

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £19

Select Your Cabin for only £42

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# **AEGEAN GEMS** THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2015: 01 Apr, 15 Apr







#### Wednesday Depart 21:00 Limassol - CYPRUS

#### Day 2 Thursday Ship at Sea

Choose a sunlounger by the side of Oceans adults-only swimming pool and work on your tan. There's a whirlpool here, too, which you can dunk into if you want to up the relaxation quota.

#### Friday 08:00 - 17:00 Day 3

#### Kusadasi - TURKEY

Explore the ancient city of Ephesus. The timeline of this city can be traced back as far as the 10th century BC, but it had its heyday in Roman times when it was the second largest city in the empire. As you walk around, you'll see the remains of temples, baths, theatres and a gladiator's gravevard.

#### Day 4 Saturday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Piraeus (for Athens) - GREECE

Admire the neoclassical architecture in Plaka. People have been living in this neighbourhood since antiquity and Adrinou Street is the oldest street in the city. The area is known as 'The Neighbourhood of the Gods' thanks to its proximity to the acropolis.

#### Day 5 Sunday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Aghios Nikolaos - CRETE

Loop your way around the island of Spinalonga, which was home to one of Europe's last leper colonies. While you're here, you'll see the houses, which the ill residents shared, the church where they prayed, and the graveyards where they were buried. Until Spinalonga was developed, Crete's lepers mostly hid away in caves.

#### Monday 08:00 - 17:00

# Rhodes Town - RHODES

Enjoy yourself on Falaraki Beach, a stretch of sand with a lot of get up and go. You can take part in all sorts of watersports while you're here, including parasailing and banana boat riding. There are funfair rides not far from the sand. And the bars and restaurants line up to be counted.

#### Tuesday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Alanya - TURKEY

Burrow into the Dalmatas Magarasi caves. The caverns here are 2 storeys-tall and stalactites and stalagmites zig zag their way across the floors and the ceiling. The atmosphere in the cave is said to be good for your breathing.

#### Wednesday Arrive 08:00 Day 8

#### Limassol - CYPRUS

Snap a few photographs of Aphrodite's rock. According to legend the goddess of love rose out of the white surf that breaks at the base of these sea stacks.

- **Ancient Ephesus**
- Historical Athens
- Spinalonga Island





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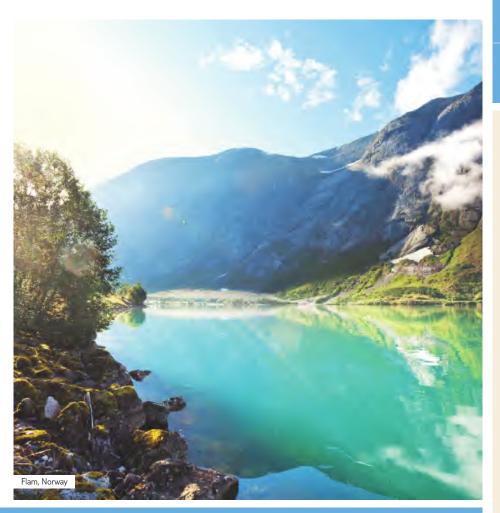
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7 nights	-	£849	£ <b>929</b>
14 nights	-	£1349	£1499

Code: 7 & 14 nights: PEZ; Single Cabin: STZ

Child prices from £399

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# SCANDINAVIA, THE BALTIC & UK

Discover Orthodox domes in St Petersburg. Stroll cobbled streets in Tallinn. And be mesmerised by the fjords of Norway.





# **FAST FACTS**

SAIL FROM	Liverpool, Newcastle or Harwich
SHIP	Thomson Spirit
DEPARTURES	May 2014 to September 2014
KEY PORTS OF CALL	Reykjavik, St Petersburg, Tallinn, Flam, Stavanger,

For more information on our ports of call, turn to pages 182 to 200

# TOP 5

# THINGS TO SEE & DO

# 1. Flam Railway Adventure

Available from Flam

Flam Railway is one of the most famous and spectacular train journeys in the world. Your tour starts by sending you skywards to a height of 867 metres at Myrdal station, on the mainline between Oslo and Bergen. At Myrdal station you change trains and snake your way down the Raundalen mountain valley to the well-known resort of Voss. Here you'll stop for a traditional lunch before taking a bus to Stalheim, taking in waterfalls, mountains and lakes along the way. When you reach Stalheim, get ready as we weave our way through 13 hairpin bends to Naeroy Valley and arriving back in Flam.

#### 2. The Golden Circle

Available from Reykjavik

This classic trip is your ticket to the 'big three' — Gullfoss, Geysir and Thingvellir. Collectively they're known as 'The Golden Circle'. Your first stop is the national park. Thingvellir was given a coveted spot on UNESCO's World Heritage List in 2004. The park's surrounded by mountains and covers a huge lava plain of green moss and wild flowers. Next up, it's Gullfoss' Also known as the 'Golden Waterfall', it's the most famous of the country's falls. After time here, you'll head for Geysir. The active geyser, "Strokkur" spouts water every few minutes. Your return journey takes in the Hellisheidi Power Plant.

# 3. Berlin's Top 10

Available from Warnemunde
First on the agenda is the Berlin Wall. Built in the
Sixties to separate the nation's East and West, it
was finally ripped down in 1989. You'll also see
Bebel Platz, where the Nazi's ordered a mass
book-burning back in 1933, and Potsdamer Platz,
once a no-man's land where the first wall gap was
made. There'll be a stop at the Holocaust Memorial,
too, and a photo call at the imposing Brandenburg
Gate. You'll also have some shopping time.

#### 4. Russian Ballet

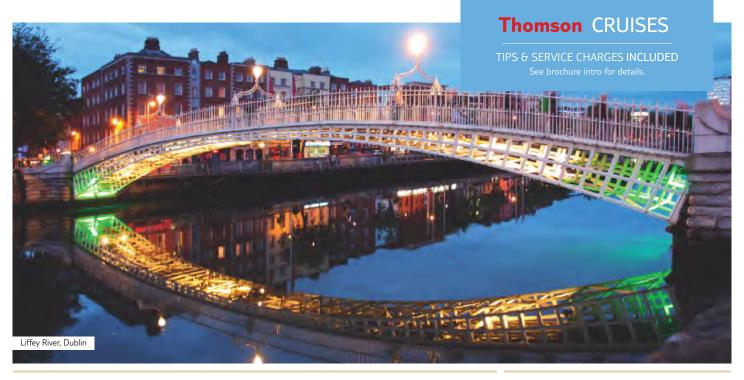
Available from St Petersburg

On this very special evening you'll have the chance to enjoy one of the best classical ballets of the 19th century at the Conservatoire Theatre. So sit back, relax and experience the artistic delights.

# North Cape Explorer

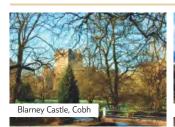
Available from Honningsvag

Keep an eye out for grazing reindeer as you make your way out to the North Cape, Europe's most northerly point. The barren landscape is the hallmark of the Arctic Circle yet over 200 species of plants grow here. The North Cape itself has a steep wall climbing over 307 metres from the Arctic Ocean. Surprisingly, it's got a shopping area and a 225° widescreen cinema.



# **CELTIC CONNECTION** THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 07 May







#### Wednesday Depart 16:00 Liverpool - ENGLAND

# Day 2 Thursday 10:30 - 19:00

#### Dublin - IRELAND

Sail along the River Liffey, which runs through the centre of Dublin. You'll journey past all the main landmarks, including the 19th-century Ha'penny Bridge and the elegant Georgian Custom House, as well as the Royal and Grand canals.

#### Day 3 Friday 09:00 - 16:00

#### Cobh (for Cork) - IRELAND

Kiss the Blarney Stone and you'll never be lost for words again. Whether there's any truth in the story remains to be seen, but Winston Churchill is one of many famous faces that've kissed the castle-top rock. Even if you don't fancy a close encounter with the boulder, the climb is worth it just for the countryside views.

#### Saturday 08:00 - 18:00 Galway\* - IRELAND Day 4

Pick up the makings of a gourmet picnic from Galway's ancient Church Lane market. You'll wander past stalls piled with Guinness sausages, Celtic jewellery, and honeycomb candles. It's where locals come for a gossip, too, so you'll feel like you've seen a slice of behind-the-scenes Galway.

#### Sunday Ship at Sea

Get to know your mojitos from your margaritas with the cocktail du jour, served in the ship's bars and lounges.

#### Day 6 Monday 08:00 - 20:00

# Greenock (for Glasgow) - SCOTLAND

Mosey along Greenock's pretty waterfront, where you'll pass grand buildings like the colonnaded custom house and take in views along the winding River Clyde. The town's been a shipbuilding giant since 1710, and there are relics of the centuries-old industry scattered along the esplanade.

#### Tuesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Douglas\* - ISLE OF MAN

Chug across the island on a Victorian steam train, which runs today much like it did a hundred years ago. The tracks pass through leafy valleys and forests before snaking along the coast, where you can expect some breathtaking sea views.

# Day 8 Wednesday Arrive 06:00

Liverpool - ENGLAND

#### \*Tender to shore

Just so you know you'll need to bring your passport with you for this itinerary.

#### Dublin's canals

- Isle of Man steam train
- Kiss the Blarney Stone





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FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details

Celtic Connection Summer 2014 Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

€699 7 nights

Code: 7 nights: LVE; Single Cabin: LVF Child prices from £299

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Whale-friendly Akureyri
- City life in Reykjavik
- Eilean Donan Castle





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**GUEST SPEAKER**See opening pages for details

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# ICELANDIC ENCOUNTER THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 14 May







#### Day 1 Wednesday Depart 16:00 Liverpool - ENGLAND

# Day 2 Thursday Ship at Sea

Hit the onboard gym for an exercise session using the fitness equipment, then reward yourself with a trip to the sauna.

# Day 3 Friday Ship at Sea

Join in jigsaw puzzle-building, board games and cards in the reading room.

#### Day 4 Saturday 09:00 - 17:00

#### Akureyri - ICELAND

Embark on a trip to the whale-watching capital of northern Europe, where you could spot blue, fin, humpback, minke, and sei whales.

#### Day 5 Sunday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Isafjord - ICELAND

Drive through the stark, beautiful landscape of Iceland's Westfjords. From the mountainside roads, you'll enjoy a bird's-eye view of deep, inky-blue fjords and far-away farms huddled on green slithers of land.

#### Day 6 Monday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Reykjavik - ICELAND

Relax in the Blue Lagoon, where the mineralpacked waters hover around the 37°C mark. It's also known for its healing properties.

# Day 7 Tuesday Ship at Sea Browse the web, or catch up with the folks at

Browse the web, or catch up with the folks a home in the onboard internet café.

#### Day 8 Wednesday 13:00 - 18:00

# Kirkwall\* - ORKNEY ISLANDS

Find out what Scotland's answer to Stonehenge looks like on a trip to the Ring of Brodgar – a circle of huge stone slabs that date back around 5,000 years.

#### Day 9 Thursday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Portree\* - SCOTLAND

Step onto the bridged doorstep of Eilean Donan Castle – you'll see just why the clifftop ruins have become an iconic image of Scotland.

# Day 10 Friday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Belfast - NORTHERN IRELAND

Explore Belfast's waterfront, where the ship-shaped Titanic Belfast, a towering state-of-the-art visitor centre, rises up as tall as the famous ship itself.

## Day 11 Saturday Arrive 06:00

Liverpool - ENGLAND

\*Tender to shore



# HIGHLAND FLING THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 24 May







- Day 1 Saturday Depart 16:00 Liverpool - ENGLAND
- Day 2 Sunday Ship at Sea Pose for lifestyle portrait shots in the onboard photographer's studio for a unique memento of your holiday.
- Day 3 Monday 09:00 19:00

# Rosyth (for Edinburgh) - SCOTLAND

Visit Edinburgh Castle, the centuries-old home of Scottish kings and queens. The most interesting parts of this place include the Royal Palace, where Mary Queen of Scots gave birth to James VI, and The Honours of Scotland, a collection of the nation's crown jewels. The castle is also home to the National War Museum, where you can get the low-down on more than 400 years of military history. Then there's the Royal Mile, a series of streets that cut through Edinburgh's Old Town. The highlights in this section of the city include the turreted Holyrood Palace and the new Scottish parliament building.

#### Day 4 Tuesday Arrive 06:00

# Newcastle - ENGLAND

Dive into period drama territory on a tour of the Durham Dales. The rugged moors here are home to some of the wildest scenery in Britain. And the windswept hills of bracken and crumbling dry stone walls wouldn't look out of place in an adaptation of Wuthering Heights. The dales have got their softer side, though. They're dotted with charming villages, where the old stone cottages date back as far as the 12th century. Tearooms speckle the landscape, too, so pop in to enjoy homemade scones with clotted cream or to sip Earl Grey from a china tea-cup.

Just so you know you'll need to bring your passport with you for this itinerary.

- Edinburgh Castle
- Atmospheric Durham Dales
- The Angel of the North





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Highland Fling Summer 2014
Thomson Spirit Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

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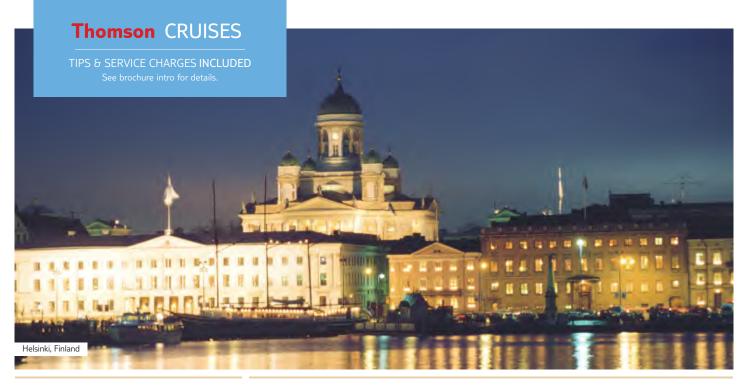
3 nights £429

Code: 3 nights: LVJ; Single Cabin: LVK

Child prices from £199

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

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- St Petersburg ballet
- Waterways of Copenhagen
- Pretty Lauttasaari Island





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GUEST SPEAKER See opening pages for details

# **BALTIC EXPLORER** THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 27 May







- Tuesday Depart 16:00 Newcastle - ENGLAND
- Wednesday 17:00 23:59 Day 2
  - Kiel Canal GERMANY
- Day 3 Thursday 08:00 20:00

#### Warnemunde - GERMANY

Sip freshly brewed Rostocker Pils light beer at an authentic German brewery.

Day 4 Friday Ship at Sea

Enjoy the ship's daytime activities. Rounds of bingo, quizzes and game shows all feature in the entertainment line-up.

Day 5 Saturday 10:00 - 16:00

#### Helsinki - FINLAND

Cycle past sandy beaches, weekend cottages, and secluded bays on the island of Lauttasaari.

Day 6 Sunday 07:00 - 23:59

# St Petersburg - RUSSIA

See a classical ballet show at the 19th-century Conservatoire Theatre, home to the oldest music school in Russia.

Monday 00:01 - 18:00

# St Petersburg - RUSSIA

Clap your eyes on St Petersburg's rich parade of sights, including Menshikov's Palace and St Isaac's Cathedral.

Tuesday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Tallinn - ESTONIA

Wander Tallinn's cobweb of winding, monumentpacked streets.

Wednesday 08:00 - 17:00 Day 9

#### Stockholm - SWEDEN

Learn about the lives and travels of the Vikings as you browse the 4,000 relics of the Viking Exhibition at Stockholm's Museum of National Antiquities.

Day 10 Thursday Ship at Sea

Let our hair and beauty therapists pamper you in the onboard salon. Have your hair cut and blow-dried for a special dinner, or pick a pedicure to show off in your flip flops.

Day 11 Friday 08:00 - 17:00

Kalundborg (for Copenhagen) - DENMARK Glide along Copenhagen's waterways, passing neighbourhoods brimming with houseboats and bridges.

Day 12 Saturday Ship at Sea

Head up to the sports deck to improve your tennis skills, shoot some hoops or have a kick about.

Day 13 Sunday Arrive 06:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

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Full Board

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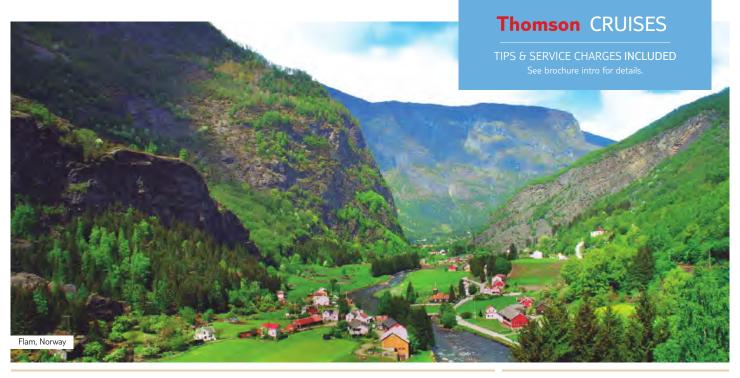
Baltic Explorer Summer 2014 Deck 1/2 Inside

£1299 12 nights

Thomson Spirit

Code: 12 nights: NWB; Single Cabin: NWC Child prices from £549

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Cabin for only £42.



# NORTH CAPE DISCOVERY THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 08 Jun







#### Sunday Depart 16:00 Newcastle - ENGLAND

# Monday Ship at Sea While away an hour or two with a flutter in the

ship's casino. Don't worry if you're a beginner, we'll show you the ropes.

# Day 3 Tuesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Flam - NORWAY

Ride the Flam Railway, one of the most famous and spectacular train journeys in the world – it climbs skywards before snaking down a dramatic mountain valley.

#### Day 4 Wednesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Bergen - NORWAY

Meander through the cobbled streets of Bergen and see generations-old shops, Hanseatic merchant houses, and the 12th-century Fantoft Stave Church.

# Day 5 Thursday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Alesund - NORWAY

Explore the islands of Giske and Godoy via a network of bridges and undersea tunnels. Giske is especially famous for being the birthplace of the Viking Chieftain Rollo.

# Day 6 Friday 10:00 - 16:00

#### Bronnoysund - NORWAY

Float around the Vega Islands by boat. Thousands of islands polka-dot the waters and you might catch a glimpse of grey lag geese and cormorants.

#### Saturday 09:00 - 15:00

# Sortland - NORWAY

Admire the reflections of forest-clad mountains in Eidsfjord's water, and learn about the fjord's traditional fish farmers.

# Day 8 Sunday 10:00 - 18:00

#### Alta - NORWAY

Cross the Finnmarksvidda Plateau, home to the Loatka lakes and tens of thousands of reindeer owned by the Sami – the indigenous people of northern Europe.

#### Day 9 Monday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Honningsvag - NORWAY

Meet and eat the mighty king crab on a trip to Sarnesfjorden. After kitting-up and completing a safety briefing, you'll head out to check crab traps and collect the catch.

#### Day 10 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Dine out in the ship's flagship à la carte restaurant for a special meal in an intimate setting.

#### Day 11 Wednesday 11:00 - 17:00

#### Kristiansund - NORWAY

Buckle up for a road trip along Norway's rugged Atlantic Ocean Road. This scenic drive skips between islands and skerries as it meanders from the mainland to Averøy Island.

#### Day 12 Thursday Ship at Sea

Borrow a book from the ship's library and curl up in one of the lounges for a quiet reading session.

#### Day 13 Friday Arrive 06:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

# Spectacular Flam Railway

- Norway's Atlantic Ocean Road
- Fish for king crab





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GUEST SPEAKER

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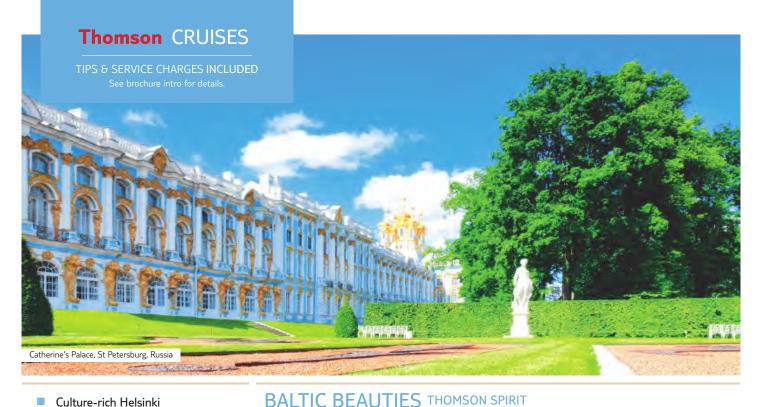
Summer 2014 Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

Prices per person from\* 12 nights

£1099 Code: 12 nights: NWD; Single Cabin: NWE

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Culture-rich Helsinki
- Catherine Palace near St Petersburg
- White Mines of Gudvangen

Departures in 2014: 20 Jun









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UPGRADE YOUR CABIN.

Code: 15 nights: NWF; Single Cabin: NWG

Select Your Cabin for only £42

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Baltic Beauties

Thomson Spirit

15 nights

Prices per person from<sup>3</sup>

GUEST SPEAKER See opening pages for details

# Helsinki, Finland

Friday Depart 16:00 Newcastle - ENGLAND

> Saturday 16:30 - 23:59 Kiel Canal - GERMANY

#### Sunday 08:00 - 20:00 Warnemunde - GERMANY

Board a steam train and chug through forests and

past little villages on your way to Kuhlungsborn.

#### Monday Ship at Sea

Learn how to mix cocktails or pair wines with food at an expert demonstration. There are unusual options, too - like the basics of ice carving.

# Tuesday 10:00 - 16:00

#### Helsinki - FINLAND

Join a tour of Helsinki, where big sights - like the Parliament building - come thick and fast.

#### Day 6 Wednesday 07:00 - 23:59

#### St Petersburg - RUSSIA

Feast your eyes on Catherine Palace – the Amber Room was once considered to be the eighth Wonder of the World.

#### Thursday 00:01 - 18:00

#### St Petersburg - RUSSIA

See St Petersburg from a different perspective as you glide along its rivers and canals, and cruise beneath ornate bridges.

#### Friday 09:00 - 17:00

# Tallinn - ESTONIA

Admire the Toompea Castle and the Russian Orthodox church dominating the courtyard.

#### Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Stockholm - SWEDEN

Explore Stockholm's City Hall, renowned for its murals and mosaics, and the Nobel Prize Banquet.

#### Day 10 Sunday Ship at Sea

Recharge your batteries in the onboard spa. Book in for a manicure, facial or massage and unwind before exploring your next port.

#### Day 11 Monday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Kalundborg (for Copenhagen) - DENMARK Wander past Copenhagen's bridge-spanned canals,

copper-roofed buildings, and manicured parks.

# Day 12 Tuesday 10:00 - 18:00

#### Kristiansand - NORWAY

Grab a bike and pedal past fish markets, ancient fortresses, fjord-side villages and beautiful beaches.

# Day 13 Wednesday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Stavanger - NORWAY

Ramble through old Stavanger, where narrow lanes are gilded with charming white-painted houses.

#### Day 14 Thursday 07:00 - 18:00

#### Flam\* - NORWAY

Discover the White Mines of Gudvangen, a network of tunnels lined with northosit – a white mineral which can only be found here and on the moon.

#### Day 15 Friday Ship at Sea

Treat yourself to afternoon tea, served in one of the ship's restaurants or lounge areas.

#### Day 16 Saturday Arrive 06:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

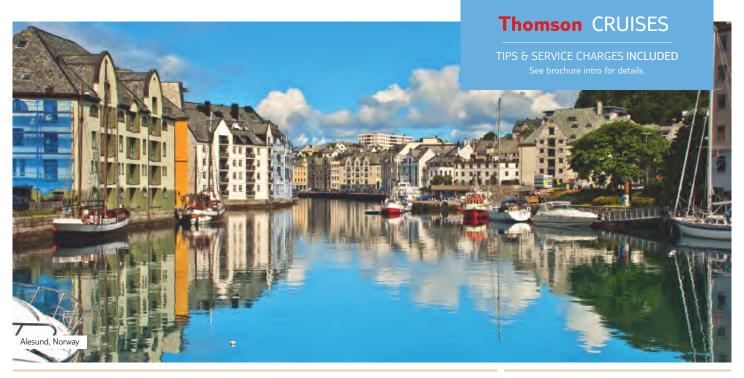
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Summer 2014

£1499

Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

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# FJORDLAND SPLENDOURS THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 05 Jul







#### Saturday Depart 16:00 Newcastle - ENGLAND

#### Day 2 Sunday Ship at Sea Take your pick from a choice of buffet and waiter-service restaurants at mealtimes, and

snack on pizza or take afternoon tea in-between.

# Day 3 Monday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Flam - NORWAY

Hike through the beautiful Flam Valley. The scenery in this part of the country is spectacular - soaring peaks give way to frosted waterfalls and woodland that stretches as far as the eye can see. To reach the valley, you'll need to get on the famous Flam Railway and chug through the countryside.

# Day 4 Tuesday 10:00 - 18:00

#### Alesund - NORWAY

Peer out from the top of Alnes lighthouse on Godoy Island. This tower has been keeping ships away from the rock for 150 years, and the view from the top is worth the climb.

#### Wednesday 08:00 - 09:00 Hellesylt\* - NORWAY Day 5

Charge your camera for a stop in Hellesylt. This dinky village is set at the head of the Sunnylvsfjord and it's surrounded by mountains and valleys. One of the most photographed sites is the waterfall, which is formed from thawing snow. The spray often splits up the sunlight, creating rainbows over the water.

# Geiranger\* - NORWAY

Journey along one of the world's most dramatic roads. It weaves between Hellesylt and Mount Dalsnibba and incorporates nearly 20 hairpin bends. The trip across the Jolbrua Bridge is guaranteed to get your pulse racing. This incredible piece of engineering traverses a 300-foot drop.

#### Day 6 Thursday 09:00 - 18:00

# Bergen - NORWAY

Count the colours at the Bergen fish market. You'll see peach prawns, ruby lobsters, inky muscle shells and sandy clams. If you're feeling peckish, order a portion of freshly-boiled shrimps and tuck into them by the waterfront. Even if you're not in to fish, the market's souvenir stalls are worth the visit.

### Friday Ship at Sea

Stock up on duty free goodies or browse for souvenirs of your trip in the onboard shops.

#### Saturday Arrive 06:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

\*Tender to shore

#### Norway's breathtaking landscape

- The striking Mount Dalsnibba
- Flam Railway





# FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details Fjordland Splendours Summer 2014 Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside €849

7 nights

Code: 7 nights: NWH; Single Cabin: NWI

Child prices from £349

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- The world's most northerly town
- Massive Næroyfjord
- The Arctic Cathedral





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UPGRADE YOUR CABIN.

Arctic Affair

15 nights

Prices per person from\*

Child prices from £799

Select Your Cabin for only £42.

FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Code: 15 nights: NWJ; Single Cabin: NWK

**GUEST SPEAKER** See opening pages for details

# **ARCTIC AFFAIR** THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 12 Jul







Day 1 Saturday Depart 16:00 Newcastle - ENGLAND

Day 2 Sunday Ship at Sea

Enjoy the ship's daytime activities. Bingo, quizzes and game shows all feature in the line-up.

Day 3 Monday 08:00 - 08:30

#### Hellesylt\* - NORWAY

See Norway's famous landscapes, from foaming waterfalls to Europe's deepest lake.

10:00 - 17:00

# Geiranger\* - NORWAY

Admire Geiranger village, the glistening fjord, and the rugged peaks that surround it.

Day 4 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Hit the onboard gym for an exercise session, then reward yourself with a trip to the sauna.

Day 5 Wednesday 11:00 - 18:00

# Tromso - NORWAY

Stop at the Arctic Cathedral, an ultra-modern piece of architecture shaped like an iceberg.

Day 6 Thursday 08:00 - 15:00

# Honningsvag - NORWAY

Keep an eye out for reindeer on your way to North Cape, Europe's most northerly point.

Day 7 Friday Ship at Sea

Browse the web, or catch up with the folks at home in the onboard internet café.

Day 8 Saturday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Ny Alesund\* - SPITSBERGEN

Ny Alesund's tiny settlement of scientists map, and monitor Norway's polar landscape.

19:00 Magdalena Fjord - NORWAY A spectacular fjord in the Arctic Circle.

#### Day 9 Sunday 08:00 - 15:00

Longyearbyen\* - SPITSBERGEN
Discover the world's most northerly town.

#### Day 10 Monday Ship at Sea

Join in jigsaw puzzle-building, board games and cards in the reading room.

Day 11 Tuesday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Leknes - NORWAY

Skim past Norway's rugged landscape and seaside villages on a wet and wild rafting tour.

Day 12 Wednesday 09:00 - 15:00

#### Bronnoysund - NORWAY

Wander the pretty harbour town and taste-test its portfolio of restaurants and bars.

Day 13 Thursday 09:00 - 16:00

#### Alesund - NORWAY

Explore Alesund with its streets packed with Art Nouveau-style houses.

Day 14 Friday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Flam - NORWAY

Cruise along the 17-kilometre-long Næroyfjord, past its backdrop of mountains and waterfalls.

# Day 15 Saturday Ship at Sea

Get to know your mojitos from your margaritas with the cocktail du jour in the ship's bars.

Day 16 Sunday Arrive 06:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

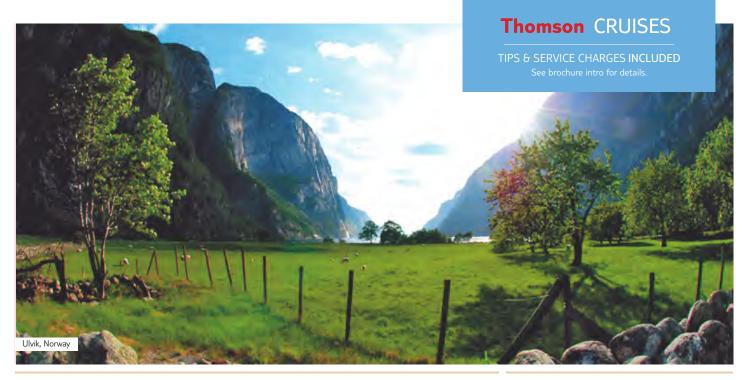
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Deck 1/2 Inside



# FJORDS & GLACIERS THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 27 Jul







#### Day 1 Sunday Depart 16:00 Newcastle - ENGLAND

# Day 2 Monday Ship at Sea

Let our hair and beauty therapists pamper you in the onboard salon. Have your hair cut and blow-dried for a special dinner, or pick a pedicure to show off in your flip flops.

# Day 3 Tuesday 08:00 - 09:00

# Ulvik\* - NORWAY

Soak up the scenery in Ulvik. This quaint village is set beside the glass-smooth waters of Hardangerfjord, framed by towering, forest-coated mountains.

10:00 - 18:00

#### Eidfjord - NORWAY

Uncover the secrets of the fjords at the Hardangervidda Nature Centre. This interactive museum is set at the foot of the Voringsfoss waterfall and is surrounded by mountain scenery. Inside, you'll find three floors of live exhibitions, showcasing the history and geography of the fjords. One of the highlights is a panoramic movie, which is shown on three screens.

#### Day 4 Wednesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Bergen - NORWAY

Wander around Bryggen, the oldest area in Bergen. The wooden houses and warehouses here date back to the 11th century, and they've been a UNESCO World Heritage Site since the Seventies. These buildings played an important role in establishing Bryggen as a busy trading centre.

#### Day 5 Thursday 08:00 - 20:00

# Skjolden - NORWAY

Take advantage of Skjolden's great outdoors. Nicked into the end of the world's longest fjord, this town is close to waterfalls, glaciers, and dwarfing mountain peaks.

# Day 6 Friday 06:00 - 18:00

#### Flam - NORWAY

Ascend Europe's steepest road to the town of Stalheim. This mountaintop settlement looks out over the Naeroy Valley and an area so goodlooking UNESCO has made it a world heritage site. One of the best ways to soak up the sights is from the terrace at the Stalheim Hotel. This place has been around for nearly 200 years, so it knows how to serve a good cup of tea.

#### Day 7 Saturday Ship at Sea

Pose for lifestyle portrait shots in the onboard photographer's studio for a unique memento of your holiday.

#### Day 8 Sunday Arrive 06:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

\*Tender to shore

#### Breathtaking views of Norway's fjords

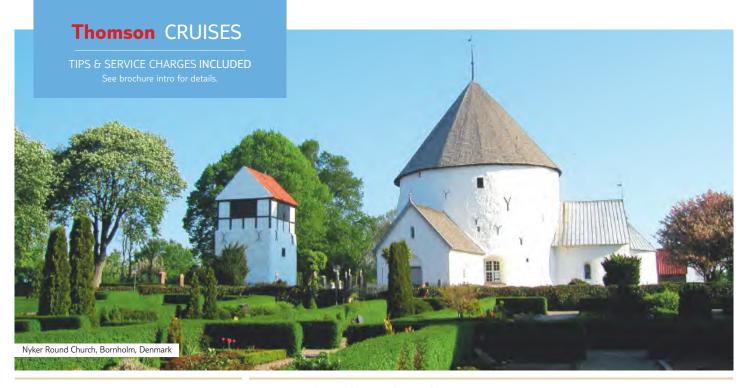
- Scenic Flam railway
- The spectacular Mount Floein





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# FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details. Fjords & Glaciers Thomson Spirit Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside Prices per person from\* 7 nights £869 Code: 7 nights: NWL; Single Cabin: NWM Child prices from £449 Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Historical city of St Petersburg
- Sail around Karlskrona's archipelago
- Hasle's traditional herring smokehouses

# BALTIC HIGHLIGHTS THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 03 Aug





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Sunday Depart 16:00 Newcastle - ENGLAND

Monday 17:00 - 23:59 Day 2

Kiel Canal - GERMANY

Day 3 Tuesday 08:00 - 20:00

#### Warnemunde - GERMANY

See Berlin's headline landmark, the Berlin Wall. Built in the Sixties to separate the East and West, it's now a memorial for freedom.

Day 4 Wednesday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Bornholm - DENMARK

Taste herring at a smokehouse in Hasle. The best way to eat it is hot, on rye bread, with salt and chives on top.

Day 5 Thursday 09:00 - 15:00

#### Klaipeda - LITHUANIA

Wander Klaipeda's ancient Theatre Square, where a fountain is topped with a statue of a girl who stole the heart of a local poet.

Day 6 Friday 08:00 - 13:00

#### Riga - LATVIA

Ride a lift up the wooden tower of St Peter's. It used to be the tallest church in Europe and offers uninterrupted views of the city.

Saturday 09:00 - 16:00

#### Tallinn - ESTONIA

Recharge your batteries at the Witches' Well, a natural spring that's apparently crisscrossed by positive ley lines.

Day 8 Sunday 07:00 - 23:59

# St Petersburg - RUSSIA

Clap your eyes on Menshikov's Palace and the building of the 12 Ministries of Peter the Great.

Day 9 Monday 00:01 - 18:00

# St Petersburg - RUSSIA

Head to Vasilievsky Island, which comes with unbeatable views of the Neva River and the Rostral Columns.

Day 10 Tuesday Ship at Sea

While away an hour or two with a flutter in the ship's casino. Don't worry if you're a beginner, we'll show you the ropes.

Day 11 Wednesday 08:00 - 14:00

# Karlskrona - SWEDEN

Sail around an archipelago of 90-plus islands near Karlskrona – you'll come across vacant beaches and prime fishing waters.

Day 12 Thursday 09:00 - 17:00

Kalundborg (for Copenhagen) - DENMARK Delve into Copenhagen's 850 years of history, on a tour that visits the Little Mermaid statue and Amalienborg Palace.

Day 13 Friday Ship at Sea

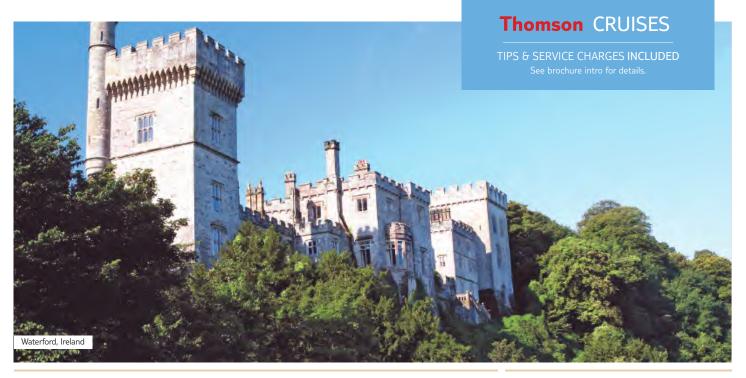
Head up to the sports deck to improve your tennis skills, shoot some hoops or have a kick

Day 14 Saturday Arrive 06:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

#### FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details Baltic Highlights Summer 2014 Deck 1/2 Inside Full Board £1449 13 nights Code: 13 nights: NWN; Single Cabin: NWO Child prices from £549

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20



# **BEST OF BRITISH THOMSON SPIRIT**

Departures in 2014: 16 Aug







#### Day 1 Saturday Depart 16:00 Newcastle - ENGLAND

# Day 2 Sunday Ship at Sea Dine out in the ship's flagship à la carte restaurant for a special meal in an intimate setting.

# Day 3 Monday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Falmouth - ENGLAND

Stroll around Falmouth's award-winning gardens. Sub-tropical plants and trees fill the Fox Rosehill Gardens, while Kimberley Park's 7 acres feature ornamental trees and formal flower beds. The Gyllyngdune Gardens, meanwhile, are home to an Edwardian bandstand, where you can sometimes catch outdoor concerts.

#### Day 4 Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Waterford\* - IRELAND

Watch the masters at work at Waterford's world-famous crystal factory. Then nose around the gallery store, where you'll find the largest display of crystal in the world. You'll find a few pieces for sale, too. Finish your day off with an Irish coffee in a traditional local pub.

#### Day 5 Wednesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Dublin - IRELAND

Sample a pint of Guinness at St James's Gate Brewery. Ireland is synonymous with the black stuff, and where better to try it than its birthplace? You'll get an insight into how the drink came to be, and see how it's produced, before rounding the day off with a few glasses in the bar.

#### Day 6 Thursday 10:00 - 15:00

# Tobermory\* - ISLE OF MULL

Play king of the castle at Duart, a 13th-century fortress that's home to the 28th Chief of the Clan Maclean. Explore the spooky dungeons and grand state rooms, then head outside for impressive views of the Sound of Mull and its surrounding countryside.

#### Day 7 Friday 08:00 - 13:00

#### Kirkwall\* - ORKNEY ISLANDS

Admire Orkney's spectacular scenery on a drive around the island. You'll tick off coastal landscapes, vast countryside and a UNESCO World Heritage Site as you travel through moorland and past lochs and streams. The highlight is a stop at the Ring of Brodgar – Scotland's Stonehenge.

#### Day 8 Saturday Arrive 06:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

#### \*Tender to shore

Just so you know you'll need to bring your passport with you for this itinerary.

#### Waterford's famous crystal factory

- Guinness in Dublin
- Spectacular scenery in Orkney





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# FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details. Best of British Summer 2014 Thomson Spirit Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside Prices per person from\* 7 nights £749 Code: 7 nights: NWP; Single Cabin: NWQ Child prices from £399 Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Cabin for only £42.



- Picturesque canals
- Anne Frank's House
- Amsterdam's charming old town





# **EXPERIENCE AMSTERDAM** THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 23 Aug







Day 1 Saturday Depart 16:00

Newcastle - ENGLAND

Day 2 Sunday 14:00 - 23:59

#### Amsterdam - THE NETHERLANDS

Peruse the world's largest collection of Van Gogh paintings at the Van Gogh Museum. You'll see his landscapes, portraits, and still life studies. You can also cast your eyes over the Self Portrait with Felt Hat that's one of his most famous works.

Day 3 Monday 00:01 - 18:00

#### Amsterdam - THE NETHERLANDS

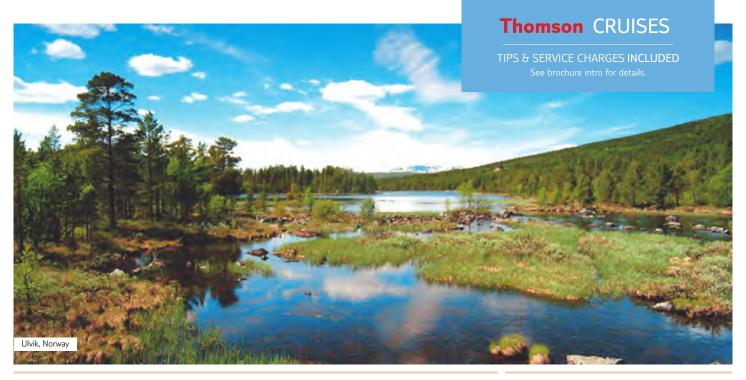
Pedal through the streets of Amsterdam and explore like a local. As you cycle down cobbled streets and alongside canals, you'll stop at some of the city's highlights, including Anne Frank's House, Rembrandt's House, the charming Jordaan quarter and the flower market. Afterwards, you'll have some time to explore the old town and its quirky shops and cafés.

Day 4 Tuesday Arrive 06:00 Harwich - ENGLAND

# UPGRADE YOUR CABIN. Turn to the ship pages at the back of this brochure to find out more. FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details. Experience Amsterdam Summer 2014 Thomson Spirit Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside Prices per person from\* 3 nights £429 Code: 3 nights: NWR; Single Cabin: NWS Child prices from £199

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Cabin for only £42



#### FIRE & ICE THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 26 Aug







Tuesday Depart 16:00 Harwich - ENGLAND

#### Day 2 Wednesday Ship at Sea Borrow a book from the ship's library and curl up in one of the lounges for a quiet reading session.

#### Day 3 Thursday 07:00 - 15:00

#### Stornoway\* - SCOTLAND

Keep your eyes peeled for wildlife on a boat trip along the rugged coastline. Seals, dolphins and porpoises all cruise the waters here.

#### Day 4 Friday Ship at Sea

While away an hour or two with a flutter in the ship's casino.

#### Day 5 Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Reykjavik - ICELAND

Wallow in the bath-warm Blue Lagoon. The milky waters at this al fresco hot spring tend to hover at a toasty 37-39°C, plus they're packed with minerals that are said to have healing properties.

#### Day 6 Sunday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Isafjord - ICELAND

Explore the picturesque countryside around Isafjord by bike. Pass by green fields, snowtopped peaks and deep fjords. Enjoy a pit-stop in the quaint fishing village of Bolungarvik.

#### Day 7 Monday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Akureyri - ICELAND

See Iceland's answer to Niagara – the Godafoss Falls. The name – translated as 'Waterfall of the Gods'. After you've snapped a few photos, head back to Akureyri to explore the city.

#### Day 8 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Recharge your batteries in the onboard spa. Book in for a manicure, facial or massage.

#### Wednesday 11:00 - 17:00

#### Lerwick - SHETLAND ISLANDS

Drive past mirror-still lochs and hills blanketed in heather before heading to the coast, where you'll stop at Scalloway Castle - a 17th-century Medieval-style building crowned with turrets.

#### Day 10 Thursday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Bergen - NORWAY

Discover some of the city's most famous sights, including the UNESCO-listed merchant buildings and the Bergenhus fortress. Wind your way down to the harbour, where craft shops and artists' studios line the waterfront.

#### Day 11 Friday 08:00 - 09:00

#### Ulvik\* - NORWAY

This town is famous for its fruit trees, which produce juicy apples, pears cherries and plums.

#### Eidfjord - NORWAY

Wear your mac for the trip to Voringfoss Waterfall as the waters gush 600 feet into the canyon below. Rainbows often form in the mist.

#### Day 12 Saturday Ship at Sea

Treat yourself to an afternoon tea, served in one of the ship's restaurants or lounge areas.

#### Day 13 Sunday Arrive 06:00

Harwich - ENGLAND

\*Tender to shore

- The Blue Lagoon
- Godafoss Falls
- The historical town of Bergen





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GUEST SPEAKER See opening pages for details

# FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details

Fire & Ice Summer 2014 Thomson Spirit Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

12 nights

Code: 12 nights: HRI; Single Cabin: HRJ

Child prices from £499

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Cabin for only £42.

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- Geirangerfjord
- Briksdalen Glacier
- The Flam Railway





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#### FREE CAR PARKING. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details.

Wonders of the Fjords Thomson Spirit

Summer 2014 Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

Prices per person from\*

8 nights

£899

Code: 8 nights: HRK; Single Cabin: HRL

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Cabin for only £42.

## WONDERS OF THE FJORDS THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 07 Sep







#### Day 1 Sunday Depart 16:00 Harwich - ENGLAND

# Day 2 Monday Ship at Sea

Take your pick from a choice of buffet and waiter-service restaurants at mealtimes, and snack on pizza or take afternoon tea in-between.

#### Day 3 Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Bergen - NORWAY

Take in the views from Mount Floien. A funicular will whisk you to the top, 1,000 feet above sea level, before you start a scenic hike through woodland to the postcard-pretty lake of Skomakerdiket. You'll then head up to Blaamansveien, at 1,800 feet. Remember your camera – the vistas from up here are spectacular.

#### Day 4 Wednesday 09:00 - 10:00

#### Hellesylt\* - NORWAY

Soak up the scenery of Sunnylvsfjord from Hellesylt, a pretty town surrounded by mountains and valleys. Listen out for the roar of the waterfall, formed every spring by thawing snow.

#### 11:00 - 18:00

#### Geiranger\* - NORWAY

Paddle along Geirangerfjord – described as the world's most beautiful fjord – in a kayak. You'll glide along the glassy waters, with towering peaks on either side sheltering you from the wind. Make for the 'Preacher's Pulpit', where you'll find the foaming Seven Sisters waterfall.

#### Day 5 Thursday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Olden - NORWAY

Clap eyes on the majestic Briksdalen Glacier – one of Norway's most visited. The ice varies in colour from white to baby blue to vivid turquoise. The drive up there meanders along the shores of Floen Lake and Olden Lake, before reaching a farm-freckled valley where waterfalls crash down from the ice fields above.

#### Day 6 Friday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Flam - NORWAY

Hop on board the Flam Railway for one of the most spectacular train journeys in the world. As your train spirals up towards the mountain station of Myrdal, you'll have widescreen views of forest-cloaked slopes, snow-topped mountains and plunging waterfalls.

#### Day 7 Saturday 09:00 - 17:00

#### Haugesund - NORWAY

Find out more about Norway's fascinating Viking heritage at Nordvegen History Centre in Avaldsnes. Learn about Norse gods, sorcerers and warriors, as well as the sovereigns who controlled the coast. Afterwards, browse the gift shop for Viking-style jewellery and hand-knitted mittens.

#### Day 8 Sunday Ship at Sea

Pose for lifestyle portrait shots in the onboard photographer's studio for a holiday memento.

#### Day 9 Monday Arrive 06:00

Harwich - ENGLAND

\*Tender to shore

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#### BALTIC FLAVOURS THOMSON SPIRIT

Departures in 2014: 15 Sep







#### Day 1 Monday Depart 16:00 Harwich - ENGLAND

# Day 2 Tuesday Ship at Sea Learn how to mix your favourite cocktail or pair wines with food. There are unusual notions too

wines with food. There are unusual options, too - like presentations on the basics of ice carving.

#### Day 3 Wednesday 08:00 - 17:00

## Fredrikstad (for Oslo) - NORWAY

Tread the streets of Fredrikstad's old town

– Scandinavia's best preserved fortress town.

#### Day 4 Thursday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Elsinore\* (for Copenhagen) - DENMARK

Kronborg Castle was Hamlet's home in Shakespeare's play. It's seen its fair share of tragedy – a huge fire in 1629, and the Swedes shelled it 30 years later – but it's still made it on to UNESCO's World Heritage list.

#### Day 5 Friday Ship at Sea

Borrow a book from the ship's library and curl up in one of the lounges for a quiet read.

#### Day 6 Saturday 10:00 - 15:00

#### Stockholm - SWEDEN

Cruise the canals and waterways of Stockholm. Made up of 14 different islands, it gives a unique perspective of Stockholm's Medieval architecture.

#### Day 7 Sunday 08:00 - 16:00

#### Tallinn - ESTONIA

Gaze up at the intricate mosaics of Alexander Nevsky Cathedral. Then on to St Mary's Cathedral – the oldest in Tallinn.

#### Day 8 Monday 07:00 - 23:59

#### St Petersburg - RUSSIA

Dress up for an evening at the ballet. Watch dancers perform in the opulent surroundings of the Conservatoire Theatre – also home to the oldest musical school in Russia.

#### Day 9 Tuesday 00:01 - 17:00

#### St Petersburg - RUSSIA

Peer at the treasures inside the Hermitage Museum. One of the world's largest, it houses around 3 million pieces of art - everything from Egyptian antiquities and jewellery to modern art.

#### Day 10 Wednesday Ship at Sea

Hit the onboard gym for an exercise session, then reward yourself with a trip to the sauna.

#### Day 11 Thursday 13:00 - 19:00

#### Warnemunde - GERMANY

Take a stroll through the Medieval streets. Call in at St Mary's Church to hear its Baroque organ and see the world's oldest astronomical clock.

#### Day 12 Friday 04:00 - 23:59

Kiel Canal - GERMANY

#### Day 13 Saturday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Amsterdam - THE NETHERLANDS

Get to know the work of Vincent Van Gogh at his namesake museum. It's home to the biggest collection of his works in the world.

#### Day 14 Sunday Arrive 06:00

Harwich - ENGLAND

\*Tender to shore

#### Tallinn's Medieval old town

- The Hermitage in St Petersburg
- Van Gogh paintings in Amsterdam





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Baltic Flavours Thomson Spirit

Full Board Deck 1/2 Inside

Prices per person from

13 nights £**1399** 

Code: 13 nights: HRM; Single Cabin: HRN

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Cabin for only £42.

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# CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA

Crystal clear water, ivory beaches and unspoilt rainforest are just some of the things on offer here. Visit big hitters like Havana and St Lucia, or even the famous Panama Canal.





# **FAST FACTS**

SAIL FROM Barbados, Jamaica, Malaga, Lanzarote, Tenerife and Gran Canaria

SHIP Thomson Dream and Thomson Celebration

DEPARTURES April 2014 to April 2015

KEY PORTS OF CALL
St Kitts, St Lucia, British Virgin Islands, Aruba, Tobago,
Cozumel, Dominican Republic, Colombia, Costa Rica, Panama,
Playa Del Carmen, Costa Maya, Honduras and Belize City

For more information on our ports of call turn to pages 182 to 200

# TOP 5

# THINGS TO SEE & DO

## 1. St Kitts Scenic Railway

Available from Basseterre
Get to know St Kitts on this train and bus
extravaganza. First up is a ride on the island's Scenic
Railway. Take a seat for some great views as you
chug past the sprawling fields, volcanic peaks and
leafy forests of the north coast. On the lower level
deck there will be music from the Scenic Railway
Choir. The second part of your tour sees you board
a tour bus for a drive along the south coast. Look
out for the Brimstone Hill Fortress, Middle Island
and neighbouring Nevis.

#### 2. Turtle Encounter

Available from Bridgetown

For the ultimate unwind, climb on board our catamaran and sail along the coast of Barbados.

You'll drift past long sandy beaches before stopping at a sheltered bay to swim or snorkel with turtles.

After your swim, there's a chance to simply kick back and relax on the boat.

#### 3. Dolphin Swim Tour

Available from Willemstad

Tick off a once-in-a-lifetime experience and learn to swim with a dolphin. We'll kit you out with fins so you can make your way into the dolphin lagoon. It's an amazing experience, and there'll be professional cameramen and photographers on-hand to capture the whole thing.

## 4. Flightseeing

Available from Road Town

Take to the skies for a flight over the British Virgin Islands. You'll board a five or seven-seat plane for a birds-eye-view tour of the islands lasting half an hour. There's more than 50 altogether, and most are completely deserted. Keep a special eye out for Norman Island – thought to be the inspiration behind Robert Louis Stevenson's 'Treasure Island'. And as you soar over Tortola itself, you're bound to spot Sage Mountain, the highest point on the Virgin Islands. It's about the same height as 12 Statues of Liberty.

#### 5. Atlantis Submarine

Available from Oranjestad

Just off the south east coast of Aruba you'll board the Atlantis VI Submarine that will whisk you down to depths of 130 feet in air-conditioned comfort. Get ready to drift through glittering schools of tropical fish, huge sponge gardens and beautiful coral fields. The experienced, licensed crew point out a couple of striking wrecks – the Danish sailboat, 'M Dushi I', and the newly-sunken coaster, 'The Morgenster', have found new homes on the seabed here. After forty five minutes of underwater exploring, you'll head back to the surface and take the return shuttle boat back to port.



#### ATLANTIC EXPLORER THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 13 Apr







- Day 1 Sunday Depart 20:00 Bridgetown - BARBADOS
- Day 2 Monday 08:00 17:00
  Castries ST LUCIA
  Board a catamaran and sail along St Lucia's coast.
  You'll see the Piton mountains 800 metre peaks.
- Day 3 Tuesday 09:00 19:00 St John's - ANTIGUA Fall off the radar on Prickly Pear Island. This
- Fall off the radar on Prickly Pear Island. This is the place for white sand and tilting palms.
- Day 4 Wednesday 07:00 18:00
  Basseterre ST KITTS
  Turn your back on the tourist track as you drive a quad bike into the island's interior.
- Day 5 Thursday 08:00 17:00

  Road Town BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS

  Stand at the summit of the highest point in the island chain Sage Mountain National Park.
- Day 6-7Friday Saturday Ship at Sea
- Day 8 Sunday 08:00 23:59
  Hamilton BERMUDA
  Discover Warwick Long Beach in Bermuda. With its pink sand and cyan water.
- Day 9 Monday 00:01 15:00
  Hamilton BERMUDA
  Explore the unfinished church in St George. The ceiling is the sky and the carpet is the grass.
- Day 10-13 Tuesday Friday Ship at Sea

- Day 14 Saturday 12:00 19:00
  - Horta\* AZORES

Wind your way up the mountain roads to the highest point on the Azore island of Faial.

Day 15 Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Ponta Delgada - AZORES

Quench your thirst at the Gorreana Tea factory -the oldest tea company in Europe.

- Day
- 16-17 Monday Tuesday Ship at Sea
- Day 18 Wednesday 11:00 18:00

#### Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Enter Gibraltar's underground city. The Rock of Gibraltar is hollowed out with miles of tunnels.

Day 19 Thursday 12:00 - 18:00

#### Cartagena - SPAIN

Wander around Ereche's Botantical Garden. It's home to 700 palm trees and more than 500 species of exotic shrubs and blooms.

Day 20 Friday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Valencia - SPAIN

Puzzle over the height of the elaborate door knockers in the historical El Carmen area.

- Day 21 Saturday Arrive 06:00
  - Palma MAJORCA

Photograph Bellver Castle - one of the only circular castles in Europe.

\*Tender to shore

For details of our 27 night itinerary option departing on 6th April 2014, please speak to your Travel Advisor.

- Catamaran rides in St Lucia
- Cartagena's grand castles
- The unspoiled British Virgin Islands





**COMBINE** with Caribbean Charms for a 27 night itinerary

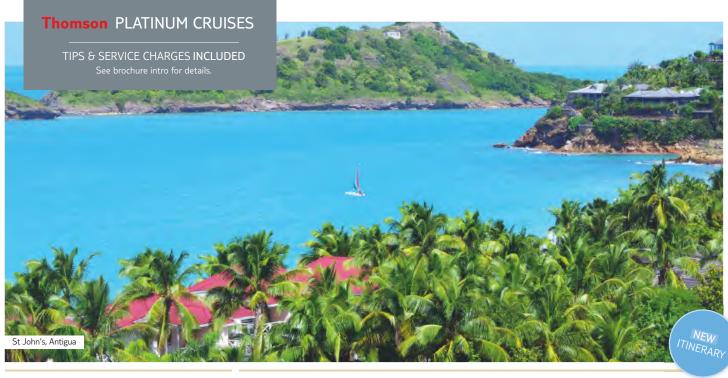


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SAVE UP TO £800 PER COUPLE. Please speak to your Travel Advisor.		
Atlantic Explorer Thomson Dream	Winter 2013/14 Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside	
Prices per person from*		
20 nights	£1999	
27 nights	£2499	
Code: 20 nights: PDA; Deluxe Suite: XDA; Single Cabin: PDB		
Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £30 Select Your Cabin for only £42.		

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- Big Band themed cruise
- Sightseeing in St George's
- Zip-lining in Castries





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SAIL FROM LANZAROTE, TENERIFE OR GRAN CANARIA

## TRANSATLANTIC SUNRISE THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 04 Dec







- Day 1 Thursday Depart 22:00 Arrecife - LANZAROTE
- Day 2 Friday 10:00 23:59

#### Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

Meet the animals at the award-winning Loro Park, home to parrots, gorillas, tigers  $\boldsymbol{\delta}$  dolphins.

Day 3 Saturday 08:00 - 22:00

#### Las Palmas - GRAN CANARIA

Sunbathe on the sands of Maspalomas Beach. It's 7 miles long and backed by sand dunes.

Day 4 Sunday 08:00 - 15:00

#### San Sebastian - LA GOMERA

Valle Gran Rey's green ravine is corralled by mountain scenery and looks out over the sea.

Day

5-10 Monday - Saturday Ship at Sea

Classes, talks, comedy, and live music are just some of the ways to busy yourself onboard.

Day 11 Sunday 10:00 - 17:00

#### St John's - ANTIGUA

Kick back in a hammock on the ice-white sands of Dickenson Bay.

Day 12 Monday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Castries - ST LUCIA

Speed through the treetops on a zip line at the Treetop Canopy Adventure.

Day 13 Tuesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Bridgetown - BARBADOS

Track down Barbados' hawksbill & green turtles. You can get into the water and swim with them. Day 14 Wednesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### St George's - GRENADA

From the edge of Grand Etang Lake you can look out over jungle  $\vartheta$  the summit of Mount Qua Qua.

Day 15 Thursday Ship at Sea

Reserve a table in The Grill restaurant and tuck into a fillet steak.

Day 16 Friday 08:00 - 20:00

#### Kralendijk - BONAIRE

Follow a guide in traditional dress around the replica traditional houses in the Cultural Park.

Day 17 Saturday 08:00 - 22:00

#### Willemstad - CURACAO

Sip Curacao's famous blue liqueur at the Chobolo Liqueur Factory.

Day 18 Sunday 08:00 - 15:00

#### Oraniestad - ARUBA

Scramble to the top of Casibari Rock. Its huge rock slabs that could be as old as Stonehenge.

Day 19 Monday Ship at Sea

Bet on the roulette or blackjack tables in the casino, or pop a few pounds in the slot machines.

Day 20 Tuesday Arrive 08:00

#### Montego Bay - JAMAICA

Nosy around Greenwood Great House. This grand plantation house was built in the 19th century and is home to a wealth of antiques.

For prices for sailings departing from Tenerife on Friday 5th December 2014 or Gran Canaria on Saturday 6th December 2014 please speak to your Travel Advisor. This cruise is themed - see pages 16 and 17 for details.

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FREE ALL INCLUSIVE UPGRADE.
Only applies to time spent onboard the ship.
Limited availability. See page 221 for full details.

Transatlantic Sunrise Winter 2014/15
Thomson Dream Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside
Prices per person from\*

19 nights £1699
Code: 19 nights: DHM; Deluxe Suite: DHO; Single Cabin: DHN
Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20
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# TRANSATLANTIC SUNSET THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2015: 14 Apr







- Day 1 Tuesday Depart 20:00 Montego Bay - JAMAICA
- Day 2 Wednesday Ship at Sea
  Enjoy live bands in the Medusa Lounge & Bar.
- Day 3 Thursday 09:00 15:00

  La Romana DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

  Hop on a boat and explore the Chavon River. The wild countryside was a film set for Jurassic Park
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  Day 4 Friday 12:00 19:00

  Road Town BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS
  - Watch the surfers on the beach beside the bohemian fishing village of Capoon's Bay.
- Day 5 Saturday 08:00 17:00

  Philipsburg- ST MAARTEN

  Drop in on Norman Island said to have inspired Robert Louis Stevenson to write Treasure Island.
- Day 6 Sunday 09:00 18:00 Basseterre - ST KITTS

Rev a quad bike as you explore the waters of St Kitts - a canvas of rainforest trails and plantations.

- Day 7 Monday 09:00 15:00 St John's - ANTIGUA Explore Nelson's Dockyard. The world's only working Georgian yard is named after the British admiral who lived here between 1784 and 1787.
- Day 8-12

  Tuesday Saturday Ship at Sea

  Duck in on demonstrations, games and quizzes before watching a West-End-style performance.

- Day 13 Sunday 11:00 18:00
  - Horta\* AZORES

Discover Horta's caldera. This volcanic crater is 1,200 deep and covered in bottle-green vegetation.

- Day 14 Monday 08:00 17:00
  - Ponta Delgada AZORES

Explore the Furnas Valley with its hot springs, spurting geysers, and hot mud pools.

- Day
- 15-16 Tuesday Wednesday Ship at Sea Tuck in to an al fresco barbecue lunch at the Terrace Grill, before a night of karaoke.
- Day 17 Thursday 09:00 14:00

#### Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Burrow around the World War 2 tunnels that honeycomb the inside of Gibraltar's Rock. Churchill ordered them to be built at the start of the war.

- Day 18 Friday 11:00 17:00
  - Alicante SPAIN

Sink your teeth into a chocolate or two at the Valor Chocolate Factory. These master chocolatiers have been producing the sweet stuff since 1881.

- Day 19 Saturday Arrive 06:00
  - Palma MAJORCA

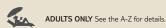
Snap a few for the album outside Palma's cathedral. It took almost 200 years to build.

For details of our 25 night itinerary option departing on 7th April 2015, please speak to your Travel Advisor.

- St Maarten's Treasure Island
- St Kitts' rainforests
- Cosmopolitan Palma







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Transatlantic Sunset Thomson Dream	Winter 2014/15 Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside
Prices per person from*	
18 nights	£1699
25 nights	£2199
Code: 18 nights: PCF; Delux	e Suite: PCH; Single Cabin: PCG
25 nights: PCI; Deluxe Suite	:KFZ; Single Cabin: PCJ
Reductions per person per	r night: 3rd / 4th adult £20
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- Soul and Motown themed cruise
- St Kitt's Scenic Railway
- Souvenir shopping in St Lucia







**COMBINE** with Caribbean Treasures for a 19 night



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#### FREE ALL INCLUSIVE UPGRADE. Transatlantic Moments Winter 2014/15 Deck 1/2 Inside Thomson Celebration Full Board Prices per person from\* 12 nights £1199 £1699 19 nights Code: 12 nights: PAC; Single Cabin: PAD 19 nights: PAE, Single Cabin: PAF Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £30 Select Your Cabin for only £42.

# TRANSATLANTIC MOMENTS THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2015: 12 Apr







Day 1 Sunday Depart 20:00 Bridgetown - BARBADOS

Day 2 Monday 08:00 - 17:00

#### St George's - GRENADA

Toast your time in Grenada from the deck of the Rhum Runner boat. There's an open bar and steel band onboard this beach-hopping boat.

Day 3 Tuesday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Castries - ST LUCIA

Shop for souvenirs at the Caribe Batik Factory. Fabric paining is a time-honoured art on St Lucia.

Day 4 Wednesday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Basseterre - ST KITTS

Chug through Basseterre's scenic countryside in the double-decker trains of St Kitt's Scenic Railway.

Day 5 Thursday 08:00 - 15:00

#### St John's - ANTIGUA

Float along the Antiguan coast on a catamaran with a glass of chilled sparkling wine in hand.

Day 6 - 1

Friday - Wednesday Ship at Sea Peruse the list of demonstrations, talks and classes and pencil them into your diary. Then ink in the Captain's Cocktail Party. Day 12 Thursday 09:00 - 18:00

#### Santa Cruz de la Palma - LA PALMA

Size-up the massive caldera at the centre of La Palma. It measures more than 10 kilometres from side to side and its walls soar up to 2,000 metres.

Day 13 Friday Arrive 06:00

#### Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

Ride the cable car up to the top of Spain's highest mountain, Mount Teide. The summit is almost 4,000 metres above sea level.

For details of our 19 night itinerary option departing on 5th April 2015, please speak to your Travel Advisor. The 12 night cruise is themed - see pages 16 and 17 for details.

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# FESTIVE FLAVOURS THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 23 Dec







- Day 1 Tuesday Depart 20:00 Montego Bay - JAMAICA
- Day 2 Wednesday 08:00 18:00

#### Falmouth - JAMAICA

Discover the Martha Brae River. This waterway is surrounded by jungle scenery and mangroves and it's traditional to sail down it on a bamboo raft. You won't have to lift a finger to paddle though. These rafts are powered by Jamaica's alternative to a gondolier.

- Day 3 Thursday Ship at Sea
  Start your evening as you mean to go on with
  pre-dinner drinks in the Ocean Bar. It's in the
  centre of the ship, so it's easy to get to any of the
  restaurants once you've sank an aperitif or two.
- Day 4 Friday 08:00 18:00

#### Roatan - HONDURAS

Hide away for the day at Anthony's Key Resort, a siphoned-off part of Honduras' coast. There's a beach here, where you can sunbathe, half in and half out of the shade of coconut palms and there's a part of the sea where you can swim with dolphins.

#### Day 5 Saturday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Costa Maya - MEXICO

Experience the adrenalin of power snorkelling. For this experience, you'll be given a pair of flippers, a snorkel mask, and an aqua scooter. These machines have been designed to pull you through the water, so you can concentrate on spotting tropical fish. They have a couple of gears, too, so you can speed up when you see something interesting underwater.

#### Day 6 Sunday 07:00 - 19:00

#### Cozumel - MEXICO

Steal away on a speedboat and explore the Mexican coast. Following a guide, you'll pass bleached white beaches where the only things in attendance are palm trees. Turn the engine off at one of these sandy stretches and you can have a picnic in the warmth of the Caribbean sun.

Day 7 Monday Ship at Sea

Leaf through the book of karaoke song choices in
The Water's Edge. If you need a bit of Dutch

the Water's Edge. If you need a bit of Dutch courage, there's a bar that sells everything from quality wine to cocktails.

Day 8 Tuesday Arrive 08:00

#### Montego Bay - JAMAICA

Get on first-name terms with Mo Bay. Browse the souvenir shops in the Downtown area and, if you're feeling peckish, look no further than the main strip. This road is home to some of the best jerk chicken and coal-roasted pork joints on the island.

- Swim with dolphins on Roatan
- Cozumel island
- Rafting on the Martha Brae







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Festive Flavours Thomson Dream	Winter 2014/15 Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside	
Thomson Dream	Full Board Deck 4/3 Inside	
Prices per person from*		
7 nights	£1499	
14 nights	£2249	
Code: 7 & 14 nights: DRM; Deluxe Suite: DRX; Single Cabin: DRN		
Child prices from £1049		
Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20		
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- Jungle zip-lining
- Old Town Havana
- Dunn's River Falls







**COMBINE** with Festive Flavours or Pride of Panama or Mayan Treasures or Mexican Medley or Transatlantic



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Cuban Fusion Thomson Dream	Winter 2014/15 Full Board Deck 4/5 Inside		
Prices per person from*	LOW	MID	HIGH
7 nights	£1179	£1199	£1299
14 nights	£1629	£1699	£1799

Code: 7 & 14 nights: DRM; Deluxe Suite: DRX; Single Cabin: DRN

Child prices from £799

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £30

Select Your Cabin for only £42

## **CUBAN FUSION** THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2014: 30 Dec

Departures in 2015: 13 Jan, 03 Feb, 24 Feb, 17 Mar, 07 Apr







#### Day 1 Tuesday Depart 20:00 Montego Bay - JAMAICA

#### Day 2 Wednesday Ship at Sea

Grab a sunlounger by the main pool on deck 11 and spend the day unwinding in the Caribbean sun. When you get peckish, ease your way over to the Terrace Grill to make the hardest decision of the day – whether to have salad, pizza or barbecue for lunch.

#### Day 3 Thursday 07:00 - 17:00

#### Playa del Carmen\* - MEXICO

Fly through the Mexican jungle on a zip lining adventure. One of Mexico's largest zip-lining circuits is within easy reach of Playa del Carmen. Around 2 miles worth of zip-lines are strung through the jungle, broken up by a series of 24 landing platforms.

#### Day 4 Friday 14:00 - 23:59

#### Havana - CUBA

Listen to the Canon Shot Ceremony at Fort St Charles. This tradition is deep-rooted. It started in the 18th century, when the firing of a canon from the ramparts signalled the closing of the fort's doors. The ceremony itself is as regimented as the changing of the guard at Buckingham Palace.

## Day 5 Saturday 00:01 - 18:00

#### Havana - CUBA

Wind your way around the Old Town, Habana Vieja. This part of Cuba's capital city is protected by UNESCO World Heritage Site status. It's here that you'll see baroque and neoclassical architecture, it's arcades, balconied buildings, and sprawling plazas.

This is also where you've got the best chance of seeing Cuba's iconic Cadillacs, resting low on their wheel arches.

#### Day 6 Sunday Ship at Sea

Suit and boot yourself ahead of your 7-course meal at The Grill. The a la carte menus here change every night and they showcase dishes from all around the world. On any given day the ship's kitchen can be stocked with anything from Norwegian smoked salmon to Aberdeen Angus beef.

#### Day 7 Monday 07:00 - 17:00

#### Georgetown\* - CAYMAN ISLANDS

Explore Grand Cayman's botanical gardens. This Caribbean Eden comes with the seal of approval from the queen, who opened them in 1994. The grounds are contoured with lakes, orchid fields, and woodlands. The park also has a large population of butterflies, that can only be found on the island.

#### Day 8 Tuesday Arrive 08:00

#### Montego Bay - JAMAICA

Climb Dunn's River Falls. These waterfalls are Jamaica's most famous attraction. Nature has moulded them into a series of rocky terraces, 55 metres high and 180 metres long. The white water tumbles over the top, like whipped cream. You can climb to the top by forming a chain with other visitors.

#### \*Tender to shore

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## PRIDE OF PANAMA THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2015: 06 Jan, 27 Jan, 17 Feb, 10 Mar and 31 Mar.







#### Day 1 Tuesday Depart 20:00 Montego Bay - JAMAICA

# Day 2 Wednesday Ship at Sea Treat yourself to a pampering session in the beauty salon, where you can get everything from a massage to a mancicure. Some of the treatments even target jet-lag.

#### Day 3 Thursday 08:00 - 17:00

## Cartagena - COLOMBIA

Hunt around Cartagena to find the monuments that earned the city UNESCO World Heritage status in the Eighties. Some of the most extensive military fortifications in South America are preserved in this city. Once upon a time they protected Colombia from attacks by pirates.

#### Day 4 Friday 08:00 - 18:00

#### San Blas\* - PANAMA

Discover a new culture on a tour of a traditional Embera Indian village. These communities live in riverbank villages, they speak a language called chocoan, they're led by a chief, and they dress in colourful body paint and clothes.

#### Day 5 Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Colon - PANAMA

Take a tour of the Panama Canal. When this 80-kilometre waterway was built at the end of the 19th century, it was a feat of engineering. It took 70,000 men to build it, but when it was complete it revolutionised worldwide trade. These days almost 300 million tonnes of cargo is shipped along it every year.

#### Day 6 Sunday 07:00 - 16:00

#### Puerto Limon - COSTA RICA

Envelop yourself in Costa Rica's rainforest at the Veragua Rainforest Experience. Hike through the jungle at grass roots level and find out about the frogs, snakes and rare butterflies that call this place home. Then hop onto the aerial tram, which will fly you through the treetops and over the heads of trees that are up to 300 years old.

#### Day 7 Monday Ship at Sea

Rally the troops for a game of 5-a-side football on the sports deck. If you're travelling with too few people for a football team, pick up a tennis racket and practice your backhand on the courts instead.

#### Day 8 Tuesday Arrive 08:00

#### Montego Bay - JAMAICA

Saddle up a horse at Braco Stables and hack out to explore the wilder side of Jamaica. Ride through the grounds of a private estate, past the pimento trees and fishtail palms, to get to the beach, where you can leave hoof prints in the sand and canter through the surf.

#### \*Tender to shore

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#### San Blas' desert islands

- The Panama Canal
- Costa Rica's rainforest







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Pride of Panama Thomson Dream	Winter Full Bo	2014/15 ard Deck 4/	/5 Inside
Prices per person from*	LOW	MID	HIGH
7 nights	£1199	£1219	£1399
14 nights	£1629	£1699	£1849

Code: 7 & 14 nights: DRM; Deluxe Suite: DRX; Single Cabin: DRN

Child prices from £799

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

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- Jungle cave-tubing
- Mayan ruins
- Cozumel lagoons







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# MAYAN TREASURES THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2015: 20 Jan, 03 Mar







#### Day 1 Tuesday Depart 20:00 Montego Bay - JAMAICA

Day 2 Wednesday Ship at Sea
Settle down for a day of sunbathing at the lido
pool on deck 9. Dip in and out of the water to

Settle down for a day of sunbathing at the lido pool on deck 9. Dip in and out of the water to cool down from the heat of the Caribbean sun. When you get thirsty ask your waiter to make you the cocktail of the day.

#### Day 3 Thursday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Roatan - HONDURAS

Cheat at scuba diving by hopping on the Roatan Reef Explorer. This semi-submarine will take you 6 foot beneath the waves. From the airconditioned hull you can look out of the transparent walls and out over the coral reef. You'll float over a mile or so of reef and have a good chance of seeing tropical fish and star fish. If you're lucky, you might even spot a dolphin.

#### Day 4 Friday 07:00 - 18:00

#### Belize City\* - BELIZE

Steel yourself for a session of cave tubing. This is the sort of activity you can brag about when you get home. It takes place in the middle of the rainforest. You'll be given a rubber ring and a head light and you'll get into a river at the mouth of a series of caves. Then, you'll follow your guide underground to explore a collection of flooded underground caverns.

#### Day 5 Saturday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Costa Maya - MEXICO

Brush up on your Mayan history during a visit to Chacchoben. The name of this settlement means

'place of the red corn', and it was inhabited from 200BC to the 2nd century AD. The pyramids you can see here were used as temples and they were once painted a pillar box red.

#### Day 6 Sunday 06:00 - 18:00

#### Cozumel - MEXICO

Escape to Chankanaab Park. In Mayan, the name of this place translates as 'small sea', because the whole area is based around a lagoon. There's a varied to-do list here. Trek through the jungle, snorkel with tropical fish, or just put your feet up on the bright white beach while you sip a cold drink.

#### Day 7 Monday Ship at Sea

Dress for dinner at the Grill Restaurant, which serves up steaks and seafood, just the way you like them. But before, you take a seat at your reserved table, pop into the Ocean Bar for an aperitif.

#### Day 8 Tuesday Arrive 08:00

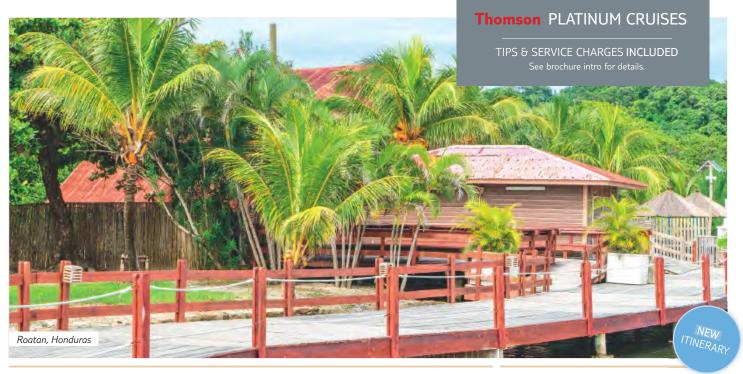
#### Montego Bay - JAMAICA

Eyeball a crocodile in the Black River. You can take river safaris through Jamaica's largest wetland in search of these endangered animals. If you don't spot one in the wild, you can visit one of the area's crocodile nurseries to see them close up.

#### \*Tender to shore

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#### MEXICAN MEDLEY THOMSON DREAM

Departures in 2015: 10 Feb, 24 Mar









Day 2 Wednesday Ship at Sea Slick on the suntan lotion in preparation for a day of sunbathing. Find a place in the sun by the lido pool on deck 9 and let the ship's entertainment team keep you amused.

#### Day 3 Thursday 08:00 - 20:00

#### Cozumel - MEXICO

Be bowled over by Tulum. The ruins of this pre-Colombian walled city have an eagle's nest position at the top of 12 metre cliff. The ancient palaces and temples at this site look out over an Daz-white beach and the Caribbean Sea.

#### Friday 08:00 - 18:00 Day 4

#### Costa Maya - MEXICO

Join the gold rush. On Cozumel, this means the hunt for premium tequila. No visit to the island is complete without a stop off at a tequila hacienda, where you witness how Mexico's national spirit is made and how the best brands – aka the gold - are distilled two or three times for quality.

#### Day 5 Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Roatan - HONDURAS

Loaf the day away on West Bay. This is a perfect 10 of a Caribbean beach. It's got immaculate white sand, gem-blue waters, and an entourage of palm trees. You can go snorkelling from here, too. You can have close encounters with tropical fish a matter of metres from the shore

#### Sunday Ship at Sea

Spruce yourself up for a night in the Broadway Show Lounge. The curtain is raised on a different show here every night. One night you might catch a West-End-style musical and the next you could be bent double in laughter at a first-rate guest comedian from the UK.

#### Day 7 Monday 09:00 - 20:00

#### Falmouth - JAMAICA

Explore the Rose Hall Georgian mansion, but don't be surprised if you feel a shiver as you're looking around in the Caribbean heat. According to legend, this estate is haunted by the ghost of Annie Palmer, who was killed in the house after she herself murdered her husband.

#### Day 8 Tuesday Arrive 08:00

#### Montego Bay - JAMAICA

Re-enact a scene from Cool Runnings on Mystic Mountain. You'll climb into a bobsled and then let gravity go to work as you traverse a 3,280-metre track full of twists and turns. There is a handbrake in the bobsled, but you don't have to use it. Leave it alone and you can reach speeds of up to 40 miles per hour.

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- Tulum's cliff top city
- Cozumel island
- Jamaica's Mystic Mountain







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Thomson Dream LOW MID HIGH Prices per person from<sup>1</sup> 7 nights £1219 £1249 £1749 £1769 14 nights

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- Spain's highest mountain
- St John's pristine beaches
- Jungle trekking in Roseau





# CARIBBEAN QUEST THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2014: 15 Nov









Saturday Depart 22:00 Malaga - SPAIN

Sunday 08:00 - 13:00

Gibraltar - GIBRALTAR

Jump onto a tour boat and sail around the Bay of Gibraltar in search of dolphins. Several different species of the flippered mammal can be found off the coast of the island, including striped and bottlenose.

Day 3 Monday Ship at Sea Start the day as you mean to go on with a workout in the gym. Don't forget to check Cruise News to

Day 4 Tuesday 09:00 - 17:00

#### Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

see if there are any classes on.

Scale the heights of Mount Teide, Spain's biggest mountain, by cable car. The views from the top span lush forest and volcanic countryside.

Day 5-10

Wednesday - Monday Ship at Sea Classes, talks, comedy, and live music are just some of the ways to busy yourself onboard during the day. In the evening, catch a show in the Broadway Show Lounge before dancing in Liberties.

Day 11 Tuesday 09:00 - 18:00

#### St John's - ANTIGUA

Dip your toes into the bright white sand of Dickenson Bay. This half-mile-long beach is Caribbean to a T. Spend your time here sunbathing or have a go at the watersports.

Day 12 Wednesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Philipsburg- ST MAARTEN

Acquaint yourself with the capital of French St Martin. There are hints of the homeland everywhere, including patisserie shops selling éclairs and croissants.

Day 13 Thursday 08:00 - 18:00

Road Town - BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS Loaf around in The Baths on the island of Virgin Gorda. Volcanic boulders cordon off natural plunge pools and swimming spaces in the sea here.

Day 14 Friday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Basseterre - ST KITTS

Absorb the views from Brimstone Hill Fortress. This fort is one of the best-preserved in the Americas, and from its hilltop position you'll be able to look out over the neighbouring island of Saba and St Barts.

Day 15 Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Roseau - DOMINICA

Venture into the jungle to see Hibiscus Falls. The white water cascade here is framed by hanging vines, mossy rocks, and bottle-green creepers.

Day 16 Sunday Arrive 07:00

#### Bridgetown - BARBADOS

Smile for the camera by Nelson's Column. This statue was erected 27 years before its more famous doppelganger in London's Trafalgar Square.

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#### CARIBBEAN TREASURES THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2014: 30 Nov, 14 Dec and 28 Dec.
Departures in 2015: 11 Jan, 25 Jan, 08 Feb, 22 Feb, 08 Mar, 22 Mar and 05 Apr.







#### Day 1 Sunday Depart 20:00 Bridgetown - BARBADOS

Day 2 Monday Ship at Sea

Take your pick from a choice of buffet and
waiter-service restaurants at mealtimes, and
snack on pizza or take afternoon tea in-between.

#### Day 3 Tuesday 07:00 - 18:00

#### St Barths\* - ST BARTHS

Board a yellow semi-submarine and see what lies beneath St Barth's surface. Look through the glass windows on the lower deck and you'll spot all sorts of sea life swimming past the panes. You might see blue tangs darting about in lightning strike formation and barracuda skulking out to sea.

#### Day 4 Wednesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Philipsburg- ST MAARTEN

Flop onto the pearly sands of Orient Beach. It's often referred to as the Caribbean's French Riviera, and it stretches out for 2 miles. There are plenty of bars and restaurants near the beach. Some serve up lobster while others make live music the dish of the day.

#### Day 5 Thursday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Basseterre - ST KITTS

Discover the Caribbean's serious side at the Brimstone Hill Fortress. This military fort is one of the best-preserved historical fortifications in the Caribbean and it dates back to a time when the French and British were fighting fiercely for ownership of the West Indies.

#### Day 6 Friday 08:00 - 19:00

#### St John's - ANTIGUA

Stake your claim on one of the hammocks in Dickenson Bay and refuse to budge for the day. Alternatively, if you do decide to make a move, head to one of the little bars that line the sand and order a rum punch.

#### Day 7 Saturday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Roseau - DOMINICA

Hike to Trafalgar Falls. These twin waterfalls are in a clearing in the rainforest and you can walk to them in roughly half an hour. You can bathe in the pool at the base of the smaller fall, or just head to the viewing platform to take some album-worthy pictures.

#### Day 8 Sunday Arrive 07:00

#### Bridgetown - BARBADOS

Explore the mysterious Harrison's Cave. Home to a series of caverns lit up in atmospheric orange and red hues, it plays host to rock pools, streams, and ceilings that drip with limestone stalactites. Locals refer to it as one of the seven wonders of the island.

#### \*Tender to shore

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- Trafalgar Falls in Dominica
- Harrison's Cave in Barbados
- Dutch-influenced St Maarten





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Caribbean Treasures Winter 2014/15 Thomson Celebration Deck 1/2 Inside LOW MID HIGH Prices per person from\* 7 nights £999 £1079 £1249 £1599 £1699 14 nights £1549

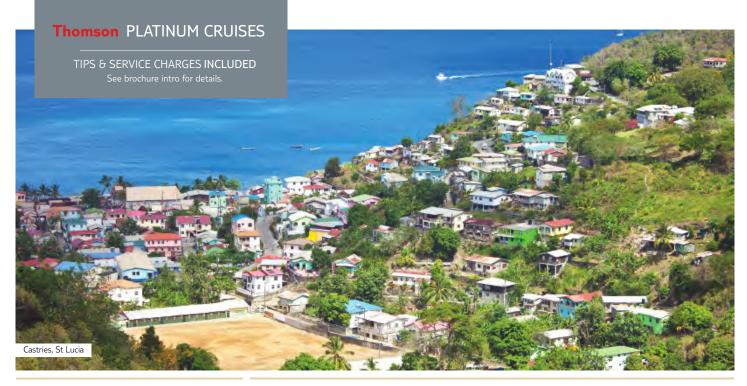
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Child prices from £699

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

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- Catamaran cruises in St Lucia
- Tobago jungle trekking
- Grenada's spice estates





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Tropical Delights Winter 2014/15 Deck 1/2 Inside MID LOW HIGH Prices per person from\* £999 7 nights £1079 £1229 £1549 £1749 14 nights £1579

Code: 7 & 14 nights: CJW; Single Cabin: CJX

Child prices from £699

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £30

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## TROPICAL DELIGHTS THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2014: 07 Dec Departures in 2015: 04 Jan, 01 Feb, 01 Mar and 29 Mar.







#### Sunday Depart 20:00 **Bridgetown - BARBADOS**

Day 2 Monday Ship at Sea

Unwind by the side of Ocean's Pool. This one is just for adults and its relaxation factor is upped by a whirlpool bath.

#### Tuesday 07:00 - 18:00

Pointe-à-Pitre - GUADELOUPE

Spend your cash in Pointe-à-Pitre's outdoor markets. Marche St. Antoine is one of the best, and you'll find it downtown near the city's main square. Check out the clothes and flower stalls, and then head for the street food section, where Créole and African cuisines are combined to create specialities like stuffed crab and spicy boudin sausages.

#### Wednesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Castries - ST LUCIA

Hop on a luxury catamaran and sail around St. Lucia. You get the best views of the island's twin peak mountains, The Pitons from the sea. Petit and Gros Piton both tower over the rest of the island at 2,000 feet tall.

#### Thursday 07:00 - 18:00

#### Kingstown\* - ST VINCENT & THE GRENADINES

Stake-out St Vincent's national bird in the Botanical Gardens, The Amazona Guidingii looks a little like a cockatoo, but it's got a coat so multi-coloured it looks like its been grafittied. It's easy to see why this rare bird is attracted to the gardens. They're the most mature in the western hemisphere.

#### Friday 08:00 - 18:00

#### St George's - GRENADA

Breathe in the scent of nutmeg, cinnamon, cloves, ginger and saffron on a working plantation estate. Grenada is known as 'the spice isle' for all the natural flavourings and herbs it produces. Some spice estates also make chocolate and you can always try before you buy.

#### Saturday 08:00 - 18:00 Day 7

#### Scarborough - TOBAGO

Trek through the jungle at Tobago Forest Reserve. Duck under creeping vines, splash through rainforest streams, and discover the rare plants and flowers that are used to make medicines or used as food. The forest is also home to 200 different types of animals and birds, so keep your eyes peeled for parakeets and hummingbirds.

#### Sunday Arrive 07:00 Day 8

#### Bridgetown - BARBADOS

Loaf the day away on Paynes' Bay. Even the waves are lazy here, just rippling their way from the cerulean sea into the bright white sand. If you're feeling active, you can go snorkelling – turtles are regularly spotted in the sea not far from the shore.

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#### LATIN GEMS THOMSON CELEBRATION

Departures in 2014: 21 Dec. Departures in 2015: 18 Jan, 15 Feb and 15 Mar.







Sunday Depart 20:00 **Bridgetown - BARBADOS** 

#### Day 2 Monday 08:00 - 12:00

# St George's - GRENADA

Inhale the scent of Grenada's home-grown spices on a tour of a spice estate. Cinnamon, cloves and allspice are all farmed on the island. At Dougaldston Estate you can take a tour of an old engine room and learn how spice was cultivated years ago.

#### Day 3 Tuesday 13:00 - 19:00

#### Kralendijk - BONAIRE

Sail over to Klein Bonaire. This uninhabited island is less than a mile from the mainland and it's belted by a band of coral reef. All you need is a snorkel, because the coral is close to the surface of the water in a lot of places. Among the fire and yellow pencil coral you'll see shoals of fish in Dulux paint pot colours. Look out for blue tang and angelfish.

#### Day 4 Wednesday 08:00 - 20:00

#### Willemstad - CURACAO

Board a yacht and set sail for Curacao's lagoons. The Spanish Water Lagoon and Fuik Lagoon are both worth a visit. They're surrounded by footprint-free beaches and great snorkelling spots. These boat trips also give you the best chance of soaking up Curacao's scenery. You'll sail past the Tafelberg - the island's famous table-top mountain - and plenty of rainforest-covered countryside along the way.

#### Day 5 Thursday 08:00 - 17:00

#### Oranjestad - ARUBA

Loaf the day away on the ice-white sands of Palm Beach. When you get peckish, take a walk along one of the piers. They're topped with quirky restaurants and bars, where you can order cold Balashi beers and snacks. Time it right and you'll hit happy hour.

#### Friday Ship at Sea

Learn how to mix your favourite cocktail or pair wines with food at an expert demonstration. There are unusual options, too - like presentations on the basics of ice carving.

#### Saturday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Castries - ST LUCIA

Flit from beach to volcano to rainforest on a scenic tour of St Lucia. The island goes all out to impress when it comes to scenery, and getting in among it all couldn't be easier. Take a boat ride, a bike tour or even a horseback trek.

#### Day 8 Sunday Arrive 07:00

#### Bridgetown - BARBADOS

Burrow beneath Barbados' surface during a trip to Harrison's Cave. These subterranean passageways and sinkholes are full of huge stalagmites and stalactites. One of the highlights of a journey down here is the Great Hall, which is a huge cavern that measures more than 100 feet in height.

Just so you know the itinerary order and timings vary by sailing date. Please speak to your Travel Advisor for more details

- Snorkelling in Bonaire
- Aruba's tropical beaches
- Yacht sailing in Willemstad





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Winter 2014/15 Latin Gems Thomson Celebration Deck 1/2 Inside LOW MID HIGH Prices per person from\* 7 nights £1079 £1089 £1499 £1589 £1619 £2249 14 nights

Code: 7 & 14 nights: CJW; Single Cabin: CJX

Child prices from £699

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

Select Your Seat from £30 Select Your Cabin for only £42.

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# CANARY ISLANDS & MOROCCO

From lunar-like landscapes of the Canary Islands to spice-scented souks of Morocco, these itineraries offer up plenty in the way of spectacular scenery and exotic experiences.





# FAST FACTS

SAIL FROM	Tenerife or Gran Canaria
SHIP	Thomson Majesty
DEPARTURES	November 2014 to April 2015
KEY PORTS OF CALL	Funchal, Arrecife, Agadir,
	La Gomera and Puerto del Rosario

For more information on our ports of call, turn to pages 182 to 200

# TOP 5

# THINGS TO SEE & DO

# 1. Magical Marrakech

Available from Agadir

The name 'Marrakech' conjures up a magical swirl of minarets, markets and mysterious alleyways. Packed medieval buildings jumble one on top of the other along twisting lanes. This shop is selling leather goods, that one shisha pipes. Craftsmen sit cross-legged on the floor beating out handmade tinware. There are chemists and perfumiers, water vendors and men carrying live turkeys. And there is Jemaa el-Fna, the massive town square. Walk through child story-tellers, men with monkeys and pavement apothecaries. This trip takes in El Bahia Palace, the souks and Jemaa el-Fna.

#### 2. Taste of Madeira

Available from Funchal

Your day begins with a cable car ride from Funchal to nearby Monte. Head for the famous Church of Our Lady of Monte, known for its striking façade. Then it's decision time - do you slide down the narrow streets in a toboggan, or rejoin the bus for the journey down the hill? Sitting in a wicker basket mounted on wooden runners, two drivers guide the sled down through narrow streets, using their rubber-soled boots as brakes. Ernest Hemingway once described the experience as 'exhilarating'. Afterwards - relax in Funchal's Botanical Gardens.

#### 3. Scenic Mount Teide

Available from Santa Cruz

In 1998 this place welcomed nearly four million visitors. And it's easy to see why. Shooting into the sky at 12,402 feet, Mount Teide is Tenerife's most famous landmark  $\delta$  the highest mountain in Spain.

# 4. Heart of Fuerteventura

Available from Puerto del Rosario

This half-day trip showcases the history and culture of Fuerteventura. Your tour starts as you drive through the volcanic landscape on your way to La Alcogida Ecomuseum. This open-air spot features working recreations of stone farmhouses. It shows how potters used to work, mills turned and grinded and farmers cared for their livestock. Next up is Casa Santa Maria, a museum of Canarian art. It's a dazzling cinematic experience charting the island's geology, flora, fauna and marine life through the seasons. Later, you'll head to an aloe vera farm.

#### 5. Fire Mountain

Available from Arrecife

If there's one place you HAVE to go in Lanzarote, it's Timanfaya National Park. Born out of fiery volcanic eruptions, it's all craters, calderas and cones. Take in the scenery and see local guides perform amazing volcanic experiments. You can even take a camel across the crater's edge. Then it's off to the vineyards of La Geria.



#### MIDNIGHT MAGIC THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2014: 26 Dec







# Day 1 Friday Depart 23:59 Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

#### Pay 2 Saturday 08:00 - 22:00

#### Las Palmas - GRAN CANARIA

Unwind on Maspalomas Beach. At 7-miles long, this beach is so broad it counts as one of Gran Canaria's landmarks. The billowing dunes, meanwhile, are classed as a nature reserve. Most people are content with sunbathing, but there's a lighthouse at the end, which you can visit if you fancy a walk.

#### Day 3 Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

#### San Sebastian - LA GOMERA

Delve into El Cedro Forest. There's a fairy tale quality to this woodland. Rare laurel trees are entwined around each other, creeks babble, and the forest floor falls into leafy ravines in areas. The whole place spreads out for 15 square miles and it's protected by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site.

#### Day 4 Monday 09:00 - 19:00

#### Arrecife - LANZAROTE

Watch the world go by from what's possibly the best lookout point on Lanzarote. Mirador del Rio was created by the island's home-grown artist Cesar Manrique. The lookout is carved out of the mountainside, almost 500 metres above sea level, and it commands views of the sea and the island of La Graciosa in the distance.

#### Day 5 Tuesday 08:00 - 14:00

#### Puerto del Rosario - FUERTEVENTURA

Get off the beaten track during a mountain bike tour of the island. Two wheels will take you where no cars can, and you'll pedal past craters, mountains and secret beaches.

#### Day 6 Wednesday 11:00 - 23:59

#### Funchal - MADEIRA

Test your mettle at Cabo Girao. The cliff here is one of the tallest sea cliffs in the world and the drop from top to bottom is a vertical one. There's a lookout point that's transparent, so you can see the huge gap between you and the ground when you stand on it. Then ring-in the new year by watching the incredible, perfectly-synched firework show.

#### Day 7 Thursday 00:01 - 02:00

#### Funchal - MADEIRA

Start the new year in style with a cable car ride to the mountain village of Monte. Once you're up here you can look around the botanical gardens and the tropical gardens. The first is a colour-pop place with manicured lawns, bright flower beds and high-designed hedges. The latter are rambling, and dotted with sculpture and fountains.

#### Day 8 Friday Arrive 06:00

#### Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

Take a mini safari around Loro Parque. The name translates as parrot park, but the birds are just the start of the long list of exotic animals you'll find here. Gorillas, tigers and dolphins also call this place home, and the park boasts the world's longest underwater aquarium walkway.

For prices for departures from Gran Canaria please speak to your Travel Advisor.

- 7-mile sand dunes in Maspalomas
- Mirador del Rio look-out
- Wine-tasting in Lanzarote





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# FREE ALL INCLUSIVE UPGRADE. Only applies to time spent onboard the ship. Limited availability. See page 221 for full details. Midnight Magic Winter 2014/15 Thomson Majesty Full Board Deck 3/4 Inside Prices per person from\* 7 nights 1299 14 nights 1749 Code: 7 & 14 nights: HHH; Suite, Junior Suite: NFA; Single Cabin: MFB Child prices from £599 Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20

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Select Your Seat from £19

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- La Palma's Teneguia volcano
- Morocco's spice-scented souks
- Maspalomas sand dunes





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Colourful Coasts Winter 2014/15 Deck 3/4 Inside MID LOW HIGH Prices per person from\* 7 nights £799 £859 £969 £1349 £1399 £1599 14 nights

Code: 7 & 14 nights: HHH; Suite, Junior Suite: NFA; Single Cabin: MFB

Child prices from £399

Reductions per person per night: 3rd / 4th adult £20 Select Your Seat from £19

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# **COLOURFUL COASTS** THOMSON MAJESTY

21 Nov, 28 Nov, 05 Dec, 19 Dec Departures in 2014:

Departures in 2015: 02 Jan, 16 Jan, 30 Jan, 13 Feb, 27 Feb, 13 Mar, 27 Mar, 10 Apr







#### Friday Depart 23:59 Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

#### Saturday 08:00 - 22:00

#### Las Palmas - GRAN CANARIA

Sink your toes into the golden sand of Maspalomas. The rolling dunes here are the main landmark of Gran Canaria. They're so sprawling and unspoilt that they have a final frontier look to them. And that's not going to change any time soon, because they're protected from development by nature reserve status.

#### Sunday 09:00 - 15:00

#### Santa Cruz de la Palma - LA PALMA

Stare into the crater of Teneguia volcano. It last erupted in 1971, when its explosions continued for a whole month. No volcano has erupted on Spanish soil since.

#### Monday 08:00 - 22:00

#### Funchal - MADEIRA

Inch your way up to the hilltop town of Monte using Funchal's cable car. The 15-minute journey takes you 12,000 feet above sea level. When you get to the top you can look down on the red roofed-houses that have become an emblem of Funchal.

#### Day 5 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Take your pick from a choice of buffet and waiter-service restaurants at mealtimes, and snack on pizza or take afternoon tea in-between.

#### Wednesday 06:00 - 18:00

#### Agadir - MOROCCO

Haggle your way to a bargain in a souk. Buy spices from hill-sized heaps, try on silk slippers Cinderella-style to find the perfect fit, and compare the sheen on shiny silver tea sets.

#### Thursday 11:00 - 18:00

#### Arrecife - LANZAROTE

Devote a day to the architecture of Cesar Manrique. He was Lanzarote's artist in residence for the best part of 70 years and he gave the island buildings, look-out points, and gardens that would be considered ahead of their time even if they were built today.

#### Day 8 Friday Arrive 06:00

#### Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

Get that shrinking feeling at the foot of Mount Teide. Skewering into the sky at a height of 12,000 feet, the peak of this volcano is the highest point in the whole of Spain.

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#### CANARIAN FLAVOURS THOMSON MAJESTY

Departures in 2014: 14 Nov, 12 Dec Departures in 2015: 09 Jan, 23 Jan, 06 Feb, 20 Feb, 06 Mar, 20 Mar, 03 Apr







#### Day 1 Friday Depart 23:59 Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

#### Day 2 Saturday 08:00 - 22:00

#### Las Palmas - GRAN CANARIA

Trek across the rolling Maspalomas sand dunes on a camel, soaking up the desert-like scenery as you go. You can also visit some of the baby animals at the Camel Station, and learn all about the life and times of the creatures.

#### Day 3 Sunday 08:00 - 14:00

#### San Sebastian - LA GOMERA

Venture into the wilderness on a forest walk in Garajonay National Park. This ancient ecosystem covers more than 15 square miles and you can hike up more than 1,400 metres above sea level to enjoy views of neighbouring Tenerife and La Palma.

#### Day 4 Monday 09:00 - 23:00

#### Funchal - MADEIRA

Make a saving at Funchal's farmer's market. It's the best place on the island to pick up souvenirs, because it's stuffed with stalls selling things like straw bags and hand-carved crafts. You'll also find the full A to Z of fresh fruit and exotic blooms. One of the most popular buys, though, is embroidered linen — tablecloths, for instance, are really good quality.

#### Day 5 Tuesday Ship at Sea

Treat yourself to sandwiches and sweet treats with an afternoon tea, served in one of the ship's restaurants or lounge areas.

#### Day 6 Wednesday 08:00 - 18:00

#### Arrecife - LANZAROTE

Overdose on scenery in Timanfaya National Park. Born out of fiery volcanic eruptions, this corner of Lanzarote is all craters, calderas and cones. To see it all in style, take a camel ride.

#### Day 7 Thursday 07:00 - 17:00

#### Puerto del Rosario - FUERTEVENTURA

Spend some time relaxing on Fuerteventura's sands. This small island is home to some of the best beaches in the Canaries, and it's also a real hotspot for watersports. Try your hand at local favourites like kite surfing and windsurfing.

#### Day 8 Friday Arrive 06:00

#### Santa Cruz - TENERIFE

Encounter the animals at Loro Parque. Parrots give this animal park its name, but they're not the be all and end all here. They share the space with gorillas, tigers, sea lions and killer whales.

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- El Cedro Forest in La Gomera
- Camel Trekking in Gran Canaria
- Award-winning Loro Parque





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Prices per person from*	LOW	MID	HIGH
7 nights	£ <b>799</b>	£849	£999
14 nights	£1349	£1399	£1549

Code: 7 & 14 nights: HHH; Suite, Junior Suite:NFA; Single Cabin: MFB

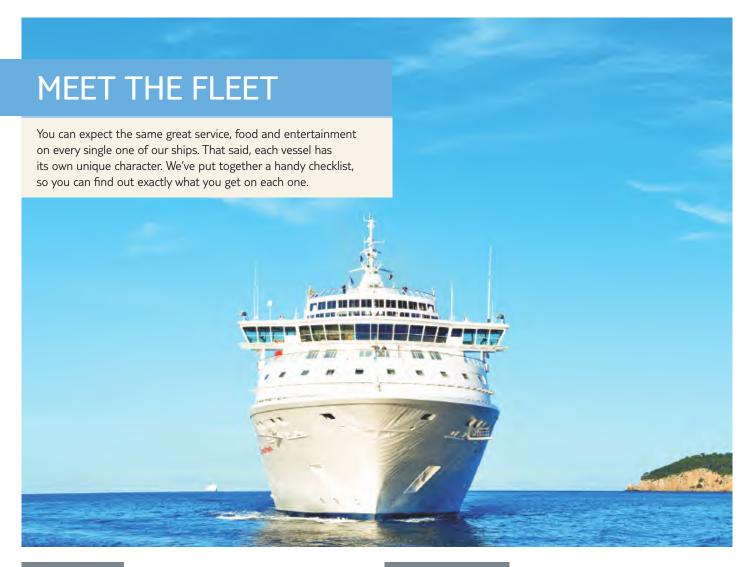
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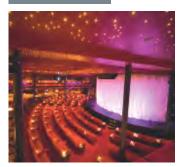
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#### Thomson Dream



Plenty of space and a brilliant selection of facilities – that's what you can expect on the Thomson Dream. This Thomson Platinum ship is well-known for its plush show lounge and fantastic West End-style entertainment, with performances and games geared up for the whole family.

#### GREAT FOR:

- 'West End-style' theatre
- Families
- Platinum feel

"Great ship. Wonderful staff, fantastic food and fabulous entertainment."

- Stephen Stafford

#### Thomson Celebration



This is one of the smaller ships in our fleet and, with its sophisticated à la carte restaurant and range of bars, it really spoils you. Plus, because it's now part of our Thomson Platinum range, you can expect cabins and public areas with a smart, contemporary edge.

#### GREAT FOR:

- A la carte dining
- Intimate bars
- Platinum feel

"The standard of food, care and entertainment was second to none. The entertainment team were exceptional, providing top class shows daily." - Claire and Peter White

#### Thomson Maiesty



Couples love Thomson Majesty, and it's easy to see why. This ship's calling cards include a great range of restaurants, a sophisticated piano bar, and an indulgent spa featuring a his 'n' hers treatment room.

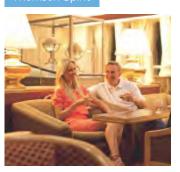
#### GREAT FOR:

- Indulgent spa facilities
- Couples
- Atmospheric pool deck

"We could not fault our cabin, and the stewards and staff were very friendly."

- Derek Rogerson

#### Thomson Spirit



Thomson Spirit is the longest-serving member of our fleet, and it's still a firm favourite with customers thanks to its warm, home-from-home atmosphere. It offers up all the hallmarks of classic cruising — think fine dining, formal nights, and elegant lounges made for after-dinner tipples.

#### GREAT FOR:

- Home-from-home feel
- Range of facilities
- Pre and after dinner drinks

"Everyone was so well trained and professional and the staff did not stop smiling."

- Toni Carlton

	Thomson	Thomson	Thomson	Thomson
	Dream	Celebration	Majesty	Spirit
Departures				
Majorca	Summer 2014			
Malaga	Winter 2014/2015	Winter 2014/2015	Winter 2013/2014	
Turkey	William 201 (7201)	Summer 2014	Willer 2015/2011	Summer 2014
Corfu		Summer 2014	Summer 2014	Summer 2014
Ex-UK			Summer 2014	Summer 2014
Cyprus		Winter 2014/2015		Summer 2014, Winter 2013/14/15
Barbados	Winter 2013/2014	Winter 2014/2015		Summer 2011, Winter 2013/11/13
Tenerife	Winter 2014/2015	Winter 2014/2015	Winter 2014/2015	
Gran Canaria	Winter 2014/2015	Winter 2014/2015	Winter 2014/2015	
Jamaica	Winter 2014/2015			
Lanzarote	Winter 2014/2015			
Ship Facts	William 201 (7201)			
Gross tonnage	54,763 GRT	33,930 GRT	40,876 GRT	33,930 GRT
Passengers	1506	1250	1462	1254
Crew	600	520	600	520
Passenger : crew ratio	2.5 : 1	2.4:1	2.4 : 1	2.4 : 1
Cabins	753	625	732	627
Decks	10	10	9	10
Lifts	7	7	6	7
Style of décor	Contemporary	Contemporary	Modern	Classic
Cruise lengths available	5-27	7-19	7-14	3-15
Dining Options	J-21	7-17	7-17	3-13
Open seating in				
waiter-service restaurant	✓	/	✓	<b>√</b>
Restaurants	4	3	5	3
A la carte restaurant	Bistro/Asian	Bistro/Asian	Bistro	Bistro
Bars	6	6	6	6
Room service	24 hours	24 hours	24 hours	24 hours
Activities				
Swimming pools	1 family, 1 adults only	1 family, 1 adults only	1 family, 1 adults only	1 family, 1 adults only
Whirlpool baths	2	1	2	1
Beauty salon & spa	<b>✓</b>	1	✓	1
Sports deck	✓	/		/
Fitness centre	<b>√</b>	/	✓	✓ ·
Library	✓	/	✓	✓ ·
Thomson Kids' club	<b>√</b>	/	✓	✓ <b>/</b>
Entertainment				
Show lounge	777 seats	644 seats	638 seats	630 seats
Disco	✓	/	✓	✓
Casino	✓	/	✓	✓
Shops	3	4	3	3
Other				
Adaptor required	European or US	European or US	European or US	European or US
Laundry self service facilities		Free of charge		Charge applies
Blessings at sea	<b>√</b>	✓ ·	<b>✓</b>	✓ /
Surprise someone at sea	✓	1	<b>√</b>	/
Private balcony	Grand Suites	Deluxe Balcony cabins		
Adults-only departures available	Atlantic Explorer	All sailings departing in January 2015		June 2014 & September 2014
	Transatlantic Sunrise	Caribbean Quest, Transatlantic Moments		
	Transatlantic Sunset	Mediterranean Flavours		
Tea/Coffee making facilities	✓	1	Suites	Suites
Customer ratings*				
Holiday Overall	97%	97%	97%	98%
Food Quality	96%	98%	98%	99%
Onboard Service	98%	99%	99%	99%
	94%	95%	95%	95%

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# WELCOME ABOARD

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#### **ENTERTAINMENT**

- Broadway Show Lounge: Professionally produced
   West End-style shows and top comedy from
   UK guest acts.
- 2 High Spirits: Alternative venue hosting game shows and live music, plus a late-night disco.
- 3 Raffles Casino: Fully equipped with popular gaming tables and machines.
- Cinema: Daily feature presentations of recently released films.

#### **DINING - WAITER SERVICE**

- 4 The Compass Rose Restaurant: Serving breakfast, lunch and a six-course dinner. All meals are served as open seating so you can dine when and where you please.
- Sirocco's: Intimate à la carte restaurant offering the ultimate dining experience. A cover charge applies and onboard reservations are required.
- Gala night: Weekly Captain's Gala Reception and Gala Dinner. Set dining times apply early or late sittings are allocated on arrival.

#### **DINING - FLEXIBLE OPTIONS**

- 6 Lido Restaurant: Self-service buffet with an al fresco dining area. International theme nights are held twice a week.
- Terrace Grill: Lunchtime BBQs, pizzas and salads served on the open deck.
- Room service: available 24 hours a day extra charge applies.

#### RARS

- 7 Horizons: A stylish, sophisticated bar with spotlight cabarets and live classical music.
- Raffles Bar: Central piano bar, the perfect place for pre-dinner drinks.
- Lido Bar: Outdoor bar next to pool and restaurant.
- **Explorers' Lounge**: A tranquil lounge adorned with nautical memorabilia and playing relaxing live music.
- Mezzanine Bar: On top level of the show lounge.
- High Spirits Bar: A bar in the ship's nightclub.

#### **SWIMMING POOLS**

- 8 Main Pool: This one is for all the family, and comes with a separate kids' pool.
- Oceans Pool: This adults-only pool is great for relaxing and has its own whirlpool bath.

#### OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Oceans Health Club: The ideal place to unwind, with a fully-equipped spa, beauty salon and gym.
- Card and Reading Room: A quiet, spacious room, perfect for getting away from it all.
- Sports Deck: An entire deck dedicated to basketball, football and table tennis.
- Other: Thomson Kids' Club, gift shops, library with internet access.

#### Cabin Facilities All our cabins come with...



■ Air-conditioning ■ TV ■ Two full-length wardrobes ■ Hairdryer ■ Safe, at a charge

See opening pages for details

PREMIER SERVICE AVAILABLE See opening pages for details

#### PRESIDENTIAL SUITE

- King-size bed On Eagle Deck 9
- One bathroom with whirlpool bath, shower and separate WC
- Picture windows Minibar CD Player DVD Player
- The Presidential Suite is 40m²
- Tea & Coffee making facilities

To book this cabin please call 0871 231 4908\* or ask your Travel Advisor to call on your behalf, at the time of booking.

\*Calls cost 10p per minute plus network extras.



#### SUITES

- King-size bed
- Separate living area with sofa, tables and chairs
- The sofa converts into a bed and can comfortably accommodate a third person
- En suite bathroom with shower over bath, WC and bathrobes Picture window Minibar
- Suite sizes are between 26 and 27m²
- Tea & coffee making facilities

Please note: the view from some Suites may be obstructed by lifeboats. Reserve your cabin to guarantee an unobstructed view.



#### **DELUXE CABINS**

- Queen-size double bed or twin beds
- A rollaway bed can also accommodate a third person (decks 6/7 only)
- Chairs and table Picture window En suite bathroom with shower over bath and WC
- Minibar Deluxe Cabins are 19m²

Some of our Deluxe Cabins are interconnecting. Call 0871 231 4908 for more information. Calls cost 10p per minute plus network extras.

Please note: the view from some Deluxe Cabins may be obstructed by lifeboats. Reserve your cabin to guarantee an unobstructed view.



#### **OUTSIDE & INSIDE CABINS**

- One queen-size bed or two single beds, which are side by side or in an L-shaped configuration
- Four-berth cabins have twin beds and two upper berths which fold down. These cabins have additional wardrobe space
- Outside cabins have a porthole.
- En suite bathroom with shower and WC.
- Standard cabin sizes are between 13 and 16m².







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# **Upgrade** your cabin.

**Book early** for the best deal.

Grade	From
Deck 3/4 Inside	£5
Deck 1/2 Outside	£7
Deck 3/4 Outside	£10
Deck 6/7 Deluxe	£27
Deck 8/9 Deluxe	£28
Suite	£46
Presidential Suite	£81
Single Inside	£42
Single Outside	£50

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# **DECK PLAN**

# Thomson Spirit

Every cabin onboard Thomson Spirit is spacious, comfortable and well equipped. Pay a small amount more and you can also enjoy a sea view.

## Select your cabin for just £42

- 1. Book your cruise
- 2. Consult the deck plan
- 3. Call 0871 231 4908 to reserve your cabin

See 'Cabins' in the A-Z for terms, conditions and call charges.

#### YOUR KEY TO CABIN CATEGORIES

- Suite
- - Deck 8/9 Deluxe
- Deck 6/7 Deluxe
- Deck 3/4 Outside
- Deck 1/2 Outside
- Deck 3/4 Inside
- Deck 1/2 Inside
- Single Inside / Outside
- # 3 Berth
- 4 Berth
- Double bed
- Suitable for wheelchairs
- Twin beds in Lshaped configuration 1
- 1 Interconnecting cabin

## **AMENITIES**

For more information on ship amenities

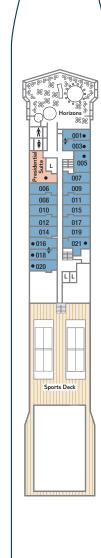
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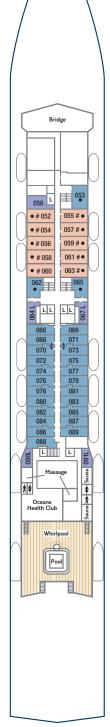
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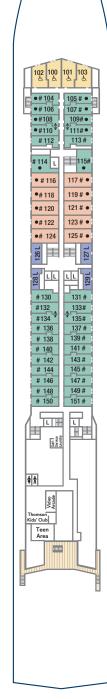
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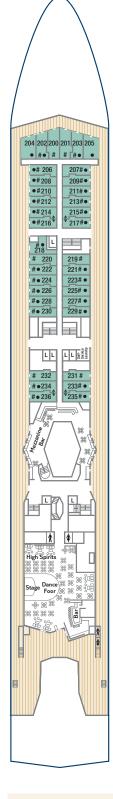
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#### EAGLE DECK 9

- Horizons
- Presidential Suite
- Deluxe cabins
- Sports Deck (deck 10)

#### **BRIDGE DECK 8**

- Pool
- Suites
- Deluxe cabins
- Oceans Health Club

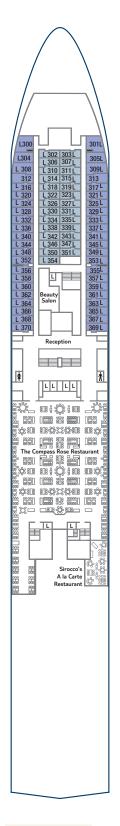
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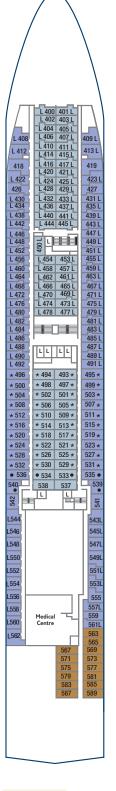
- Thomson Kids' Club
- Suites
- Deluxe cabins
- Teen Area
- Cabins adapted for wheelchair users
- Self-service laundry

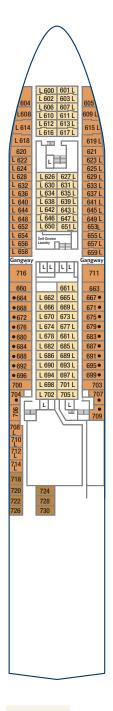
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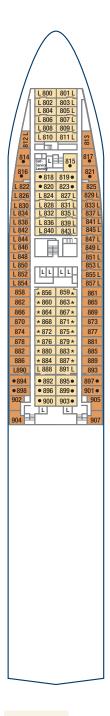
- Mezzanine Bar and Lounge
- High Spirits
- Deluxe cabins
- Self-service laundry











#### **BROADWAY DECK 5**

- Broadway Show Lounge
- Explorers' Lounge
- Card/reading room
- Lido restaurant
- Pool & Children's Pool
- Raffles Bar & Casino
- Broad Street shops
- Cinema
- Browser's Corner
- Destination Services

## MAIN DECK 4

- Sirocco's à la carte restaurant
- The Compass Rose Restaurant
- Beauty salon
- Outside and Inside cabins
- Reception

## A DECK 3

- Medical centre
- Outside and Inside cabins
- Single cabins

#### B DECK 2

- Outside and Inside cabins
- Self-service laundry
- Single cabins

#### C DECK 1

- Outside and Inside cabins
- Self-service laundry

# **WELCOME ABOARD**



Couples love Thomson Majesty, and it's easy to see why.

The ship's calling cards include a great range of restaurants, a sophisticated piano bar, and an indulgent spa featuring a his 'n' hers treatment room for massages à deux.





#### **ENTERTAINMENT**

- Jubilee Lounge: The focal point of the evening entertainment - this is the place for cabaret, comedy and the late night disco.
- Monte Carlo Casino: Feeling lucky? Head to this spacious, fully-equipped casino to find all your favourite gaming tables and machines.

#### **DINING - WAITER SERVICE**

- 2 Seven Seas Restaurant: Full waiter service restaurant for breakfast, lunch or dinner. Buffet option available at breakfast. Open-seating policy so you can dine where and when you like.
- 3 Four Seasons Restaurant: Slightly smaller than Seven Seas, this is a more intimate alternative to the main dining room.
- Le Bistro: Our à la carte eatery is worth paying a little more for.
- Gala night: Weekly Captain's Gala Reception and Gala Dinner.

#### **DINING - FLEXIBLE OPTIONS**

- 4 Café Royale: This self-service buffet restaurant offers a superb selection of dishes.
- Piazza San Marco: An al fresco venue that's perfect for lunch in the sun.
- Room service: 24 hours a day extra charge applies.

#### **BARS**

- 5 Royal Observatory: The highest vantage point on the ship this venue is the perfect place to enjoy simply breathtaking views.
- 6 Royal Fireworks: Quizzes, bingo and live music are the order of the day in this bar.
- Topsiders: This poolside bar is the setting for refreshments in the sun and our famous deck parties.
- Frame 52: During the day Frame 52 is home to yoga and pilates classes and is also a great place to relax with a book.
- Polo Club: Our resident party band makes this central bar perfect for pre-dinner drinks.

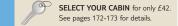
#### **SWIMMING POOLS**

**Swimming Pools**: There's a pool suitable for the whole family, and one that's adults-only.

#### OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Sana Wellness Centre: With 7 treatment rooms, a well-stocked gym and a good-sized salon, Sana Wellness Centre is made for pampering.
- Thomson Kids' Club: Daily, action-packed activity programmes designed for 3-12 year olds, run by dedicated, fully qualified hosts.
- Other: Library, internet room and gift shops.

# Cabin Facilities All our cabins come with...

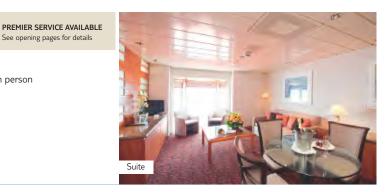


■ Air-conditioning ■ TV ■ Wardrobe space ■ Hairdryer ■ Safe, at a charge

See opening pages for details

PREMIER SERVICE AVAILABLE See opening pages for details

- Two beds which can be converted to a gueen-size double bed
- Living area with sofa, table and chairs
- The sofa converts to a bed and can comfortably accommodate a third or fourth person
- Two bay windows
- En suite bathroom with shower over bath, WC and bathrobes.
- Walk-in wardrobe DVD Player Minibar
- Tea & coffee making facilities
- Suites are 37m²



#### JUNIOR SUITES

- Two beds which can be converted to a queen-size double bed
- Living area with sofa, tables and chairs
- The sofa converts to a bed and can comfortably accommodate a third or fourth person
- One bay window and a picture window En suite bathroom with shower over bath, WC and bathrobes
- Walk-in wardrobe DVD Player Minibar Tea & Coffee making facilities
- Junior Suites are 23m²

Please note: the view from some Junior Suites may be obstructed by lifeboats. Reserve your cabin to guarantee an unobstructed view.



#### **OUTSIDE & OUTSIDE PLUS CABINS**

- Have either two single beds convertible to a queen-size double bed or a fixed double
- Picture window
- Three and four-berth cabins have twin beds and one or two upper berths which fold away
- En suite bathroom with shower and WC
- Outside Plus cabins have a fridge and extra wardrobe space
- Outside cabins are 10m<sup>2</sup>, Outside Plus cabins are 13m<sup>2</sup>

Please note: the view from some outside and outside plus cabins may be obstructed by lifeboats. Reserve your cabin to guarantee and unobstructed view.

# Outside Cabin

#### INSIDE & INSIDE PLUS CABINS

- Inside cabins have either two single beds convertible to a queen-size double bed or a queen-size fixed double
- Three and four-berth cabins have twin beds and one or two upper berths which fold away
- En suite bathroom with shower and WC
- Inside Plus cabins have a fridge and extra wardrobe space
- Inside cabins sizes are between 10 and 11m²
- Inside Plus cabins are 13m²







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Grade	From	
Deck 3/4 Inside Plus	£5	
Deck 6/8 Inside	£7	
Deck 3/4 Outside	£7	
Deck 3/4 Outside Plus	£11	
Deck 6/7 Outside	£16	
Deck 6/7 Outside Plus	£19	
Deck 8/9 Outside	£10	
Deck 8/9 Outside Plus	£18	
Junior Suite	£64	
Single Inside	£38	
Single Outside	£46	
Prices are per person per night, and you		

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# **DECK PLAN**

# Thomson Majesty

Whether you're after a plush Suite with a walk-in wardrobe, or a cosy cabin that comes with all the essentials, Thomson Majesty gives you a range of accommodation types to choose from.

#### Select your cabin for just £42

- 1. Book your cruise
- 2. Consult the deck plan
- 3. Call 0871 231 4908 to reserve your cabin

See 'Cabins' in the A-Z for terms, conditions and call charges.

#### YOUR KEY TO CABIN CATEGORIES

- Suite
- Junior Suite
- Deck 8/9 Outside Cabin
- Deck 8/9 Outside Plus Cabin
- Deck 6/7 Outside Cabin
- Deck 6/7 Outside Plus Cabin
- Deck 3/4 Outside Plus Cabin
- Deck 6/8 Inside Cabin
- Deck 3/4 Outside Cabin
- Deck 3/4 Inside Plus Cabin
- Deck 3/4 Inside Cabin
- Single Cabin/Outside Cabin
- Adapted Cabin for wheelchair use
- 3 Berth #
- 4 Berth
- Converts to double bed
- L shape beds
- Fixed double beds

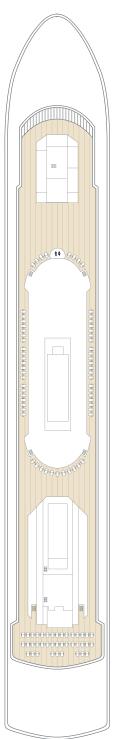
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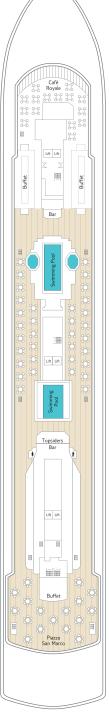
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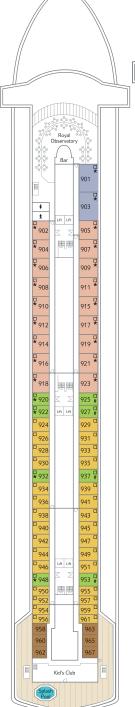
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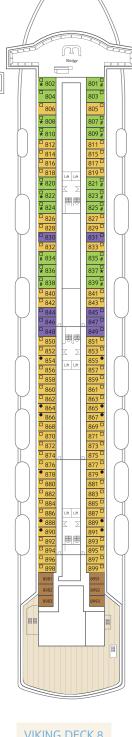
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#### SKY DECK 11

#### SUN DECK 10

- Café Royale
- Pools
- Topsiders Bar
- Piazza San Marco

# NORWAY DECK 9

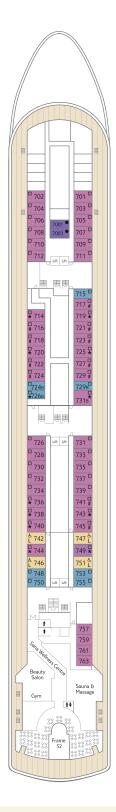
- Royal Observatory
- Kid's Club
- Outside and Outside Plus cabins
- Junior Suites
- Suites

#### VIKING DECK 8

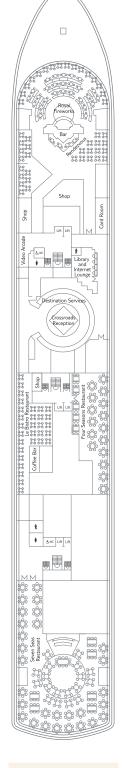
- Outside and Outside Plus cabins
- Inside cabins

Most cabins on Deck 9 have a restricted view.

Most cabins on Deck 8 have a restricted view.











#### PROMENADE DECK 7

- Frame 52 Disco
- Sana Wellness Centre
- Beauty Salon
- Gym
- Cabins adapted for wheelchair users
- Outside and Outside Plus cabins
- Inside cabins

# MAJESTY DECK 6

- Jubilee Lounge
- Polo Club
- Monte Carlo Casino
- Outside and
  Outside Plus cabins
- Inside and Inside Plus cabins
- Junior Suites

#### ATLANTIC DECK 5

- Seven Seas Restaurant
- Four Seasons Restaurant
- Le Bistro Restaurant
- Royal Fireworks Lounge
- Rendezvous Bar
- Coffee Bar
- Library and Internet Lounge
- Shops
- Video Arcade
- Reception

## BISCAYNE DECK 4

- Medical Centre
- Outside and Outside Plus cabins
- Inside and Inside Plus cabins

#### CARIBBEAN DECK 3

- Outside and
  Outside Plus cabins
- Inside and Inside Plus cabins

# **WELCOME ABOARD**

# Thomson Dream



Plenty of space and a brilliant selection of facilities - that's what you can expect on the Thomson Dream.

This Platinum ship is well-known for its plush show lounge and fantastic West End-style entertainment, with performances and games geared up for the whole family.





#### ENTERTAINMENT

- Broadway Show Lounge: West End-style musicals and comedy from UK guest acts are staged in this two-storey show lounge.
- 2 Medusa Lounge: Live bands, game shows and spotlight cabaret take to the floor here.
- The Water's Edge: This venue is home to late night themed discos and the dance floor.
- Argo Lounge: Live classical music sets a relaxing scene in this laid-back venue.
- Casino: Roulette, blackjack and slot machines are just a taste of what's in store in the casino.

#### DINING - WAITER SERVICE

- 4 Orion Restaurant: Offering breakfast, lunch and six-course dinners, this stylish waiter service eatery has an open-seating policy so you can dine where and when you like.
- The Grill: A posh take on surf'n'turf is the house speciality at The Grill, where steaks, seafood and fresh fish are cooked to order. A cover charge applies and onboard reservations are required.
- Gala night: The weekly Captain's Gala Reception and Gala Dinner is an event worth dressing up for.

#### **DINING - FLEXIBLE OPTIONS**

- **5** Lido Restaurant: Help-yourself buffets. Plus there are themed nights twice a week.
- Sirens Restaurant: Booths, tables for two and space for the whole family Sirens offers the ideal setting for buffet breakfasts and lunches.
- Terrace Grill: Lunchtime BBQs, pizzas and salads served in the sunshine.

#### BARS

- 6 Lido/Pool Bars: For al fresco drinks, head to one of these poolside bars.
- Medusa Bar: This window-lined bar is the best spot for watching the world go by.
- Delo Bar: Drinks are served shaken and stirred in the ship's classy cocktail bar.
- Ocean Bar: Set in the centre of the ship, this is the ideal place to meet your friends for pre-dinner tipples.

#### **SWIMMING POOLS**

- 6 Lido Pool: This is a quiet, relaxing pool area that comes with a children's pool.
- Main Pool: Relax and enjoy the view from the poolside - the main pool has a retractable roof that's perfect for the occasional grey day and whirlpools.

#### OTHER ACTIVITIES

- 8 Sports Deck: Courts kitted out for basketball, tennis, volleyball, and 5-a-side football.
- Beauty Salon: Treat yourself to a new hairstyle, a revitalising facial or a muscle-melting massage.
- Fitness Centre: A well-equipped gym complete with free weights, state-of-the-art machines and space for aerobics.
- Other: Onboard extras come in the shape of Thomson Kids' Club, library with internet access, card room and shops.

■ Air-conditioning ■ Flatscreen TV ■ Minibar ■ Hairdryer ■ Tea & coffee making facilities ■ Digital safe, at a charge

See opening pages for details

PREMIER SERVICE AVAILABLE See opening pages for details

#### **GRAND SUITES AND SUITES**

- Two single beds convertible to a queen-size bed
- Additional upper and lower berths which fold away
- Living area with two sofas, table and chairs
- Private balcony (only Grand Suites)
- En suite bathroom with shower over whirlpool bath, WC and bathrobes
- Additional TV (only Grand Suites) DVD Player
- iPod docking station
- Grand Suites are 40m², Suites are 35m²



# **DELUXE CABINS**

- Two single beds convertible to a queen-size bed
- Sofa, table and chairs
- The sofa converts to a bed and can comfortably accommodate a third person
- Picture window
- En suite bathroom with shower over bath, WC and bathrobes
- Deluxe cabins are 20m²

Please note: the view from some Deluxe Cabins may be obstructed by lifeboats. Reserve your cabin to guarantee an unobstructed view.



#### OUTSIDE & OUTSIDE PLUS CABINS

- Two single beds convertible to a queen-size bed
- En suite bathroom with shower and WC, some with shower over bath
- Outside Plus Cabins have a picture window and are between 15 and 16m²
- Outside Cabins have a picture window, or porthole on deck 4/5, and are between 12 and 15m²
- Three or four berth cabins have additional fold-away upper berths, or sofa bed

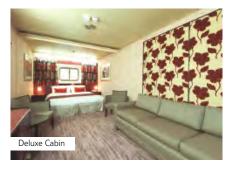
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#### **INSIDE CABINS**

- Two single beds convertible to a queen-size bed, except cabins 4001, 4005 and 4009 which have a fixed double bed
- Three or four-berth cabins have additional upper berths which fold away
- En suite bathroom with shower and WC
- Inside cabins are between 12 and 13m²







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Upgrade your cabin.

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Grade	From
Deck 6/7 Inside	£4
Deck 4/5 Outside	£8
Deck 5/6 Outside	£10
Deck 7 Outside	£13
Deck 5/6 Outside Plus	£15
Deck 7/9 Outside Plus	£18
Deluxe	£33
Suite	£82
Grand Suite	£114
Single Outside	£50

Prices are per person per night, and you need to add this to the prices shown in the price panel for each individual itinerary. Supplement prices vary by sailing date and may go up or down. See 'Cabin Supplements' in the A-Z Guide for details.

# **DECK PLAN**

## Thomson Dream

From Grand Suites with private balconies to stylish standard cabins, Thomson Dream offers an impressive range of accommodation options.

## Select your cabin for just £42

- 1. Book your cruise
- 2. Consult the deck plan
- 3. Call **0871 231 4908** to reserve your cabin

See 'Cabins' in the A-Z for terms, conditions and call charges.

#### YOUR KEY TO CABIN CATEGORIES

- Grand Suite
- Suite
- Deluxe
- Deck 7/9 Outside Plus
  - Deck 5/6 Outside Plus
- Deck 7 Outside
- Deck 5/6 Outside
- Deck 4/5 Outside
- Deck 6/7 Inside
  - Deck 4/5 Inside
  - Single Outside
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- ∗ 4 Berth
- Converts to double bed
- 5 Suitable for wheelchairs
- Fixed double bed

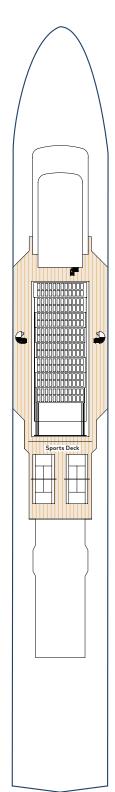
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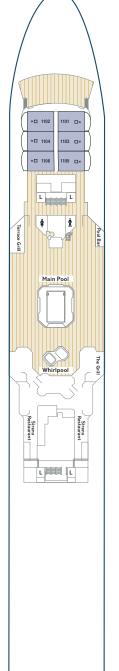
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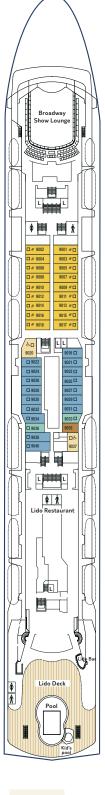
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#### DECK 12

■ Sports Deck

#### DECK 11

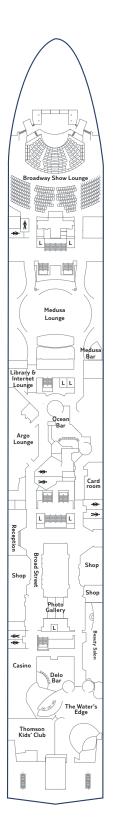
- Sirens Restaurant
- The Grill
- Terrace Grill
- Pool Bar
- Main Pool
- Whirlpool
- Grand Suites

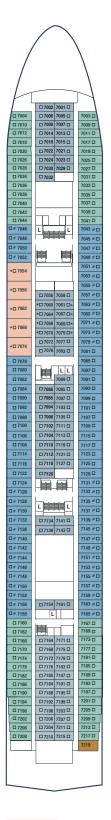
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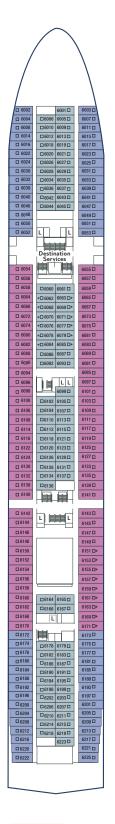
- Fitness Centre
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- Outside cabins
- Cabins adapted for wheelchair users

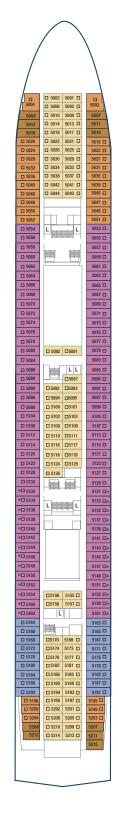
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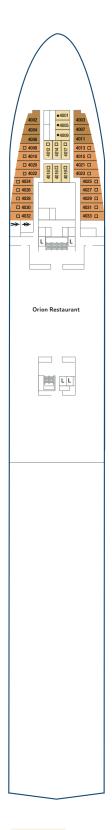
- BroadwayShowloungeMezzanine
- Lido Restaurant
- Lido Bar & Deck
- Pool
- Deluxe cabins
- Outside cabins
- Cabins adapted for wheelchair users











## DECK 8

- Broadway Show Lounge
- Medusa Lounge & Bar
- Library & Internet Lounge
- Ocean Bar Argo Lounge
- Beauty Salon
- Delo Bar & Casino
- Thomson Kids' Club
- The Water's Edge
- Card Room Reception
- Shops

# DECK 7

- Suites
- Outside and inside cabins

# DECK 6

- Outside and inside cabins
- Destination Services

#### DECK 5

Outside and inside cabins

## DECK 4

- Orion Restaurant
- Outside and inside cabins

#### DECK 3

■ Medical Centre

# **WELCOME ABOARD**

## Thomson Celebration



This is one of the smaller ships in our fleet, and, with its sophisticated à la carte restaurant and indulgent spa, it really spoils you.

Plus, because it's now part of our Thomson Platinum range, you can expect cabins and public areas with a smart, contemporary edge.





#### ENTERTAINMENT

- **1** Broadway Show Lounge: West End-style revues and special guest acts from the UK.
- 2 Liberties: Activities like line dancing, zumba classes and film screenings during the day. Live bands, popular game shows, karaoke and disco in the evening.
- **3** Hemingway's Casino: Fully-equipped with popular gaming tables and machines.
- Horizons: Live classical and jazz music and occasional spotlight cabarets in a sumptuous setting.

#### **DINING - WAITER SERVICE**

- 4 The Meridian Restaurant: Serving breakfast, lunch and six-course dinner. All meals are served by waiters as open seating so you can dine when and where you please.
- Mistral's: Intimate à la carte restaurant offering the ultimate dining experience. A cover charge applies and onboard reservations are required.
- Gala night: Weekly Captain's Gala Reception and Gala Dinner. Set dining times apply early or late sittings allocated on arrival.

#### **DINING - FLEXIBLE OPTIONS**

- 6 Lido Restaurant: Self-service buffet with an indoor and al fresco dining area. International theme nights are held twice a week.
- Terrace Grill: Lunchtime pasta dishes, pizzas and speciality salads served in the sunshine.
- Buffet Magnifique: Weekly event blurring the boundaries between food and entertainment with ice sculptures, fruit carvings and tempting treats.
- Room service: 24 hours a day extra charge applies.

#### BARS

- Horizons: Perfect for a quiet drink and good conversation, with an impressive range of drinks and views that are simply unbeatable.
- Hemingway's Bar: Close to the main restaurant and the show lounge - ideal for pre-dinner drinks and live music.
- **Explorers' Lounge**: A laid-back lounge ideal for afternoon tea or after-dinner coffee and liqueurs.
- Mezzanine Bar: On the top level of the show lounge.
- Liberties Bar: A bar in the ship's nightclub.
- Lido Bar: Outdoor, next to pool and restaurant.

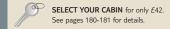
#### SWIMMING POOLS

- 8 Main Pool: This one is for all the family, and comes with a separate kids' pool.
- Oceans Pool: This adults-only pool is great for relaxing and has its own whirlpool bath.

#### OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Oceans Spa & Salon: Relax and rejuvenate with the latest range of treatments. There's also a gym that offers resistance, cardio and personal training. Male and female saunas are also available.
- Sports Deck: The place to head for badminton, basketball and table tennis.
- Other: Card and reading room, Thomson Kids' Club, gift shops, library and Browser's Corner café with internet access.

# Cabin Facilities All our cabins come with...



■ Air-conditioning ■ Flatscreen TV ■ Two full-length wardrobes ■ Hairdryer ■ Tea & coffee making facilities ■ Safe, at a charge

See opening pages for details

# SUITES

- King-size bed
- Living area with sofa, table and chairs
- The sofa converts to a bed and can comfortably accommodate a third person
- Picture window
- En suite bathroom with shower over bath and WC
- Minibar iPod docking station
- Suite sizes are between 26 and 27m²

Please note: the view from some Suites may be partially obstructed by lifeboats.



# **DELUXE BALCONY CABINS**

- Queen-size bed
- Some cabins have parallel twin single beds convertible to a double bed
- Rollaway bed to accommodate a third person
- Table and chairs
- Furnished private balcony
- En suite bathroom with shower over bath and WC
- Deluxe Balcony Cabins are 18-19m²



# **DELUXE CABINS**

- Queen-size bed Some cabins have parallel twin single beds convertible to a double bed
- Rollaway bed or sofa bed in selected cabins to accommodate a third person
- Tables and chairs Picture window En suite bathroom with shower over bath and WC Minibar
- Deluxe Cabins are 19m<sup>2</sup>

Some of our Deluxe Cabins are interconnecting. Call 0871 231 4908 for more information. Calls cost 10p per minute plus network extras.

Please note: the view from some Deluxe Cabins may be obstructed by lifeboats. Reserve your cabin to guarantee an unobstructed view.



# **OUTSIDE & INSIDE CABINS**

- Two single beds which are side by side or in an L-shaped configuration, or a queen-size bed
- En suite bathroom with shower and WC
- Three and four berth cabins have twin beds and upper berths which fold away. These cabins have additional wardrobe space
- Outside cabins have a porthole and are between 13 and 16m²
- Inside Cabins are between 13 and 16m²







The cabins shown are representative of the general standard of cabins on board. Your cabin may differ slightly in décor, design and size.

# **Upgrade** your cabin.

**Book early** for the best deal.

Grade	From
Deck 3/4 Inside	£5
Deck 1/2 Outside	£7
Deck 3/4 Outside	£12
Deck 6/8 Deluxe	£21
Deluxe Balcony	£48
Suite	£46
Single Inside	£42
Single Outside	£50

Prices are per person per night, and you need to add this to the prices shown in the price panel for each individual itinerary. Supplement prices vary by sailing date and may go up or down. See 'Cabin Supplements' in the A-Z Guide for details.

# **DECK PLAN**

# Thomson Celebration

Plump beds, air-conditioning, and plenty of room - that's what you'll find in each of our cabins. You can opt to upgrade to a sea-view cabin, too.

# Select your cabin for just £42

- 1. Book your cruise
- 2. Consult the deck plan
- 3. Call **0871 231 4908** to reserve your cabin

See 'Cabins' in the A-Z for terms, conditions and call charges.

# YOUR KEY TO CABIN CATEGORIES

- Suite
- Deluxe Balcony
- Deck 6/8 Deluxe
- Deck 3/4 Outside
  - Deck 1/2 Outside
- Deck 3/4 Inside
- Deck 1/2 Inside
- Single Inside / Outside
- # 3 Berth
- ⋆ 4 Berth
- Double bed
- Converts to double bed
- Suitable for wheelchairs (with a fixed queen-size bed)
- L Twin beds in L shaped configuration
- ♠ Interconnecting cabin

# **AMENITIES**

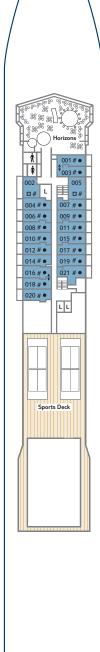
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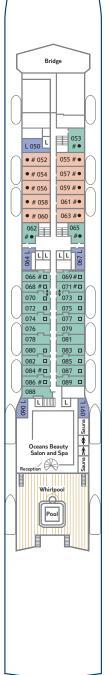
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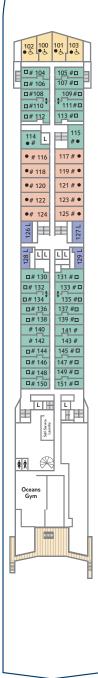
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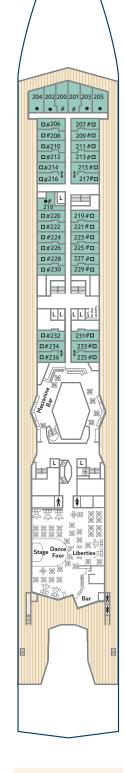
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Malta









# EAGLE DECK 9

- Horizons
- Deluxe balcony cabins
- Sports Deck (deck 10)

# BRIDGE DECK 8

- Pool
- Suites
- Deluxe cabins
- Oceans beauty salon
- Oceans Spa

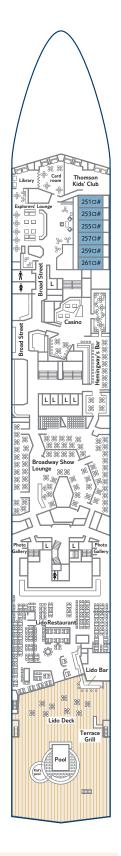
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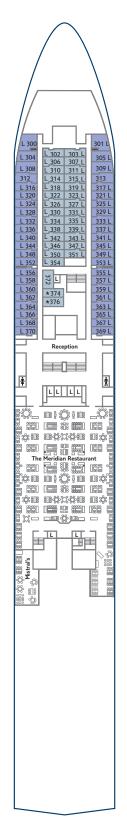
- Oceans gym
- Self-service laundry
- Suites
- Deluxe Cabins
- Cabins adapted for wheelchair users

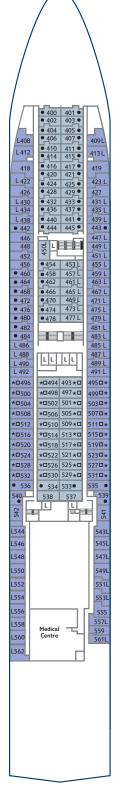
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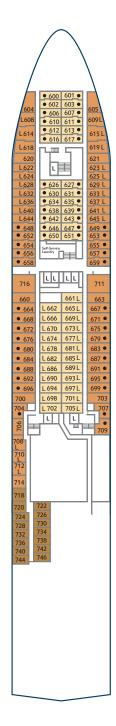
- Mezzanine Bar and Lounge
- Liberties
- Self-service Laundry
- Deluxe Cabins

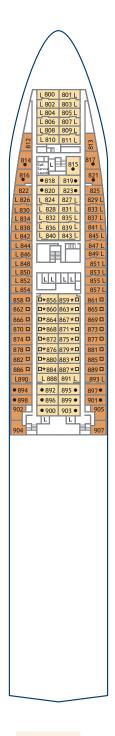
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# **BROADWAY DECK 5**

- Broadway Show Lounge
- Explorers' Lounge
- Card/Reading room
- Lido Restaurant
- Pool Children's pool
- Hemingway's Bar & Casino
- Broad Street shops
- Browser's Corner
- Thomson Kids' Club
- Deluxe balcony cabins
- Destination Services

# MAIN DECK 4

- Mistral's Restaurant
- The Meridian Restaurant
- Outside and Inside cabins
- Reception

# A DECK 3

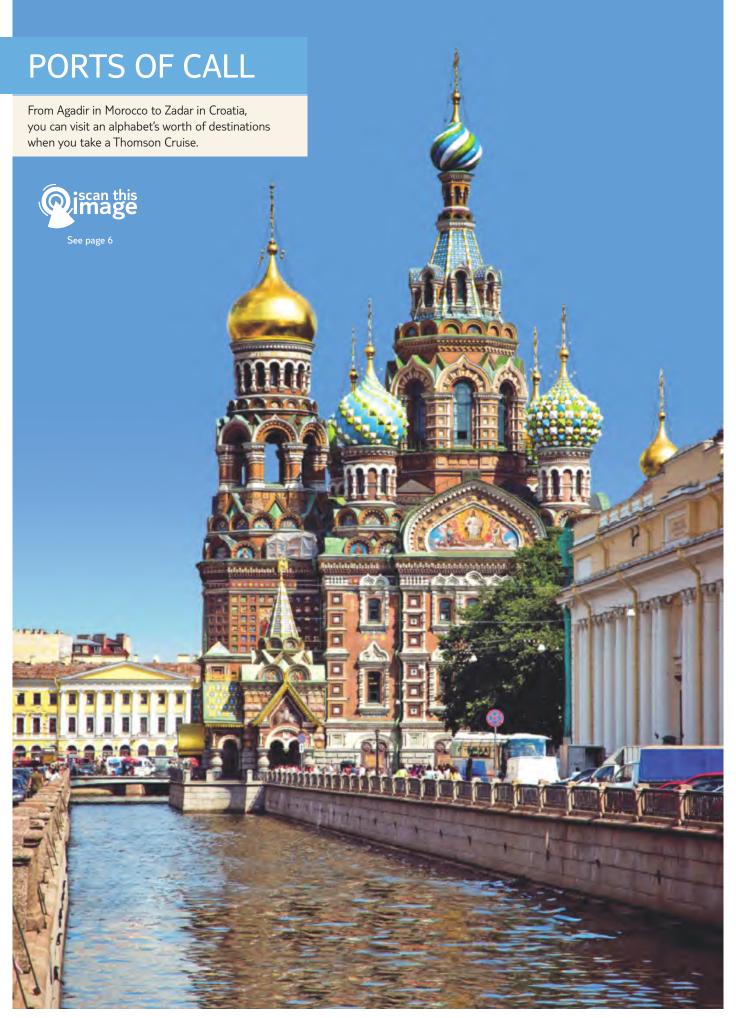
- Medical centre
- Outside and Inside cabins

# B DECK 2

- Outside and Inside cabins
- Self-service laundry

# C DECK 1

- Outside and Inside cabins
- Self-service laundry





# Akureyri, Iceland



# AGADIR, Morocco

Glittering sands that disappear into the distance. Souks brimming with sparkling trinkets. Medinas that ring with snake-charmers' melodies. Morocco is a spice-scented corner of the world that thrills the senses. Agadir is the country's premier beach resort, with a 9km stretch of toe-tickling sands. It has all the appearance of a European resort, with an unmissable North African twist.

- When you're not horizontal on the beach, make a beeline for the Grand Souk. Enjoy the hustle and bustle of this traditional market crammed with shiny silver and hand-woven rugs.
- Take a trip to Marrakech, a rich tapestry of cavernous bazaars, shimmying belly dancers and billowing hookahs. Don't miss the world famous square, Jemaa el-Fna, an incredible concoction of snake charmers, storytellers, acrobats and showmen.

# AGHIOS NIKOLAOS, Crete

Affectionately known as 'Ag Nik', this lively holiday hub has come a long way since the early 20th century when just 95 inhabitants were listed on its electoral role. Built around a so-called 'bottomless' lake, it's grown into one of the island's most popular spots. The area immediately around the lake is the most happening part, with vibrant cafés, restaurants and bars, bustling with chat and bouzouki music.

- Sail over to Spinalonga. This now deserted island was one of the last operating leper colonies in Europe. You can still see where those exiled to the island slept, prayed, collected food and buried their dead.
- Don't miss a trip to the Palace of Knossos, where the fearsom Minotaur's said to have lurked. It's the most famous archaeological site in Crete.

# AJACCIO, Corsica

Rugged peaks, emerald countryside, twinkling blue waters – Corsica's been plucked from the prettiest postcard. Rising up from one of the most beautiful gulfs in the world is Ajaccio, a town oozing charm. An impressive place in its own right, it's also your gateway to the sensational scenery and sleepy little towns that this sun-soaked isle is famous for.

- Get back to nature in the countryside that surrounds the city. Taking a coach and train trip, you can explore the maquis, the rich green hillside that's unique to Corsica, and the Prunelli Gorge, a deep ravine that was carved by a small river.
- For something a bit different head for Cupulatta Park, Europe's only tortoise protection centre. From babies measuring just a few centimetres to wizened old grandfathers decades old, you'll find them all here.

# AKUREYRI, Iceland

Set on the shores of one of Iceland's finest fjords, this city certainly isn't short of natural beauty. Throw in beautiful churches, a thriving arts scene and a great coffeehouse culture and we're certain this snow-dusted gem will positively melt you.

- You'll hear the thundering rush of water and feel the mist drench your clothes long before you arrive at the magnificent Godafoss Waterfall.
- Bypass the beauty parlour and visit the natural spa near Lake Myvatn. Stew in a series of geothermal pools and moisturize your skin with volcanic mud.
- It may only be 60 miles from the Arctic Circle but Akureyri has some of the best weather in Iceland. To get an idea of how warm it is, you only have to wander through the Botanical Gardens where more than 2,000 plant species flourish.

# ALANYA, Turkey

Legendary hangout of Queen Cleopatra, Alanya's two-faced for all the right reasons. An ancient Seljuk city, and a slick beach resort, it's a place where old meets new and the pair get along famously.

- Make your way to the Manavgat Waterfalls, where the river water crashes over low rocks. With their mountain backdrop, these falls are certainly worth some space in your holiday album.
- In the centre of the port is a huge headland topped with a 13th-century Seljuk fortress. About 150 towers punctuate the walls of this splendid citadel. Delve inside and you'll come across old gateways, Byzantine chapels and mosques.
- Head for ancient Perge or Aspendos and pick a path through the ruined temples, theatres and aqueducts.

# ALESUND, Norway

January 23rd 1904 saw Alesund ravaged by fire, but this hardy little city rose like a phoenix from the ashes - and the result is impressive. It was rebuilt in Art Nouveau style and the medley of turrets, spires and ornamental twists and turns give the town a magical fairytale feel. What makes it even more unusual is that it's set across several islands sprinkled in the ocean, with the spectacular Sunnmore Alps as a backdrop.

- Look in on the Art Nouveau Centre itself, a gorgeous period building whose displays piece together Alesund's fascinating architectural history.
- Behold one of the biggest aquariums in Europe with a trip to the Atlantic Sea-Park which has snatched a large slice of the seafront at Tueneset.

# ALGIERS, Algeria

The French have given Algiers the nickname of 'la blanche', or, 'the white one'. And, as you glide into its harbour, you'll understand why. Algeria's capital is a sprawling, whitewashed city that's sandwiched between sweeping farmland and the Mediterranean Sea.

- Algiers' Casbah is a UNESCO World Heritage site. This
  ancient walled quarter is filled with winding alleyways,
  souks and mosques. It's set on a hill, and if you climb
  to the top of it you'll be rewarded with uninterrupted
  views of the Mediterranean Sea.
- The Algiers Medina is a great place to hunt for bargains. It's packed with stalls weighed down by pyramids of exotic spices, pottery and shining copper.
- The Jardin d'Essai du Hamma Algiers' botanical gardens date back to 1832, and showcase immaculate lawns, fountain-freckled ponds and exotic blooms.

# ALICANTE, Spain

A palm-lined promenade packed with waterfront cafés. Whitewashed houses freckled with fuchsia geraniums. World class museums stacked with futuristic attractions. That's Alicante in a nutshell, a buzzing city crowned by a fairytale fortress. Of course, this corner of Spain has another string to its bow. Swathe after swathe of powder-soft sand. That's right, Alicante's your gateway to the Costa Blanca, where the sun seems to shine permanently on opal-white beaches.

- Get your fix of history in Murcia. This city's origins can be traced back to 800AD, so you'll find a timeline's worth of architecture here. Don't miss the 15thcentury Santa Maria Cathedral or the 11th-century Castle of Monteagudo.
- Check out the town of Villajoyosa and pay a visit to the famous Valour Chocolate Factory. You'll be given a tour of the chocolate-making process, and get the chance to sample some of the treats yourself.
- Get to know Alicante itself. Take a look at the Castle of Santa Barbara - the biggest Medieval fortress in Spain, or pick a harbour side café and people watch.







# ALTA, Norway

In the winter, Alta is the original snow globe city. Visitors dog sledge and snowmobile by day and watch as the sky is whipped by leashes of neon northern light by night. In summer, the world's most northerly city does a complete about-turn. The frost thaws and the night clocks off, leaving the entire city in a state of midnight sun.

- Prehistoric graffiti can be seen on a collection of rocks in Alta. Dating back more than 2,500 years they're protected by UNESCO World Heritage status.
- Rummage around the stalls at Bossekop market. They're topped with traditional Sami products, like felt shoes and woven baskets. Smultringer - Norwegian donuts are served warm and smothered in cinnamon.

# AMSTERDAM, The Netherlands

Criss-crossed by bridges and canals, Amsterdam is known as the Venice of the north. But its waterways are not all it's famous for Mention the name of The Netherlands' capital city and you'll get a whole list of associations. Clogs, cheese and windmills top the list, followed closely by World War history, cutting-edge art and coffee shops.

- Sit back and relax onboard Amsterdam's most traditional mode of transport - a canal boat. Pleasure cruises have been running up and down the city's waterways since 1621.
- Discover the secret hideout where Anne Frank and her family hid from the Nazis during the Second World War. The tiny annex is now part of a museum, where you can follow the Franks' story from the beginning to the tragic end.

# ARRECIFE, Lanzarote

Its lunar landscape is legendary, its sun-soaked beaches loved worldwide, and its all-round postcard prettiness powerful enough to draw people back year after year. Soaked in sunshine and dotted with whitewashed villages, it's got a charm all of its own.

- Behold the world famous Timanfaya National Park, the jewel in Lanzarote's crown. It's renowned for its Montanas del Fuego or Mountains of Fire, a huge area of solidified lava dominated by enormous, dormant volcanoes. Breathtaking stuff.
- Soak up the sun on Playa Grande in Puerto Del Carmen. It's the longest beach on the island and it's lined by restaurants, cafes, and shops.
- Watch the windsurfers on the Costa Teguise. This watersport is a major pastime on this part of the coast and you'll have front-row seats to the action from the fine white sands here.

# ASHDOD, Israel

Holy sights come thick and fast in these parts. From Ashdod, visit the awe-inspiring cities of Jerusalem and Bethlehem and see some of the world's most impressive shrines and monuments.

- Step into a bible scene in the Garden of Gethsemane. This is the place where Judas betrayed Jesus, after the last supper.
- Stand in the shadow of the Wailing Wall. It's the holiest site in the Jewish religion and thousands of people make pilgrimages here every year.
- You don't need a lilo to float in the Dead Sea. It's more than eight times saltier than other oceans, which makes it easier to bob about in.

# BARCELONA, Spain

Barcelona is up there with the most famous cities in the world. Sandwiched between the Mediterranean Sea and the Serra de Collserola hills, this Spanish titan promises cutting-edge architecture, trend-setting fashion and art that breaks the mould. It's a place where boutique-lined boulevards and intimate espresso bars give way to authentic tapas joints and narrow cobbled streets.

- Stroll down the iconic promenade of Las Ramblas, stopping for coffee at a pavement café or pausing to throw a couple of euros in the street entertainers' upturned hats.
- Wander down the winding streets of the Gothic quarter, taking your pick of traditional tapas bars. Among them is Els Quatre Gats, Picasso's old hangout.
- Call in at Nou Camp, home of Barcelona Football Club.

BEIRUT, Lebanon

It's easy to see why Beirut is known as the Paris of the East. The main square was designed by a Frenchman. most locals speak the language, and outdoor café culture is alive and kicking. But Beirut's European side isn't the only charm. Beirut has a great reputation for scuba diving, and its cuisine is unlike anywhere in the world.

- Despite being underground and nature-made, the Jeita Grotto looks a lot like a cathedral. The caverns resemble vaults, stacked stalagmites take the place of the organ, and a river flows where the aisle should be.
- Byblos is thought to be the oldest continuouslyinhabited city in the world. This place has seen 7,000 years dawn and die and 12 consecutive civilisations.

# BELFAST, Northern Ireland

Northern Ireland's capital was catapulted into the limelight back in 1912, when it built the most advanced piece of technology of the time - the RMS Titanic. Today, though, Belfast is all about the craic. It's got a bubbling nightlife and music scene, and hundreds of traditional old pubs where it's a rite of passage to order a proper Irish breakfast - soda bread and all - and a pint of Guinness.

- Take a boat trip around Belfast's docklands. You'll learn all about the shipvards that gave birth to the Titanic, as well as how the doomed vessel was built.
- The Giant's Causeway is made up of around 40,000 interlinked basalt columns. The result of an ancient volcanic eruption, it's a spectacular sight.
- Catch a glimpse of Stormont Castle with its fairytale turrets and snarling gargoyles.

# BASSETERRE, St Kitts

One of the British Leeward Islands, St Kitts is one of the Caribbean's pearls. Once an illustrious sugar colony, it now focuses its efforts on being a tropical paradise. And it excels in every sense, with its seductive blend of blonde sands and duck-egg blue seas.

- Hop on a train at the Needsmust Station, and St Kitts Railway will take you on a tour of the island's best bits. You'll chug over ravines 300-feet-deep, circle Mount Liamuiga volcano and take a sneak peek at the island's black-sand beaches.
- Sunbathe your way through the day on one of St Kitts' beaches. There's a selection of white sand spots like Turtle Beach and black sand spaces like Pump Bay. Alternatively, see if the grass is greener on the other side of The Narrows Channel. This is where St Kitts' tropical sister island. Nevis, simmers in the sea.

# BELIZE CITY, Belize

Trips to Belize City often come with a sense of de-ia-vu. The city was once ruled by the British and English is still the official language, so it's easy to feel like you've been here before. You'll spot street names like Albert Street, and pass an Anglican cathedral with the name of St John. But go beyond the city limits and you'll discover things you won't have seen before. Out here, it's possible to snorkel along a 150-mile barrier reef, hike around Mayan ruins, and do your own stunts during cave-tubing and zip-lining adventures.

- Belize is home to one of the world's largest coral reefs, so snorkelling and scuba are bread-and-butter activities out here.
- Lamanai is one of the largest Mayan sites in Belize. Concealed from the rest of the world by tropical jungle, the site has more than 800 ancient structures, including temples and pyramids.



# Bodrum, Turkey



# BERGEN, Norway

Bergen is famous for being the birthplace of the great Norwegian composer, Edvard Grieg. With its brightlycoloured houses and maze-like cobbled streets, one thing's for sure, this city was made for strolling.

- Don't miss one of Bergen's main attractions, Troldhaugen, Grieg's home. Beautifully set on Lake Nordaas, the Swiss-style house was built back in 1885. As well as the house itself, you can visit the Edvard Grieg Museum.
- Take a walk down to the old harbour where you'll find the famous Bryggen quayside, bordered by impressive merchant houses. Take your pick from the waterfront cafés and tuck into a tasty fish lunch.
- Scale the heights of Mount Floyen. The higher you get, the more jaw-dropping the views, so banish all thoughts of vertigo and reach the top.

# BODRUM, Turkey

Modern Bodrum is a bit like St-Tropez, only with belly dancers. Mega-yachts slide into the town's twin harbours. Celebs lunch in trendy waterfront eateries. And bronze-limbed beauties lounge at wood-decked beach clubs. What's the draw? For a start, the stop-and-stare scenery – think whitewashed houses dripping in bougainvillea, and olive-green hillsides. Then there's the history – this place is home to one of the Seven Ancient Wonders of the World.

- If you head out of town, you can visit Bodrum's iconic windmills. These top hat-shaped buildings serve up bird's-eye views of the Bodrum peninsula.
- For a real treat, pay a visit to a Turkish hammam. Soak in the steam, then head to a treatment room for a traditional soap massage.

# BORNHOLM, Denmark

Thought to have been formed by volcanic activity millions of years ago, the Danish island of Bornholm rises up from the icy Baltic Sea. Rocky crags and sheer cliffs sidle up to its shores, giving way to untouched sandy beaches. Inland, the scene becomes one of deep, emerald-green valleys and glassy lakes.

- The Medieval fortress of Hammershus is perched on a rock face at the northern tip of the island. Built back in the 12th century, it's the largest castle ruin in Northern Europe, and it offers up fantastic views of the Baltic Sea.
- Back in the Medieval times, round churches were a mainstay and, in Denmark, seven of them are still standing. Historians believe they served as fortresses, and you can visit four of them in Bornholm.

# BRIDGETOWN, Barbados

Barbados is the ultimate Caribbean dream. Of course, it's most famous for its palm-fringed beaches, but there's more than talcum powder sands here. There's a duty-free shopping scene and sights that are second to none.

- Go snorkelling in search of hawksbill and green turtles.
   Once endangered because of over-fishing, these creatures are now protected and monitored throughout the island.
- Take it easy on Carlisle Beach, one of the island's best stretches of sand. Or, if you're feeling energetic, slip on a pair of flippers and propel your way past the underwater shipwrecks just off the shore.
- The Atlantis Submarine lets you scuba dive without getting wet. As this underwater ship descends into the ocean, you can look out the portholes for tropical fish and sea turtles.

# **BRONNOYSUND**, Norway

Known as the coastal town in the middle of Norway, Bronnoysund has its cake and eats it. The town itself is small but thriving, with a pretty harbour and a decent portfolio of restaurants and bars. To the west it's bordered by the Atlantic Ocean and more than a thousand coastal islands. To the east, there are fjords and mountain peaks.

- Puzzle over the puncture in Torghatten Mountain.
   Legend says the hole in the middle of the mountain was created by a troll when he was chasing a girl.
- Float around the Vega Islands by boat. Thousands of islands polka-dot the water here and as you sail around them you can catch a glimpse of some of the birds that call them home, like grey lag geese and cormorants.

# CADIZ, Spain

From its impressive harbour to its streets packed with Moorish relics, Cadiz is a great introduction to Spain. One minute you can be admiring medieval walls, the next browsing the racks of designer boutiques. It's one of those cities where a new surprise awaits at every turn.

- Take a look at Cathedral de Cadiz, a take-your-breathaway creation by architect Vicente Acero. Head inside and the interior is dominated by a beautiful apse.
- Don't miss a chance to visit Seville. Famed for its flamboyant flamenco and fiestas, this fragrant orange tree-lined city has a real zest for life. Admire the famous Gothic cathedral. Tour the ornate Arabic Alcazar. Then grab a siesta in Parque de Maria Luisa.
- Take a trip to Jerez, the capital of sherry production and home to the 'cartujano' horses.

# CALVI, Corsica

There's no better way to arrive in Calvi than by cruise ship. As you pull into the iconic harbour, you'll be greeted by its towering citadel. Beneath the soaring peaks of the Monte Cinto, this 15th-century outpost keeps watch over the whole town. Look beyond it, and you'll discover a stylish holiday playground that's a magnet for the yacht-owning super-rich. Cue designer boutiques, trendy seafood restaurants, and a four-mile stretch of sand.

- Calvi's citadel is just as impressive on the inside as it is on the outside. Step through its walls to discover narrow cobbled passages, 13th-century houses and the famous Saint Jean-Baptiste Cathedral.
- Nose around the former home of Calvi's number one celebrity, Christopher Columbus. The building was almost completely destroyed by Nelson's troops back in 1794, but the ruins are well worth checking out.

# CARTAGENA, Colombia

Colombia's second-oldest city is home to the only walled town in the Americas. It was originally built to protect Cartagena against pirates, and it cocoons cobbled alleyways, cottages painted in rainbow colours, and buildings that have stood for centuries. The Colonial cathedrals alone are worth bringing your camera for.

- The Volcan de Totumo is a must-see. It's deep in the north of Cartagena, and is the tallest mud volcano in the world. Take a time-out to soak in the warm mud, before being hosed down with water from a nearby lake.
- Pay a visit to the Convento de la Popa. It's a 400-year-old monastery that sits at the top of a hill, overlooking the whole city. Inside, it's filled with lavish décor, paintings and sculptures.

# CARTAGENA, Spain

Tucked in a deep bay guarded by two cliff-top fortresses, this Spanish gem is steeped in history. In the 18th century it became a major Spanish naval base and reminders of its seafaring past can be seen down in the port, where you'll find a prototype submarine.

- Take a wide-eyed walk through the city, which flaunts splendid reminders of its golden age. Don't miss the city's castle, Castillo de la Concepcion, which offers up great views over Cartagena.
- Head for Murcia, the regional capital city and an open-air museum whose centrepiece is a beautiful cathedral.
- See the famous La Manga Strip, a strip of land which separates the Mediterranean Sea from Mar Menor, Europe's largest lagoon.



# Colon, Panama



# CASABLANCA, Morocco

Forget Bergman and Bogart's famous film. This is the real Casablanca. Which means mosques, markets, bars and beaches all rubbing shoulders in Morocco's biggest city. Whether you're strolling down wide boulevards or browsing colourful bazaars, you'll love this part of Morocco that's got a cheeky French twist.

- Look for the Hassan II Mosque as you glide into the harbour. Towering over the coastline, it's one of the most impressive pieces of architecture in the world so cameras at the ready!
- Be mesmerised by the magic and mystery of the Red City of Marrakech, a rich tapestry of sights, souks and snake-charmers' flutes.
- Visit the imperial city of Rabat, Morocco's political capital and the official residence of the King.

# CASTRIES, St Lucia

St Lucia's skyline is high rise. But it's not the hotels that make this island look serrated against the sky, it's the mountains. The Pitons are 2 of the biggest. Both their summits tower at least 2,000 feet above sea level and their slopes are coiffured with a mane of dense green rainforest. At their feet, meanwhile, banana plantations give way to syrup-coloured beaches and coral reefs.

- If you can't choose between snorkelling and scuba diving, get the best of both worlds on a scuba experience. Wearing a mask and fins and with access to an air supply you can explore deeper for longer.
- Pick up a bargain in the Castries market, a swirl of crafts, fruits and the hum of Creole conversation.
- Get a bird's eye view of St Lucia's rainforests at the Treetop Adventure Park in Dennery. You'll whiz your way through the canopy using a series of zip lines.

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Few cities on earth have the power to bowl you over quite like Rome. Discover a city packed with historical wonder, artistic splendour and culinary temptation.

CIVITAVECCHIA (FOR ROME), Italy

- Relive the days of the gladiators at the eye-popping Colosseum. Big enough to hold 50,000 bloodthirsty spectators, it's stood the test of time and remains Rome's most famous landmark.
- Head for the Vatican City, the heart of the Catholic Church. Feast your eyes on treasures like St Peter's Basilica, the Vatican Museums and the Sistine Chapel, where Michelangelo's ceiling masterpiece awaits you.
- Stroll down Rome's most exclusive shopping street, the über-chic Via Condotti. Here you can hit the shops, taking in big name boutiques.
- And, of course, toss a wish-coated coin in the Trevi Fountain to ensure your return to the Eternal City.

# COBH (FOR CORK), Ireland

Crowned by the spectacular St Colman's Cathedral, Cobh sits on Great Island, which is joined to the mainland by road. Lined with houses in every colour of the rainbow and boasting the world's second largest natural harbour in the world, this oh-so pretty town is your gateway to the emerald-green Cork region.

- With fresh-from-the-ocean seafood and critically acclaimed restaurants at every turn, Cork is a foodie heaven. Just 20 minutes from Cobh, it's also a place where lush farmlands and river valleys rub shoulders with the wild sandstone hills of the west.
- Looking down proudly over Cobh is St Colman's cathedral. It took 47 years to build, between 1868 and 1916. Check out its famous tower which has 49 bells

   the heaviest weighing a hefty 3.6 tonnes.

# COLON, Panama

Colon is a crumbling Colonial district, full of faded grand mansions and pastel-painted warehouses. It's also home to one of the most famous landmarks in the world, Panama Canal. This enormous waterway bridges the 48-mile gap between the Atlantic and the Pacific Oceans, and gives cargo ships a helping hand on their voyages.

- Fort San Lorenzo, in the town of Portobelo, dates back to Spanish colonial times. Now a World Heritage Site, it's got ruins to explore, and sea views to capture.
- Chagres National Park boasts over 300,000 acres of rainforests and rivers. Chagres River is great for rafting, and Alajuela Lake has perfect conditions for fishing and sailing. The indigenous villages of the Embera-Wounaan tribe can also be found here.
- Panama City is often compared to Miami and Rio de Janeiro with casinos, nightlife and designer shops.

# CORFU TOWN, Corfu

Awash with colourful flowers, Corfu is big on beauty. It's known as the Emerald Isle, and its golden beaches, lush green landscape and colourful villages will have you constantly reaching for your camera.

- Soak up the views at Bella Vista, Corfu's most famous lookout point. From here, you can peer over sleepy seaside villages like Paleokastritsa, and the island's entire west coast.
- In Corfu Town itself, stand in the shadow of two gigantic fortresses. See the 16th-century church of Ayios Spyridhon. And then wander round the interesting archaeological museum.
- Relax on the shimmering sands of Glyfada beach, one
  of the most popular sunning spots on the island. Top
  up your tan or take a dip in the crystal waters.

# COSTA MAYA, Mexico

Venture far beyond the Costa Maya's bars, restaurants and shopping stalls, and you'll discover flawless beaches and ancient Mayan sites. It's a world away from the bright lights of Cancun. The area's biggest draw, though, are more than 70 snorkelling spots around the coast.

- The Chacchoben ruins are hidden deep in an ancient jungle, and they're incredibly well-preserved. Don't miss the trio of pyramids at the heart of the site.
- Animal-lovers should put the Costa Maya's 'Monkey Reserve' at the top of their to-do list. The rehab centre cares for injured and ill-treated spider monkeys, and helps get them ready to return to the wild.
- Home to the world's second-biggest barrier reef, the Costa Maya's snorkelling scene is second only to Australia's. Turtles and tropical fish swim among the corals, sponges and sunken ships.

# CONSTANTA, Romania

In Romania, Roman ruins sit alongside buildings that could've been air-lifted straight out of Paris. Constanta, its oldest city, is set on the 'Littoral' – the country's answer to the French Riviera. Its famous casino, in particular, clocks up lots of visitors. The decadent-looking construction wouldn't look out of place in glitterati favourite. Monte Carlo.

- Romanian wines might not command supermarket aisles like those from Italy, France and Australia, but there's no real reason for it. The country has one of the oldest wine making traditions in the world and you can learn all about it at the Murfatlar Winery in Dobrogea.
- Built by monks in the late 19th century, the Saon Monastery is now the home of an order of nuns. You can sit down and have lunch with them when you visit.

# COZUMEL, Mexico

This little slice of Mexico is anchored just off the mainland. Long ribbons of white sand are pinned down with nodding palms, while the impossibly clear seas surrounding the island have been a favourite with scuba divers for decades. Inland, meanwhile, ancient Mayan temples and café-lined plazas vie for your attention.

- Follow in the flippers of Jacques Cousteau with a Palancar Reef dive. Its coral gardens screen an ever-changing show of stingrays, angelfish and turtles.
- For something that'll please the whole family, head to Chankanaab National Park with its botanical gardens, underwater coves and dolphin centre.
- Delve into Cozumel's past with a visit to the San Miguel Museum and its replica Mayan village.
- Make a beeline for San Gervasio, a cluster of old temples and plazas hidden deep in the jungle.







# **CROTONE**, Italy

Located on the ball of Italy's foot, Crotone was once one of the most powerful cities in the classical world. Its school of medicine was famous, and it produced athletes who could sweep the board at the Olympic Games. Around the 10th century a Baroque cathedral was built in the city. In the 16th century it got a castle. More recently, it's acquired gourmet restaurants and bars.

- The ciro wine made here was once given to Olympic champions. Taste it for yourself on a winery tour.
- See alpine mountains, forests and meadow-patched plateaus at Sila National Park.
- 326 metres above sea level, the village of San Severina is known as the Stone Ship. It takes its name from the way it looks on the cliff top, like it's run aground on the rocks.

# DOUGLAS, Isle of Man

Fish n' chips, traditional pubs and faded pastel houses – Douglas has got the look and feel of a British seaside town. The world's oldest horse-drawn trams clip-clop along the coastal promenade, while battered fishing boats bob up and down in the harbour.

- Take a ride on the Isle of Man Steam Railway it opened in 1874, and still runs with its original carriages. It goes from Douglas to Port Erin in the south, chugging through the countryside and passing the pretty town of Ballasalla on the way.
- Head further afield to Castletown, and pay a visit to the town's centrepiece – Castle Rushen. This medieval fortress is really well preserved.
- Tuck in to an Isle of Man speciality smoked herring

   at one of the pubs or restaurants on the Douglas
   Promenade.

# DUBLIN, Ireland

Joyce, Yeats and Oscar Wilde all fell head over heels for the fair city of Dublin – and it's easy to see why. Fringed with shops, sights and, of course, pubs, its cobbled streets buzz with life and laughter all year round.

- Take a boat trip along Dublin's snaking River Liffey and you'll see most of the city's hot spots, including Ha'penny Bridge and Trinity College.
- Find out how they make the black stuff at the Guinness Storehouse. A tour takes you round huge vats of fermenting malt and hops before a trip to the top-floor Gravity Bar for a complimentary pint.
- Stand in the shadow of Dublin Castle, the city's historical centrepiece. Only the Record Tower remains of the original 13th-century fortress - most of what you see today has an 18th-century birthdate.

# DUBROVNIK, Croatia

Ancient city walls. Higgledy-piggledy red rooftops. Cobbled streets worn by time. That's Dubrovnik, a heart-stealing city that you just know you're going to love the moment you arrive.

- Check out the 17th-century cathedral in the old town, with its striking gold and silver ruins. Then make tracks for Rector's Palace, the former residence of Dubrovnik's Republic Rector.
- Set sail for the nearby Elaphite Islands. All pine forests, beaches and olive groves, this trio offer up plenty of Kodak-worthy scenery.
- The beaten track turns into a distant memory when you explore in a kayak. Row your way along Dubrovnik's coastline and you'll see the city walls and forts from a totally different angle.

# EIDFJORD, Norway

With v-neck valleys, jagged mountain peaks and glossy lakes, Eidfjord showcases all of Norway's trademark scenery. But that's only half the story. Set in the Hardangerfjord region, the town has a slightly milder climate than some of its northern neighbours. And, as a result, the landscape has got a look all of its own. In fact, the area surrounding Eidfjord is known as Norway's orchard because of the apple, pear, plum and cherry trees that grow here. Visit in May or June and the whole place will be covered in a confetti of blossom petals.

- Hop onboard Eidfjord's 'troll train' to see Mabodalen Valley. This vehicle looks like a brightly-coloured children's toy. It'll take you through the valley, passing the towering Voringsfossen Waterfall on the way.
- Shiver at the sight of the enormous Hardangerjokulen glacier - the sixth largest in mainland Norway.

# ELSINORE (FOR COPENHAGEN), Denmark

Shakespeare did the initial PR for Elsinore. In fact, he's the reason this city, in eastern Denmark, is referred to as Elsinore in the first place. Before the bard, the city was known internationally as Helsignør. But then the playwright set Hamlet in Kronborg Castle and everything changed. Fortunately, the town's locals never took offense at Shakespeare's tinkering with their title. In fact, there's an exhibition honouring him inside the walls of the castle.

- Copenhagen, the capital of Denmark is known as the City of Spires for the church towers and castle turrets that define the skyline.
- The old town in Elsinore is pedestrianized, so you keep your eyes fixed on the timber-framed houses and the menus of the quaint cafes.

# FALMOUTH, England

Falmouth is the muse of southern England. The landscape here inspired artists like Henry Moore to paint and novelists like Kenneth Grahame – the author of Wind in the Willows – to write. Today, the town's university is a production line for name-of-tomorrow artists. Falmouth is also the foster parent to the UK's next generation of sailing talent. The harbour here is the third-deepest in the world and you can see everything from tall ships to toppers bobbing in its water.

- From afar, the Eden project looks like giant pieces of bubble wrap. These bubble-shaped buildings are actually biomes and they contain gardens of plants collected from all over the world.
- Land's End is as far west as you can go in England. A 200-foot cliff falls away from the feet of visitors with the nerve to creep up to the edge.

# FALMOUTH, Jamaica

Falmouth's main claim to fame is it's the childhood home of Olympic sprinter Usain Bolt. But, on the whole, people don't come here with the fastest man on earth in mind. Instead, visitors use this Georgian port as a springboard to some of Jamaica's most talked about sights. Dunn's River Falls is just an hour's drive away. This waterfall is tiered like a staircase, so you can climb up it as the water cascades down it. Montego Bay is a 45 minute drive away, too. Beaches, craft markets and haunted houses all vie for attention here.

- Float along the Martha Brae river on a bamboo raft and you'll join a list of passengers that includes Lennox Lewis, Jane Seymour and Jonny Cash.
- Form a chain and inch your way up Dunn's River Falls.
   The rocks of this waterfall are shaped like the tiers of a wedding cake, so you can climb your way up as the white water cascades around you like pouring cream.
- Swig the witches brew at Rose Hall Great House. This firewater is named after Annie Palmer, the white witch, who lived at the house in the 18th century.



# FLAM, Norway

Flam is cradled in a deep tributary of the Sognefjord which, at 204 kilometres long and 1308 deep, is the world's longest and deepest fjord. Surrounded by towering cliff faces, the rustic wooden lodges of Flam's town centre look like miniature models, which adds to the charm when you're walking around.

- Ride on the world's steepest railway. The Flamsbana travels to 865 metres above sea level and the line is made up of a series of sharp bends and cliff-edge tunnels. The journey may seem white-knuckle, but the railway has been running safely since the Forties.
- Adventure into the White Caves of Gudvangen. This underground labyrinth is made all the more spectacular with light shows and a soundtrack of classical music
- Sip your way through a frothy cappuccino from the coffee shop of the Stalheim Hotel. This historic building is perched at the top of the Naeroy Valley.

# FREDRIKSTAD (FOR OSLO), Norway

Despite being the fifth-largest city in Norway, Fredrikstad has model-village looks. The houses look like they belong in Hornby-branded packages and the town is characterised by green verges and chestnut trees. In the old town, cobbles creep into the scene. This area was founded in 1567 by King Frederik II, who gave it his own name. There are historical houses and military barracks to see here. But most people gravitate to the cosy cafes and restaurants in the market square.

There's a tangle of cycle routes around Fredrikstad.
 They take you past sawmills, bronze age burial mounds and woodlands.

# FUNCHAL, Madeira

Sweeter than wine, Madeira's a fine excuse to binge on beautiful scenery to your heart's content. Funchal is the island's capital, a bewitching collection of cobbled streets, quaint museums and buzzing café and restaurant life.

- Get to know Funchal. This spellbinding city is sprinkled with a dash of Garden of Eden and Edwardian Britain. The whole place seems to be smothered in vivid bougainvillea, jasmine and other exotic blooms. Don't miss the covered market, a dizzying montage of exotic fruit stalls and flowersellers wearing traditional costume.
- If you're really into blooms, meander around Funchal's tranquil Botanical Gardens, admiring their dazzling displays of orchids, cacti and iconic dragon trees.
- Take a cable car to the mountain village of Monte and hurtle back down the cobbles in a wicker toboggan.



# GALWAY, Ireland

It was more than 1,000 years ago that Galway was given its nickname. This city on Ireland's west coast was called the City of Tribes for the 14 merchant families that ran the show there at the time. The name still rings true today, though. These days, Galway bristles with modern clans. Families fill the beaches in summer and groups of friends make the cafes and bars of the city centre bustle all year round.

- The cliffs of Inishmore on the Aran Islands are so sheer they look like they're been cut with cheese wire.
   Even the bravest tourists have to crawl up to the edge of the precipice to peek over the edge.
- The air around the Kylemore Abbey is thick with legends. A flat rock near the ancient monastery is known as The Giant's Bed and local women used to leave food there. And there's a stone in the grounds that's meant to grant wishes when you throw stones over it

# GEIRANGER, Norway

This village in western Norway has been given UNESCO World Heritage Site status for the landscape that engulfs it. There are snow-doused mountains, veil-like waterfalls, and polished lakes here.

- 300-year-old Herdal Home Farm is one of the largest summer farms in Norway. Drop by to taste their goat's cheese and goat's milk caramels.
- To see the Geirangerfjord in close-up you need to slip into a kayak. The 'world's most beautiful fjord' is sheltered by mountains, so you don't need to be experienced to paddle through the waters.
- Mount Dalsnibba offers the god's seating in Geiranger.
   From its peak, 1,500 metres above sea level, the lakes, waterfalls and towns of the region look miniature.

# GEORGETOWN, Grand Cayman

The best bits of the Cayman Islands are condensed around Georgetown. The city is well stocked with snorkelling and scuba shops, Caribbean restaurants, and rum bars. But the jewel in Georgetown's crown lies a few miles down the coast – Seven Mile Beach is arguably one of the best stretches of sand in the Caribbean.

- Close encounters with stingrays are one of the highlights of a visit to Georgetown. You can take a catamaran from the harbour and head out to the stingray sandbar, where you can swim with the rays.
- Slide your feet into stirrups and see the coast of Grand Cayman on horseback. Beach rides will take you to some of the island's best beaches.
- Catalogue the native flora and fauna of the Cayman Islands at the Queen Elizabeth Botanical Gardens.



# GIBRALTAR, Gibraltar

Affectionately known as Gib or The Rock, Gibraltar is a little slice of Britain in the Mediterranean. And, just like the motherland, it's a small island with a lot to offer. The history here is largely military-related – you'll find Nelson's anchorage where the body of Nelson was brought back to land after the Battle of Trafalgar, and the Parson's Lodge Battery that dates back to 1875. Elsewhere, wildlife steals the show. Check out the cheeky Barbary apes or go whale-watching in the Strait.

- Explore the Rock's famous attractions like the Moorish Castle and the fascinating Gibraltar Museum.
- Take a cable car up to Europa Point to meet the Barbary Apes, Gibraltar's famous monkeys.
- Inside the Rock, you'll find more miles of road than on the outside. Check out the Great Siege Tunnels and St Michael's Cave.
- Make the most of the duty-free shopping, then head to the marina for some good old fish and chips.

# GREENOCK (FOR GLASGOW), Scotland

In the 1800s, Greenock's sugar refineries supplied half of the UK with sugar. The factories have closed down now, but the port city is still a sweet place to visit. The town centre itself is dotted with grand 18th-century buildings, including the finest Customs House in Britain.

- Scotland's liquid gold is produced at the Glengoyne Distillery. When you taste the single malts that are produced here you should detect notes of apple, toffee, biscuit and even coconut.
- Of Scotland's 2,000 odd castles, Stirling is touted as one of the finest. This Medieval cliff-top castle has seen several Scottish monarchs crowned within its walls, including Mary Queen of Scots in 1542.



# Hamilton, Bermuda Havana, Cuba

# Heraklion, Crete

# HAIFA, Israel

Nazareth and Galilee. They're home to the temples, churches and mosques you've only ever read about in guide books. And they're all within easy reach of Haifa.

- Nazareth's must-sees include the Basilica of the Annunciation, where Mary's said to have received that all-important visit from Gabriel. The Church of St Joseph's another one to look out for, built on the site of Joseph's humble carpentry shop. And don't leave without checking out the Sea of Galilee, the lake where Jesus spent most of his ministry.
- Don't miss the city of Caesarea, which Herod the Great dedicated to Emperor Augustus over 2,000 years ago. Here, you can explore Herod's palace, a theatre, a Byzantine Market place and a moat built by crusaders.

# HAMILTON, Bermuda

Hamilton is Bermuda's front-of-house city. The island's capital is home to its main port, so it's the first place a lot of tourists see when they arrive. The city's warm welcome starts at Front Street, a waterside promenade lined with candy-coloured shops, restaurants and bars. The reception continues with its cathedral, which looks like it could have been uprooted from York or Lincoln, a national art gallery, and a handful of leafy city parks.

- Saddle up a horse and hack along Bermuda's south coast. Some of the beaches here blush pink thanks to tiny pieces of shell that have been ground into the sand over thousands of years.
- Horseshoe Beach is one of Bermuda's most iconic beaches. It's flour-white and the sea off the shore is ideal for snorkelling.
- Spiny lobster is always the dish of the day in Bermuda. You'll find it served virgin with melted butter, baked in cheese sauce, or sauted in brandy.

# HAUGESUND, Norway

A royal seal hangs over Haugesund. This part of south-west Norway is the homeland of the Viking kings who founded the country. The very first Viking chief lived in Avaldsnes, 15 minutes from the town centre, and he was buried in Haraldshaugen, 5 minutes to the north. Not all of Haugesund's attractions have their feet in the past, though. The huge harbour is a hotbed of good restaurants and bars. Don't leave without trying Queen Maud's pudding, a local dessert, which looks like tiramisu.

- The Langfossen Waterfall is the fifth-largest in Norway. The whitewater here cascades down the cliffside for 612 metres.
- You'd be forgiven for thinking snow lined the coast near Haugesund. The beaches here are a whiter shade of pale. And the waves can often be avalanche-sized.

# HAVANA, Cuba

It's hard to do Havana justice in words. It's a city that feels like a film set, thanks to its vintage Cadillacs and candy-coloured old town. Sitting still simply isn't an option in Cuba's capital – there's so much to see. It's packed with cigar factories, Renaissance mansions, and galleries telling the story of the Revolution. At night, the city transforms into a haze of mojitos and salsa music.

- It's easy to lose yourself in the labyrinth of Habana Vieja. The UNESCO-protected old town cocoons Spanish mansions and plazas lined with old churches.
- Ernest Hemingway penned a considerable chunk of For Whom The Bell Tolls at the Hotel Ambos Mundos.
   Peek inside, and you'll see the author's old typewriter.
- There's a lot to discover in the galleries of the Museum of the Revolution. Highlights include the yacht that brought Che and co over to kick-start the revolution, and an exhibition detailing the alleged attempts on the leader's life.

# **HELLESYLT**, Norway

Mountains, waterfalls and lakes are all part of Hellesylt's sights. This old Viking port is at the head of the Sunnylvsfjord, which is a 25 kilometre squiggle of water.

- Journey through the dewy mountain valley to Horindalsvannet, Europe's deepest lake. Its showpiece is a glacial stream-turned-waterfall.
- Get a close-up look at 2 of Norway's most beautiful waterfalls. Seven Sisters and Bridal Veil both cascade down the cliffs and the spooky mist that comes off them is definitely worth capturing on camera.
- Drive from Geiranger Village and through the Flydal valley, stopping at the cliff tops to soak up the views of the Geirangerfjord below. It's the most beautiful of all the Norwegian fjords, framed by rugged peaks.

Just so you know... unless you're on an organised tour, you won't be permitted to leave the ship in Hellesylt.

# HELSINKI, Finland

Cruise into one of the world's most beautiful harbours, and into the heart of one of Europe's most exciting cities.

- Make a beeline for the historical centre and prepare to be wowed. It's an architectural feast, with treasures like Senate Square, the City Hall, the Presidential Palace and the Opera House all jostling for your attention - and your camera lens.
- When you've had your fill of sights, take a wander through Gardenia, Helsinki's lush tropical gardens.
- Don't forget the Ateneum, the National Gallery of Finland, home to Finnish and European art from the 1700s right through to the 1960s.

# HERAKLION, Crete

Old shakes hands with new in Crete's capital and the pair get along famously. The city's taken on a vibrant, cosmopolitan air and brims with pavement cafés, bars and sleek boutiques. But peek into the backstreets and traditional life drifts gently by.

- Take a trip to Knossos Palace. After the Acropolis in Athens, it's the second most visited place in the whole of Greece.
- Sink into a sofa in one of the ice cream parlours by Lake Voulismeni and ponder the local legend that the lake is bottomless.
- During a day in Rethymnon, you can explore the nooks and crannies of the old town, visit the 16th-century castle that overlooks the town, and stroll around the Venetian harbour.

# HONNINGSVAG, Norway

The village of Honningsvag is tucked deep inside the Arctic Circle, on the island of Mageroya. It's the most northerly point in Europe, and your gateway to the Northern Cape – a chunk of land that juts out into the sea. Guarded by the eerie Midnight Sun that floats overhead, it's Norway's most soul-stirring attraction.

- Stand on the 1,000 foot high cliffs at the Northern
  Cape to see what many have written about but few
  have seen the Midnight Sun. Hanging above the
  Arctic Ocean, the sun casts its ever-present glow. It's a
  sight you'll never forget.
- Climb aboard a deep-sea raft and play fisherman for a few hours. The King Crab is one of Norway's most famous exports, and you can head out into the deep blue to help reel in the daily catch. Afterwards, you'll get to prepare and taste the delicious crab meat for yourself.





Faial's nickname – the Blue Island – sounds straightforward enough. But when you get there it's hard to pinpoint exactly what the blue refers to. It could nod to the sapphire of the Atlantic Ocean that surrounds the island, the hydrangeas that cover it in summer, or the water marshes that pool in the caldera. In the port of Horta, blue is just one of many colours on show. The marina here is multi-coloured thanks to the collage of paintings created by visitors who have illustrated their boat and crew names on the walls and walkways.

- Keep a vigil for whales and dolphins on a boat trip around the coast. Sperm, pilot and false killer whales keep bottlenose and spotted dolphins company here.
- You'll discover Faial's explosive side on a visit to Capelinhos. This volcano erupted in 1957 adding 1 kilometre of land to the island's size.

# ISAFJORD, Iceland

Encased in the awe-inspiring scenery of the Westfjords peninsula, this chocolate box coastal town dates back to the 9th century. It's a tranquil little place where life operates at a deliciously lazy pace. Cocooned in the heart of the rugged West Fjord, the islands and inlets nearby are a magnet for wildlife with a host of rare sea birds.

- Call in at the Maritime Museum, whose four 18th-century buildings house lots of interesting artefacts linked to the local fishing industry.
- Take a stroll along the peaceful harbour and watch fishermen bringing in the day's catch, plucked from the icy waters on nearby Vigur Island.
- Vigur Island is a green oasis in the blue waters of the Isafjardardjup fjord. All sorts of birds flock to its shores, including puffins, Arctic terns and black guillemots. Plus, it's home to Iceland's one and only windmill which dates back to 1840.

# ISTANBUL, Turkey

Istanbul is a taste of the exotic. Fragrant bazaars echoing with the sound of haggling merchants. Belly dancers shimmying in a flash of sequins and sparkle. The call of the muezzins wafting from ancient minarets.

- See the world famous St. Sophia, a magnificent church that rises above the Old City of Istanbul.
- Visit the Topkapi Palace and see the light shimmering through the stained glass windows onto 20,000 blue tiles
- Stand before the Blue Mosque and marvel at its spectacular dome and six soaring minarets.
- Lose yourself in the alleyways of the 14th-century Grand Bazaar, 4,000 shops selling everything from hand-woven rugs to embroidered slippers.



# KALAMATA, Greece

This quiet, quaint pocket of Greece is the place to escape modern life. Hugging the coast along Messinia and the Main peninsula, it's a collection of great beaches and small towns. Central squares are lined with flowers and tavernas. And locals congregate to play backgammon, sip ouzo and tuck into bowls of the famous Kalamata olives.

- Walk around the jumble of ruins that makes up Nestor's Palace. This place dates back to the 12th-century BC. Weaving through the columns will give you a real feel for ancient Greece.
- The Ottoman fortress is Methoni's big draw. You'll find twisting parapets, ruined churches and the octagonal 'bourtzi' tower cast out in the water.
- Burrowed in the Mani peninsula are the Diros Caves.
   These underground sea chambers were once places of worship for Stone Age tribes.

# KALUNDBORG, Denmark

This bustling market town in the west of Denmark has got an interesting past. Its narrow streets are made for strolling so grab a map, pack your camera and get ready to explore. If that sounds too much like hard work, you'll be glad to hear the town's surrounded by beaches. Or take a trip to Copenhagen, where shops, sights, museums and galleries conspire to steal your heart.

- Lace up your walking boots and get to know Kalundborg. Don't miss Kalundborg Church, whose 5 towers spear the skyline.
- Taking a mini-cruise down Copenhagen's old canal.
   You'll see the Naval Church, the old Stock Exchange and the newly-opened Opera House.
- Head for Denmark's exquisite capital, Copenhagen, and tick off some of its most landmarks. The Little Mermaid, Amalienborg Palace and Tivoli Gardens.

# KARLSKRONA, Sweden

Set over 30 islands, Karlskrona is one of Sweden's unsung heroes. Often overlooked in favour of Stockholm and Gothenburg in the north, this city has more than one ace up its sleeve. For starters, it's Sweden's only truly baroque city. Secondly, it boasts the second biggest square in Europe – Moscow's Red Square is the only one larger. Plus, it's home to Sweden's only remaining naval

- Karlskrona is on the edge of Sweden's glass-blowing kingdom. On a factory tour you can watch professionals at work and even have a go at the skill yourself.
- More than 90 archipelago islands pimple the sea near Karlskrona. Take a boat ride around them and you'll come across vacant beaches and prime fishing waters.



# KATAKOLON, Greece

Sleepy Katakolon is little more than a tiny port with a handful of dinky shops and tavernas. But more importantly, it's your gateway to one of the most famous landmarks in Greece - Olympia. It's the birthplace of the Olympic Games. Fast forward a few millennia and people still flock here to see the ruined stadium and temples - and the sacred flame is lit here every Olympic year.

- Browse the archaeological museum's collection of classical, Roman and Greek treasures. Among the exhibits are the head of Hera and Hermes.
- Check out the remains of two Doric temples dedicated to Hera and Zeus. The Temple of Hera dates back to the 7th century BC and three of its columns are still standing. The Temple of Zeus on the other hand was once home to a giant gold statue of Zeus, considered to be one of the Seven Wonders of the World.

# KINGSTOWN, St Vincent

St Vincent is often overlooked in favour of its little brothers and sisters – the neighbouring Grenadines. But those who do stop here are in for a treat. Deserted beaches and untouched forest stretch for miles, interrupted only by the occasional cobbled town or dormant volcano.

- Take a trip around Fort Charlotte in Kingstown. This British Garrison was built in 1806 and it's now home to a selection of local paintings and handicrafts. Later, head north and take in the oldest botanical gardens in the western hemisphere. You're likely to spot the island's national bird – the St Vincent Parrot.
- Follow in the footsteps of Johnny Depp and Kiera Knightly with a visit to Wallilabou Bay where Pirates of the Caribbean was filmed.
- Hop on a boat in search of dolphins. Eleven species of live off St Vincent's coasts.

# KIRKWALL, Orkney Islands

Set just off the northeast tip of Scotland, the Orkney Islands form their own little world. And nowhere is this more obvious than in Kirkwall, a pretty Viking town on the mainland. Here, 16th-century townhouses and gingham-curtained cafés sit shoulder-to-shoulder on the waterfront, overlooking the bobbing fishing boats in the

- Don't miss the Ring of Brodgar it's a UNESCO World Heritage Site and the Orkney Islands' answer to Stonehenge. Made up of a ring of giant stone slabs, it's thought to date back to around 2,500 BC.
- Head to the centre of Kirkwall to see the Earl's Palace.
   Built by a Scottish Earl in the 16th century, it's a great example of French Renaissance architecture.







# KLAIPĐDA, Lithuania

Lithuania's sole seaport is your window to a city rich in history. KlaipDda is thought to date back as far as the 7th century, and there are reminders of its past everywhere you look. Timber-framed houses sprout up from wide, tree-lined avenues, and the River Dane weaves its way past cobbled Medieval squares.

- Teatro Aikste, or Theatre Square as it's also known, is the epicentre of KlaipDda's Old Town. It's named after the Neoclassical theatre which stands here. Back in 1939, Hitler addressed crowds from its balcony, following Germany's invasion of the city.
- The Lithuanian Maritime Museum charts the nation's shipping and marine life history. You can work your way through a string of exhibition halls, and explore the aquarium and dolphinarium.

# KOPER, Slovenia

Set along a wide horseshoe-shaped bay, Koper's a Medieval town where old and new go hand-in-hand. Lose yourself in the maze of streets, passing historical sights and browsing chic shops along the way.

- Head for old Koper. Carved in limestone, it's a striking white vision of beautiful architecture and elegant squares.
- Be inspired by nature with a trip to the Postojna Caves.
- Pay a visit to the picturesque town of Piran or 'little Italy' as it's also known. This place has held tight to its medieval roots - cue winding lanes, sleepy squares and pretty churches.
- Make your way to the capital, Ljubljana, and take a look at the National Museum of Slovenia. It's home to a collection of ancient Palaeolithic artefacts, as well as the only Egyptian mummy in the country.

# KOTOR, Montenegro

A tiny republic in southeast Europe, the scenery here will have your jaw dropping to the floor the moment you arrive. Cruise passengers get the best vistas – as you sail in to port, you'll be treated to wide-angle views of patent-shine lakes and green mountains.

- Explore Kotor, a gorgeous Medieval walled city with World Heritage status. Surrounded by mountains, it's set on southern Europe's deepest fjord and one of the world's most spectacular natural harbours. Delve inside the age-old walls and discover crooked streets, cobbled piazzas and camera-worthy churches.
- Take a trip to Budva. It's the most popular tourist destination on Montenegro's map. Beautiful architecture meets seductive sandy beaches. Perhaps that's why many a millionaire has decided to live here.

# KRALENDIJK, Bonaire

This island in the Leeward Antilles is consistently rated as one of the best dive and snorkelling destinations in the world. Shipwrecks, tropical fish and seahorses are ripe in the waters that surround the island. Above the waterline, meanwhile, there are wild flamingo herds to see and craggy national parks to explore.

- Goto Lake is the place to be seen if you're a flamingo.
   These hot-pink birds flock here by the dozen to socialise and grab a bite to eat.
- Bonaire coaxes out visitors' adventurous sides. You can hop into a kayak and explore the mangroves, National Geographic-style.
- The shipwrecked feeling is on offer on Klein Bonaire.
   This dinky island, just off the coast of Bonaire, is uninhabited and the beaches are footprint-free.

# KRISTIANSAND, Norway

Kristiansand is a magnet for sun-seeking Norwegians, who flock here in the summer months. This picturesque city in southern Norway is characterised by a craggy, wind-whipped coastline, traditional wooden houses and pea-green hills and forests. It's also home to great museums, and a whole host of cafés and restaurants.

- Drive about 10 minutes south of town, and you'll come to the Kristiansand Cannon Museum. This place is packed with World War II uniforms and weaponry, not to mention some of the biggest cannons in the
- The Kristiansand Dyrepark is like a theme park, a zoo and a fun fair all rolled into one, so it's a great family day out. Enchanted houses, tea-cup rides, a pirate ship and a waterpark make it a favourite with little ones. Make sure you visit the zoo section to check out the African lion enclosure.

# KRISTIANSUND, Norway

Scientists believe the very first Norwegian lived near Kristiansund and, if he did, he had good taste. Not only does this part of Norway have some of the country's most beautiful fjords and mountains on its doorstep, but it's got its fair share of manmade wonders, too. The Atlantic Road that runs between Kristiansund and the fishing village of Bud is known as 'the world's best roadtrip' and 'the construction of the century'.

- It's worth journeying further afield to the Innerdalen Valley. The mirror-shine lakes here are lorded over by a sharkfin-shaped mountain that's 1,300 metres tall.
- The Grip archipelago is easily explored by boat. There are 82 islands to navigate, most of which are deserted, so you'll feel like you've got the place to yourself.

# KUSADASI, Turkey

Laze away the day on the silky sands of Kusadasi or head for the ruins of Ephesus for more sights than you can point a camera at. It's your holiday, your call.

- Take a trip to Ephesus, the Mediterranean's best-preserved classical city. The marble pillars of the Library of Celsus support intricate friezes and sculptures, while the enormous theatre offers up superb views over the city.
- Make tracks for St John's Church. St John is said to have lived here with the Virgin Mary after being cast out of Jerusalem. Legend has it he's also buried here. Close by, the pretty hillside village of Sirince is also worth a visit – it's famous for its homemade wines.
- Saddle up and discover Kusadasi on horseback, or swim with the horses at Pamucak Beach.

# LA ROMANA, Dominican Republic

A Caribbean and Latin-fused favourite, it's easy to see why Columbus labelled the Dominican Republic as 'the fairest land under heaven'.

- Join in the creative buzz at Altos de Chavon, just north of La Romana. This unique artists' village is a replica of a 17th-century Mediterranean village and gazes down over the gorge of the Chavron River. You'll find artists' studios, craft shops and restaurants here.
- It's well worth the journey up to the bewitching Semana Peninsula. As well as having rainforests and angel-white sands, it's the humpback whales that are the big draw here. They visit the area during the mating season so you've got a good chance of glimpsing these creatures in their natural habitat.
- Set sail for Saona Island, just off the mainland. It's a top spot for swimming and snorkelling.

# LARNACA, Cyprus

With more than six millennia under its belt, Larnaca is the stuff of Biblical legend. It's one of the oldest lived-in cities in the world, and the story goes the original town was founded by Noah's grandson. The city's got a modern side, too, with a palm-lined promenade, a swish marina, and a great shopping scene to its name.

- Head to the city of Famagusta and check out its eerie old quarter. Abandoned when the Turks invaded in the Seventies, it hasn't been touched since.
- Pay a visit to Nicosia the last divided capital city in the world. After the Turks invaded in 1974, half of the city fell under Turkish rule, and the other half remained Greek.
- Make your way to the Troodos Mountains and visit Lefkara, a village famous for its lace-making.



# LAS PALMAS, Gran Canaria

Golden dunes drenched in year-round sunshine. Rugged mountains hiding pretty whitewashed villages. Bays and coves linked together like a magnificent sandy necklace. Nature's been kind to Gran Canaria so little surprise it lures sun-worshippers back year after year.

- Take a trip to the Bandama crater. 3,000ft high, it's one of the few inhabited volcanic craters in the world.
- Discover the island's cosmopolitan capital, Las Palmas, where chic boutiques and tempting tapas bars are tucked in among some breathtaking architecture.
- Feast your eyes on the incredible wind-sculpted sand dunes of Maspalomas.
- Take a boat trip out to sea to spot bottlenose, common, spotted and striped dolphins.

# LEKNES, Norway

This town in the Lofoten Islands in northern Norway is hemmed in by locations that look like something from a Tolkien novel. Evergreen mountains wear cumulus clouds like shrugs and white beaches make it hard to believe you're in the Arctic Circle. One of the world's biggest sea eagle colonies call the Lofoten Islands their home, and puffins, cormorants and whales are seasonal visitors.

- Nusfjord on the island of Flakstad is the best preserved fishing village in Norway and, thanks to UNESCO protection, it probably always will be. Visit the quaint fishing cabins and the stone-walled inn for a drink and try the speciality – deep-fried cod tongue.
- Visit the Viking Museum in Borg to see reminders of the Iron Age. Guides in authentic costume will walk you through the replica Chieftain's farm.

# LERWICK, Shetland Islands

Lerwick is the capital and main port of the Shetland Islands, a string of green atolls scattered about a hundred miles off the north coast of Scotland. Historians believe the archipelago's sweeping farmland and plunging valleys have been inhabited since the Stone Age. And around 5,000 archaeological sites testify to this theory.

- Near the southern tip of the Shetland Mainland is Jarlshof, an archaeological site that's one of the most significant in the British Isles. Its remains span the Bronze Age, the Iron Age and the Viking era.
- Head up to Fort Charlotte for spectacular views over the rugged Shetland coast. Since 1837, it's been used for everything from a jail to a courthouse.
- Lace up your hiking boots for a trek through the hills.
   You're likely to spot wild flowers like the Shetland
   Mouse-ear. Keep an eye out for birdlife, as well the
   Atlantic Puffin and the Red-throated Diver can be found here.



# LIMASSOL, Cyprus

Set on Akrotiri Bay, Limassol is the island's biggest seaside town with plenty to offer its visitors. Whether you've come here in search of age-old sights or bubbling bars, the town's a mixed bag of delights.

- Head to Paphos to tick off some of Cyprus' most famous sights. First off, Aphrodites Rock – where the goddess of love is said to have risen from the sea.
- Head for Curium, a major archaeological site that was one of the old kingdoms of Cyprus. Sights include a Greek temple and an impressive cliff-top theatre.
- Experience the old and new faces of Limassol. Stand in the shadow of the Medieval castle, then head for the modern Yermasoyia quarter and sample a few of the bars and restaurants.

# LISBON, Portugal

Lisbon's enjoying a long-awaited spell in the limelight, and quite rightly so. Famous for its infectious energy, Portugal's trendy capital stands shoulder to shoulder with the likes of Madrid and Barcelona.

- Stroll through tram-clattering cobbled streets taking in gems like Jeronimos Monastery and Belem Tower, an ancient castle guarding Lisbon's harbour.
- Make a beeline for Alfama, the ancient Arab quarter, and haggle for take-home trinkets in its atmospheric Thieves Market.
- Fall in love with the town of Sintra. Loved by Portuguese royalty and English nobility, its thick forests and surrealist architecture are a refreshing contrast from urban Lisbon.

# LIVORNO (FOR FLORENCE & PISA), Italy

Get ready to be impressed – this is your gateway to the dazzling riches of Florence and Pisa.

- A living monument to the Renaissance, Florence might be famous for its art galleries, but the entire city is like one gigantic piece of artwork. Beautiful buildings, picturesque piazzas and stunning sculptures are everywhere. Marvel at Michelangelo's David in the Accademia. Clap eyes on Botticelli's Birth of Venus in the Uffizi Gallery. Then head for the Ponte Vecchio bridge to browse the glittering jewellery shops.
- Pisa's another Tuscan treasure. Make a beeline for the Campo dei Miracoli, an exquisite square which harbours the city's cathedral and, of course, the famous Leaning Tower. Quite how it manages to stay standing will baffle you for days afterwards. If you fancy a spot of shopping, head for the Borgo Stretto. It's a paradise for jewellery, leather, clothes, homeware and pottery.



# LONGYEARBYEN, Spitsbergen

Located at 78 degrees north, Longyearbyen is the world's most northern town. It's not inaccessible, though. Tourists have been visiting here since the end of the 19th century. Beyond the town's borders, signs of civilisation dwindle. Wild reindeer, grouse and polar bears populate the landscape of Svalbard – the island archipelago that surrounds Longyearbyen.

- Huskies are part of the workforce in Svalbard. In the Bolterdalen Valley, there's the canine equivalent of a head office – a dog kennel with more than 85 huskies.
- You get some of the best views of Longyearbyen's countryside from the bow of a boat. Boat safaris take you to places like the bird cliffs at Fuglefjellet and the deserted mining towns of Grumant.

# MALAGA, Spain

Set on the sun-drenched Costa del Sol, Malaga is a Moorish delight. During the Arab occupation of Spain, the city was the principal port of the Moorish kingdom of Granada. So what does that mean for you? It means the city of Granada and its striking Alhambra Palace are just a short drive away. Prepare to be blown away.

- See Malaga's 16th-century cathedral. It's known as 'La Manquita' or 'one-armed woman' because lack of funds meant only one of the two planned towers was completed.
- Check out La Alcazaba, the city's hillside fortress, which offers up superb panoramic views of the city.
- Don't miss the Museo de Bellas Artes, which houses masterpieces by Pablo Picasso, Malaga's famous son.

# MARMARIS, Turkey

Turkey's biggest beach resort, Marmaris has a definite 'Riviera' feel to it. An elegant, palm-lined promenade weaves its way around the shoreline, while the marina plays host to a flotilla of gleaming white yachts.

- Ancient and natural history are served up in Dalyan.
   Sail along the river and you'll pass the fourth-century
   Tombs of Kings. Head to the beach and you'll sunbathe alongside endangered loggerhead turtles, which have been making their nests here for centuries.
- Discover a Turkish tradition with a visit to a hammam or Turkish bath. They've existed since Medieval times and normally have separate areas for men and women. When you get there, you'll change into your swimwear before heading for the gobektasi, a heated stone where you'll be treated to a body scrub that'll leave you feeling really refreshed.
- Smother yourself in therapeutic mud in celebrity haunt Dalyan. You'll feel film star fabulous in no time.



# MESSINA, Sicily

From the tangle of timeworn streets to the sickle-shaped harbour dotted with rustic trattorias, it's easy to see why Shakespeare chose Messina as the setting of his romantic play Much Ado About Nothing.

- Don't miss Sicily's star turn, Mount Etna. Europe's biggest active volcano. One of the best ways to see it is from the carriages of the Circumetnea Railway which follows a route along the slopes of the volcano.
- Perched high on a cliff above glittering blue seas,
   Taormina is arguably the most charming town in Sicily.
   Lose yourself in the cobweb of narrow backstreets.
   Put a dent in your holiday kitty along boutique-lined
   Corso Umberto. And head up to the Greek theatre at the top of town.

# MONEMVASIA, Pelopponese

Monemvasia took its leave of absence from mainland Greece in 375 AD, when an earthquake dislodged it from the continent. And its dislocation has served it well. During the 15th century, Monemvasia's main port played a critical role in the Byzantine Empire, and the imperial governor chose it as his home. Since then, its prosperity has caught the eye of various empires, who have tried to claim it as their own. Today, the island is a show-and-tell of every empire that has come, seen and conquered.

- Climb the stairs to the upper part of Monemvasia Town. From here you get grandstand views of the lower town and the pattern of the ancient streets.
- Duck into the Church of Elkomenos Christos. The Church of Christ in Pain is dedicated to the memory of Jesus' crucifixion.

# MONTEGO BAY, Jamaica

This lively north-coast town has a strip full of reggae bars and Caribbean restaurants, and you can dip in and out for rum cocktails and jerk chicken. Montego Bay's biggest pull, though, is its coastline. The shores here are bracketed by clear blue waves and coconut palms.

- Rose Hall is one of the island's first plantation houses, and locals swear it's haunted by its former owner, the infamous White Witch.
- The Dunn's River Falls are Jamaica's number one attraction. The waterfalls here are terraced, like a giant flight of steps, and the safest way to get to the top is by holding the hands of fellow tourists and walking as a human chain.
- The Crocodile Nursery in Montego Bay makes for a great day out. The reptiles range in age from hatchlings to 5-year-olds, and the highlight of the day is feeding time, when you can watch the babies enjoying their lunch.



# MOTRIL, Spain

Motril is set in the foothills of the Sierra Nevada mountain range, in the heart of the Costa Tropical. The region got its name thanks to its sub-tropical climate, so expect a landscape blanketed in lemon groves, orange trees and palms.

- Motril is only a short drive from the historic city of Granada. The main attraction is the Alhambra Palace.
   All fountain-dotted courtyards and extravagant interiors, it's often dubbed the Eighth Wonder of the World.
- The Alpujarras region, on the southern slopes of the Sierra Nevada, is home to a cluster of whitewashed, forgotten villages that offer up spectacular views of the towns below

# MYKONOS TOWN, Mykonos

A jewel in the Aegean, this sun-blushed island is sprinkled with sugar-cube houses and whitewashed windmills. It's a popular corner of Greece, yet somehow it's managed to stay delightfully unspoilt.

- Wander through the narrow labyrinthine-like lanes of Mykonos Town, or Chora as it's also called, crammed with tiny churches, shrines, shops and cafés.
- Take a stroll along the seafront known as Little Venice.
   Don't forget to keep an eye out for places that appeared in Shirley Valentine, like the colourful harbour for instance.
- Relax at Platis Gialos beach, a long ribbon of golden sand on the south coast of the island. The coastline here is backed by a stretch of cocktail bars, many of which offer waiter service to the beach.

# MYTILENE, Lesbos

With its museums, tavernas and an Ottoman castle draped around a hill, Mytilene is a mixed bag ready to be explored. The town offers up provincial Greek life at its best. Sip espresso in a kafenion as old men click their worry beads. Nibble on salted sardines at a sidestreet taverna. And drink ouzo by the harbour, watching the fishermen land their catches.

- Soak up the sun on Thermi Beach. This pretty stretch of sand is surrounded by olive groves and traditional restaurants, which serve Greek specialities like cheese and sardines.
- Taking up a big chunk of Mytilene is an imposing Venetian fortress. Take a walk along the ramparts and feel every inch king of the castle thanks to the fantastic views over the town.
- Venture up to Mytilene Castle, one of the largest castles in the Aegean. Look around some ancient prison cells and see what's left of a Turkish café.



# NAPLES, Italy

For all its joy de vive, you wouldn't know Naples is actually one of the oldest continuously-inhabited cities in the world. The city centre is actually a UNESCO World Heritage Site, dripping with ancient architecture, cathedrals and churches.

- Visit the time-frozen cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum, whose citizens were stopped in their tracks by the famous eruptions of 79 AD.
- Call in at the town of Sorrento. Pull up a chair on the Piazza Tasso and sip a cappuccino in the sun.
- Teeter on the brink of Mount Vesuvius, the only active volcano you can climb in Europe.
- Snake your way along the outrageously gorgeous Amalfi Coast and stop at the postcard-perfect fishing village of Positano or the working town of Amalfi.

# NESSEBAR, Bulgaria

Nessebar is often referred to as Bulgaria's Dubrovnik, thanks to its terracotta rooftops and millennia-old history. Set on a peninsula that juts out into the Black Sea, this ancient seaside town is haloed by some of the best beaches in the country.

- The grand Renaissance buildings in Nessebar's cobbled old town are really impressive. The spindly streets here are also crammed with jewellery stalls, cafés and craft shops.
- Nessebar is one of Europe's oldest towns, and it's earned itself a place on the prestigious UNESCO World Heritage list. Don't miss the 5th-century basilica down by the seafront, or the Old Bishop's Residence in the heart of town.

# NY ALESUND, Spitsbergen

Ny Alesund is the brain behind Norway's Arctic operations. The settlement here has a permanent population of just 35 people and they're all scientists dedicated to researching, mapping and monitoring Norway's polar landscape. During summer, more than 20,000 cruise passengers arrive in Ny Alesund to do their own research.

- A kilometre-long tourist trail leads visitors through Ny Alesund. The path is punctuated by story boards, which explain the purpose of the different science stations
- Post a letter from the world's most northern post office. This spearmint blue-coloured wooden cabin is located at latitude 80.

Just so you know... there are no organised tours to do in Ny Alesund.







# ODESSA, Ukraine

Known as the Black Pearl, Odessa is as rare as its name makes it sound. It's not got the Soviet-era looks that you might expect from a city that was once the fourth largest in Imperial Russia. Instead, it's got Mediterranean wiles. The Potemkin Steps aren't unlike the Spanish ones in Rome, and the opera house rivals the one in Paris. The café culture on Deribasovskaya Street, meanwhile, resembles that in Madrid.

- Frantsuzkiy Boulevard in Odessa is the address of the Ukraine's oldest sparkling wine plant. The first bottle of fizz was corked here in 1899. Today, you can take guided tours to see how it is made.
- Head for Shevchenko Park and take a moment at the World War II memorial, the Monument to the Unknown Sailor.
- Snoop around the Tolstoy Mansion. This is where the brother of the great Russian writer Leo Tolstoy lived in the 19th century.

# OLBIA, Sardinia

If natural beauty ranks high on your holiday wish list then you'll love this port. Olbia is your gateway to Sardinia's exclusive Costa Smeralda coastline. Otherwise known as the Emerald Coast, it's a ritzy, glitzy ribbon of sandy beaches, rugged coves and turquoise waters.

- Head for Porto Cervo, in the heart of Costa Smeralda.
   It's a chic, terracotta marina town made up of high-class villas and sophisticated shopping malls.
- Retrace the steps of DH Lawrence by taking the author's favourite train trip into the Gallura region.
   The rustic village of Tempio Pausania is the highlight here. Wander the winding streets, check out the 17th-century art in the cathedral, and go souvenir shopping in the cork craft shops.
- Take a trip to the island of Maddalena where you can sun yourself on some of Sardinia's best beaches, or just admire the candy-coloured houses in the harbour.

# **OLDEN, Norway**

This sleepy hamlet sprang into life in the 18th Century. Today, it's best known as the gateway to the gleaming Briksdalsbreen Glacier, one of Norway's 'must see' sights.

- Gaze in wonder at the million-year-old glacier. Walk along a weaving path skirting gushing waterfalls.
   Nothing can prepare you for the awesome sight ahead of you - the glacier is a shimmering mass of blue ice that'll leave you lost for words.
- Uncover the secret of Olden Lake's looks. This huge body of water is known as Norway's most beautiful lake and its unique green appearance has something to do with a substance called 'glacier milk'.

# ORANJESTAD, Aruba

Nowhere showcases Aruba's Dutch roots quite like Oranjestad. With its gable-topped houses and colonial clock towers, the island's capital is like a little slice of Amsterdam. Expect cushiony sands and underwater spots that are great for snorkelling. Plus, all along the coast, you'll find ramshackle beach bars serving up fresh seafood and rum cocktails.

- Check out the Casibari Rock, a natural formation that's a result of strong trade winds. Climb to the top and you'll be rewarded with panoramic views of the island.
- Head to De Palm Island to explore the underwater depths. Set just off the Aruban coastline, this private reef is home to a huge variety of exotic sea life.
- Pay a visit to the iconic California Lighthouse. It dates back to 1910, and offers up breathtaking sea views.
- Explore the castle-like ruins of the Bushiribana Gold Mill. This place was at the centre of Aruba's 19th-century gold rush.

# PALAMOS, Spain

Fringed with a ribbon of sun-kissed sands, Palamos started life as a tiny fishing village. The legacy of fishing continues today with the day's catch sold off to the highest bidder on the quayside every afternoon.

- Head to Barcelona to stroll down Las Ramblas, admire a few Gaudi gems, or call in at Nou Camp, home of Barcelona FC
- Visit Girona, one of Spain's finest monumental cities and glimpse sights like the 12th-century Arab Baths and the Cathedral of Santa Maria.
- The excuses to visit Tossa de Mar are three fold the town has three beaches, a Medieval old town, and a good selection of designer boutiques.
- Take a trip to the bizarre-looking Salvador Dali Museum. It's a vision of red studded walls topped with huge luminous eggs. Inside, you'll find an amazing collection of Dali's surrealist paintings and sculptures.

# PALMA, Majorca

Palma. Think leafy boulevards that echo with the stilettos of stylish shoppers. Tiny tapas bars tucked down narrow sidestreets. Architectural gold hidden in the historic quarter. With its trademark cathedral dominating the skyline, cosmopolitan Palma never fails to impress.

- Spend some time exploring the the 14th-century Bellver Castle, browsing the boutiques and tasting tapas in the authentic bars of the backstreets.
- Board the Tren de Soller and trace your way through Majorca's interior. This vintage electric train has been running since the Twenties, and it'll take you past olive groves and dinky villages.

# PHILIPSBURG, St Maarten

Two flags rule over this tiny isle – the French and the Dutch. Philipsburg is the Dutch capital and the place to head for a serious shopping splurge. Marigot, meanwhile, is the French capital, where you can divide your time between bistros and boutiques.

- Give your credit card a duty-free workout in Philipsburg. From cut-price island crafts to cuttingedge designer gear, you'll find it all here.
- Get to know the island's underwater locals on the special Seaworld Explorer. This boat is home to an underwater observatory where you can watch sea turtles, stingrays and barracudas swim by.
- Stand on the deck of a classic yacht as the captain races around a 12-metre course faster than your opponent. The America's Cup Sailing Regatta has been voted 'the best excursion in the Caribbean' for the past 10 years. Alternatively, have a go at driving an inflatable motorboat, known as a Rhino Rider.

# PIRAEUS (FOR ATHENS), Greece

Trip over reminders of the past in ancient Athens, where cultural treasures twinkle back at you at every turn. It's a real gold medal winner of a city.

- Scale the heights of the sun-bleached Acropolis for awesome views, then take a look at the Parthenon, perched atop Athens' most famous hill.
- Explore Plaka, the Medieval quarter at the foot of the Acropolis. The 19th-century lanes are crammed with tavernas, and twist and turn to meet the equally atmospheric Monastiraki street markets.
- Be in Syntagma or Constitution Square in time to see the skirted soldiers perform the changing-of-theguard.
- Check out the Corinth Canal, which connects the Gulf of Corinth with the Saronic Gulf. This waterway was considered one of the greatest technological achievements of its time.

# PLAYA DEL CARMEN, Mexico

Playa del Carmen is fronted by a beach fringed with watersports and 5-star hotels. Just beyond it, you've got cosmopolitan Fifth Avenue, and hundreds of Mexican restaurants and trendy nightspots, like Coco Bongo.

- Away from the holiday resorts, there's a whole jungle
  waiting to be explored. And getting out and about can
  take any form you like from trekking the rainforest
  paths to canoeing through mangroves.
- A 2-and-a-half-hour drive will get you to Chichen Itza, the ancient capital of Mexico's Mayan civilisation.
   These world famous ruins include a huge pyramid rising tall above the jungle, and a Mayan netball court.







# POINTE-A-PITRE, Guadeloupe

Guadeloupe is where French and African influences fuse. This gorgeous spot is actually a bouquet of islands but the two main players are Basse-Terre and Grande-Terre. Famous for its sugar and rum, dive sites and sparkling sands, Guadeloupe will sweep you off your feet...

- Dig your toes into the sand at Grande Anse beach, arguably the best in Guadeloupe.
- In Pointe-a-Pitre, pop into the museum dedicated to Victor Schoelcher who helped abolish slavery.
- On Basse-Terre, scale the heights of the smoking Soufrière volcano. Then explore the beautiful old French colonial town that sits at its foot.
- Weave a path through the orchid and ginger-rich canopy of Guadeloupe's National Park. The air is thick with fragrance at this 74,000-acre park.
- Zip up your wetsuit. Jacques Cousteau Underwater Reserve, is an underwater paradise. Think reefs, wrecks and rainbow-coloured fish.

# PONTA DELGADA, Azores

Sao Miguel does a good impression of Eden. The largest of Portugal's Azores is contoured with rolling hills, expansive lakes and beaches that have resisted tourism. That's not to say there aren't any signs of life on the island, though. The capital, Ponta Delgada, is a bubbly city of museums, 17th-century architecture and seaside restaurants.

- It's easy to unlock your inner locavore in Ponta Delgada's restaurants. Local specialities include seafood, pineapples, barnacles and tea pudding, made from locally-grown tea.
- The Furnas Valley is a natural spa. More than 22 natural springs and mud pools puddle along the valley floor and you can swim in some of them.
- Mirror-shine is the only way to describe Sao Miguel's twin lakes. Clouds spend entire days admiring their reflection in the water.

# PORTIMAO, Portugal

Beaches don't come much better than the one at Praia da Rocha, right next door to Portimao. Not only is it one of the most spectacular sandy stretches on the Algarve, it's actually one of the most photographed in Europe.

- Wander along the promenade on Praia da Rocha's cliff-top, which leads to the Fortress of Santa Catarina.
   It was built in 1621 but these days you'll find a great al fresco café and sea views that'll make you go weak at the knees.
- Pull up a ringside seat in Portimao's harbour and order a dish of the famous chargrilled sardines, washed down with a fruity white.

# PORTO, Portugal

Portugal's second-largest city is sprawled over a hillside, overlooking the Atlantic Ocean and the winding Duoro River. It's a mass of pretty, terracotta-roofed buildings and winding streets. It has a big claim to fame, too — it's the historical home of port. Tasting the drink is a must while you're here, and you'll find centuries-old wineries tucked among the area's parks and beaches.

- For gourmet dining, arty boutiques and street entertainers, head for the quayside. It's a great place to eat out and people-watch.
- The old town, Riberia, is well worth a visit. It's earned UNESCO status, thanks to its ornate tiled churches and antique bookshops.
- Quinta de Vargellas is one of the area's premier wine estates, and it's tucked behind the city in wild Duoro Valley. It's known as one of the best sources of fine port, and there are regular tasting sessions with vintage bottles.

# PORTREE, Scotland

Portree is your portal to the rugged green island of Skye. The island was roamed by clans back in prehistoric times. As such, it's got a string of archaeological sites. In Portree itself, houses painted in pinks and blues line the waterfront, looking out over the harbour and the snow-capped mountains of the neighbouring isles.

- The Cuillin Mountains are a cluster of 18 granite peaks, the highest of which pierces the sky at over 3,000 feet. To the east, the mountains are a fiery red, while in the west they're black. Join a walking tour of the foothills to see them in all their glory.
- Head south of the Cuillins and you'll come to the unspoiled Rubha an Dunain peninsula. This uninhabited slither of land is freckled with ancient sights, including a stone burial chamber from Neolithic times, and an Iron Age fort.

# PUERTO DEL ROSARIO, Fuerteventura

Fuerteventura is the Canary Island of choice for beach connoisseurs. Its coastline morphs from the 10 kilometre-long blonde sweep in the Parque Natural de las Dunas to the wind-whipped sands in Playa de Sotavento. The island's interior is blanketed with lava fields, euphorbia valleys and clock-stopped villages.

- Try your hand at kite surfing at the Parque Natural de las Dunas.
- Embark on a family adventure at Oasis Park. This safari park and botanical gardens is the place to go for close encounters with African elephants and yawning hippos.

# PUERTO LIMON, Costa Rica

It's claimed Costa Ricans are the happiest people in the world. Take one look at their country, and you'll see just how much they've got to smile about. A blend of rainforests, wildlife and sun-baked sands, it showcases the best of Latin America's natural beauty.

- The only way to get around Puerto Limon's Tortuguero National Park is by boat. It's made up of miles of rainforest, stretching right up to the Atlantic shores.
- Costa Rica's sloth sanctuary is spread out over 200
  acres, and it gives a great insight into the habits of the
  creatures. It's not just sloths, either monkeys,
  iguanas and more than 250 species of bird live in the
  area.
- The Veragua Rainforest is home to the National Institute of Biodiversity, a research and conservation organisation that discovers new wildlife each year.
   Hike through the vegetation and pay a visit to the centre to learn about what lies in the forest depths.

# RAPALLO, Italy

Rapallo's long list of attractions begins with its yacht-filled harbour and seaside promenade. And it ends with its 16th century castle, ancient basilica, and one of Italy's oldest golf courses.

- You can hop on the cable car from Piazza Solari and inch your way up to Montallegro, 600 metres above Rapallo. When you get there, you'll be rewarded with incredible views over the whole town.
- A motorboat tour is a great way of getting to grips with Rapallo's rugged coastal scenery. You can tick off the towns that hug the shores, too – picturesque Santa Margherita and celebrity-favourite Portofino are both within easy reach.
- It's easy to soak up the sights in Rapallo's historical centre. Be sure to pause for pictures by the 15th century clock tower and the 12th century basilica.

# REYKJAVIK, Iceland

Dropped into Mother Nature's breathtaking canvas, Reykjavik thrives under the gaze of Mount Esja. A melting pot of history and culture, it's the world's northernmost capital and claims to be the cleanest city on earth.

- Take your pick from 50 museums and art galleries.
- Take a trip to the Thingvellir National Park, an unspoilt gem on the shores of Iceland's largest lake.
- Hear the thundering rush of water and feel great swirls of mist engulf you as you approach Gullfoss, or Golden Falls.
- Bathe in the famous Blue Lagoon, with mineral-rich waters that harness Iceland's bubbling geothermal activity.







# RHODES TOWN, Rhodes

Basking in more hours of sunshine than any other Greek island, Rhodes is loved for its fascinating past, not to mention its glittering sandy beaches.

- Wander your way around the pretty village of Lindos.
   The architecture here is a fusion of Gothic, Byzantine,
   Greek and Middle Eastern, and the most famous monument is probably the ancient acropolis.
- Spend some time getting to know Rhodes Town. Go yacht-spotting in Mandraki harbour and venture inside the ancient walls of the citadel to discover the Medieval city left behind by the Knights of St John.
- Take your pick from banana boat rides, parasailing and jet-skiing on the lively Falaraki Beach.
- Get snapping at Filerimos Hill. Just 12 kilometres outside Rhodes Town, this elevated area of land offers up great views of the countryside and a selection of historical buildings, including a Byzantine Church.

# RIGA, Latvia

If we were asked to come up with the hottest buzzword in travel, Riga would definitely make the shortlist. It's got a Prague-esque feel to it. We're talking winding cobbled streets, miniature candlelit bars and grand pastel-painted mansions - all beneath a skyline of turrets and steeples.

- Hit the cobbles in the Medieval old town, Vecriga. With its soaring spires, the Dome Cathedral is the biggest church in the Baltic. The centrepiece of that fairytale skyline, meanwhile, is the Gothic church of St Peter's. Climb to the observation platform at the top and claim your prize in the form of fabulous panoramic views.
- Don't miss the Central Market. Its 13th-century birthdate makes it one of the oldest in Europe.

# ROAD TOWN, British Virgin Islands

Nature's the star attraction of Tortola. Ancient rainforests hog the limelight. Beautiful botanical gardens vie for your attention. And opal-white beaches like Apple Bay and Smuggler's Cove really steal the show.

- Head for Road Town's pretty Main Street. You'll find a medley of shops, museums and historical buildings.
- Soak up the beauty of Sage Mountain National Park.
   The British Virgin Island's highest point, it's an oasis of tropical vines, trees and plants.
- Pay a visit to the Prospect Reef Resort, where you'll get into the water and splash around with the dolphins that call this place home.
- Leave Tortola behind and make tracks for another of the British Virgin Islands – Virgin Gorda. Among the must-sees here are the Baths, a cluster of sea pools where you can swim or snorkel through the tunnels, caves and arches.

# ROATAN, Honduras

Roatan looks a lot like the other Caribbean islands. After all, it's got the trademark white-sand beaches, the coconut palms and the rainforest. The real action, though is under the waves. The reef that rings the island hides shipwrecks, coral gardens and all manner of sea creatures – everything from turtles to dolphins swim in the depths.

- You can get to know the island's native butterfly population at the Roatan Butterfly Farm. There are hundreds of the winged creatures here, along with a rainbow-coloured mix of tropical birds.
- Bailey's Key is a private lagoon that a family of Bottlenose dolphins call home. Here, you can swim with the animals, learn about their habits, and even get a special dolphin kiss.
- If you've got some energy to burn, try ziplining. You'll get a bird's-eye view of the jungle canopy, not to mention an adrenaline rush.

# ROSEAU, Dominica

Known as the island of waterfalls, Dominica is as green as it is unspoilt. This exotic isle is a paradise for nature lovers and a Caribbean hotspot for rainforest trekking.

- Make your way through the rainforest of canopied ferns and soaring trees to the Emerald Pool. A sparkling grotto at the foot of a 12-metre waterfall.
- Don't miss the chance to river tube down Dominica's biggest river, River Layou.
- Trek through the Mome Trois Piton rainforest. It's crammed with exotic plants and flowers, as well as 172 different species of bird.
- Visit the Trafalgar Falls they crash down a 220-foot rock face into a shimmering pool.

# ROSYTH (FOR EDINBURGH), Scotland

Strewn across a series of rocky hills, Edinburgh's winding streets are lined with Georgian buildings, spires and monuments, and overlooked by the city's iconic medieval fortress. Over in Multrees Walk, meanwhile, designer stores and pavement cafés jostle for your attention. And come sundown, the city bursts into life as people spill out of the packed bars and restaurants.

- Make your way up to Edinburgh Castle the city's most famous landmark. It's set at the top of Castle Rock, 120 metres above sea level.
- Venture out of the city and pay a visit to Cramond Beach. The beachside paths here are really popular with cyclists and walkers. Plus, you can cross the causeway and explore nearby Cramond Island.

# SAN BLAS, Panama

The San Blas Islands are a world apart. There are 378 of them in total and most have barely ever seen footfall. The cays that are inhabited are home to the Kuna people. These colourful tribes speak chocoan, interchange coconuts with currency, travel around in dugout canoes called cayucos, and produce intricate textiles called molas. The islands that aren't populated are awash with flawless white beaches and palm trees.

- Spend a day in the life of the Kuna people on Karti Sugtuppy Island.
- Pure escapism is yours for the taking on Wichub-Wala island. It takes just 5 minutes to walk from one side of this picture-perfect island to the other.
- Just beyond the shore of Akutupu Island, you'll find a reef and wreck in one. A Colombian ship sank here decades ago and a coral reef has grown over the top. It goes without saying, it's a brilliant dive site.

# SAN SEBASTIAN, La Gomera

La Gomera's beaches are quiet, its villages are sleepy and its countryside is fleeced with forests and mountain ridges. The valleys and ravines make the island an obvious choice for walkers. And scuba divers can swim in search of tuna, parrotfish and trumpet fish.

- Visit the Valle Gran Rey. This green ravine is corralled by mountain scenery and it looks out over the sea.
- Lace up your hiking boots for a walk in El Cedro Forest. The pearl in the oyster here is El Chorro waterfall, which is nearly 400 metres tall.
- Take a marine safari around La Gomera's coast. The waters here are home to 21 species of dolphins and more than 300 individual whales.

# SANTA CRUZ, Tenerife

On the one hand you've got snow-capped peaks, on the other sun-baked beaches. Neon-lit strips a stone's throw from natural masterpieces. Tenerife's got contrasts aplenty. For sheer fun and plenty of sun, it's pretty hard to beat.

- Head to Loro Parque, the island's award-winning wildlife park whose residents include parrots, dolphins, sealions and gorillas.
- Explore Santa Cruz. Splash the cash in the city's superb range of shops or take your pick of tapas bars and enjoy a long, lazy al fresco lunch.
- Take a drive through the Orotava Valley, stopping at the Humboldt viewpoint. You'll be treated to panoramic views over the island's vineyards and banana plantations.







# SANTA CRUZ DE LA PALMA, La Palma

Mother Nature had a field day with La Palma. All rolling mountains, plunging valleys and sweet-smelling pine forests, the little island certainly isn't short on breathtaking scenery. It's no wonder the locals call it La Isla Bonita – the beautiful island.

- Discover La Palma's volcanic past with a trip to La Caldera de Taburiente National Park. This enormous National Park is actually a volcanic crater. With a circumference of 28km, it's the biggest in the world.
- Hurtle over La Palma's rugged terrain on a quad bike

   it's a great way to explore. You'll whiz past banana
   plantations, taking in views of the coast on the way.
- Hike through the protected tropical rainforest of Los Tilos. It's completely unspoiled, crammed with caves, springs, lime trees and giant ferns.

# SCARBOROUGH, Tobago

A bustling city seeped in history, Tobago's capital offers up a snapshot of days gone by. Sprawled over the hillside, it's overlooked by the Fort King George, a 17th-century hideout that sits proudly at the summit. Head down by the port, and you'll find colourful houses lining the harbour and lively markets.

- Lose yourself in the Scarborough Botanical Gardens.
   Spread over 17 acres and filled with exotic plants make sure you pay a visit to the native orchid house.
- Spend some time relaxing at Pigeon Point. It's arguably the most beautiful beach on the island.
- More than 200 species of mammals and birds call Tobago Forest Reserve home. Hummingbirds, armadillos, and tiny tree frogs camouflage themselves among the streams, waterfalls and waxy plants.

# SEVASTOPOL, Ukraine

Sevastopol is less like a city and more like an open-air museum. Its tree-dotted streets are packed with nearly 2,000 monuments, memorials and landmarks, which chart the happenings of the 19th-century Crimean War. The three-year-long battle is said to have ended the dominant role of Russia in southeast Europe.

- To really get to grips with the city's wartime history, visit the Panorama Museum. Its grand-looking circular building was especially constructed to house the painting, 'The Defense of Sevastopol'. The famous piece depicts the 349-day siege of the city in 1855.
- The Balaklava Valley has been dubbed the 'Valley of Death' following the infamous Charge of the Light Brigade, and it's one of Sevastopol's most visited and haunting sites.

# SINOP, Turkey

Sinop's cup brimmeth over with history. Located on Turkey's Black Sea coast, this town is one of the oldest cities in the north of the country. Bronze Age, Roman, Byzantine and Ottoman empires all did stints here. Sinop's modern history is just as compelling as its ancient, though. This is where the massacre of Sinop happened, which was one of the events that snowballed into the Crimean War.

- The monument in Sinop harbour is cause for thought.
   It commemorates the deaths of the Ottoman sailors who were killed by the Imperial Russian Navy in the run up to the Crimean War. And it was paid for by the pennies found in the pockets of the fallen.
- Patter around Sinop Castle. This 7th-century building looks like it's been turned out of a giant bucket and spade.

# SKJOLDEN, Norway

This sleepy fishing village is set at the inner end of Sognefjorden – the world's longest fjord – and it's surrounded by sheer valley walls, green-cloaked hills and jagged mountain peaks.

- The largest glacier in mainland Europe calls the Jostedalsbreen National Park home. Head here to join a guided walking tour over the blue ice.
- A wooden stave church is a spectacular example of Medieval architecture, and the Urnes Stave Church – beside the Sognefjorden – is the only one in the world to have made it on to the UNESCO World Heritage list.
- At 218 metres tall, the Feigumfossen Waterfall is one of Scandinavia's highest. Pay it a visit to see the white waters thundering down a jagged rock face.

# SOCHI, Russia

Sochi flies in the face of Russian stereotypes. For starters, this city on the Black Sea coast has a sub-tropical climate. In the summer, the average daily temperatures range from 25°C to 30°C, which makes both the beaches and the leafy green parks pretty popular. Sochi is fast developing a sporty streak, too. This city will play host to the Winter Olympics in 2014.

- Tea isn't the first drink you'd associate with Russia, but Dagomy, 30 miles from Sochi, is the tea capital of the country. Its speciality is Chai, and you can see how it's produced on a plantation tour.
- Admire the only church to survive revolution and war, the Michaelo-Archangel Cathedral. It's one of the oldest structures in the area.
- There are more than 33 waterfalls at the Zmeikovskiye and Orekhovskye falls - each has a different legend.

# SORRENTO, Italy

Despite being surrounded by groves of bitter lemons, Sorrento is one of Italy's sweetest cities. Red-roofed buildings, balconied apartments and yawning piazzas characterise the centre of town. Elsewhere, the waterfront is defined by 2 sand and shingle beaches and the fishing boats that pogo on the waves.

- Duck into Villa Comunale Park. It's the largest park in Sorrento and serves up the sort of views that guidebook writers use to illustrate their articles.
- From the Circumevesuviana station, a few metres south east of Piazza Tasso, you can catch the train to the historical city of Pompeii, which was deluged by ash when Vesuvius erupted in 79 AD.
- If you catch the ferry from Sorrento, you can be in Capri in under an hour. Shopping and fine dining top most people's priority lists.

# SORTLAND, Norway

Ever since its houses were painted with 50,000 litres of blue paint for the millennium, Sortland has been known as the Blue City. But there's another prominent colour in these parts – green. As part of Norway's fertile Vesteralen region, Sortland is surrounded by green valleys and fjords, which are laced with walking trails.

 The landscape around Sortland is Discovery Channel territory. You can join nature safaris to spot moose, eagles and puffins.

# ST BARTHS, St Barts

St Barths, in the northeast Caribbean, is the stage for a star-studded cast. Beyonce, Jay-Z, Gwen Stefani and a fashion week's-worth of super models are all regulars on the island. Most of the A-list split their time between the Daz-white beaches and the restaurants, where Crystal and caviar are the more hum drum components of the Michelin-standard menus. But they don't know what they're missing out on. St Barths also has craggy hillsides, green valleys and prime kite-surfing waters.

- St Barths has as much to offer beneath the waterline as it does above. A trip on a semi-submarine will take you past sunken shipwrecks and introduce you to sea turtles and tropical fish.
- In St Jean Bay you can leave your footprints in the salt-white sand before popping into a sand-side restaurant for Caribbean fine dining.
- Hold your breath as you watch the planes land at Col de la Tourmente. Due to the placement of the runway, planes have to fly hair-raisingly low before they land.



# ST GEORGE'S, Grenada

Grenada is known as the 'Spice Island'. Wherever you head, the fragrant scent of ginger, almond, nutmeg and vanilla follows you. Plus you can see cinnamon, cocoa beans and every tropical fruit imaginable growing here. And don't miss a wander around St George's, one of the Caribbean's prettiest harbours, with its pastel-coloured buildings, cobbled streets and even the odd lipstick-red London phone box.

- Don your walking boots and set off on a hike in the Grand Etang National Park. The star of the show is Grand Etang Lake, which fills a volcanic crater.
- Cool down with a swim at Annadale Falls. It cascades nine metres to a grotto surrounded by lush plantlife.
- Kick back on the island's Grand Anse Beach. The watersports are first class and it's got some great bars and restaurants, too.

# ST JOHN'S, Antigua

If you're a big fan of the beach, prepare to lose your heart to this place. Without doubt, porcelain, palmfringed sands and still turquoise waters are the star of this island show.

- Sink your toes into soft sand and wade through waters too blue to be true. A good place to head is Runway Beach, where you'll find a long list of watersports and a lively beach bar.
- Hit the shops in St John's, Antigua's bright and breezy capital. Plump for island crafts or up the spending in the duty-free complexes.
- Get up close to the stingrays at the Stingray City Antigua. More than 30 rays call this place home, and you'll be able to climb into the water with them.
- Head out to Great Bird Island it's great snorkelling territory. Keep an eye out for starfish and stingrays.

# ST PETERSBURG, Russia

Beautiful bridges. Shimmering canals. Ornate palaces. St Petersburg is one architectural delight after another. Even its metro stations resemble underground palaces. In short, it's everything you want out of Russia - right down to those Mr Whippy-esque cathedral spires.

- Tick off a rich list of sights, including the gilded cupola
  of St. Isaac's Cathedral and the Palace Square with its
  beautiful Baroque Winter Palace.
- Discover the Hermitage, home to an astounding collection of three million pieces of art. Feast your eyes on works by grand masters like Leonardo Da Vinci, Titian, El Greco and Rembrandt.
- Enjoy a magical night of ballet at the Conservatoire, which belongs to the oldest musical school in Russia.



# ST RAPHAEL (FOR ST TROPEZ & CANNES), France

St Raphael is the girl next door of southern France. Compared to its flashy cousins down the coast, it's more of a shy and retiring kind of place. The town sits on the edge of 36 kilometres of unspoilt coastline, and it's overlooked by acres of natural forest and the terracotta-coloured peaks of the Esterel Mountain range.

- If you're looking for a bargain, St Raphael is filled with farmers' markets. Rummage the stalls for fresh flowers, punnets of berries, and homemade cheeses.
- Dramont beach is a real favourite with families head here with the little ones to build a sandcastle.
- St Raphael gives you easy access to St Tropez. This upmarket slice of the French Riviera is a hotspot for the world's elite, and it's packed with expensive boutiques, restaurants and luxury yachts.

# STAVANGER, Norway

This sophisticated little city thrives in a patchwork of heather-covered hills and breathtaking fjords. Whether you come here to unravel its spellbinding history or just to soak up the magical scenery, Stavanger puts it all there on a plate for you.

- Stroll through the old quarter, packed with olde-worlde wooden houses, and see artists hard at work in their studios.
- Pay a visit to the 12th-century Stavanger Domkirke.
   One of Norway's most beautiful Medieval creations, its features include a vaulted ceiling and a late 13th-century Gothic chancel.
- Last but by no means least, pop into the Norwegian Canning Museum, which celebrates the town's past glory as the country's herring capital.

# STOCKHOLM, Sweden

Spread out across 14 islands, spotless Stockholm is an enchanting slice of Scandinavia. Bursting with museums, galleries, bars and restaurants, there's never a dull moment in this spellbinding city.

- Explore the quaint cobbled streets of the old town and stumble upon the splendid Royal Palace, surrounded by grand houses and elegant boutiques.
- Discover some of the city's museums. There are 70 in total, the two favourites being the National Museum of Art and the Vasa Museum.
- Flex your credit card in the city's legendary shopping districts. Then spoil yourself rotten with a traditional Swedish massage in a gorgeous Art Nouveau spa.
- Hop on a canal boat and explore Stockholm by water.



# STORNOWAY, Scotland

The area around the Isle of Lewis is getting a name as the new Alaska. In this part of the Outer Hebrides, wide open spaces go weeks at a time without footfall and the call of golden eagles echo overhead. It's not a total wilderness, though. Stornaway Town is the third largest settlement in the Scottish Highlands. Bunting hangs over the streets in the town centre and homely coffee shops serve up the local specialities of Stornaway black pudding, smoked salmon and kippers.

- The Callanish stones look like a set of crooked teeth.
   They were constructed between 2,600 and 2,900 BC, making them 1,000 years older than Stonehenge.
- On the west coast of the Isle of Lewis, Dun Carloway is one of Scotland's best preserved brochs. You won't find these Iron Age structures anywhere else in the world

# TALLINN, Estonia

Across the water from Finland lies this captivating World Heritage Site, the capital city of Estonia. Without doubt, Tallinn is one of Europe's most remarkable architectural havens. The old town is a magnificent jumble of Medieval walls and turrets, spires and winding cobbled hills.

- Start off with a trip to Toompea. Here you'll find the beautiful Alexander Nevsky Russian Orthodox Cathedral and Toompea Castle, where parliament sits.
- Follow the twisting cobbled streets that open out on to Town Hall Square, whose pièce de résistance is Europe's oldest surviving Gothic town hall. Look out for the building's 16th-century weathervane. It depicts Old Thomas, the Medieval guardian of the city.
- When you're ready for a rest, pull up a chair in one of the city's open-air cafés and taste Saku, the local beer.

# TANGIER, Morocco

An extravagant tapestry of ancient mosques, colourful souks and friendly faces, Tangier is a magical slice of Morocco. Once the preferred playground of the rich and famous, it's still one of North Africa's most vibrant cities.

- The Caves of Hercules are named after the Greek god. Legend has it, he rested here before attempting his 12 labours – almost-impossible tasks imposed on him as punishment for killing his son.
- Inhale the scents of the orange, almond and pomegranate trees that surround Tetouan. This city was built by Muslim refugees from Spain, and its architecture is Moorish with a Hispanic twist.
- Rediscover your creative side as you wander around Asilah. It's known as 'the artists' town', because every summer painters, drawers and performers flock here for an annual festival and cover the walls with murals.







# THIRA, Santorini

Prepare to fall head over heels for this sun-blushed beauty. Santorini is the very essence of Greek charm. Sugar-cube houses cling to the cliffs. Vivid blue church domes add a splash of colour. And steep cliff-sides tumble into an impossibly clear sea. Just beautiful.

- Lose your heart to Oia, one of the world's most romantic destinations. Dripping in beauty with a pinch of cosmopolitan allure, the town's steeped in history and, if legend is to be believed, haunted by vampires.
- Pamper yourself in the hot springs at Palea Kameni.
   Their waters have been warmed by volcanic activity and they'll leave your skin silky smooth.
- Visit the cliff-top capital of Thira, which crowns the island's crater. Set high above the sea, it offers up spectacular views. Pull up a chair in one of the café bars and enjoy the scene before you.

# TOBERMORY, Isle of Mull

Tobermory is one of a kind. There are no pastel buildings gracing the waterfront here. Instead, houses in poster reds, dramatic blacks and bright blues line the harbour.

- Take a boat ride along the coast. As well as seals and porpoises, you might spot basking sharks, minke whales and different types of dolphin.
- Stroll down Statue Walk in the gardens of Torosay Castle. It was built in the 18th century, and comes complete with fairytale-like turrets. The best bits to see outside are the sculpted fountains, the water gardens and the Japanese gardens.
- Head to Calgary, a tiny village on the northwest of the island. As well as being really picturesque, it's got a white-shell sand beach and offers some of the best coastal walks on the island.

# TOULON, France

Fusing French Riviera glam with the feel of a traditional old town, Toulon is your gateway to the Côte d'Azur.

- Follow the sound of popping corks and clinking champagne flutes to über-stylish St-Tropez, a long-time glitterati favourite.
- Venture into Aix en Provence. This place is known as the Town of Water thanks to its fountains and the Town of Art because of its many museums.
- The French poet Frédéric Mistral once said 'He who has seen Paris and not Cassis has seen nothing!'. Little changed by time, Cassis is still much the same little fishing port that first attracted artists like Signac and Derain, eager to capture its serene charm.
- Venture into the breathtaking Provence countryside and stumble upon sleepy French villages. This enchanting region has inspired many a great master

# TRABZON, Turkey

As the largest port city on Turkey's east coast, everything seems speeded up here. Streams of cars, mini buses and pedestrians run through the city centre, and the bazaar district bustles. Of course, there are places in the city where you can come up for air. The Hagia Sophia Church, for example, is tip-toe quiet. Built into a cliffside ledge, 1,200 metres above the Altindere Valley, the Sumela Monastery far removed from the hustle of Trabzon life.

- Take a trip into the mountains to see Turkey's answer to Lake Windermere, Uzungol – which means Long Lake in English. This lagoon stretches as far as the eye can see and is surrounded by mountain slopes.
- Wander along the Kunduracilar Caddesi, an avenue lined with jewellery shops. Keep an eye out for the Trabzon bracelet. This wide cuff made from woven silver threads is unique to the Trabzon region.

# TRAPANI, Sicily

The Greeks, the Romans, the Saracens, the Normans – they all squabbled over the pretty harbour of Trapani. Packed with reminders of its colourful past, this place offers up great sights and bags of Sicilian charm.

- Discover the Medieval mountaintop city of Erice. Set 750 metres above sea level, it offers up some eye-popping views. It's also packed with historical sites like a 700-year-old church and the Castle of Venus.
- Wander through the old town. See the grand Palazzo Cavaretta, where revolutionary Garibaldi cried 'Rome or death!' in 1860. And take a look at Saint Augustine church, a beautiful Romanesque-Gothic affair.
- The food in these parts is out of this world. Try Trapani's speciality, cous-cous, usually served with soup and a selection of fresh-from-the-net fish.

# TROMSO, Norway

The biggest city above the Arctic Circle, Tromso's been the starting point for countless polar expeditions. Norwegians call it the Paris of the North, and one thing's for sure - it's a city to fall in love with.

- Don't miss the iceberg-shaped Arctic Cathedral, which glistens in the glow of the ever-present Midnight Sun
- Call in at Tromso Museum, home to the world's largest exhibition on the traditional Sami culture as well as some great examples of religious art.
- Fancy a meal 1,300 feet about sea level? Then take the cable car to Mount Storsteinen and drink in sensational views while you tuck into a tasty meal.
- Meeting the Sørensen family is no easy feat. They live at the Wilderness Centre on Whale Island, along with 300 huskies. The family race the dogs all around Greenland and they've got books full of stories to tell.

# TUNIS, Tunisia

East meets west in Tunis. On one side of the city you'll find the spice-scented medina, mosques, and Islamic schools called medersas. On the other side, there's the Ville Nouvelle, where the avenues are wide and the art nouveau architecture nods to the time the city spend under the period of French protectorate.

- When it comes to Tunisian history, if it's not in the Bardo National Museum it's probably not worth knowing. The history on offer is almost encyclopaedic.
- Turmeric, cumin and caraway infuse to create the signature scent of Tunis' Great Souk. Envelop yourself in it as you're browsing the stalls of carpets, lanterns, shisha pipes and tea sets.
- Explore the ruins of Carthage. Theatres, temples, baths and villas are still standing on the site of this ancient Roman city.

# **ULVIK**, Norway

The first British tourists came to Ulvik in the 1850s to fish and hunt. These days, though, it's more than salmon and grouse that attracts people here. The first wave of tourists turn up in spring to see the fruit blossoms. Hot on their heels, travellers come to see the ice thaw into waterfalls and to walk, hike and cycle on the mountain plateau at Hardangervidda.

- The memory of Ulvik's Bronze Age population is still alive in Nesheim. The stone-topped burial mounds here date back more than 3,000 years.
- Tall red planks of timber make the cotter's farm in Sysehagen stand out. This place used to belong to a traditional peasant farmer.

Just so you know... unless you're joining an organised tour, you won't be permitted to leave the ship in Ulvik.

# VALENCIA, Spain

One minute you're ambling the airy galleries of tip-top museums. The next, going for gold on the silky sands. At long last, Barcelona and Madrid's sandy sister is emerging from the shadows, and demanding the world's travellers take note. If you're looking for a new city to get excited about, then Valencia is most definitely the place.

- Take a wide-eyed wander through the old town. It's the largest preserved complex of its kind in Europe.
   See the 13th-century cathedral, said to contain the chalice used by Christ in the Last Supper.
- Prepare to be impressed. The City of Arts and Science is an expanse of avant-garde architecture by renowned architect Santiago Calatrava. The jewel in its crown is the Palau de les Arts, a superb performing arts, opera and music venue.







# VALLETTA, Malta

As your ship cruises into Valletta, a magical skyline of soaring steeples and bulbous church domes rises to greet you. This is a captivating city steeped in history.

- Stroll the colourful streets of Valletta, taking in sights like the Grandmaster's Palace, the House of Parliament and Castille Palace.
- Visit Mdina, the island's old capital. It's an impressive walled city dripping in Medieval and Baroque architecture. They call it the Silent City because cars are forbidden. Carriage-laden horses trotting through the streets and the gentle chatter of inhabitants are the only sounds to pierce the sleepy calm.
- Take a boat ride to the spellbinding Blue Grotto, an impressive 50 metre-deep cave.
- Sit back and relax on a boat trip around Valletta's two natural harbours.

# VENICE, Italy

With 117 islands, 150 canals and more than 400 bridges, it's time to swap your cruise ship for a gondola and embark on an affair to remember in one of the world's most romantic cities.

- Take a ride on a gondola as you weave your way through the maze of canals in this fabulous floating city.
- Make the most of everything St Mark's Square has to offer. Tick off St Mark's Basilica, the Doge's Palace, the Bridge of Sighs and the Campanile before giving your credit card a workout in the designer shops.
- Go behind the scenes at one of the glass factories on the island of Murano, then head to neighbouring Burano, which is famous for its lace making.
- Wander over the Rialto to see the Grand Canal. The banks of this huge waterway are lined with over 180 buildings, dating back to the 13th and 18th century.

# VIGO, Spain

The Atlantic port of Vigo is famous for its fabulous seafood, sunny climate and Galician hospitality. Take a wander through the old town and surrender to the charms of its labyrinthine streets, tempting shops and sun-dappled squares.

- Take a trip to Santiago de Compostela, one of Christendom's most important shrines. Inside the vast Gothic cathedral lies the body of St James.
- In Vigo, stand in the shadow of the mighty Castro Castle, then gaze up at the gilded sculpture of Sireno, half man, half sea creature.
- Don't leave without trying the famous seafood, freshly caught and absolutely to die for.

# VILLEFRANCHE (FOR MONACO AND NICE), France

Think of the French Riviera and what springs to mind? Expensive yachts? Wide, palm-fringed boulevards? Glittering turquoise seas? Experience the glamour and glitz of France's most famous stretch of coast.

- Imagine you're Lewis Hamilton as you drive along the Grand Prix circuit in Monte Carlo. You'll find it hard to believe the fastest lap time on this circuit is just over 13 seconds.
- Trace your way along the French Riviera. Take in elegant Nice, the hilltop village of St Paul and Grasse, which is the world capital for perfume and flowers.
- Get a bird's eye view of the Cote d'Azur from the cliff-top village of Eze. This place is known as 'The Eagle's Nest' and it's narrow alleyways are full of historical mansions, chateaus and pretty squares.

# WARNEMUNDE, Germany

Gilded with gorgeous beaches, Medieval Warnemunde is a popular holiday spot. Spend the day lounging on the sands or climb to the top of the lighthouse to enjoy the views over the Baltic Sea. If your ship is in port for more than a few hours, you can also visit Berlin.

- Take a stroll through the Medieval streets and call in at St Mary's Church to hear its amazing Baroque organ and see the world's oldest astronomical clock.
- Hop aboard the narrow-gauge steam train, Molli, for a truly old-fashioned ride. Then pop into one of the many homely cafés for hearty German fare washed down with a stein of beer.
- Spend the day exploring Germany's capital. See the famous Brandenburg Gate. Eat Wiener Schnitzel in a backstreet bolthole. Or click your heels on the floors of the famous KaDeWe department store.

# WATERFORD, Ireland

From whiskey to Guinness, things age well in Ireland. And Waterford is no exception. Located in Munster, the oldest city in Ireland has stood the test of time well. Original 10th-century fortification walls still cuff the Viking Triangle area of the city, and buildings like Reginald's Tower stand solid despite being constructed more than 900 years ago.

- A regular on wedding lists, Waterford crystal is one of the most high-brow crystal brands in the world. At the Waterford Crystal Factory, you can see how it's blown, moulded and hand-marked into shape.
- Snoop around the ancestral home of the Kennedy family. JFK's great grandfather, Patrick, lived in New Ross at the start of the 18th century, before he sailed to the USA to escape the great potato famine.

# WILLEMSTAD, Curacao

This little Dutch island is slowly beginning to creep onto the tourist radar, and for good reason. It offers up an unbeatable mix of footprint-free beaches and pretty colonial towns. The storybook port of Willemstad leads the pack, with its candy-coloured, red-roofed houses that gild the downtown area. It's such an impressive sight, UNESCO have even granted the town a place on its World Heritage list.

- Cast away on one of Curacao's lagoons. These offshore edens are home to white-sand beaches and gin-clear waters, which are perfect for snorkelling.
- Take in Willemstad's best bits on the trolley train tour.
- Check out the island's largest feathered friends at the Ostrich Park - one of the largest farms outside Africa.
- Inject a little adrenalin into your time here by seeing the sights on a guided jet-ski trip.

# YALTA, Ukraine

Yalta may have gone down in the history books for hosting the Crimea Conference, where Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin met to discuss the reorganisation of post-war Europe. But, these days, pleasure comes before business in this Black Sea beach resort. This city is a top summer holiday destination for Russians and Ukrainians. They come for the Blue Flag beaches, seaside cafes, and the long sand-side promenade.

- Ride the cable car to the crest of Darsan Hill. From the top you get bird's eye views of the Greater Yalta Coast, snaking away from the city for 70 kilometres.
- Visit the White Dacha. This house-turned-museum was once home to the dramatist Anton Chekov.
- Scale Aurora Cliff to visit the Swallow's Nest Castle.
   Built in 1911, this castle is precariously close to the sheer drop down to the Black Sea, 130 feet below.

# ZADAR, Croatia

Zadar doesn't put age before beauty, it offers them both at the same time. This Dalmatian city on the Adriatic Coast is one of the oldest in Europe, and its timeline can be traced back more than 3,000 years. Having said that, it's more than a little easy on the eye. The traffic-free streets are paved in pearly marble, its town houses are topped with red roofs, and the city is dotted with ancient Roman ruins and historical churches.

- Explore St Donata's Church. This 9th-century building is the largest pre-Romanesque building in Croatia.
- Café culture is alive and kicking in Zadar. Just pick between the places in the old town and the harbour.
   When you're peckish, try a plate of Dalmatian ham.

# MAKING YOUR OWN WAY TO UK PORTS

All our UK ports have excellent road, rail and air links

Arrival check-in for your cruise takes place between 1pm and 3pm and check-out on your last day is between 7.30am and 9.30am

Please plan your journey accordingly.

### BY CAR

Close proximity to the A1 makes the Port of Tyne easily accessible. Head for Northumbrian Quay, Port of Tyne International Passenger Terminal, Cobledene, North Shields, Tyne & Wear, NE29 6EE. Upon arrival at the port, have your Thomson Cruises documentation to hand and follow the instructions of the port staff who will direct you to the luggage drop area before parking your car.

• FREE secure on-site parking available. Reserve at the time of booking or call **0871** 971 **0533\*\***. See page 221 for details or see Port Car Parking in the A-Z guide.

### ■ BY TRAIN

Newcastle Central Station is 9 miles or 20 minutes from the Cruise Terminal, with intercity services servicing Edinburgh, York and London (London can be reached in less than 3 hours)

• A FREE shuttle bus will operate between Newcastle rail station and the port at thirty minute intervals from 10.30am-2.00pm.

### BY AIR

The airport lies 15 miles to the north of the Cruise Terminal. Taxi journeys normally take less than 30 minutes. Newcastle international airport is served by flights from many UK airports.

• Book your own low-cost flights to Newcastle Airport and you can arrange a coach transfer to the port. At the end of your cruise you will be returned to the airport – all for £25.

To book your place call 0131 226 8512\*\* or visit www.intercruises.com/thomson



# ■ BY CAR

Harwich International Port is served by the A120. Head for Harwich International Port Limited, Parkeston, Harwich, Essex, CO12 4SR. Upon arrival at the port, have your Thomson Cruises documentation to hand and follow the instructions of the port staff who will direct you to the luggage drop and car park area for Thomson Cruises.

FREE secure on-site parking, subject to availability. Reserve at the time of booking or call 0871 971 0533\*\*.
 See page 221 for details or see Port Car Parking in the A-Z guide.

# BY TRAIN

Harwich International Station is adjacent to the cruise terminal. The 'One' rail company operates special services from London Liverpool Street to Harwich International Port to meet cruise departures. There are frequent train services, with journey times as short as 1 hour 11 minutes. See www.onerailway.com

# BY AIR

Stansted Airport is just over an hour away from Harwich. Stansted Airport is served by flights from many UK airports.

Book your own low-cost flights to Stansted Airport and you can arrange a coach transfer to the port.
 At the end of your cruise you will be returned to the airport – all for £39.

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**HARWICH** 

LIVERPOOL

# ■ BY CAR

The Liverpool Cruise Terminal at Pier Head is located in the city centre at Princes Parade. The terminal is accessible by car and taxi and is located within the secure port facility next to the Liver Buildings and clearly identified 'Liverpool Cruise Terminal'. The postcode for satnav users is L3 1DL. Upon arrival at the port, have your Thomson Cruises documentation to hand and follow the instructions of the port staff who will direct you to the luggage drop area before parking your car.

• FREE secure off-site parking available. A shuttle bus will take you to the port. Reserve at the time of booking or call 0871 971 0533\*\*. See page 221 for details or see Port Car Parking in the A-Z guide.

# ■ BY TRAIN

Lime Street Station is Liverpool's main national rail terminus, with main line trains to and from Manchester, London, Scotland and the rest of the UK.

Liverpool Cruise Terminal is a 20-minute walk from Lime Street Station - see tourist information signs - or approximately 5 minutes by taxi.

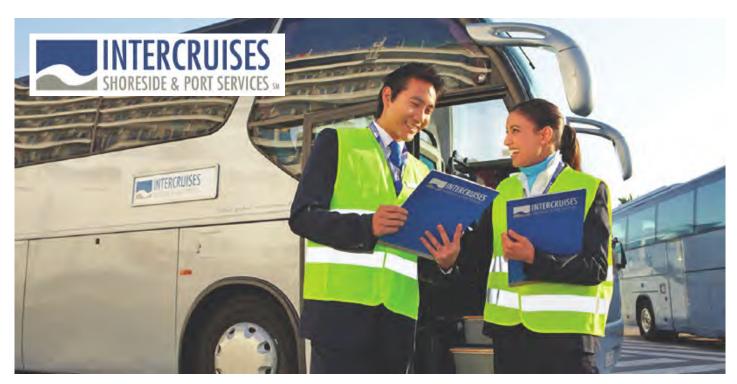
# ■ BY AIR

Liverpool John Lennon Airport is about 25 minutes from the Cruise Terminal.

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# COACH TRANSFERS



Working in partnership with Thomson Cruises, Intercruises will guarantee your timely arrival at the ship. Rest assured that if a problem arises the drivers are in close communication with Thomson Spirit.

# DOOR TO DOOR PICK-UP SERVICE

You don't have to think about getting to your local pick-up point. We can arrange a taxi service from your home to one of the departure points listed and back again at the end of your cruise. If you live close to the port, we'll take you directly there.

To book your taxi, call Intercruises for a competitive quote.

# ONE WAY COACH TRANSFERS FOR REPOSITIONAL CRUISES

# ■ FROM CYPRUS WITH LOVE

Cyprus-Liverpool, departs 23rd April 2014

When the ship arrives in Liverpool on 7th May, a coach is available to take you back to the UK airport you flew out from. This costs just £10 per person and you must reserve your seat on the coach by calling Intercruises on  $0131\ 226\ 8512^*$ .

# ■ MEDITERRANEAN EXPLORER

Harwich-Dalaman, departs 28th September 2014

A coach is available from your UK airport to Harwich on 28th September 2014. This costs just  $\pounds$ 10 per person and you must reserve your seat on the coach by calling Intercruises on 0131 226 8512\*.

We therefore suggest that you park at the airport you will be returning to and book the coach service to join the Thomson Spirit in Harwich.

# ■ HIGHLAND FLING

Liverpool-Newcastle, departs 24th May 2014

When the ship arrives in Newcastle on 27th May 2014, a FREE coach is available to take you back to Liverpool but you must reserve your seat on the coach by calling Intercruises on 0131 226 8512\*. There is also a coach service from Newcastle to Liverpool for the ships departure, should you wish to leave your car at Newcastle port ready for your return.

# **■ EXPERIENCE AMSTERDAM**

Newcastle-Harwich, departs 23rd August 2014

When the ship arrives in Harwich on 26th August 2014, a FREE coach is available to take you back to Newcastle but you must reserve your seat on the coach by calling Intercruises on 0131 226 8512\*. There is also a coach service to get you to Newcastle for the ships departure if you wish to leave your car at Harwich port ready for when you return.

Coach Service	S14 Return f	are per adult for	transfers to:
from	Harwich	Newcastle	Liverpool
Bangor	-	£85	£49
Barnsley	£75	-	£39
Birmingham	£65	£69	£39
Blackpool	£89	£55	£39
Bolton	£89	£55	£39
Bristol	£69	£89	£69
Bridgend	£79	£89	£69
Bury St Edmunds	£35	-	-
Cambridge Services	£35	-	-
Cardiff	£79	£89	£69
Carlisle	£89	£35	£49
Chester	£89	£65	£39
Colchester	£35	-	-
Darlington	£79	£35	£49
Doncaster	£69	£49	£49
Edinburgh	£99	£55	£79
Glasgow	£99	£65	£79
Grimsby	£65	£59	£59
Holywell	-	£69	£35
Hull	£75	£55	£59
Ipswich	£35	-	-
Lancaster	£69	£45	£49
Leeds	£69	£45	£49
Leicester	£55	£65	£59
Liverpool	£79	£65	-
Llandudno/Colwyn	-	£79	£45
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Warrington	£79	£59	£35
Wetherby	£65	£49	£49
Wolverhampton	£65	£69	£55
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# YOU TAKE CARE OF THE UNBELIEVABLE. WE'LLTAKE CARE OF THE UNPREDICTABLE.

It's important you and your family have the protection you need in case the unexpected happens.



For more information, ask us about travel insurance when you book your holiday or call us on **0871 971 0533\*** – It's important you find the right cover for you.

As with all insurance policies, terms, conditions, exclusions and limitations apply.

\*Calls will be charged at 10p per minute from a BT Landline. Calls from other networks or from outside the UK may vary.





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Holidays Forever is our commitment to sustainable tourism. It's our way of protecting the places – and the people – that make holidays possible. We know we've still got a long way to go, and we're always looking for ways to improve. But to show we mean what we say, we've made 20 commitments. Here's a taster...



# ■ THE WORLD CARE FUND

By 2014, we're hoping to have raised £14 million for sustainable tourism and clean energy projects. Through the World Care Fund, we're helping to improve people's lives and protect the environment.

# ■ GREENER & FAIRER HOTELS

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World Care Fund donation when you book. Visit holidaysforever.co.uk for details.

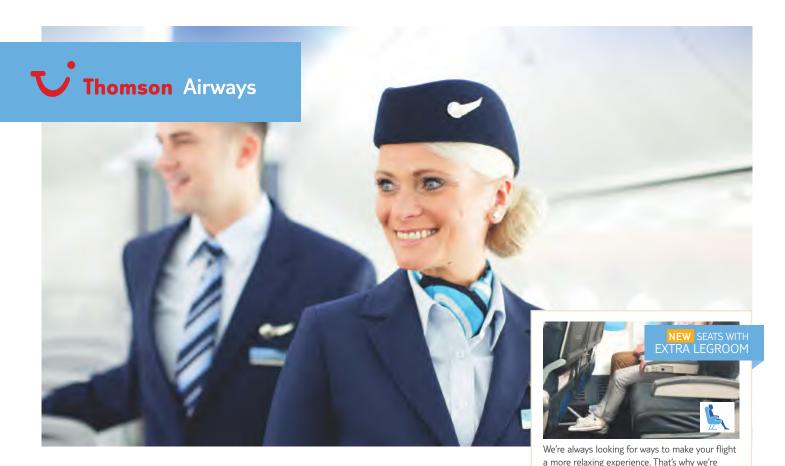
# **ATOL** Protection

# Because Peace Of Mind Is All Part Of The Deal With Thomson, you can book with total confidence.

Not only that we'll find just the right holiday for you, but that your money is safe, too.

All our holidays are ATOL-protected. If you're not familiar with ATOL, it's the government-backed holiday protection scheme. It means that, unlike many other airlines and holiday companies, if the unexpected happens, you won't be left stranded or out of pocket — plain and simple.





# Flying from an airport near you

As the UK's biggest holiday airline, we pride ourselves on our convenient, comfortable flights. Here's your at-a-glance guide to flying with us...

# A CHOICE OF AIRPORTS

We fly from 20 UK airports – so chances are you can fly from your doorstep.

# **RELIABLE DEPARTURES**

During summer 2013, 95% of our flights took off within an hour of their scheduled departure time. Source – Thomson Airways Airline operations. Statistic is for May - September 2013.

# LUGGAGE ALLOWANCE

On Thomson Cruises, you can check in 27kg of luggage – including your hand luggage.

Plus, under-twos get a 10kg allowance, on top of a pushchair or car seat.

# **SELECT YOUR SEAT**

If you decide to pay extra to reserve seats together, you'll get to choose your seat numbers free of charge. We'll email you 90 days before your return flight with details on how to do it.

See the A-Z for details.

# FOOD & DRINK

There's a great range of food to buy onboard, including hot bites, like soups and panini, and sweet treats like an afternoon tea box with a scone, jam and clotted cream.

If you're going long haul, we'll give you a three-course meal in Economy Club and a four-course meal in Premium Club



# A HELPING HAND

If you or someone travelling with you has a disability or has difficulty getting around, we can arrange help at the airport. It's free – you just need to let us know 48 hours before your flight.

See Special Assistance in the A-Z for the full details

# **SUPERIOR SERVICE**

In summer 2013, Thomson Airways' Cabin Crew scored record ratings for their friendliness and helpfulness. 96% of customers rated them as very good or excellent.\* We also won the 'Best Airline for Customer Service' trophy at the 2013 British Travel Awards, voted for by customers.

introducing these new seats. They're available on a range of our short and mid-haul flights,

and give you a 33 or 34-inch seat pitch. Anyone can book them but numbers are limited.

 $\hbox{*Source--Thomson Airways Customer Survey Questionnaire scores for May - September 2013.}$ 

# NEW ONLINE CHECK-IN

We're committed to making your time at the airport even easier, which is why we're introducing online check-in. You'll be able to check-in for your flights and print your boarding cards at home. So, at the airport, simply drop off your bags and head through to the departure lounge.

Talking of your bags, if you've checked in online, Gatwick, Manchester and Birmingham airports will take them off your hands the day before – ideal if you've got an early flight. Day-before check in is not available on our Caribbean & Central America cruises.

And if you'd like to book extra kilos to avoid any unexpected charges at the airport, or you need to book space for sports equipment, you can tick off both during the online check-in process.

# THOMSON 787 DREAMLINER

Thomson Airways is now flying the new 787 Dreamliner on selected routes to almost all of its long-haul destinations. The state-of-the-art jet is set to change the future of long-haul flying. It's like no other plane out there and every inch has been designed with you in mind.



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There's more to think about than cruises, flights and hotels - and we can help take care of all the extras, too.

# FOREIGN CURRENCY



Order commission-free currency and travellers cheques at a Thomson travel shop - we offer better rates than the airport.

Plus, if you're buying euros or US dollars, you can get a chip-and-pin-protected Travel Money Card. It's a pre-paid MasterCard® that's a safer, more straightforward way to spend abroad.

Don't forget, we offer Foreign currency onboard too.

# AIRPORT PARKING, HOTELS & LOUNGES

Book early and airport parking is cheaper than if you just turn up on the day. And if you've got an early flight, how about staying at an airport hotel? You can also escape the crowds in an exclusive airport lounge.

Ask your Travel Advisor for details on our great-value airport packages. Plus, if you find the same thing for less within 24 hours, our airport extras provider, Holiday Extras, will give you a refund.

# MORE ROOM ONBOARD

**NEW** Seats With Extra Legroom

You can enjoy a 33 or 34-inch seat pitch, plus access to our Select Your Seat service.

We're introducing these on a range of our short and mid-haul flights.

Anyone can book them - adults and children - so they're great for families. They're the seats everyone wants and there's only a limited number, so you need to move fast.

# Seats With Extra Space

Fancy a little more room on your flight? These are the seats everyone wants. They all give you extra space, and some of them are next to an exit or by a bulkhead.

See the A-Z for more details.

# HOLIDAY INSURANCE

It's essential you and your family have the protection you need in case the unexpected happens. As with all insurance policies, terms and conditions apply - you need to make sure the policy is right for you.

Ask us about travel insurance when you book or call 0871 971 0533\*. For more details, see the A-Z.

# COACH TRANSFERS

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# CABIN UPGRADES

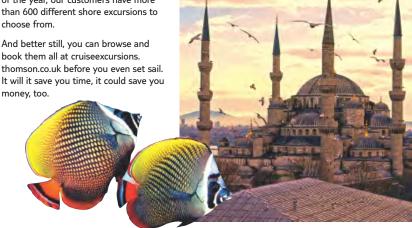


A balcony? A Suite? Why not upgrade your cabin to something a little

# SHORE EXCURSIONS

We know your time in port is precious, so we've done our homework to find you all the best trips. During the course of the year, our customers have more than 600 different shore excursions to choose from.

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# HOTEL ROOM UPGRADES

A sea view? A suite? Splash out on a room that's a little less ordinary.

# SELECT YOUR CABIN



Fancy a cabin at the front of the ship Or something closer to the pool? Take a look at our deck plans and pick a cabin of

For as little as  $\it E42$ , you can reserve your cabin number.

To add your Finishing Touches, call 0871 971 0533\* or visit thomson.co.uk/holiday-extras.html

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# Scandinavia, the Baltic & UK

# Summer 2014

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# Western Mediterranean

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CARDIFF 21/4 HRS		22073	TOM	7/14	SAT	06.00	SAT	11.55	3 MAY-25 OCT	£80	£20	£35
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		22073	TOM	10	SAT	06.00	TUE	11.55	3 MAY-18 OCT	£80	£20	£35
BIRMINGHAM 2½ HRS		22079	TOM	7/14	SAT	08.25	SAT	14.20	3 MAY-25 OCT	£90	£20	£35
		22079	TOM	10	SAT	08.25	TUE	12.05	3 MAY-18 OCT	£90	£20	£35
EAST MIDLANDS 2½ HRS		22088	TOM	7/14	SAT	08.35	SAT	14.40	3 MAY-25 OCT	£90	£20	£35
		22088	TOM	10	SAT	08.35	TUE	14.00	3 MAY-18 OCT	£90	£20	£35
MANCHESTER 2¾ HRS		22104	TOM	7/14	SAT	13.25	SAT	19.40	3 MAY-20 SEP	£80	£20	£35
		22105	TOM	7/14	SAT	07.55	SAT	14.10	3 MAY-25 OCT	£80	£20	£35
		22105	TOM	10	SAT	07.55	TUE	12.30	3 MAY-27 SEP	£80	£20	£35
		22106	TOM	7/14	SAT	13.45	SAT	20.00	3 MAY-25 OCT	£80	£20	£35
		22108	TOM	7/14	SAT	07.15	SAT	13.30	19 JUL-25 OCT	£80	£20	£35
DONCASTER SHEFFIELD 23/	4 HRS	22128	TOM	7/14	SAT	07.15	SAT	13.55	3 MAY-25 OCT	£90	£20	£35
		22128	TOM	10	SAT	07.15	TUE	13.05	3 MAY-18 OCT	£90	£20	£35
LEEDS BRADFORD 2½ HRS		22123	TOM	7/14	SAT	07.25	SAT	13.55	3 MAY-25 OCT	£70	£20	£35
		22123	TOM	10	SAT	07.25	TUE	21.50	3 MAY-18 OCT	£70	£20	£35
NEWCASTLE 2¾ HRS		22146	TOM	7/14	SAT	14.45	SAT	12.35	24 MAY-20 SEP	£100	£20	£35
112110101222741110		22148	TOM	7/14	SAT	06.30	SAT	13.00	3 MAY-25 OCT	£100	£20	£35
		22148	TOM	10	SAT	06.30	TUE	12.30	3 MAY-18 OCT	£100	£20	£35
GLASGOW 3 HRS	*	22154	JAF	7/14	SAT	13.55	SAT	2045	3 MAY-18 OCT	£90	_	_
	*	22154	JAF	10	SAT	13.55	TUE	13.05	3 MAY-18 OCT	£90	_	_
EDINBURGH 3 HRS	*	22163	TOM	7/14	SAT	05.40	SAT	12.40	3 MAY-18 OCT	£90	£20	£35
	*	22163	TOM	10	SAT	05.40	TUE	22.00	3 MAY-18 OCT	£90	£20	£35
ABERDEEN 3 HRS	*	22170	ST	7/14	SAT	14.25	SAT	12.55	3 MAY-25 OCT	£90	_	_
0 1110	*	22170	ST	10	SAT	14.25	TUE	13.30	3 MAY-18 OCT	£90	_	_
BELFAST 2¾ HRS	**	22178	TBA	7/14	SAT	05.40	SAT	12.50	3 MAY-17 MAY	£30		-
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UK	Flight	Airline	No	Day/Time	Day/Time	Departures	Supplement	Extra	Extra
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# Winter 2014/15

Thomson Majest Malaga to Corfu					24th /	April	2014,	8 nights,			
GATWICK	16119	TOM	8	THU	06:35	FRI	14:00	24 APR	£20	£35	£51
LUTON	16122	TOM	8	THU	06:00	FRI	20:50	24 APR	£0	£35	£51
CARDIFF	16126	TOM	8	THU	14:35	FRI	15:30	24 APR	£30	£35	£51
BIRMINGHAM	16129	TOM	8	THU	14:30	FRI	17:20	24 APR	£50	£35	£51
EAST MIDLANDS	16132	TOM	8	THU	06:15	FRI	21:30	24 APR	£50	£35	£51
MANCHESTER	16137	TOM	8	THU	15:30	FRI	13:50	24 APR	£70	£35	£51
NEWCASTLE	16146	TOM	8	THU	06:10	FRI	16:10	24 APR	£70	£35	£51
GLASGOW	16149	TOM	8	THU	06:00	FRI	15:00	24 APR	£70	£35	£51

Thomson Dream Palma to Malaga			Esca	pes, '	1st No	ovem	ber 20	)14, 5 nig	hts,		
GATWICK	22006	TOM	5	SAT	06:10	THU	12:55	1 NOV	£30	£20	£30
LUTON	22029	TOM	5	SAT	08:50	THU	13:35	1 NOV	£0	£20	£30
CARDIFF	22073	TOM	5	SAT	06:00	THU	12:30	1 NOV	£40	£20	£30
BIRMINGHAM	22079	TOM	5	SAT	08:25	THU	13:00	1 NOV	£40	£20	£30
EAST MIDLANDS	22088	TOM	5	SAT	08:35	THU	13:00	1 NOV	£50	£20	£30
MANCHESTER	22106	TOM	5	SAT	06:00	THU	13:45	1 NOV	£70	£20	£30
NEWCASTLE	22148	TOM	5	SAT	06:30	THU	14:00	1 NOV	£70	£20	£30
GLASGOW	44055	TOM	5	SAT	07:30	THU	13:40	1 NOV	£80	£20	£30

Thomson Drea	m, Cru	ises t	from	Mala	ga, Tl	nurso	day, p	ages 40-42	)		
GATWICK 2¾ hrs	44115	TOM	7/14	THU	06.10	THU	12.55	6 NOV-20 NOV	£30	£20	£30
	44115	TOM	10	THU	06.10	SUN	13.35	6 NOV-20 NOV	£30	£20	£30
LUTON 2¾ hrs	44118	TOM	7/14	THU	06.45	THU	13.40	6 NOV-20 NOV	£0	£20	£30
CARDIFF 2½ hrs	44129	TOM	7/14	THU	06.05	THU	12.30	6 NOV-20 NOV	£40	£20	£30
	44129	TOM	10	THU	06.05	SUN	13.40	6 NOV-20 NOV	£40	£20	£30
BIRMINGHAM 2¾ hrs	44134	TOM	7/14	THU	06.00	THU	13.00	6 NOV-20 NOV	£40	£20	£30
	44134	TOM	10	THU	06.00	SUN	13.00	6 NOV-20 NOV	£40	£20	£30
EAST MIDLANDS 3 hrs	44138	TOM	7/14	THU	06.00	THU	13.00	6 NOV-20 NOV	£50	£20	£30
	44138	TOM	10	THU	06.00	SUN	13.50	6 NOV-20 NOV	£50	£20	£30
MANCHESTER 3 hrs	44145	TOM	7/14	THU	06.30	THU	13.45	6 NOV-20 NOV	£70	£20	£30
	44145	TOM	10	THU	06.30	THU	13.05	6 NOV-20 NOV	£70	£20	£30
NEWCASTLE 3 hrs	44154	TOM	7/14	THU	06.35	THU	14.00	6 NOV-20 NOV	£70	£20	£30
GLASGOW 31/4 hrs	44159	TOM	7/14	THU	06.00	THU	13.40	6 NOV-20 NOV	£80	£20	£30

# Eastern Mediterranean

# Summer 2014 Thomson Spirit

Thomson Spirit, Paphos to Liver				vith L	.ove,	23rd	April,	14 nights,			
GATWICK	17118	TOM	14	WED	08:40	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£20	£20	£28
LUTON	17122	TOM	14	WED	10:20	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£0	£20	£28
STANSTED	17124	TOM	14	WED	11:10	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£40	£20	£28
BRISTOL	17130	TOM	14	WED	11:20	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£40	£20	£28
CARDIFF	17132	TOM	14	WED	07:00	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£40	£20	£28
BIRMINGHAM	17134	TOM	14	WED	08:00	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£50	£20	£28
EAST MIDLANDS	17137	TOM	14	WED	11:45	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£40	£20	£28
MANCHESTER	17141	TOM	14	WED	09:05	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£120	£20	£28
	17142	TOM	14	WED	11:30	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£120	£20	£28
DONCASTER SHEFFIELD	17145	TOM	14	WED	09:10	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£90	£20	£28
NEWCASTLE	17147	TOM	14	WED	10:00	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£90	£20	£28
GLASGOW	17149	TOM	14	WED	09:30	N/A	N/A	23 APR	£90	£20	£28

Thomson Spiri	t, Medi	terra	nean	Expl	orer,	28th	Sept	ember,						
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GATWICK	21467	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	16:50	28-SEP	£30	£20	£33			
	21468	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	18:25	28-SEP	£30	£20	£33			
LUTON	21469	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	16:05	28-SEP	£0	£20	£33			
STANSTED	21470	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	16:25	28-SEP	£50	£20	£33			
NORWICH	21471	TBA	15	N/A	N/A	MON	15:50	28-SEP	£30	£20	£33			
BRISTOL	21472	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	22:35	28-SEP	£50	£20	£33			
CARDIFF	21473	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	17:00	28-SEP	£50	£20	£33			
BIRMINGHAM	21474	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	16:40	28-SEP	£60	£20	£33			
EAST MIDLANDS	21475	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	17:35	28-SEP	£60	£20	£33			
MANCHESTER	21476	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	17:20	28-SEP	£60	£20	£33			
	21477	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	18:15	28-SEP	£60	£20	£33			
DONCASTER SHEFFIELD	21478	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	17:55	28-SEP	£60	£20	£33			
LEEDS BRADFORD	21479	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	20:40	28-SEP	£60	£20	£33			
NEWCASTLE	21480	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	17:30	28-SEP	£50	£20	£33			
GLASGOW	21481	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	20:00	28-SEP	£70	£20	£33			
EDINBURGH	21482	TOM	15	N/A	N/A	MON	19:10	28-SEP	£60	£20	£33			

Airline Details: TOM Thomson Airways Boeing 787, 767, 757, 737 and Airbus A320, A321; DY Norwegian; JAF Jetairfly Boeing 737-800; LS JET2 Boeing 733; ST Germania Airlines A319; TBA Carrier to be confirmed; VOE Volotea Boeing 737-800.

<sup>\*</sup> For cruise holidays departing 28 Jun-9 Aug please ADD £60
\*\* For cruise holidays departing 28 Jun-9 Aug please ADD £120, for departures between 10-23 Aug, please ADD £50

# **FLIGHTS**

UK Airport	Flight Code	Airline Aircraft	No of	,	Time of	-	Time of	Departures	Supplemer per	Space	Extra Legroom	UK Airport	Flight Code	Airline Aircraft	No of		Time of		/Time of	Departures	Supplemer per	Space	Extr Legro
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Thomson Spirit, Dalaman to Pap				re, 1:	8th O	ctob	er,					Summer 2014		_				N	1		ב דר		
GATWICK	24434	TOM	9	MON	07:20	WED	18:45	13 OCT	£40	£50	£65	Thomson Celebra								/·   0		050	
	24436	TOM	9	MON	08:45	THU	18:45	13 OCT	£40	£50	£65	GATWICK 4 HRS	24434 24434	TOM TOM	7/14 10	MON	07.20 07.20	MON_ THU	16.50 16.45	5 MAY-20 OCT 5 MAY-20 OCT	£40 £40	£50 £50	£
LUTON	24447	TOM	9	MON	07:00	WED	17:35	13 OCT	£0	£50	£65		24436	TOM	7/14	MON	08.45	MON	18.25	21 JUL-20 OCT	£40	£50	£
TANSTED	24450	TOM	9	MON	07:15	WED	18:30	13 OCT	£50	£50	£65	LUTON 4 HRS	24447	TOM	7/14	MON	07.00	MON	16.05	5 MAY-20 OCT	£40	£50	£
BRISTOL	24462	TOM	9	MON	07:00	WED	17:40	13 OCT	£80	£50	£65		24447	TOM	11	MON	07.00	SAT	04.00	5 MAY-20 OCT	£40	£50	£
CARDIFF	24467	TOM	9	MON	07:00	WED	17:40	13 OCT	£80	£50	£65	STANSTED 4 HRS	24450	TOM	7/14	MON	07.15	MON	16.25	5 MAY-20 OCT	£50	£50	£
BIRMINGHAM	24472	TOM	9	MON	07:00	WED	17:40	13 OCT	£70	£50	£65	NODIMOLI 4 LIDO	24450	TOM	10	MON	07.15	FRI	03.05	5 MAY-20 OCT	£50	£50	£
EAST MIDLANDS	24478	TOM	9	MON	07:55	WED	18:05	13 OCT	083	£50	£65	NORWICH 4 HRS BOURNEMOUTH 41/4 HRS	24453 24457	TBA TOM	7/14 7/14	MON	07.00 13.15	MON	15.50 22.40	5 MAY-20 OCT 5 MAY-20 OCT	£40 £0	£50	2
MANCHESTER	24484	TOM	9	MON	07:05 08:25	WED THU	19:50 05:05	13 OCT 13 OCT	£80 08£	£50 £50	£65 £65	DOUTHLINGOTTI 4/4 TITO	24457	TOM	11	MON	13.15	SAT	01.20	5 MAY-15 SEP	£0	£50	£
DONCASTER SHEFFIELD	24485 24497	TOM	9	MON	08:20	WED	18:00	13 OCT	£90	£50	£65	EXETER 4½ HRS	24459	TOM	7/14	MON	12.45	MON	22.25	5 MAY-20 OCT	£50	£50	£
NEWCASTLE	25002	TOM	9	MON	07:35	WED	17:45	13 OCT	£90	£50	£65		24459	TOM	11	MON	12.45	FRI	01.35	5 MAY-20 OCT	£50	£50	£
GLASGOW	25006	TOM	9	MON	09:45	WED	21:20	13 OCT	£90	£50	£65	BRISTOL 4 HRS	24462	TOM	7/14	MON	13.05	MON	22.35	5 MAY-29 SEP	£80	£50	£
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Thomson Spirit,	, Easte	ern C	dyss	ey, 2	9th C	ctob)	er 201	14, 7 nigh	ts,			CARDIFF 4¼ HRS BIRMINGHAM 4 HRS	24467 24472	TOM	7/14 7/14	MON	07.00 07.00	MON	17.00 16.25	5 MAY-20 OCT 5 MAY-20 OCT	£80 £70	£50 £50	£
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GATWICK	24322	TOM	7	WED	09:30	WED	19:10	29 OCT	£0	£50	£65	EAST MIDLANDS 41/4 HRS	24478	TOM	7/14	MON	07.55	MON	17.35	5 MAY-20 OCT	£80	£50	£
CARDIFF	24340	TOM	7	WED	07:00	WED	22:00	29 OCT	£50	£50	£65	MANCHESTER 41/4 HRS	24484	TOM	7/14	MON	07.05	MON	17.20	21 JUL-20 OCT	£80	£50	£
BIRMINGHAM	24345	TOM	7	WED	07:00	WED	22:20	29 OCT	£50	£50	£65		24485	TOM	7/14	MON	08.25	MON	18.30	5 MAY-6 OCT	£80	£50	£
EAST MIDLANDS	24350	TOM	7	WED	07:30	WED	22:10	29 OCT	£50	£50	£65	DOMOACTED CHEETER S	24485	TOM	10	MON	08.25	THU	17.10	5 MAY-6 OCT	£80	£50	£
MANCHESTER CHEFFEE D	24355	TOM	7	WED	09:05	WED	20:10	29 OCT	£70	£50	£65	DONCASTER SHEFFIELD 41/4 HRS		TOM	7/14	MON	08.20	MON	17.55	5 MAY-20 OCT	£90	£50	£
DONCASTER SHEFFIELD	24362	TOM	7	WED	07:20	WED	20:00	29 OCT	£70	£50	£65		24497 24497	TOM	10 10	MON	08.20 08.20	<u>THU</u> FRI	18.00 02.45	5 MAY 12 MAY-20 OCT	£90	£50 £50	£
NEWCASTLE GLASGOW	24366 24370	TOM LS	7	WED	07:00 10:00	WED	20:55 21:00	29 OCT 29 OCT	£80 08£	£50 £50	£65 £65	LEEDS BRADFORD 41/4 HRS	24494	TOM	7/14	MON	10.35	MON	20.40	5 MAY-20 OCT	£80	£50	£
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												NEWCASTLE 41/4 HRS	25002	TOM	7/14	MON	07.35	MON	17.30	5 MAY-20 OCT	£120	£50	£
Summer 2014	Thor	nsor	ı Maj	esty									25002	TOM	11	MON	07.35	SAT	03.15	5 MAY-20 OCT	£120	£50	£
Thomson Majes	ty, Ta	ste o	f the	Med	iterra	anear	n, 31st	October	2014	,		GLASGOW 4½ HRS *	25006	TOM	7/14	MON	09.45	MON	20.00	5 MAY-20 OCT	£90	£50	£
14 nights, Corfu												*	25006	TOM	10	MON	09.45	FRI	01.25	5 MAY-20 OCT	£90	£50	£(
GATWICK	24046	TOM	14	FRI	06:40	FRI	18:45	31 OCT	£40	£50	£65	EDINBURGH 4½ HRS *	25009 25009	TOM_ TOM	7/14	MON	09.00	MON	19.00	5 MAY-20 OCT	£80 £80	£50 £50	£6
LUTON	24055	TOM	14	FRI	13:30	FRI	20:05	31 OCT	£0	£50	£65	BELFAST 4½ HRS **	25015	TOM	10 7/14	MON	09.00 07.00	FRI MON	05.05 17.25	5 MAY-20 OCT 26 MAY-1 SEP	£30	£50	£
STANSTED	24057	TOM	14	FRI	09:15	FRI	17:15	31 OCT	£50	£50	£65						07.00	INIOIN	17.20	20 1971 1 021	200	200	
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CARDIFF	24069	TOM	14	FRI	07:50	FRI	19:55	31 OCT	083	£50	£65						doparang	12 21 11	iug, piouoo	700 200			
BIRMINGHAM EACT MIDLANDS	24071	TOM	14	FRI	09:50	FRI	21:00	31 OCT	£70	£50	£65	Summer 2014	Ihor	nsor	ı Spi	rit							
EAST MIDLANDS DONCASTER SHEFFIELD	24075	TOM	14 14	FRI	14:00	FRI FRI	20:00	31 OCT	£70 £80	£50 £50	£65	Thomson Spirit,	Cruis	es f	om (	ypru	ıs, We	edne	sday,	page 48			
NEWCASTLE	24089 24093	TOM	14	FRI	06:00 08:20	FRI	20:20	31 OCT 31 OCT	£100	£50	£65 £65	GATWICK 4½ hrs	24321	DY	7/14	WED	08.15	WED	17.45	22 OCT	£20	-	
GLASGOW	24096	TOM	14	FRI	06:40	FRI	21:05	31 OCT	£90	£50	£65		24321	DY	11	WED	08.15	SUN	17.45	22 OCT	£20	-	
EDINBURGH	24098	TOM	14	FRI	08:20	FRI	21:30	31 OCT	£90	£50	£65		24322	TOM	7/14	WED	09.30	WED	19.55	22 OCT	£20	£50	£
MANCHESTER	24079	TOM	14	FRI	14:10	FRI	18:35	31 OCT	£100	£50	£65	LUTON 41/ has	24322	TOM	10	WED	09.30	SUN	01.05	22 OCT	£20	£50	£
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Thomson Majes	ty, Cr	uises	from	n Cor	fu, Fi	riday	, page	s 49-51 a	and 39	)		STANSTED 41/4 hrs	24327	TOM	7/14	WED	08.15	WED	18.30	22 OCT	£20	£50	£
GATWICK 3 hrs	24046	TOM	7/14	FRI	06.40	FRI	14.00	2 MAY-24 OCT		£50	£65	OTANOTED 4/4 III3	24330	TOM	10	WED	08.15	SUN	01.20	22 OCT	£20	£50	£
a triviol o nio	24046	TOM	10	FRI	06.40	MON	15.05	2 MAY-12 SEP		£50	£65	BRISTOL 4½ hrs	24337	TOM	7/14	WED	07.00	WED	17.40	22 OCT	£40	£50	£
	24047	TOM	7/14	FRI	14.40	FRI	21.55	23 MAY-12 SEP		£50	£65	CARDIFF 4½ hrs	24340	TOM	7/14	WED	07.00	WED	17.40	22 OCT	£50	£50	£
	24047	TOM	10	FRI	14.40	MON	13.30	23 MAY-12 SEP		£50	£65	BIRMINGHAM 41/2 hrs	24345	TOM	7/14	WED	07.00	WED	17.40	22 OCT	£50	£50	£
LUTON 3 hrs	24055	TOM	7/14	FRI	13.30	FRI	20.50	2 MAY-24 OCT	£40	£50	£65		24345	TOM	11	WED	07.00	MON	02.25	22 OCT	£50	£50	£
STANSTED 3 hrs	24057	TOM	7/14	FRI	09.15	FRI	16.25	2 MAY-24 OCT	£50	£50	£65	EAST MIDLANDS 41/2 hrs	24350	TOM	7/14	WED	07.30	WED	18.05	22 OCT	£50	£50	£
NORWICH 3 hrs	24060	ST	7/14	FRI	06.00	FRI	22.45	2 MAY-24 OCT	£40	-	-	MANCHECTED 43/ has	24350	TOM	7/1 4	WED	07.30	SUN	02.05	22 OCT	£50	£50	£
BOURNEMOUTH 3½ hrs	24062	TOM	7/14	FRI	07.15	FRI	14.40	2 MAY-19 SEP	£0	£50	£65	MANCHESTER 4¾ hrs	24355 24355	TOM	7/14	WED	09.05 09.05	SUN	19.50 21.15	22 OCT 22 OCT	£70 £70	£50 £50	£
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24100 ST 7/14 FRI 14.55 FRI 13.50

NEWCASTLE 31/4 hrs

GLASGOW 3¾ hrs

EDINBURGH 3½ hrs

ABERDEEN 31/2 hrs

7/14 \* For cruise holidays departing 27 Jun-8 Aug, please ADD £120, and departing 9-22 Aug please ADD £50

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45141 TOM 7/14 WED 10.00 WED 20.55

45141 TOM

EAST MIDLANDS 41/2 hrs

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NEWCASTLE 4¾ hrs

GLASGOW 5 hrs

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Thomson Celebration, Mediterranean Flavours, 5th November 2014, 10 nights, Paphos to Malaga, page 56 GATWICK 45108 TOM WED 08:40 SAT 13:05 05 NOV £30 £30 £40 BIRMINGHAM SAT 45124 TOM 10 WED 11:35 22:15 05 NOV £60 £30 £40 MANCHESTER WED SAT 13:50 £30 £40 NEWCASTLE 45141 TOM 10 WED 10:00 SAT 14:15 05 NOV 580 £30 £40 GLASGOW 09:30 SAT £30 £40 45143 TOM 10 WED 23:15 05 NOV £80 TOM WED SAT 05 NOV £30

# **FLIGHTS**



Thomson Dream Montego Bay to					set 25	nigh	nts, 7th	n April 20	15, 2	5 nig	hts,
GATWICK	43086	TOM	25	TUE	09:15	SAT	14:25	07 APR	£0	£45	£15
BIRMINGHAM	43097	TOM	25	TUE	09:55	SAT	14:20	07 APR	£0	£45	£15
MANCHESTER	43107	TOM	25	TUE	09:15	SAT	12:15	07 APR	£0	£45	£15

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GATWICK 9½ hrs	43086	TOM	7/14	TUE	09.15	WED	07.10	23 DEC-14 APR	£0	£70	
	43088	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.30	WED	08.30	23 DEC	£0	£70	
	43089	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.00	WED	07.30	23 DEC	£0	£70	
	43089	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.00	WED	08.15	31 MAR	£0	£70	
CARDIFF 10 hrs	43093	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.30	WED	08.10	20 JAN	£0	£70	
	43093	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.30	WED	07.20	17 MAR	£0	£70	
BIRMINGHAM 9½ hrs	43097	TOM	7/14	TUE	09.55	WED	06.30	23 DEC-7 APR	£0	£70	
EAST MIDLANDS 10 hrs	43101	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.10	WED	07.20	27 JAN	£0	£70	
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	43109	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.10	TUE	07.20	23 DEC	£30	£70	
	43109	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.10	TUE	06.15	7 APR	£30	£70	
	43110	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.10	WED	08.10	30 DEC	£30	£70	
	43110	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.10	WED	08.10	10 FEB	£30	£70	
OONCASTER SHEFFIELD 9¾ hrs	43116	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.15	WED	08.20	10 MAR	£0	£70	
IEWCASTLE 9% hrs	43114	TOM	7/14	TUE	09.15	WED	07.20	13 JAN	£0	£70	
	43114	TOM	7/14	TUE	09.15	WED	07.20	3 FEB	£0	£70	
	43114	TOM	7/14	TUE	09.15	WED	07.20	24 FEB	£0	£70	
	43114	TOM	7/14	TUE	09.15	WED	07.20	24 MAR	£0	£70	
GLASGOW 9½ hrs	43118	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.30	WED	07.00	6 JAN	£0	£70	
	43118	TOM	7/14	TUE	10.30	WED	07.00	3 MAR	£0	£70	

# Caribbean

# Winter 2013/14 Thomson Dream

Thomson Dream, Atlantic Explorer, 13th April, 20 nights, Barbados to Palma, page 77													
GATWICK 18150 TOM 20 SUN 09:15 SAT 14:25 13 APR £30 £50 £18*													
	18150	TOM	20	SUN	09:15	SAT	11:50	13 APR	£30	£50	£18*		
BIRMINGHAM	18175	TOM	20	SUN	10:30	SAT	14:20	13 APR	£0	£45	£18*		
MANCHESTER	18185	TOM	20	SUN	09:50	SAT	14:10	13 APR	£50	£50	£18*		
	18185	TOM	20	SUN	09:50	SAT	12:15	13 APR	£50	£50	£18*		
	18187	TOM	20	SUN	11:00	SAT	19:40	13 APR	£50	£45	£18*		
NEWCASTLE	18196	TOM	20	SUN	09:15	SAT	13:00	13 APR	£30	£45	£18*		
	18196	TOM	20	SUN	09:15	SAT	21:15	13 APR	£30	£45	£18*		
* Extra legroom supplemen	nt applies one wa	y - on int	ound flig	ht from P	alma only								

Thomson Dream, Atlantic Explorer, 6th April, 27 nights, Barbados to Palma, page 77												
GATWICK	18150	TOM	27	SUN	09:15	SAT	11:50	06 APR	£30	£55	£18*	
BIRMINGHAM	18175	TOM	27	SUN	10:30	SAT	14:20	06 APR	£0	£45	£18*	
MANCHESTER	18185	TOM	27	SUN	09:50	SAT	14:10	06 APR	£50	£55	£18*	

# Winter 2014/15 Thomson Dream

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GATWICK	44254	TOM	17	SAT	08:25	TUE	07:10	06 DEC	£0	£58	£28
MANCHESTER	44278	TOM	17	SAT	09:10	TUE	06:45	06 DEC	£0	£58	£28
GLASGOW	44288	TOM	17	SAT	09:00	TUE	07:00	06 DEC	£0	£58	£28

Thomson Dream, Transatlantic Sunrise, 4th December 2014, 19 nights, Arrecife to Montego Bay, page 78														
GATWICK	44299	TOM	19	THU	09:40	TUE	07:10	04 DEC	£0	£58	£28			
BIRMINGHAM	44323	TOM	19	THU	11:55	TUE	06:30	04 DEC	£0	£58	£28			
MANCHESTER	44333	TOM	19	THU	11:35	TUE	06:45	04 DEC	£0	£58	£28			
GLASGOW	44342	TOM	19	THU	09:25	TUE	07:00	04 DEC	£0	£58	£28			

	Thomson Dream, Transatlantic Sunrise, 5th December 2014, 18 nights, Santa Cruz to Montego Bay, page 78														
GATWICK	44169	TOM	18	FRI	10:55	TUE	08:30	05 DEC	£0	£58	£28				
MANCHESTER	44214	TOM	18	FRI	10:50	TUE	07:50	05 DEC	£0	£58	£28				
BIRMINGHAM	44204	TOM	18	FRI	11:10	TUE	06:30	05 DEC	£0	£58	£28				
GLASGOW	44238	TOM	18	FRI	10:35	TUE	07:00	05 DEC	£0	£58	£28				

Thomson Dream, Transatlantic Sunset, 14th April 2015, 18 nights,															
Montego Bay	Montego Bay to Palma, page 79														
GATWICK	43086	TOM	18	TUE	09:15	SAT	11:50	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				
	43086	TOM	18	TUE	09:15	SAT	14:25	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				
BIRMINGHAM	43097	TOM	18	TUE	09:55	SAT	14:20	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				
MANCHESTER	43107	TOM	18	TUE	09:15	SAT	19:40	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				
	43107	TOM	18	TUE	09:15	SAT	14:10	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				
	43109	TOM	18	TUE	09:45	SAT	14:10	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				
	43109	TOM	18	TUE	09:45	SAT	12:15	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				
NEWCASTLE	43114	TOM	18	TUE	10:10	SAT	13:00	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				
	43114	TOM	18	TUE	10:10	SAT	21:15	14 APR	£0	£45	£15				

# Winter 2014/15 Thomson Celebration

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Thomson Celebration, Caribbean Quest, 15th November 2014, 15 nights, Malaga to Bridgetown, page 86														
GATWICK	44113	TOM	15	SAT	06:30	SUN	06:45	15-NOV	£0	£53	£15			
	44111	TOM	15	SAT	06:15	SUN	07:20	15-NOV	£0	£53	£15			
	44110	TOM	15	SAT	09:05	SUN	06:45	15-NOV	£0	£53	£15			
	44110	TOM	15	SAT	09:05	SUN	07:20	15-NOV	£0	£53	£15			
BIRMINGHAM	44132	TOM	15	SAT	15:25	SUN	06:00	15-NOV	£0	£53	£15			
MANCHESTER	44142	TOM	15	SAT	06:45	SUN	05:05	15-NOV	£0	£53	£15			
	44146	TOM	15	SAT	07:20	SUN	04:35	15-NOV	£0	£53	£15			

Thomson Celebration, Transatlantic Moments, 12th April 2015, 12 nights, Bridgetown to Santa Cruz, page 80													
GATWICK	43180	TOM	12	SUN	11:15	FRI	18:45	12 APR	£0	£65	£28		
	43180	TOM	12	SUN	11:15	FRI	20:45	12 APR	£0	£65	£28		
BIRMINGHAM	43186	TOM	12	SUN	09:55	FRI	21:00	12 APR	£0	£65	£28		
BIRMINGHAM/EAST MIDLANDS	43186	TOM	12	SUN	09:55	FRI	20:00	12 APR	£0	£65	£28		
MANCHESTER	43192	TOM	12	SUN	09:30	FRI	00:45	12 APR	£0	£65	£28		
	43192	TOM	12	SUN	09:30	FRI	21:00	12 APR	£0	£65	£28		
GLASGOW	43200	TOM	12	SUN	10:15	FRI	01:25	12 APR	£0	£65	£28		

Thomson Celebration, Transatlantic Moments, 5th April 2015, 19 nights, Bridgetown to Santa Cruz, page 80													
GATWICK	43180	TOM	19	SUN	11:15	FRI	20:45	05 APR	£0	£65	£28		
BIRMINGHAM	43186	TOM	19	SUN	09:55	FRI	21:00	05 APR	£0	£65	£28		
MANCHESTER	43192	TOM	19	SUN	09:30	FRI	21:00	05 APR	50	£65	£28		

Thomson Celebration, Cruises from Barbados, Sunday, pages 87-89 Premium service is available on these flights from £199.														
GATWICK 9 hrs 43180 TOM 7/14 SUN 11.15 MON 06.45 30 NOV-12 APR £0 £85 -														
	43181	TOM	7/14	SUN	11.50	MON	07.20	30 NOV	£0	£85	-			
BIRMINGHAM 9 hrs	43186	TOM	7/14	SUN	09.55	MON	06.00	30 NOV-5 APR	£0	£85	_			
MANCHESTER 9 hrs	43192	TOM	7/14	SUN	09.30	MON	05.05	30 NOV-5 APR	£30	£85	-			
	43193	TOM	7/14	SUN	09.15	MON	04.35	30 NOV-12 APR	£30	£85	_			

Airline Details: TOM Thomson Airways Boeing 787, 767, 757, 737 and Airbus A320, A321; DY Norwegian; JAF Jetairfly Boeing 737-800; LS JET2 Boeing 733; ST Germania Airlines A319; TBA Carrier to be confirmed; VOE Volotea Boeing 737-800.

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# Canary Islands & Morocco

# Winter 2014/15 Thomson Majesty

Winter 2014/15 Thomson Majesty											
Thomson Majest	y, Cri	uises	from	Ter	nerife,	Fric	lay, p	ages 91-93			
GATWICK 4¼ hrs	44168	TOM	7/14	FRI	09.10	FRI	18.45	7 NOV-17 APR	£20	£45	£55
	44168	TOM	10	FRI	09.10	MON	18.15	7 NOV-17 APR	£20	£45	£55
	44169	TOM	7/14	FRI	10.55	FRI	20.45	7 NOV-17 APR	£20	£45	£55
	44169	TOM	11	FRI	10.55	TUE	19.30	7 NOV-17 APR	£20	£45	£55
LUTON 41/4 hrs	44180	TOM	7/14	FRI	10.05	FRI	20.05	7 NOV-20 MAR	£20	£45	£55
	44180	TOM	7/14	FRI	07.00	FRI	16.45	27 MAR-17 APR	£20	£45	£55
	44180	TOM	11	FRI	10.05	TUE	17.55	7 NOV-13 FEB	£20	£45	£55
	44180	TOM	11	FRI	10.05	WED	00.05	20 MAR	£20	£45	£55
	44180	TOM	11	FRI	07.00	WED	00.05	27 MAR-17 APR	£20	£45	£55
STANSTED 4½ hrs	44183	TOM	7/14	FRI	07.15	FRI	17.15	7 NOV-17 APR	£30	£45	£55
	44183	TOM	11	FRI	07.15	TUE	18.00	7 NOV-13 FEB	£30	£45	£55
	44183	TOM	11	FRI	07.15	TUE	23.15	20 MAR-17 APR	£30	£45	£55
BOURNEMOUTH 4 hrs	44188	TOM	7/14	FRI	09.00	FRI	18.20	7 NOV-17 APR	£0	£45	£55
	44188	TOM	11	FRI	09.00	TUE	17.35	7 NOV-17 APR	93	£45	£55
EXETER 4 hrs	44192	TOM	7/14	FRI	07.25	FRI	16.45	7 NOV-17 APR	£50	£45	£55
	44192	TOM	11	FRI	07.25	TUE	17.30	7 NOV-13 FEB	£50	£45	£55
	44192	TOM	11	FRI	07.25	TUE	23.40	20 MAR-17 APR	£50	£45	£55
BRISTOL 4 hrs	44196	TOM	7/14	FRI	11.00	FRI	20.35	7 NOV-20 MAR	£20	£45	£55
	44196	TOM	7/14	FRI	07.00	FRI	16.15	27 MAR-17 APR	£20	£45	£55
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	44196	TOM	11	FRI	07.00	WED	00.10	27 MAR-17 APR	£20	£45	£55
CARDIFF 4 hrs	44199	TOM	7/14	FRI	10.30	FRI	19.55	7 NOV-17 APR	£50	£45	£55
UNIDIT TIIS	44199	TOM	11	FRI	10.30	TUE	23.35	7 NOV-17 APR	£50	£45	£55
BIRMINGHAM 41/4 hrs	44204	TOM	7/14	FRI	11.10	FRI	21.00	7 NOV-17 APR	£40	£45	£55
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	44204	TOM	11	FRI	11.10	WED	00.20	20 MAR-17 APR	£40	£45	£55
EAST MIDLANDS 41/4 hrs	44208	TOM	7/14	FRI	10.00	FRI	20.00	7 NOV-17 APR	£60	£45	£55
	44208	TOM	11	FRI	10.00	TUE	21.05	7 NOV-20 MAR	£60	£45	£55
	44208	TOM	11	FRI	10.00	WED	00.25	27 MAR-17 APR	£60	£45	£55
MANCHESTER 4½ hrs	44213	TOM	7/14	FRI	08.25	FRI	18.35	7 NOV-27 FEB	£70	£45	£55
	44213	TOM	7/14	FRI	14.45	SAT	00.45	6 MAR-17 APR	£70	£45	£55
	44213	TOM	10	FRI	08.25	MON	18.25	7 NOV-19 DEC	£70	£45	£55
	44213	TOM	10	FRI	08.25	MON	23.55	26 DEC	£70	£45	£55
	44213	TOM	10	FRI	08.25	MON	18.25	27 JAN-27 FEB	£70	£45	£55
	44213	TOM	10	FRI	14.45	MON	18.25	6 MAR-17 APR	£70	£45	£55
	44214	TOM	7/14	FRI	10.50	FRI	21.00	7 NOV-26 DEC	£70	£45	£55
	44214	TOM	7/14	FRI	13.55	FRI	23.55	2 JAN	£70	£45	£55
	44214	TOM	7/14	FRI	10.50	FRI	21.00	9 JAN-17 APR	£70	£45	£55
	44214	TOM	11	FRI	10.50	TUE	18.50	7 NOV-26 DEC	£70	£45	£55
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DONCASTER SHEFFIELD 4½ hrs		TOM	7/14	FRI	14.20	SAT	00.20	7 NOV-17 APR	£60	£45	£55
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	44227	TOM	11	FRI	14.20	TUE	21.00	28 NOV-20 FEB	£60	£45	£55
	44227	TOM	11	FRI	14.20	WED	01.15	27 FEB-17 APR	£60	£45	£55
NEWCASTLE 4½ hrs	44232	TOM	7/14	FRI	09.55	FRI	20.20	7 NOV-17 APR	£80	£45	£55
	44233	TOM	7/14	FRI	11.45	FRI	21.55	14 NOV-17 APR	£80	£45	£55
	44233	TOM	11	FRI	11.45	TUE	19.05	14 NOV-20 MAR	£80	£45	£55
	44233	TOM	11	FRI	11.45	WED	01.25	27 MAR-17 APR	£80	£45	£55
GLASGOW 4½ hrs	44238	TOM	7/14	FRI	10.35	FRI	21.05	7 NOV-20 MAR	£80	£45	£55
	44238	TOM	7/14	FRI	15.15	SAT	01.25	27 MAR-17 APR	£80	£45	£55
	44238	TOM	11	FRI	10.35	TUE	19.40	7 NOV-20 MAR	£80	£45	£55
	44238	TOM	11	FRI	15.15	WED	01.50	27 MAR-17 APR	£80	£45	£55
	44238	TOM	10	FRI	10.35	MON	20.35	7 NOV-20 MAR	£80	£45	£55
	44238	TOM	10	FRI	15.15	MON	20.35	27 MAR-17 APR	£80	£45	£55
EDINBURGH 4¾ hrs	44244	TOM	7/14	FRI	10.35	FRI	21.30	7 NOV-17 APR	£70	£45	£55
	44244	TOM	10	FRI	10.35	TUE	13.30	7 NOV-17 APR	£70	£45	£55

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GATWICK 41/4 hrs	44253	TOM	7/14	SAT	14.40	SUN	00.15	4 APR-18 APR	£30	£45	£55
	44254	TOM	7/14	SAT	08.25	SAT	18.00	8 NOV-13 DEC	£30	£45	£55
	44254	TOM	7/14	SAT	14.25	SUN	00.05	20 DEC-18 APR	£30	£45	£55
LUTON 41/4 hrs	44260	TOM	7/14	SAT	08.00	SAT	17.40	8 NOV-13 DEC	£0	£45	£55
	44260	TOM	7/14	SAT	15.25	SUN	01.15	20 DEC-18 APR	£0	£45	£55
BRISTOL 41/4 hrs	44268	TOM	7/14	SAT	10.40	SAT	19.55	8 NOV-13 DEC	£30	£45	£55
	44268	TOM	7/14	SAT	15.55	SUN	01.10	20 DEC-18 APR	£30	£45	£55
MANCHESTER 4½ hrs	44278	TOM	7/14	SAT	09.10	SAT	19.10	8 NOV-6 DEC	£70	£45	£55
	44278	TOM	7/14	SAT	13.55	SUN	00.15	13 DEC-18 APR	£70	£45	£55
DONCASTER SHEFFIELD 4½ hrs	44284	TOM	7/14	SAT	15.15	SUN	01.15	8 NOV-18 APR	£60	£45	£55
GLASGOW 4% hrs	44288	TOM	7/14	SAT	09.00	SAT	19.20	8 NOV-20 DEC	£80	£45	£55
	44288	TOM	7/14	SAT	14.40	SUN	01.00	27 DEC-18 APR	£80	£45	£55

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GATWICK	44168	TOM	14	FRI	09:10	FRI	14:00	17 APR	£20	£56	£61
LUTON	44180	TOM	14	FRI	07:00	FRI	20:50	17 APR	£0	£56	£61
BRISTOL	44196	TOM	14	FRI	07:00	FRI	22:30	17 APR	£30	£56	£61
BIRMINGHAM	44204	TOM	14	FRI	11:10	FRI	17:20	17 APR	£40	£56	£61
MANCHESTER	44214	TOM	14	FRI	10:50	FRI	13:50	17 APR	£70	£56	£61
NEWCASTLE	44232	TOM	14	FRI	09:55	FRI	16:10	17 APR	£80	£56	£61
GLASGOW	44238	TOM	14	FRI	15:15	FRI	15:00	17 APR	£80	£56	£61

Thomson Majesty, Cultural Classics, 18th April 2015, 13 nights, Gran Canaria to Corfu, page 43											
GATWICK	44254	TOM	13	SAT	14:25	FRI	14:00	18 APR	£20	£56	£61
MANCHESTER	44278	TOM	13	SAT	13:55	FRI	13:50	18 APR	£70	£56	£61
LUTON	44260	TOM	13	SAT	15:25	FRI	20:50	18 APR	£0	£56	£61
GLASGOW	44288	TOM	13	SAT	14:40	FRI	15:00	18 APR	£80	£56	£61

Airline Details: TOM Thomson Airways Boeing 787, 767, 757, 737 and Airbus A320, A321; DY Norwegian; JAF Jetairfly Boeing 737-800; LS JET2 Boeing 733; ST Germania Airlines A319; TBA Carrier to be confirmed; VOE Volotea Boeing 737-800.

# OUR AGREEMENT WITH YOU, AND YOURS WITH US

# OUR AGREEMENT WITH YOU

We are TUI UK Limited, Company Number 02830117, having its Registered Office address at TUI Travel House, Crawley Business Quarter, Fleming Way, Crawley, West Sussex RH10 9QL and Our Agreement With You sets out what you are legally entitled to expect from us when you buy a Package Holiday from us and will not apply to any course of dealings between us other than the Package Holiday booked. The Package Holiday as advertised by us will also have restrictions set out in our A-Z Guide which should also be read carefully. Because we sell a wide variety of Package Holidays you should read our A-Z Guide and these terms and conditions carefully, before you book, to see how they affect your specific travel arrangements made by us

# 1. Your Travel Booking

Whether you book alone or as a group, we will only deal with the lead booking name in all subsequent correspondence, including changes, amendments and cancellations. You must be 18 years old and possess the legal capacity and authority to book as the lead name and travel on holidays with us and take up the offers advertised by us if they are still available. You are responsible for ensuring the accuracy of the personal details or any other information supplied in respect of yourself and any other person travelling on the booking and for passing on any information regarding the booking or any changes made in relation thereto, to all persons travelling on such booking, including but not limited to information on schedule changes or copies of booking confirmations. In addition, if your holiday includes a flight, you are also responsible for

- (a) notifying us prior to the time of booking of any personal circumstances and needs pertaining to a person included in the booking including, without limitation, whether any such person is not self reliant or is a person with mobility for example if you, or a member of your party, have difficulty in walking 500 metres; and
- (b) notifying us at any time from the time of booking until 48 hours prior to the flight's departure by calling our call centre if any person travelling on the booking has ceased to be self reliant or a person with reduced mobility or if a person previously reported to be with reduced mobility or as not being self reliant does no longer fall into

It is a condition of your booking with us that you and all other members of your party, including infants and children, are adequately insured on holiday. Any person who is under 18 years old must be accompanied by an adult on his or her journey. There may be other restrictions and conditions on some offers, but these are explained in the details of those offers. When you or (if you are booking through a travel agent) your travel agent ask for your booking to be confirmed, we will confirm the booking there and then, and set aside your chosen accommodation, holiday or transport for you. Next, we will send you or your travel agent a Confirmation Invoice within 14 days.

We may not be able to confirm some of our ground arrangements straightaway (e.g. bespoke accommodation, tours etc). In these instances we may issue a Confirmation Invoice. However, a contract for arrangements that have not been confirmed on that invoice will only be made when we have sent you written confirmation that those additional arrangements have been completed. If there is any change to any of the details discussed at the time of booking, before the Confirmation Invoice is issued, we will notify you promptly of any new or changed details, including a change to the total price (if any). If any detail on the Confirmation Invoice is not correct tell us or your travel agent immediately. If there is an obvious error on the Confirmation Invoice we reserve the right to correct it as soon as we become aware of it, but we will do this within 7 days of issuing the Confirmation Invoice or, if your departure is within 7 days, no later than 24 hours before you go. If any of these changes are not acceptable then you will be entitled to a full refund.

The contractual terms of Our Agreement apply between you and us because you have chosen a Package Holiday with us (hereafter, a "holiday") which is a 'package' within the meaning of The Package Travel, Package Holidays and Package Tours Regulations 1992 and will enjoy the benefits conferred by it. Excursions or other tours that you may choose to book or pay for whilst you are on holiday, whether or not booked through one of our official representatives, are not part of your package holiday provided by us. We may transfer your booking to another company within our group, but this will have no effect on your holiday arrangements. The price of your holiday will include the Air Passenger Duty for an economy seat. If you upgrade to a premium cabin this will be included in the upgrade cost. 2. The Price You Pay

All prices we advertise are accurate at the date published, but we reserve the right to change any of those prices from time to time. Prices include a cost for fuel that was estimated at the date of this publication. We reserve the right to add a fuel supplement to holiday prices should this increase after the date of this publication. Prices can go up or down. We will be able to tell you or your travel agent the up-to-date price of your chosen travel arrangements

and of any other services advertised by us before confirming your booking.

We reserve the right to increase the price of your holiday after you have booked but no later than 30 days before the departure date stipulated and will forward an Amendment Invoice reflecting any changes made. After a Confirmation Invoice has been sent to you, any increase to your holiday price will be as the result of changes in our costs of supplying your holiday resulting from transportation changes (fuel, airport charges, scheduled air fares and other transport charges which form part of our contract with the transport provider), currency fluctuations and government action. An administration charge and any relevant travel agent's commission is included within these amounts.

If the increase would be 2% or less of the holiday price shown on your Confirmation Invoice (excluding insurance premiums and any amendment charges), we will absorb the changes in our costs described above and will only pass on any increase above that level. If any change in our costs would cause a reduction in your holiday price, we will not make refunds of amounts less than 2% of your holiday price (calculated as above), but we will refund in full amounts exceeding such 2%, after deducting an administration charge of £1.

If the increase is more than 10% of the holiday price (calculated as above), then: -

- 1. You may cancel your holiday booking within 14 days of the Amendment Invoice date and receive a refund of all monies paid to us except any amendment charges; we will only consider an appropriate refund of insurance premium paid if you can show us that you are unable to transfer or re-use your policy; and
- 2. The increase will be considered a Major Change as described in section 4 below and, unless you choose to cancel under paragraph 1 above, you will be entitled to the alternatives set out in section 4 for those circumstances, but in either case you will receive compensation in accordance with section 4.

The price quoted on the last Amendment Invoice issued is guaranteed, unless you change your holiday booking. Any increases in our costs which occur after the last Amendment Invoice has been sent will be borne by us. Should you instruct your readit/debit card company to "charge back" any payment(s) properly due from you in respect of your booking, we will charge you a fee of £10 per incident and associated costs. We further reserve the right to cancel your booking and/or take legal action against you for all outstanding payment(s).

# 3. If We Cancel Your Booking

We aim to provide your holiday as booked. But if, for example, there are not enough people booked on your holiday or you do not pay the balance of the holiday price on time, we may cancel it. We reserve the right to cancel your holiday in any circumstances but if we cancel your holiday, except where this is because you have not paid, you can either have a refund or accept a replacement holiday from us of equivalent or similar standard and price, if can either have a retund or accept a replacement holiday from us of equivalent or similar standard and price, if we are able to offer you one. We may offer you a replacement holiday from another TUI Travel Group company. Should you choose this option the terms and conditions of your holiday will not change and these conditions will still apply to your booking. In either case, we will pay you compensation, using the scale shown (unless we cancel your holiday because you do not pay us the balance of the holiday price or because of one of the events listed in the 'Important Note – Events Beyond Our Control' apply) and we will always refund the difference in price if the replacement holiday is of a lower standard and price. We will not cancel your holiday after the balance du date, unless this is the result of one of the events in the 'Important Note – Events Beyond Our Control', or you have not paid.

# 4. If We Change Your Booking Details

We hope that we will not have to make any change to your holiday but, because our holidays are planned many months in advance, we sometimes do need to make changes. We reserve the right to do this at any time. We will let you or your travel agent know about any important changes when you book. If you have already booked, we will let you know as soon as we can, if there is time before your departure. Flight timings shown by us are for guidance only and may change. Occasionally it may be necessary to change the aircraft type for your flight, which may mean that some facilities such as in-flight entertainment or the advertised seat pitch may not be available. Where we are unable to provide a seat option that you have paid for we will refund the amount you have paid. In summer 2013, if you have paid a premium in your flight supplement for a flight that was planned to be operated by the 787 Dreamliner and we have to change the aircraft type, you will receive a refund of the part of the premium for the relevant flight. Your Confirmation Invoice will show the latest planned timings. Your actual flight timings will be shown on your ticket (including any e ticket itinerary), which you should check carefully as soon as you receive it.

# Major Changes To Your Holiday

Occasionally, we have to make major changes to the flight or accommodation making up your holiday with us Occasionally, we have to make major changes to the flight or accommodation making up your holiday with us. Major changes to your holiday for which we will pay compensation unless the change is for reasons beyond our control (see 'Important Note - Events Beyond Our Control'), using the scale shown, may include the following changes: a significant change of destination, a change in accommodation to that of a lower category, a change in the time of your departure or return flight by more than 12 hours, a change of UK departure airport (excluding changes between London airports, London, Ebbsfleet and Ashford stations and between Dover/Folkestone ports). A delay to your flight that we need to make within 24 hours before you are due to depart will not considered a major change unless the delay is for more than 24 hours. These changes are only examples and there may be other reinsificant changes which contribute mains changes. significant changes which constitute major changes.

If we tell you about any of these changes after we have confirmed your holiday booking, you may either:

- accept the new arrangements offered by us; or
- accept a replacement holiday from us of equivalent or similar standard and price, at the date of the change, if we are able to offer you one. We may offer you a replacement holiday from another TUI Travel Group company. Should you choose this option the terms and conditions of your holiday will not change and these conditions will still apply to your booking; or
- cancel your holiday with us and receive a full refund of all monies paid.

Either way, we will pay you compensation, using the Compensation table shown, unless the change is for reasons beyond our control (see the `Important Note — Events Beyond Our Control') and we will always refund the difference in price if the replacement holiday is of a lower standard and price, at the date of the change.

This standard payment will not affect your statutory or other legal rights. We will only make one payment for each full-fare-paying adult in the holiday booking. Any children not paying the full adult fare will receive 50% of these amounts. Children using a free child place will not receive any standard payment.

# **COMPENSATION**

Any compensation payable will be on these scales based on how many days before your booked holiday departure we tell you of a major change.

Period before departure when a major change is notified Compensation payable per person

84 days or more	U
83-29 days	£10
28-15 days	£20
14-8 days	£30
7-0 days	£40

If any major change indicated above is not acceptable to you, you can cancel your holiday booking. In this case, we will refund all the money you have paid us and will pay you compensation, as shown above, depending on how many days before your holiday we tell you about this change unless the change is for reasons beyond our control (see `Important Note - Events Beyond Our Control'). This standard payment will not affect your statutory or other legal rights.

# Important Note - Events Beyond Our Control

Events beyond our control include: war, threat of war, riots, civil disturbances, terrorist activity and its consequences, industrial disputes, natural and nuclear disasters, fire, epidemics, health risks and pandemics, unavoidable and unforeseeable technical problems with transport for reasons beyond our control or that of our suppliers; closed or congested airports or ports, hurricanes and other actual or potential severe weather conditions, and any other similar events. In February 2005 a new Europe-wide law relating to denied boarding, delays and cancellation of flights came into force. This law granted rights to passengers including in certain circumstances the right to cancel their flight and receive reimbursement of the cost of the flight from their airline. Full details of these rights is publicised at EU airports and is also available from affected airlines. You should note that reimbursement of the cost of a flight that forms part of your holiday is the responsibility of your airline and will not automatically entitle you to reimbursement of the cost of your holiday from us.

# 5. What Happens To Holiday Complaints

We can usually resolve out any complaints you may have. But if we cannot agree, The Passenger Shipping Association offers an efficient conciliation scheme at no cost. For more information please contact the Passenger Shipping Association on 0207 436 2449 or visit www.the-psa.co.uk.

Alternatively, you can take the matter to an arbitrator under the Arbitration Scheme devised for the travel industry by the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators. This is a simple way of sorting out complaints and there are limits on the costs you might have to pay. You do not have to appear in person, but can send documents to explain your complaint. Details and application forms are available from ABTA, 30 Park Street, London SE1 9EQ.

# YOUR FINANCIAL PROTECTION

When you buy an ATOL protected flight or flight inclusive holiday from us you will receive an ATOL Certificate. This lists what is financially protected, where you can get information on what this means for you and who to contact if things go wrong.

We, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL Certificate, will provide you with the services listed on the ATOL Certificate, or a suitable alternative. In some cases, where neither we nor the supplier are able to do so for reasons of insolvency, an alternative ATOL holder may provide you with the services you have bought or a suitable alternative, at no extra cost to you. You agree to accept that in those circumstances the alternative ATOL holder will perform those obligations and you agree to pay any money outstanding to be pail by you under your contract to that alternative ATOL holder. However, you also agree that in some cases it will not be possible to appoint an alternative ATOL holder, in which case you will be entitled to make a claim under the ATOL scheme, or your credit card issuer where applicable. If we, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL Certificate, are unable to provide the services listed - or a suitable alternative, through an alternative ATOL holder or otherwise - for reasons of insolvency, the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust may make a payment to - or confer a benefit on - you under the ATOL scheme. You agree that in return for such a payment or benefit you assign absolutely to those Trustees any claims which you have or may have arising out of or relating to the non-provision of the services, including any claim against us, the travel agent, or your credit card issuer where applicable. You also agree that any such claims maybe re-assigned to another body, if that other body has paid sums you have claimed under the ATOL scheme. All money accepted from you by a travel agent acting as our agent is held by that agent on behalf of and for the benefit of the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust at all times, but subject to the agent's obligation to pay it to us for so long as we do not fail. If we do fail, any money held at that time by the agent, or subsequently accepted from you by the agent, is and continues to be held by that agent on behalf of and for the benefit of the penefit of the Air Crustees of the Air Travel Trust at all times to be held by that agent on behalf of and for the benefit reasons of insolvency, an alternative ATOL holder may provide you with the services you have bought or a suitable by the agent, is and continues to be held by that agent on behalf of and for the benefit of the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust without any obligation to pay that money to us.

The Package Travel, Package Holidays and Package Tours Regulations 1992 require us to provide security for the monies that you pay for the package holidays booked from us and for your repatriation in the event of our insolvency. We provide this security by way of an ATOL (number 2524) administered by the Civil Aviation Authority and a bond held by ABTA for packages that do not include flights.

# 6. Our Responsibility For Your Holiday

We will arrange for you to receive the holiday that you choose and that we confirm. These services will be provided either directly by us or through independent suppliers contracted by us. We are responsible for making sure that each part of the holiday you book with us is provided to a reasonable standard and as was advertised by us (or as changed and accepted by you). If any part of your holiday is not provided as described, we will pay you compensation, if appropriate, unless this is due to reasons beyond our control (see 'Important note – events beyond our control').

We have taken all reasonable care to make sure that all the services which make up your holiday advertised by us are provided by efficient and reputable businesses. These businesses should follow local standards. However, overseas safety standards are generally lower than in the UK, for example few hotels yet meet EC fire safety recommendations, even in Europe.

If you suffer injury, illness or death directly as a result of the services provided as part of your holiday, we may make a payment to you. We will not make any payment if your injury, illness or death was caused by an event or circumstances which the person who caused it could not have predicted or avoided even if they had taken all necessary and due care. We will not make any payment if your illness, injury or death was your own fault. If we do make a payment, it will be similar to one you would receive under English law in an English court.

- You must tell us and the supplier involved about your injury or illness while you are in the resort (see section 13). You should also write to After Travel Customer Support at the address given in our A-Z Guide about your claim within three months of coming home from your holiday to allow us to investigate it properly and co-operate with us so as to enable us to carry out such investigation. Please include a letter about your injury or illness from your doctor if you can.
- 2. You should transfer to us any rights you have against the supplier or any other person.
- 3. You should co-operate fully with us if we or our insurers want to enforce those rights.
- 4. Any payments we make may be limited in accordance with international conventions.

We ask you to transfer your rights to us so that we can claim back from suppliers any payments we make to you, plus any legal or other costs. We will not make a profit from this. If we get back from the supplier more than we have paid you plus these costs, we will give the extra money to you.

If you or someone on your holiday booking is injured, falls ill or dies while taking part in an activity which is not part of the holiday or you need to incur unpredictable extra expenses for which we are not liable because the event is beyond our control (see `Important Note – Events Beyond Our Control') we will, where appropriate and

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subject to our discretion, try to help if we can. We may help everyone on your holiday booking up to a total cost to us of £5,000 as long as the following conditions are met:

- 1. You must ask us for help within three months of coming back from holiday.
- 2. You must make a claim under your insurance policy's legal expenses or other appropriate section.
  You must show us proof that your insurance company has received your claim and, if you get back the cost of legal or other expenses, you must repay us any money we have spent in helping you.

### 8 Eveursions

From time to time we may introduce you to reputable third party suppliers of excursions or other leisure services. If you choose to enter into a contract for the provision of excursions or other leisure services, your contract will be with that supplier directly and we act only in the capacity of an agent, and therefore would have no liability for the proper performance of that contract. The terms and conditions in this "Our Agreement With You" will not apply to any contract for the provision of excursions or other leisure services.

# YOUR AGREEMENT WITH US

### 9. Your Contract

By asking us or your travel agent to confirm your booking, you are accepting on behalf of all persons travelling on this booking that the terms of this Agreement, which incorporate the information, restrictions and obligations set out in our A-Z Guide, and the conditions of any terms and conditions of carriage – see Conditions of Your Ticket – constitute the entire agreement between us with regard to your booking and your travel arrangements.

You also consent to our processing personal information about you and other members of your party. Where the context permits, reference to "you" and "your" will include you and all persons travelling on this booking. Your contract with us shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales. You agree to submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England and Wales over any claim or matter arising under or in connection with your contract with us. You may however choose to submit to the law and jurisdiction of Scotland or Northern Ireland if you are resident in either of these jurisdictions, but not to any other law and/or jurisdiction.

It is a condition of booking that you and all members of your party provide certain information that may be sent to governmental authorities and border control and security agencies for the purpose of security and counter terrorism. This is known as Advanced Passenger Information, sometimes known as APIS. The information you must provide will include, but not be limited to, full name - as shown in your passport or travel document, gender, date of birth, travel document type, number, country of issue and expiry date.

# 10. Paying For Your Travel Arrangements

You will be required to pay a deposit to us for each person when you book unless this is within 12 weeks of departure when the full amount for the booking is payable. The deposit amount will be specified by us or your travel agent when your booking is made. If it is not specified then it will be the amount that we ask you to pay when you book, even if this is 100% of the holiday price. If you pay less than the deposit under a low deposit booking scheme, then this is only part of the deposit referred to in this paragraph. The remaining deposit will be due on cancellation or date specified at time of booking or on your confirmation invoice Please note your booking deposit may be increased or there may be a charge payable for some accommodation, holidays or flight bookings where it is necessary to secure specific facilities with full payment at the time of booking e.g. weddings, coach touring and specific types of airline tickets.

Once confirmed, the booking deposit, additional charges paid and insurance premiums will not be refunded in the event of cancellation except in the circumstances specified in Sections 2, 3 or 4 or as otherwise required by law. This is your only commitment until 12 weeks before you go. Within two weeks of booking, we will send you a Confirmation Invoice showing how much you owe us. You must pay the amount on the last invoice issued by us, at least 12 weeks before you go on holiday. If you don't, we reserve the right to treat your booking as cancelled and to charge you a cancellation charge up to 100% of the total on that last invoice, in accordance with section 12.

If you pay money for your booking to a travel agent appointed by us, they will hold that money as our agent from the time they receive it until they pay the money to us. Telephone bookings may incur an additional charge, check at time of booking. If your payment is made by credit card a fee will apply, please check at time of booking. We do not accept personal cheques, only building society and bankers' drafts will be accepted.

# 11. If You Change Your Booking

- 1. You must ensure all names and details are entered correctly at the time of booking. You will receive an invoice once your booking is confirmed and must contact us straight away if there is something that you need to correct, or if you don't receive an invoice within 7 days of confirming your booking. Amendments to correct passenger name misspellings will be free of charge within 14 days of booking, if there are more than 28 days until your departure date. If there are 28 days or less to your departure date, you must correct misspellings within 2 days of booking to avoid being charged an amendment fee.
- Subject to Section 11.4, you may transfer your booking to another person, providing the following conditions are met:
  - You authorise the change in writing
  - The new lead passenger accepts the transfer and the terms of  $\operatorname{Our}\nolimits \operatorname{Agreement}\nolimits$
  - That person complies with the terms of the existing booking
  - That person has valid holiday insurance you cannot transfer your holiday insurance to the new lead passenger. We'll charge amendment fees to change a name on a booking outside 14 days to departure; these will be added to the new invoice. The new lead passenger, and you should they fail to pay, will be responsible for the payment of any balance due on that new invoice.
- 3. We charge an 'Amendment Fee' for each detail of your booking we allow you to change, see guide to our amendment fees table below. Please note that more major changes, including but not limited to, travelling later than planned, changes which lower the basic price of your holiday and changes which result in your holiday ceasing to be a Package Holiday or Thomson Cruise will be treated as a cancellation and incur the appropriate charges in line with Section 12.
- 4. Please bear in mind that certain airlines and other transport providers treat changes as a cancellation and charge accordingly, up to 100% of the cost for that part of the arrangement. Where applicable these charges will be passed on to you.
- 5. When changing your holiday details, the price of your new travel arrangements will be based on the price that applies on the day you make the change. These prices may not be the same as when you first made your booking. Some accommodation is priced according to the number of people staying there. If your party is changes, we'll recalculate your booking cost based on the new number of people going. If fewer people share the accommodation, then the cost per person may go up. This extra cost isn't a cancellation charge, and it isn't normally covered by insurance.
- 6. Some arrangements cannot be removed once they have been added to your booking. These include: transfers, flight options, children's activities, accommodation options such as room/board upgrades and late checkout rooms Certain extras, such as excursions, theme park tickets and airport extras may be non-refundable. We will make this clear when you book those arrangements, please check with us if you are unsure at the time of booking. A £50 per booking charge will be applied if you cancel car hire insurance more than 14 days after the initial holiday booking.

# Guide To Our Amendment Fees

CHANGE	57 days or more to departure	56 - 43 days to departure	42 - 29 days to departure	28 - 15 days to departure	14 - 0 days to departure		
To correct incorrect title, initial, age, provided the passenger type (adult/child) is still the same	No charge	£25 per person					
To change surname, passenger or passenger type	£50 per person for original cost						
To change accommodation, flight time, airport, duration and/or to travel earlier than planned*	£50 per person 90% of original cost				100% of original cost		
To travel later than planned	Cancellation charges apply - see section 12						

<sup>\*</sup> please note there won't be any reduction in the price you pay, even if your new travel arrangements are cheaper than the original booking.

### 12. If You Cancel Your Booking

If you want to cancel your booking, or part of it, you must contact us as soon as possible. If you have made your booking through a Travel Agency, your agent must advise us of your request to cancel. Once your booking has been cancelled you can expect to receive a cancellation invoice within 14 days. If you don't please contact us.

To cover the cost of processing your cancellation, and to compensate us for the risk that we may not be able to resell your travel arrangements, we'll make a cancellation charge on the scale shown below. You are responsible for paying this charge.

Your deposit is non-refundable, even if the cancellation charge calculated is lower than the deposit amount paid. Where extra facilities or transport options, see Sections 10 and 11.4, are non-refundable, in part or in full, the cost of these will be added to the cancellation charge you have to pay.

If you booked using a Low Deposit Offer, the full deposit amount stated on your confirmation invoice will need to be paid upon cancellation.

The cancellation charge may be higher for certain travel arrangements, such as coach tours or scheduled airfares. Please ask for details of cancellation charges when you book and check your insurance policy to see if you'd be covered for the cost of any cancellation charges.

# **GUIDE TO OUR CANCELLATION CHARGES**

These charges are based on how many days before your booked departure we receive your cancellation notice, and are a percentage of the total cost of your booking, not including your insurance premium. If you want to cancel one or more passengers on the booking you'll have to pay a proportion of the applicable cancellation charge for those passengers.

Period before departure when notice of cancellation is received	% of total booking price
70 days or more	Loss of deposit*
69-57 days	30%
56-43 days	50%
42-29 days	70%
28-15 days	90%
14-0 days	100%

### 3. If You Have A Complaint

If you have a complaint about your arrangements whilst away, you must immediately notify the supplier of the service in question locally. If they are unable to resolve the problem immediately, and a member of our staff is not available, you should contact us straight away by telephone/fax and we will endeavour to assist. If you are still not satisfied on your return home, you must write to our After Travel Customer Support at the address given in our A-Z Guide, within 28 days of returning from your holiday to allow your complaint to be investigated properly.

Please write your holiday reference number on your letter, and include your daytime and evening telephone numbers. If you do not give us the opportunity to resolve any problem locally by reporting it to the supplier, or calling and informing us, then we may not be able to deal positively with any complaint on your return.

### 14. Online Check-ir

When online check-in is introduced you will be able to check in online prior to departure if your flight is provided by Thomson Airways. When checking in online you will be required to provide your advanced passenger information. Just so you know, if you choose not to use our online check-in service, we reserve the right to charge a fee for airport check-in.

# 15. Conduct While Travelling

We reserve the right to refuse to accept you as a customer or continue dealing with you if we, or another person in authority, believe your behaviour is disruptive, causes unnecessary inconvenience, is threatening or abusive, you damage property, you upset, annoy, disturb, or put any other traveller or our staff or agents in the UK or resort in any risk or danger, on the telephone, in writing or in person.

If the Captain of your flight or cruise ship or any of our resort staff or agents believes that you could be disruptive or that you are suffering from a contagious disease, they can also refuse to let you proceed with your travel arrangements, restrict your movements on board, disembark you from a ship or aircraft, or remove you from your accommodation or excursion.

If you are disruptive and prevented from boarding your outbound flight in the UK, we will treat your booking as cancelled by you from that moment, and you will have to pay full cancellation charges (see section 12). If this occurs overseas then you will become responsible for your own return home and any other members of your group who cannot or will not travel without you. We will not be liable for any refund, or compensation or any costs or expenses

If you are refused carriage because of your behaviour, or you are under the influence of alcohol or drugs, your airline may pass on your details and date of the refusal of carriage to other airlines for their information. This in turn may make it difficult for you to book other airline tickets. In any of these circumstances no refunds or compensation will be paid to you and we may make a claim against you for any damages, costs and expenses (including legal expenses) incurred as a result of your behaviour including but not limited to

- (i) repairing or replacing property lost, damage or destroyed by you,
- (ii) compensating any passenger, crew, staff or agent affected by your actions and
- (iii) diverting the aircraft for the purpose of removing you from the aircraft. Criminal proceedings may also be instigated.
- For the purposes of this section reference to "you" or "your" includes any other person in your party.

# Fit to Travel

We, the local port authorities, and/or the ship's senior officers shall be entitled to administer a public health questionnaire on their own behalf at any time. You and all passengers travelling with you agree to supply accurate information regarding any symptoms of illness including but not limited to gastrointestinal illness, in relation to travel by sea and/or by air. We and/or your cruise ship captain may deny boarding to any passenger that we consider in our sole discretion to have symptoms of any viral or bacterial illness including but not limited to norovirus. Refusal by a passenger to complete the relevant questionnaire may result in denied boarding. Denied boarding will be treated as a cancellation and 100% cancellation charges will be payable by you.

We and/or the ship's senior officers may refuse travel to any passenger who is considered to be unfit to travel, or likely to endanger health of safety of any other passenger, or is likely to be refused permission to land at any port or render the cruise ship liable for maintenance of port or repatriation. Alternatively we and/or the ship's senior officers may require the passenger to remain in his or her cabin for reasons of health and safety. If the passenger refuses then we and/or the ship's senior officers may disembark the passenger without any further liability.

# 16. Your Accommodation

Any accommodation we arrange for you must only be used by those people named on your Confirmation Invoice, or on latest Amendment Invoice issued. You are not allowed to share the accommodation or let anyone else stay there. You are responsible for the cost of any damage caused to your accommodation or its contents during your stay. These charges must be met by you and may have to be paid locally.

# 17. The Conditions Of Your Ticket

When you travel by air or by sea, your journey may be subject to certain international conventions such as the Warsaw Convention, Montreal Convention or Athens Convention. You agree that the transport company's own 'Conditions of Carriage' will apply to you on that journey. When arranging this transportation for you, we rely on the terms and conditions contained within these international conventions and those 'Conditions of Carriage'.

You acknowledge that all of these terms and conditions form part of your contract with us as well as with the transport company. You can ask us or the travel agent booking your holiday to provide you with a copy of any of the conditions applicable to your journey. The airline's terms and conditions are available on request and Thomson Cruises & Louis Cruise Lines conditions of carriage are available at www.thomson.co.uk/cruise.

We will tell you the identity of the air carrier when you book with us and if it is not known at that time or subsequently changes we will inform you as soon as possible and no later than at check-in.

# 18. Contacting You

If you book via our website or have opted in other circumstances for us to contact you via e-mail, we will communicate with you using the e-mail address you have provided. For example, to provide your e-confirmation, e-ticket, e-cancellation, etc. We will assume that your e-mail address is correct and that you understand the risks associated with using this form of communication. You may still have to contact us via our call centre or in writing as required in our terms and conditions.

We understand the smallprint is the last thing anyone wants to read. But we believe it's really important to be clear in the information we give you. This A-Z outlines to what extent we would be liable, if at all. If any part of this guide isn't valid or can't be enforced, the rest will still apply. Not everything here will apply to you but a lot of it will so you'll need to read this guide before you book. You'll also need to read Our Agreement With You and Your Agreement With Us. Together, they explain every aspect of your holiday. If you need information in another format please contact our Customer Welfare Team on 0844 871 1600. Lots of our customers choose to add a week's hotel stay to their cruise. With that in mind, this guide covers both the cruise element, as well as the 'stay' part so all the information's in one place. We make it clear when we're talking about the ship, rather than the hotel.

Just to make things easier for you, here are some of the abbreviations we use...

1st Ch 1st child 2nd Ch 2nd child Ad Adult Al All Inclusive BB Bed & Breakfast
BL balcony or terrace FB Full Board HB Half Board LSV limited sea view PB private bathroom
PP per person PPPN per person per night RD reduction RO room only SC self-catering
SH shower SUPPS supplements SV sea view SSV side sea view PREM2 Premier
SGLIN Single Inside 1/2IN4 Deck 1/2 Inside 2–4 Berth 1/2IN2 Deck 1/2 Inside 2 Berth
3/4IN2 Deck 3/4 Inside 2 Berth 3IN2/4 Deck 3 Inside 2-4 Berth 1/2OU2 Deck 1/2 Outside
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Outside Plus 2-4 Berth 6/BDLX Deck 6/8 Deluxe 8/9DLX Deck 8/9 Deluxe
6-8IN3 Deck 6-8 Inside 2-3 Berth 8/9OU2 Deck 8/9 Outside 2 Berth 8/9OUP Deck 8/9
Outside Plus 2-4 Berth DELUX3 Deluxe 3 Berth 5/6OU4 Deck 5/6 Outside 2-4 Berth
5/6OU2 Deck 5/6 Outside 2 Berth 5/6IN2 Deck 5/6 Inside 2 Berth 5/6IN4 Deck 5/6 Inside
2-4 Berth 7-9OU2 Deck 7/8/9 Outside 2 Berth 7-9IN2 Deck 7/8/9 Inside 2 Berth
STDBAL Standard Balcony DLXBAL Deluxe Balcony JNRSUI Junior Suite
GRDSUI Grand Suite 45IN2 Deck 4/5 Inside 2 Berth 67IN2 Deck 6/7 Inside 2 Berth
67IN4 Deck 6/7 Inside 2-4 Berth 45OU2 Deck 4/5 Outside 2 Berth 56OU2 Deck 5/6
Outside 2 Berth 7OU2 Deck 7 Outside 2 Berth 56OU2P Deck 5/6 Outside Plus 2 Berth
56OU4P Deck 5/6 Outside Plus 2-3 Berth SUITE Suite.

In line with EU regulations, we need to let you know who you'll be flying with. This includes any connecting flights or transfers. These are the carriers we may use -

AEA Air Europa ABR Europe Airpost AMV AMC Airlines BA BA Cityflyer/British Airways BE Flybe BGH Balkan Air BJ Nouvelair Tunisie DY Norwegian FHY Freebird Airlines IWD Orbest JAF JetairFly KM Air Malta LS Jet 2 MON Monarch Airlines OHY Onur Air QS Travel Service TCX Thomas Cook Airlines TOM Thomson Airways VOE Volotea ZB Monarch Airlines 7M Mistral Air

We'll let you know who the airline is when we send your tickets. If there are changes after that point, we'll tell you before you check in or at the boarding gate. When you come across anything to do with flights in this guide, we'll usually be talking about flights with Thomson Airways. So if you're flying with another airline, you'll need to check their conditions, too. From time to time, we need to change airlines or plane types but this isn't classed as a 'Major Change' to your holiday.

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# A la Carte

The benefits that come with Thomson A la Carte holidays are only available if you're flying with Thomson Airways and you book at least 14 days in advance.

# Accuracy

We published this brochure in December 2013. Our prices and information were accurate on that date but they may have changed since then. We always check our properties regularly to make sure we're giving you accurate information and we'll tell you of any changes we know about when you book. If you've already booked, we'll tell you about any major changes we're aware of as soon as we can. Bear in mind public holidays and religious festivals affect whether or not facilities are available. Also, it may be the case some facilities aren't managed directly by the hotel and they could close without notice. Please see Itineraries for more details.

# Adults-only Cruises

We won't accept bookings for anyone aged 16 and under on the following sailings...

# Summer 2014 - Thomson Spirit

All sailings departing in June and September

# Winter 2014/15 - Thomson Dream

4th, 5th & 6th December 2014, 14th April 2015

# Winter 2014/15 - Thomson Celebration

5th & 15th November 2014, all sailings departing in January 2015, 12th April 2015 If you're combining two seven night itineraries to make a 14 night cruise, bear in mind that the second week may not be adults-only. You'll need to check the dates before you book.

See Adult Properties for information on our adults-only hotels.

# **Adult Properties**

These are hotels that cater really well for adults in terms of facilities and destination. They include our Thomson Couples, Thomson Gold and Exclusively for Adults ranges, where the minimum age is 16 or 18. You must not book children to stay at any of these hotels under any circumstances as bookings for children will not be accepted.

# Advanced Passenger Information

You, and all members of your party, must tell us certain information that we'll send to government authorities and border control and security agencies for the purpose of immigration, security and counter terrorism. This is known as Advanced Passenger Information, or APIS. It may also be referred to as E-borders in the United Kingdom.

The information you must provide will include, but not be limited to, your full name - as shown in your passport or travel document, gender, date of birth, travel document type, number, country of issue and expiry date. You must provide this information to the airline between 6 months and 24 hours before departure.

For Thomson Airways flights you can do this by visiting http://eapi.thomson.co.uk or by calling 0844 871 1597. You'll need your booking reference number, the lead passenger's surname and your date of departure to access the site.

# Age Ranges

No under-18s can travel on their own. For our cruises, 2 to 12-year-olds are classed as children. For hotels, 2 to 12-year-olds are classed as children unless we say otherwise.

# Air-conditioning

This may depend on the time of year and be subject to hotelier discretion. You may have to pay for it when you get there. All our ships are air-conditioned and you won't need to pay any extra.

# Airline Rules

Charter airlines aren't allowed to carry certain nationals to and from their country of origin. This is due to licensing law restrictions with overseas aviation authorities. The current licensing laws, as of 15th November 2010, do not allow TUI Travel airlines to carry nationals of the following countries on their operating routes — Brazil, Kenya, and Morocco. Some other restrictions also apply...

- Egyptian nationals, with official residence in the UK, can only travel on inclusive tour package arrangements, except when travelling to Sharm El Sheikh on a scheduled flight.
- Indian and Turkish passport holders can only travel on inclusive tour package arrangements. Please check with your embassy or consulate before you book.

### Alcohol

During your flight and on our ships, you can only drink the alcohol that staff serve you.

# All Inclusive Drinks Package

Here we're talking about a drinks package that's available on our cruises. You can book the package when you're aboard or before you travel. If you book before you travel you'll get a discount on the price. Every person on the booking must be included. The drinks package includes selected draught beers, spirits, aperitifs, house wine, soft drinks and a range of cocktails. Some branded spirits and premium drinks such as Champagne, malt whiskies, ciders and bottled beers, all speciality coffees, bottled water and some hot drinks aren't included. Drinks are available from all bars, lounges and restaurants. If you order a drink between 2am and 10am, it'll be charged to your onboard account. The minimum drinking age on our ships is 18. Child prices apply for under 18 year olds. The All Inclusive upgrade only applies while you're on the ship and doesn't apply to hotels on Cruise & Stay or Stay & Cruise holidays. Free or discounted offers are available on selected holidays, dates and departure airports or UK ports, subject to availability, and can be withdrawn at any time.

### All Inclusive Hotels

You may need to wear a wristband or carry some ID to get the benefits of your package. For a full description of what's included, check the hotel description. Times for inclusive drinks, meals and snacks vary. Your All Inclusive package may not include bottled water, imported drinks or à la carte meals. Some restaurants expect you to reserve a table and will be subject to availability. Not all bars and restaurants operate on an All Inclusive basis. Also, there may be cash bars once All Inclusive bars close. Bear in mind, under-18s won't be served alcohol. You should also be aware that we, and the hotels, may confiscate wristbands and IDs from guests who abuse the All Inclusive benefits.

You may be charged for motorised sports, and there are time limits or age and experience restrictions on some of these activities. You may have to pay a deposit to hire equipment. Things like classes and beauty treatments may be included in the price but there'll be a limit on how many sessions you can take. Safety deposit boxes may not be included and you'll need to pay for things like telephone calls and excursions.

All Inclusive packages end when you check out of your room. In some cases you can pay to keep using the facilities. If there's a delay to your flight home and you have to spend extra time in the resort, any refreshments will be in line with the airline's instructions — not the board basis of your hotel. One last thing, you may find timings will change for things like happy hours in bars and dining times.

# Amenities

On our cruise ships, there may be a temporary loss of power from time to time because power is generated onboard, and toilets onboard use a vacuum system.

# An Audience With

See Guest Speakers

# Artist Impressions

These, together with any computer-generated images, are there to give you an idea of how the property will look – they're not replicas of the finished building.

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# Balconies

If the description refers to a French or Juliette balcony, this means that your room will have glass doors but you won't necessarily be able to go out onto the balcony as it'll be shallow in depth. If you're on the ground floor, you'll get a terrace instead of a balcony, even if it says 'BL' or 'balcony' on your booking confirmation. Health and safety restrictions mean some hotels or apartments may not put you on a high floor if you have small children. Even if you're on a low floor, make sure you never leave your children unattended on your balcony.

# Banned Airlines

To improve safety, the European Commission has banned some airlines from operating in European airspace. In line with EU directive (EC) no. 2111/2005, Article 9, we need to make you aware of the list of banned airlines. You'll find this at http://ec.europa.eu/transport/airban/list\_en.htm.

# Beaches

When you're on the beach, make sure you check any flag warning systems and take local conditions into account, particularly things like undercurrents and tides. You'll also need to supervise children at all times as most beaches won't have a lifeguard. You may find that public beaches are closed at certain times, particularly in low season. Beach closures are carried out by local authorities so are beyond our control. One more thing, you may need to pay to use some beaches, particularly in Italy.

# Bed-sharing

We don't allow children to share beds in any of our hotels or on our cruise ships, so you'll need to book a bed for every child in your group.

# Blessings At Sea

Please contact us for more details – the number you need is in the  ${\bf Getting\ In\ Touch}$  section at the end of this guide under Finishing Touches.

# Building Worl

From time to time, building work is unavoidable, particularly where hotels are open all year round, and it can be noisy. If we're aware of any work, we'll let you know as soon as possible if we think it'll affect your holiday. This can be difficult as we don't control the work and we're not always told when it'll happen and how long it will last. But if we think it'll have a significant effect, you'll have the option of a refund or an alternative holiday, as outlined under 'Major changes to your holiday' in Our Agreement With You.

# A-Z GUIDE

### Cabins

Deck plans and photographs are provided as a guide. The size, layout and décor of the cabins may differ slightly from those shown. Generally speaking, cabins are smaller than hotel rooms, and extra berths are usually upper bunks. Please bear in mind cabins with extra berths are not necessarily larger. Some can accommodate a rollaway bed – see Rollaway Beds.

Cots are available, too - see Cots.

We have a limited number of cabins that have been adapted for the disabled see Special Assistance.

### Cabin Reservations

You can book a particular cabin number up to 15 days before you go. Bear in mind before you book, there's always some background noise on a ship. This may be louder when manoeuvring - turning the ship around, for example, or in bad weather. Cabins in the centre of the ship, and on higher decks, tend to be less affected.

Once you've booked your cruise, simply call us to request a cabin number. You can reach us on 0871 231 4908 9am to 7pm Monday to Friday, 9am to 5.30pm Saturday and 10am to 5pm Sunday. Calls cost 10p a minute plus network extras. We'll confirm your cabin number over the phone, and add the £42 cabin-booking fee to your invoice.

Some cabins can't be booked and they all depend on availability. If we have to take a cabin out of action for any reason we'll move you to a suitable alternative and refund your booking fee on board. You can cancel your cruise if the cabin you wanted isn't available but you'll need to pay the normal cancellation charges. We set these out in Section 12 of Our Agreement With You.

We don't class a change to the cabin you've booked as a 'Major Change' to your holiday. Some cabins qualify for extra benefits – see **Premier Service**. Views from certain cabins may be obstructed by lifeboats. We'll provide towels so there's no need to pack those. For safety reasons, you can't use kettles and irons in your cabin.

# Cabin Supplements

We base the price of your holiday on a Deck 3/4 Inside on Thomson Majesty, a Deck 4/5 Inside on Thomson Dream, and a Deck 1/2 Inside on Thomson Spirit or Thomson Celebration. You can book other cabin types if you pay extra. Cabin supplements vary by sailing date and prices may go up or down. Occasionally it's possible to upgrade your cabins once onboard check with reception for availability and prices. Children don't pay cabin supplements where the child price applies -

See Child Prices for details.

Any special offers will be limited. See Free Cabin Upgrade Offer.

### Check-in

# For Your Flight

We recommend you arrive at the airport at least two hours before your scheduled departure time. For flights over seven hours, it's three hours before. Regardless of the length of your flight, you need to have completed check-in at least an hour before departure. If we think you may be under the influence of alcohol or pose a threat to passengers or crew, you won't be able to fly. The same applies if you smoke, use insulting or abusive words before or after you board. If that happens, we won't be responsible for your holiday arrangements and we won't give you a refund, pay compensation, or cover any other costs. We may even seek compensation from you for any loss caused by your behaviour. This includes having to divert the plane. It's also a criminal offence to cause disruption on board, so you may be prosecuted. Airlines may also share details about your behaviour with other airlines, which could affect your future trips.

# Online Check-in

You'll be allocated your seats when you check in online. If you don't like the seats allocated, you can pay to select your seat. Sometimes we may need to change the seat allocated to you for operational or safety reasons or for persons with reduced mobility. Boarding cards must be printed on A4 paper and be clearly legible with no rips or tears. You must drop off you bags before bag drop closes, 45 minutes before your flight time. Just so you know, if you choose not to use our online check-in service, we reserve the right to charge a fee for airport check-in. Please also see Section 14 of Our Agreement with You and Yours with Us

# For Your Accommodation

Check-in time is usually 3pm to 4pm. Depending on when your flight arrives, you may miss a meal if you've booked All Inclusive, Half or Full Board. If your flight arrives at night, or in the early hours of the morning, your room will be ready when you arrive and this is classed as the first night of your holiday.

# For Your Ship

You'll be able to check in and board the ship as soon as your coach from the airport or hotel arrives in the port. Your cabin will be ready for you. If you've opted for a 'cabin-only' holiday, it means you've just booked the cruise part with us and you'll need to organise your own flights and transfers from the airport to the ship. The last check-in is an hour before the sailing time shown in your ticket wallet or on your booking confirmation.

For cruises departing from the UK you can check in at the Cruise terminal between 1pm and 3pm and board thereafter.

See Onboard Accounts for more details on checking in.

# Check-out

# For Your Accommodation

On the last day of your holiday, you'll usually have to leave your room by mid-morning or noon. You may be able to keep your accommodation for longer, but there could be a charge. Depending on the time of your flight, you may miss a meal at your hotel. Also, you might not be able to use some of the facilities or take advantage of the full All Inclusive package.

If your flight leaves on or after midnight, you'll have to check out of your hotel room by midday the previous day. There'll usually be a courtesy room or apartment available for you where you can change and leave your bags until it's time to leave. You can pay for a late check–out room, which are normally available until 6pm that evening. The hotel will allocate them on a first-come, first-served basis. You may be able to stay in the room you've had during your holiday, but you may have to move to another. The rooms will only be for you and your group to use, and will have beds and a private bathroom.

Late check-out only covers the use of your room.

If you're on a Stay & Cruise holiday you won't be able to use a late check-out room at your hotel as your transfer will arrive to take you to the port.

### For Your Cruise

You need to leave your luggage outside your cabin the night before you leave — by 2am. On disembarkation day, you need to be ready to leave your cabin by 8am. We'll have given you your bill the night before so there's no need to check out. We'll take you to the airport in good time for your flight home. Until then, you can stay on the ship. Courtesy cabins will usually be available so you can freshen up before you leave, but if you want to guarantee a cabin you can pay extra to check out later. You'll need to book this with Reception during your cruise.

On cruises returning to the UK disembarkation usually starts from 8am.

# Child Prices

Our child prices are subject to availability and only apply when a child shares with two full-fare-paying passengers. We set a limit on our child prices, and we have a limited number of cabins with extra berths for children, so you should try to book early. Child prices are for children between 2 and 12 inclusive. You'll also need to pay £50 for an infant under the age of 2 on the date of return travel. If any children in your group turn 13 after you've booked but before - or during - your holiday, they'll need to pay the adult price, plus the amendment fee. Children count towards group offers as long as they're paying the adult fare. You don't pay cabin supplements for children when a child price applies. But you will pay full deposit, flight fare, extra facility, hotel room and board supplements, and insurance premiums for any children who use the reduced price.

# Child Protection

We believe we have an important role to play in protecting children's rights everywhere. Our child protection policy applies both in the UK and abroad. We train our resort staff to identify situations where children may need protection and report them to the relevant organisations. We're signed up to the Child Protection Code www.thecode.org. This independent organisation monitors and supports our child protection activities. If you suspect any child is at risk on your holiday, please tell your Holiday Advisor or call Crimestoppers, anonymously, on 0800 555 111.

For more information, visit http://www.thomson.co.uk/editorial/child-protection.html

# Conditions Of Carriage

Certain rules and regulations apply to air and sea travel. These are set out in the Montreal Convention for air, and the Athens and London Conventions for sea. By law we need to give you these in 'legal speak' to avoid any misinterpretation. We can supply a full copy of both if you ask us to.

# Montreal Convention

This is a notice required by European Community Regulation (EC) No. 889/2002.

# Air carrier liability for passengers and their baggage

This information notice summarises the liability rules applied by Community air carriers as required by Community legislation and the Montreal Convention.

Compensation In The Case Of Death Or Injury
There are no financial limits to the liability for passenger injury or death. For damages up to 100,000 SDRs (approximately £96,000), the air carrier can't contest claims for compensation. Above that amount, the air carrier can defend itself against a claim by proving that it wasn't negligent or otherwise at fault.

# Advance Payments

If a passenger is killed or injured, the air carrier must make an advance payment, to cover immediate economic needs, within 15 days from the identification of the person entitled to compensation. In the event of death, this advance payment shall not be less than 16,000 SDR's (approximately £15,360).

# Passenger Delays

In case of passenger delay, the air carrier is liable for damage unless it took all reasonable measures to avoid the damage or it was impossible to take such measures

The liability for passenger delay is limited to 4,150 SDRs (approximately £3,980).

# Baggage Delays

In case of baggage delay, the air carrier is liable for damage unless it took all reasonable measures to avoid the damage or it was impossible to take such measures The liability for baggage delay is limited to 1,000 SDRs (approximately £960).

# Destruction, Loss Or Damage To Baggage

The air carrier is liable for destruction, loss or damage to baggage up to 1,000 SDRs (approximately £960). In the case of checked baggage, it's liable even if not at fault, unless the baggage was defective. In the case of unchecked baggage, the carrier is liable only if at fault.

# Higher Limits For Baggage

A passenger can benefit from a higher liability limit by making a special declaration at the latest at check-in and by paying a supplementary fee.

# Complaints On Baggage

If the baggage is damaged, delayed, lost or destroyed, the passenger must write and complain to the air carrier as soon as possible. In the case of damage to checked baggage, the passenger must write and complain within seven days, and, in the case of delay within 21 days, in both cases from the date on which the baggage was placed at the passenger's disposal.

# Liability Of Contracting And Actual Carriers

If the air carrier performing the flight is not the same as the contracting air carrier, the passenger has the right to address a complaint or to make a claim for damages against either. If the name or code of an air carrier is indicated on the ticket, that air carrier is the contracting air carrier.

# Time Limit For Action

Any action in court to claim damages must be brought within two years from the date of arrival of the aircraft, or from the date on which the aircraft ought to have arrived.

# Basis For The Information

The basis for the rules described above is the Montreal Convention of 28 May 1999. which is implemented in the Community by Regulation (EC) No. 2027/97 (as amended by Regulation (EC) No. 889/2002) and national legislation of the Member States.

# Athens Convention

Your cruise is subject to the terms and provisions of the Athens Convention relating to the Carriage of Passengers and their Luggage by Sea 1974 ("the Athens Convention") and the London Convention of Limitation on Liability for Maritime Claims 1976 ("the London Convention"). The Athens Convention is expressly incorporated into these Conditions and any liability we may have for death or personal injury or for loss of or damage to luggage arising out of carriage by sea shall be determined accordingly.

In most cases, the Athens Convention limits the carrier's liability for death or personal injury, or loss of – or damage to – luggage and makes special provision for valuables. It presumes that luggage has been delivered undamaged to the passenger unless written notice is given to us (as carrier) either

- (i) in the case of obvious damage, before or at the time of leaving the ship or when the luggage is returned to the passenger, and
- (ii) in the case of damage which is not obvious or if the luggage, or part of it, is lost, within 15 days from the date of leaving the ship or from when the luggage was or should have been returned to the passenger.

Any damages payable by us and/or the ship owner up to the limits provided by the Athens Convention shall be reduced by the maximum deductible specified in Article 8.4 of that Convention. In no circumstances shall we – or the ship owner – be liable in respect of Consequential loss and damage, detention, delay or over-carriage, howsoever caused.

Insofar as the cruise may be performed on a ship not owned by us, it is agreed that we shall at all times nevertheless be deemed a ship owner for the purposes of the London Convention, whether as amended or otherwise and as in force in any relevant jurisdiction from time to time, and so entitled to limit liability there under.

### Cots

There's usually room for one cot in all our hotel rooms, but you'll need to check with us before you travel to make sure there'll definitely be one available when you arrive. In some countries you'll need to pay a daily charge to hire a cot. If you decide to bring your own travel cot, bear in mind there's no extra luggage allowance for these and the airline will charge extra if you go over your limit.

We don't charge for cots on our ships, but you'll need to book a cabin with enough floor space for one. On Thomson Majesty there's only room for a cot in inside plus cabins, outside plus cabins, junior suites, and suites. See Cabin Reservations in the Getting in Touch section.

### Cràches

These are available at some properties but unfortunately not on our cruise ships. At Thomson Family Resorts, NNEB, CACHE or equivalent staff look after under-threes for two-hour sessions throughout the day. Sessions in Thomson crèches cost £9 each and you can book them in the UK or in resort if they're available. Plus there's a discount when you book three, six, nine or 12 two-hour sessions in the UK. Nine sessions or more can only be booked on two-week holidays. At our Sensatori Resort in Tenerife, there's a nursery for children up to four-years-old that's available all week. You can book full or half-day sessions for the duration of your holiday. You can expect to pay around £105 for a week's worth of half days, and £210 for full days. It's best to book before you go to make sure you get a place. Unfortunately there isn't a nursery at Sensatori Resort Jamaica.

Bear in mind, wherever the crèche, if your child's ill they won't be accepted. Also, you'll need to supply your own nappies, prepared feeds and packed lunches. We can't guarantee standards at crèches that aren't run by us.

# Cruise Customer Service Questionnaire

The customer service questionnaire results on the itinerary pages are based on the ship's overall performance, not a specific itinerary. Sometimes we don't have scores available for our ships. This may be because they are new to the fleet or full season scores were not available when we went to print.

# See **Your Opinion**.

# Customer Welfare See Special Assistance.

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# Data Protection

When we talk about data protection, we're actually referring to TUI UK Limited's privacy policy. It sets out what information we collect, how we collect it, and what we do with it. Our Privacy Policy applies to you and is available on our website and through other channels. In all your dealings with us you must ensure that others you represent are aware of the content of our Privacy Policy and consent to your acting on their behalf.

# Information About You

# Your Information

This refers to a combination of information such as your name, contact details, travel preferences and special needs/disabilities/dietary requirements that you supply us or is supplied to us, including your social preferences, interests and activities and any information about other persons you represent (such as those on your booking). Your information is collected when you request information from us, contact us (and vice versa), make a booking, use our website(s)/apps, link to or from our website(s)/apps, connect with us via social media and any other engagement we or our business partners have with you.

We will update your information whenever we can to keep it current, accurate and complete.

# Our Use of Your Information

- (1) For the purpose of providing you with our services, including your flight, holiday, security, incident/accident management or insurance, etc., we may disclose and process your information outside the UK/EEA. In order for you to travel abroad, it may be mandatory (as required by government authorities at the point(s) of departure and/or destination) to disclose and process your information for immigration, border control, security and anti-terrorism purposes, or any other purposes which they determine appropriate. Some countries will only permit travel if you provide your advance passenger data (for example Caricom API and US secure flight data). These requirements may differ depending on your destination and you are advised to check. Even if not mandatory, we may exercise our discretion to assist where appropriate.
- (2) We may collect and process your information for the purposes set out below and in our registration with the Office of the Information Commissioner, and disclose the same to our group companies for business purposes and also to companies and our service providers who act as "data processors" on our behalf, or to credit and fraud agencies (some of whom are located outside the UK/EEA). These purposes include administration, service, quality and improvement-related activities, customer care, product innovation and choice, business management, operation and efficiencies, re-organisation/structuring/sale of our business (or group companies), risk assessment/ management, security, fraud and crime prevention/detection, monitoring, research and analysis, social media, reviews, advertising and marketing, loyalty programmes, profiling customer purchasing preferences, activities and trends, dispute resolution/ litigation, credit checking and debt collection.

(3) Information (such as health or religion) may be considered "sensitive personal data" under the Data Protection Act 1998. We collect it to provide you with our services, cater to your needs or act in your interest, and we are only prepared to accept sensitive personal data on the condition that we have your positive consent. By booking with us you also agree for your insurers, their agents and medical staff to exchange relevant information and sensitive personal data with us in circumstances where we/they need to act on your behalf or in the interest of passengers or in an emergency.

# If you do not agree to Our Use of Your Information above, we cannot engage/do business with you or accept your booking.

# Marketing Material

- (1) Using your information, we may from time to time contact you with or make available to you (directly or indirectly) information on offers of goods and services, brochures, new products, forthcoming events or competitions from our holiday divisions and our group companies. We will tailor the information you receive or see; this will enable us to make available to you more personalised and relevant communications. We may use innovative technologies and work with business partners to achieve this.
- (2) We will assume you agree to e-communications when you make an e-booking or provide us with your email in other situations such as in-store, competitions, promotions, prize draws and social media.
- (3) You may indicate your preference regarding receiving third party marketing material and contact. If you agree, you will establish new relationships with these third parties and deal with them directly.
- (4) If you do not wish to receive such information or would like to change your preference, please refer to point (2) of "Your Rights" below.

# Your Rights

- (1) On completing our Data Subject Access Request form, you are entitled to a copy of the information we hold about you (for a £10 fee) and to correct any inaccuracies.
- (2) You have the right to ask in writing not to receive direct marketing material from us. If available, you can amend your previous preference on our website(s), use our "unsubscribe email", opt-out of personalised emails or refer to our literature containing instructions. Once properly notified by you, we will take steps to stop using your information in this way.
- (3) For a list of relevant brands, please send us your request.

Please write to TUI UK Limited, Legal Department, TUI Travel House, Crawley Business Quarter, Fleming Way, Crawley, West Sussex RH10 9QL.

# Foreign Controls

Outside the European Economic Area (EEA), data protection controls may not be as strong as the legal requirements in this country.

# Use of Tools/"Cookies" and Links To Other Websites

If our contact and dealing with you is via our website(s) or other e-platforms where our advertising is displayed, cookies may be used. To find out more about the types of cookies on our website(s), how we use cookies, to disable them or to change your preference and more, please refer to the information provided on our website(s). Other e-platforms may have different options and instructions. By using our website(s), you consent to our use of cookies.

Our website(s) may contain links to third party websites or micro-sites not controlled or owned by us. For example, reference sites or ancillary products and services sites or websites owned by our sister companies. It is your responsibility to check the status of these sites before using them. Please read their applicable terms and conditions, etc. carefully.

# Monitoring

To ensure that we carry out your instructions accurately, improve our service and for security and fraud, we may review, monitor and/or record:

- telephone calls;
- (2) activities using CCTV in and around our premises;
- (3) transactions and activities at all points of contact; and
- (4) web, social media and app traffic, activities, etc. All recordings and derivative materials are and shall remain our sole property.

# Security Statement

We have taken all reasonable steps and have in place appropriate security measures to protect your information.

# Changes to this Policy

Any changes to this Policy will be either posted on our website, brochure and/or made available on request.

Privacy Policy: v June 2013

# Data Notices

**Customer Data:** To provide your holiday and ensure that it runs smoothly, we (and your travel agent, if you use one) need to use information such as your name and address, special needs, dietary requirements, etc. Please be informed that we must pass it to suppliers of your travel arrangements, including airlines, hotels and transport companies; we may also supply it to security or credit checking companies, and to public authorities such as customs and immigration. When you make this booking, you consent to this information being passed to the relevant people. Information held by your travel agent is subject to that company's own data protection policy.

Caricom API Data: Please note that some or all of the Caricom states listed below have entered into an agreement with the USA whereby advance passenger data, required by and provided to Caricom states for border security purposes, will be passed to the USA Department for Homeland Security for processing on behalf of those Caricom states listed as follows: Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, The Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Montserrat, Saint Lucia, St Kitts and Nevis, St Vincent and the Grenadines, Surinam, Trinidad and Tobago, Turks and Caicos Islands. Collectively members or associate members of 'Caricom'. The UK Information Commissioner's Office has accepted that this will not breach the Data Protection Act but that we are required to bring this to your attention.

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US Secure flight Data: The Transportation Security Administration (TSA) requires you to provide your full name, date of birth, and gender for the purpose of watch list screening, under the authority of 49 U.S.C. section 114, the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 and 49 C.F.R parts 1540 and 1560. You may also provide your Redress Number, if available. Failure to provide your full name, date of birth, and gender may result in denial of transport or denial of authority to enter the boarding area. TSA may share information you provide with law enforcement or intelligence agencies or others under its published system of records notice. For more on TSA privacy policies, or to review the system of records notice and the privacy impact assessment, please see the TSA Web site at www.tsa.gov.

### Day-before Check-in

At Gatwick, Manchester and Birmingham, if your scheduled departure time is before midday, you can check in at the airport from 12pm to 10pm the day before you travel. This service is free if you're flying with Thomson Airways and you don't need to book. All members of your group need to check-in together. This is to meet the Department For Transport's security requirements. You'll need everyone's tickets, passports and luggage.

If you're travelling to a destination that has additional security at check-in, we won't be able to issue your boarding cards. You can still check in your luggage but you'll need to return to check-in the following morning to pick up your boarding cards. Bear in mind, Day-before Check-in isn't available for cruises to the Caribbean and Central America.

# Delays

Depending on airport facilities, we provide light refreshments for a delay of two to four hours, a meal – or vouchers for a meal – for four to eight hours, overnight accommodation for delays of eight to 12 hours if it's necessary and possible.

If a delay is longer than five hours, you can cancel your flight and we'll refund the flight part of your holiday. We'll only refund the whole cost of your holiday if we change or cancel your holiday. We set out exactly what this means in Our Agreement With You.

If you've booked your complete cruise holiday – including flights, transfers and the cruise itself – with us and there's a flight delay, we'll make sure you get to the ship.

# See Insurance for more details.

# **Dress Code**

Men need to wear long trousers, shirts with sleeves, and shoes for dinner in most hotels. See **Gala Meals** and **Formal Nights** for more details. On the cruise front, it's smart casual for evenings. For men that means full-length trousers and a polo or open-necked shirt. At the Captain's Gala Reception, the dress code is traditional dinner wear, so tuxedo or suit and tie for men, and evening dress for women.

# **Drinks Package**

# See All Inclusive Drinks Package.

# **Duty Free**

You can't take duty-free cigarettes, tobacco, or cigars into Barbados unless you are joining one of our cruise ships on the day of your arrival.

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# Early Check-in

# See Day-before Check-in. Entertainment Onboard

Each itinerary has its own entertainment programme but you'll need to bear in mind, if you're combining two itineraries in winter, Nov - Apr, to make one holiday, you may find some of the acts are repeated. Also, just so you know, we may need to change guest acts and speakers.

# Extra Charges

The key aspects of your holiday will be included in the price when you book – see **Prices** for details. But it's important to point out you may have to pay extra for some things when you get there. For example, you might want to book an excursion, use a safety deposit box or enjoy something from the minibar or room/cabin service. You may also need to pay extra for things like sports, beauty treatments and classes.

See Meals and All Inclusive Hotels for more details.

# F

# Family Rooms

These are generally for two adults and two children. They're available in selected accommodation but when hotels are fully occupied, family rooms may be limited. See **Cabins**.

# Family Resorts

Our full Thomson Family Resort programme starts on or after 1st May so if you're in a Thomson Family Resort before then, you may find certain activities aren't available yet. Check the individual property descriptions for details on what's on when.

# Finishing Touches

You'll need to book them at least seven days before departure and pay for them in full when you settle your invoice.

# Flight Times

Actual flight times are on your tickets. They are local times based on the 24–hour system. We can't guarantee the flight times in our brochure, on our website or on your booking confirmation won't change, so please always check your tickets.

# Flying With Children

Infants less than 14 days old are not allowed to travel. Any child over 14 days and under two years old on the date of their return travel is classed as an infant. Infants must sit on an adult's lap and wear an extension seatbelt. If your child reaches their 2nd birthday while you're away you'll need to allow for this when you book. All children aged two and above must have their own seats on the plane. If you've paid for an additional seat for your infant, you can use your own car seat as long as it has a single release harness. It needs to be facing forward on the aircraft seat, designed to be secured by lap belt alone, and must conform to EU safety standards. You'll also need the instruction leaflet to show the cabin crew if they need it. The seat mustn't be more than 16 inches or 40cm wide. You can't use carrycots and deluxe child car seats, as they won't fit. The use of car seats will be at your airline's discretion. Airlines registered outside the UK may have their own rules. Call Thomson Airways for information on approved car seats. You'll find the number at the end of this guide.

# Formal Nights

There's one formal night on each seven-night cruise. For men, a dinner jacket or tuxedo are the norm but a suit and tie is fine. For women, it's a cocktail or evening dress. The self–service restaurant is open as normal on formal night if you prefer something a bit more casual.

# Free Cabin Upgrade Offer

On selected departure dates and during certain booking periods it's possible to book a cabin upgrade offer. This means you can book a higher grade of cabin at a reduced price. See **Special Offers**.

# Free All Inclusive Upgrade See All Inclusive Drinks Package.

### G

### Gala Meals

Many hotels and apartments host gala meals over the Christmas and New Year period. Bear in mind that men will probably have to wear a jacket, shirt, tie and long trousers. You'll see if it's included by checking the individual property descriptions. If you're on a cruise over the Christmas and New Year period, they'll be included.

### Gold

Thomson Gold is designed with couples in mind so we don't accept bookings for children under 16 here in the UK. There may be children's facilities though, and we can't guarantee a completely child-free environment. This is because hoteliers may accept bookings from other countries on rare occasions or a child may be booked as an adult. Please see Adult Properties for more details.

Please bear in mind the full Thomson Gold programme won't start until the first arrival on or after 1st May, and entertainment at the end of the season may change.

### Gold Medals

If you see one of these on a property description, it means it's a customer favourite. Each year, we award Gold Medals to hotels that score highly in our Customer Satisfaction Questionnaires.

### Group Offers

You may qualify for discounts if there are 10 or more in your party. When you're about to book, ask your Travel Advisor to contact our Groups Department. Or call our Groups booking line yourself – you'll find the number at the end of this guide. Groups of over 35 can ask for their own transport to and from the airport – at no extra charge. Of course, group discounts are subject to availability and we may withdraw them at any time.

We base discounts on how many are travelling and everyone needs to travel on the same date. Their holidays must be for the same length and to the same accommodation. If it's more convenient for them, we can sometimes make arrangements for large groups to leave from different airports. They may not be available in conjunction with any other offers. Cancellations within your group may mean a drop in your discount, and the people who cancel will need to pay our standard cancellation charges. One last thing – if you want your cabins to be close to each other, you'll need to reserve your cabin numbers before you go.

# **Guest Speakers**

If any of our guest speakers are unable to join us for any reason, we may have to replace them with what we consider to be a suitable alternative.

# Infants See Cots.

# Insurance

You'll need to take out a suitable insurance policy for you and anyone travelling with you. This includes infants and children. We'll tell you about our insurance policy when you book. If you choose not to take out our insurance, you'll need to tell us who you're insured with. We'll need the company details and your policy number before you travel. We can't accept responsibility for any loss that you or anyone travelling on your booking suffers if the individual isn't adequately insured. As with all insurance policies, terms and conditions apply, so you need to make sure you've got the right policy for you.

# See **Delays** for more details.

If you're travelling to the European Economic Area you'll also need a European Health Insurance Card. You can apply at www.ehic.org.uk. You'll need to have both this card and adequate travel insurance. If you're on a cruise holiday with us, the European Health Insurance Card isn't accepted in private medical centres on our ships.

For travel to Cuba, you need to show proof of medical insurance before you can enter the country. This also applies if you're calling at Cuba on one of our cruise itineraries. So have a copy of your valid insurance policy with your tickets and passport for when you get to your resort airport. Visit www.cubaminrex.cu/English/LookCuba/Articles/Others/2010/06–04.html.

# Itineraries

The arrival and departure times shown in the brochure are correct at the time of print but may change. The activities we describe at ports may not always be possible - due to the time spent in port or other factors outside of our control such as bad weather - and are always subject to availability. Sometimes we have to alter the time in port, the order of ports or substitute ports entirely due to bad weather, port congestion, public holidays or other operational reasons. If we alter the time in port it will mean that certain trips will only be possible if there's enough time to do them. Sometimes it may be necessary to anchor or tender off shore rather than dock. These changes can happen before or during your cruise. In exceptional circumstances we may have to change your ship for a similar one.

See Local Laws for more important information about itineraries.

also leave details of your whereabouts in case you're needed

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# Kids' Clubs

No matter which kids' club you're looking at, there are certain things to bear in mind.

- Children who are ill won't be accepted
- If your child has a disability or an allergy, please let us know when you sign them into the kids' club for the first time
- Staff aren't authorised to administer medication or change nappies, so you'll need to return to the club to do this if necessary
   Staff may provide snacks and drinks during the day but you'll need to bring along a
- packed lunch for your child. Having said that, on our ships lunch will be provided.

  You must register your child for all activities, sign them in at the start of the session,
- and out at the endYou must stay within the complex or on the ship while your child is in the club and
- Activities may have to be cancelled, numbers limited and a rota introduced. This may be for health and safety reasons or at particularly busy times
- Even if you've booked a package holiday with us, you may need to pay extra for some activities and sessions when you get there.

### Hotel-run Kids' Clubs

Only clubs run by us meet our specification, which include strict staff to child ratios. Standards and facilities at hotel-run clubs vary. You should make sure you're satisfied with the facilities and staff providing the service before enrolling your child. Unfortunately, we're unable to take responsibility or guarantee that standards at hotel-run clubs meet UK standards.

# Sensatori Kids' Clubs

The Play House at Sensatori Tenerife is for 3 to 12-year-olds. It's open six days a week and some evenings. At Sensatori Resort Jamaica, the children's club is provided by our partners, Karisma, and so it differs to what you'll find in our other Sensatori Resorts. It's also for children aged 4 and above, rather than 3. Mothercare equipment including cots, playpens, strollers, highchairs, sterilisers and bottle warmers are available to book at Sensaror Tenerife, but you need to sort this before you go. Prices range from £10 to £25.

# Thomson Kids' Clubs

We split our Thomson Kids' Clubs by age, into Tots, Team, and Tribe, with two hours of daytime activities, five times a week. For evening activities, it's two hours of activities up to three times a week. Sometimes we'll combine ages for activities but it won't affect our strict staff-to-child ratios. We'll have two staff on hand at all times. In our hotels, our club activities only run from 1st May to 31st October, unless the property description says otherwise. We may need to finish activities before the end of October if there isn't enough demand. On our ships, club activities run year-round. We're constantly updating and reviewing our clubs, so things like activities or the names of clubs might be different to what we describe.

 $\textbf{Late Bookings} \\ \text{If you book your holiday within 15 days of departure, you'll need to pay at least $\pounds 20$ per }$ person to cover the costs of sorting things quickly for you.

Some of our hotels don't have a lift. If stairs are a problem for you, please ask us for more details before you book so we can suggest a suitable property. All of our ships have lifts – you can check where they are on the ship deck plans.

See Special Assistance for more details.

### Local Laws

Sometimes local laws, religious customs or events mean facilities aren't available. For example, in all Muslim countries during the month of Ramadan, bars and restaurants including hotel restaurants – change their opening hours. You may not be allowed to eat, drink or smoke in public areas during daylight hours either. Drinking and gambling ages vary by destination. It's a good idea to find out more before you travel.

As for our cruise itineraries, you'll need to abide by the laws and customs of each country we visit. For the most up-to-date information, we recommend you check www.fco.gov.uk/en/travel-and-living-abroad/travel-advice-by-country/. Sometimes public holidays and events mean we have to change our itinerary or miss the port altogether.

# Lost Property

If you leave something behind on the plane during your flight out, you'll need to contact the overseas airport and ask them to check their lost property. If it's on your flight home, let us know and we'll do our best to track down the item for you. If you leave what we class as a 'valuable item' at your hotel or on one of our ships, like a camera, a laptop or a wallet, we'll do our best to find it for you. However, there is a charge for this and you'll need to pay an admin fee. If we can't find your item, we'll send you a statement to support your travel insurance claim. For help with lost property, contact After Travel Customer Support - you'll find their details in the Getting In Touch section.

# Luggage

This section explains how much you can take, what you can pack, and how to keep your valuables safe. Please make sure you know your limits so your trip can get off to a smooth start. Luggage allowances vary, and could change, so please check when you book.

# On Cruises From The UK

There are no luggage restrictions on cruises from the UK, provided no one piece of luggage weighs more than 23kg. But please bear in mind that storage in your cabin is limited. Please note that if you've booked transfers with Intercruises, you can only take 1 item of hold luggage up to 23kg and 1 piece of hand luggage up to 7kg on the coach with you.

# On Thomson Airways

You can check in 20kg.

Under twos get a 10kg luggage allowance, and we won't charge you to take your folding

You can share your allowance with others on your booking, but no single bag can be more than 23kg. This is for health and safety reasons. If you have booked extra luggage allowance, you still need to make sure each bag is under 23kg, otherwise check-in staff won't accept it. Also, we can only accept luggage if it's packed and secured in suitcases or bags, and we believe it can stand up to reasonable handling. Otherwise, we may ask you to sign a disclaimer before we can take it. This also includes any bags we believe are already damaged.

As for hand luggage, you can take one item on your flight up to 7kg. The maximum dimensions are 55x40x20cm. You can't buy extra hand luggage allowance. You should be able to lift your hand luggage into the overhead storage compartments yourself. Other bags, such as handbags or laptop bags, must fit in your single item of hand luggage. There are restrictions on what you can carry in your hand luggage so make sure you read the information that comes with your tickets. For example, you should pack valuables in your hand luggage — never your checked—in luggage. This includes money, jewellery, computers and important documents. Your airline won't be liable for loss or damage to valuable or fragile items packed in hold luggage, no matter how it's caused.

# On Other Airlines

If you're not flying with Thomson Airways, you'll need to find out what your luggage allowance is. For example, with Air Europa, you get 20kg, whereas with Lotus Air, your allowance is 15kg and you can only check in one piece of luggage. Some airlines don't give infants their own allowance.

# Excess Luggage And Sports Equipment

There may be a charge for excess luggage and sports equipment. Whether or not we can carry it will depend on capacity on the day. We can't guarantee you'll be able to take bulky sports equipment with you on the coach to your holiday accommodation. You can arrange to take golf clubs, windsurf boards, diving equipment and other sports equipment on your flight. If you don't book, you may still be able to check your own equipment in. But we can't guarantee this and there'll be a charge. Bear in mind, any problems with excess luggage charges need to be sorted out at the airport.

# Lost And Damaged Luggage

Please report any lost luggage or damage to us within seven days. If not, under the terms of the Montreal Convention, we won't be liable. See Montreal Convention for details. If your luggage is damaged on your way back to the UK, you need to complete a Property Irregularity Form (PIF) at the airport and keep a copy of it for insurance purposes.

If your luggage is damaged between the coach and the ship, you need to report this to reception as soon as possible to help with any insurance claims.

# Low Season

You may find that if you're travelling outside of peak holiday periods, like May and October, some facilities – both in your hotel and resort – may not be available and entertainment may be more low-key. Hoteliers may remove facilities at certain times due to low demand.

# Meals

# On Your Flight

Meals are only included on long haul flights. Please let us know when you book if you require any children's meals. Just so you know, we don't provide meals for under-twos so you'll need to bring something with you. Remember to tell us if you have any special dietary requirements. We can't guarantee we'll be able to meet them, but we'll do our best. For group bookings, everyone in your party will need to either book in advance or decline the meal. For all other flights, we offer a range of snacks and drinks to buy onboard.

### At Your Hotel

Meals are usually served in the hotel's main restaurant. The set-up here may change from buffet to waiter service, or vice versa. For à la carte restaurants you may be limited to a certain number of visits per stay and you may need to make a reservation. You may need to pay extra for these, too. Not all of the hotel's restaurants will necessarily be open at the same time. Meals for infants are not included in the price of your holiday so you'll need to make your own arrangements.

Full Board Plus includes a Continental breakfast, lunch and dinner with drinks included during mealtimes.

Full Board includes a Continental breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Half Board includes a Continental breakfast and dinner – or lunch, if you wish – at some hotels.

Bed & Breakfast usually means Continental breakfast.

# On Your Cruise

All meals are included – see the individual ship pages. There's a cover charge at the à la carte restaurants on Thomson Celebration, Thomson Dream, Thomson Majesty and Thomson Spirit.

You can expect to pay £12 to £20 for a three-course meal.

# Medical Conditions

# For Your Flight

If you have a medical condition, a serious illness, or you've recently had surgery or an accident, you'll need to be cleared for travel by the airline. You may also need a 'Fitness to Fly' certificate from your GP. Conditions that need medical clearance include respiratory, coronary or infectious illness. You'll need to give your request for medical clearance to the airline at least four working days before you're due to fly.

The risk of deep vein thrombosis while flying is extremely low but is still a serious medical condition. DVT is when a blood clot forms, usually in the lower leg, sometimes because of sitting still for a long time. It needs treatment with blood-thinning drugs to prevent clots breaking off and travelling to the lungs. You can take precautions to reduce the risk. People most at risk include those with a history of bronchial or circulatory problems, thrombosi those recently hospitalised, smokers, the obese, those with congestive heart failure, a malignant disease, pregnant women or women taking the contraceptive pill.

To reduce the risk, exercise your legs from time to time, or walk around if possible. Elastic stockings may be helpful. Drink plenty of non-alcoholic liquids to prevent dehydration. See your doctor if you think you may be particularly prone to DVT.

If you think you might need to ask for therapeutic oxygen during your flight, please contact your airline for details at least one month before your departure date. Thomson Airways does not charge for this, but you must request it in advance so we can confirm that it'll be available for you. Contact our Customer Welfare team for more information – their number is at the end of this guide.

See **Special Requests** for more details.

# For Your Cruise

All ships have a medical centre with an English-speaking doctor. There's a charge for all treatments, and we don't accept the European Health Insurance Card, or EHIC, on board. Our medical centres are well equipped but not designed for extensive or continued treatment of existing conditions.

If you're planning to use a medical centre on shore, remember to take your insurance claim form. If you're concerned about seasickness, ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before you go. It's worth pointing out you won't be able to board if you're showing signs of a contagious disease.

# Money Exchange

**At Your Hotel** If you want to change money when you get there, check the property descriptions to find out if you can do this at your hotel.

On Your Cruise Our ships use sterling onboard. You can change small amounts of money cash or travellers' cheques - onboard but charges apply. See **Onboard Accounts**.

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# Official Ratings

Each country has its own system for rating properties. We'll always publish any official ratings where they're available, usually as stars. But there are a few things we need to tell you on this front. In Greece and Turkey, you'll also find reference to A to C instead of stars, with A being the best. This is based on facilities and ground space.

### Onboard Accounts

Our ships are cashless and prices onboard are in pounds sterling. There are limited exchange facilities so you can change small amounts of money - cash or travellers' cheques - to use ashore. You can charge everything you buy onboard during your cruise to your cabin account. Accounts are opened when you board the ship and can be settled in cash, or by travellers' cheques or credit/debit card. To settle your account with cash we'll need a £200 per cabin deposit for each week of your cruise. On all Thomson ships we accept American Express as well as Visa and Mastercard credit and debit cards. Maestro is accepted on Thomson Majesty and Thomson Spirit. You just need to register with your credit or debit card when you check in. It's worth bearing in mind there's a surcharge for using a credit card and for changing travellers' cheques.

# Onboard Drinks Package See All Inclusive Drinks Package and Special Offers.

We have this special offer on some of our cruise holidays, subject to availability. The way it works is an amount of money is credited to your onboard account at the start of your cruise. This credit is only available to adults. It can't be transferred to anyone else and can't be refunded.

# See Special Offers.

# Only from Thomson

If you see this on the accommodation pages, it means that, in the UK, you can only book the holiday through one of our TUI group companies. This includes Citalia, Crystal, First Choice, Hayes & Jarvis, Hotelbeds, Simply, Sovereign and Thomson.

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# **Passports**

The name in your passport must match the name on your ticket otherwise you may not be able to travel and your insurance could be invalid. If someone in your group changes their name after you have booked, tell us and we'll issue the ticket in the new name. If you've already received the ticket, return it and we'll send one with the correct name. There may be a fee for this change. If you're a British citizen, you need a full, ten-year British passport and it must be valid for six months from the date of your return to the UK. Passports are required for all cruises departing from the UK.

If your passport has an Israeli stamp, you may be refused entry to some countries, even if you're sailing from the UK on one of our cruises. If this happens, you would have to stay onboard. Talking of Israeli stamps, if your ship docks in Israel, your passport won't be stamped – instead, you'll get a stamp on a separate piece of paper.

For more information, visit Her Majesty's Passport Office website at https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/hm-passport-office. If you don't have a UK passport, you should always check with your own embassy, high commission or consulate before you book.

# Play House, Sensatori

# See Kids' Clubs.

# Port Car Parking

Parking is provided in a secure area. This will be within a short walking distance of the terminal building or a shuttle bus will operate. Free or reduced price parking must be booked when you book your cruise. This offer is subject to availability and may be withdrawn at any time.

You can cruise onboard our ships up to the 24th week of pregnancy. If you're more than 24 weeks at the end of your cruise then you won't be able to sail. Please check your insurance policy for any restrictions that apply.

# Premier Service

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Premier Service is available when you book a Suite, Junior Suite or Grand Suite on any of our ships, or a Deluxe cabin on Thomson Dream. Benefits include express check-in – subject to availability, express luggage delivery – your luggage will be the first to be delivered from quayside to cabin, free pressing service – this applies to your first 24 hours onboard, is limited to 1 use and 3 items per person, and is subject to the laundry's terms and conditions. You also get breakfast in bed – one free Continental breakfast for each passenger, each week.

# Premium Club

Premium Club seating is available to book on long haul flights. If you book to fly Premium Club your luggage allowance will be 23kg in the hold and 7kg as hand luggage. Priority check-in and priority boarding are subject to availability. Fast track security for Premium Club passengers is available at Gatwick, Manchester, Birmingham, Bristol and Fast Midlands.

Our Select-Your-Seat service is included, in accordance with our Select Your Seat terms and conditions - see **Select Your Seat**.

To get the best choice of seats, we recommend you book and select your seats as early as possible before departure. If you experience any difficulties using our online service, please contact your travel agent or, if you've booked your holiday online, please contact Thomson Airways on 0871 231 4793. Just to make you aware, we'll always do our best to seat your group together but we can't guarantee this.

# Prices

Our brochure prices are accurate at the time of publication, but you should only use them as a guide. The price we give is the lowest for that particular date range and will depend on when you're travelling. Prices may go up and down throughout the season. We charge based on 2 adults sharing a cabin or room.

# Please also see Special Offers.

We worked out the price of your holiday in this brochure using the following exchange rates. These were quoted in the Financial Times Guide to World Currencies on 15/10/2013...

Europe (Euro) 1.1826

United States (Dollar) 1.5970

### What's Included

The basic cost of your holiday includes the following...

- Return flight from the UK
- Air Passenger Duty at the standard economy rate £12 per person for short haul, £60 for mid haul and £75 for long haul. Charges may change.
- Transfers between the airport, your accommodation, and cruise ship. This is usually by coach.
- lacktriangle Car hire on selected holidays check when you book.
- The accommodation and meals as advertised or confirmed on your invoice.
- Luggage allowance as confirmed on your ticket.
- Aviation insurance and security charge.
- Estimated fuel costs
- All obligatory hotel service charges and taxes.
- VAT on all holidays to EC countries.
- Port taxes.
- Tips and service charges onboard our ships.

### What's Not Included

The basic cost doesn't include the following...

- Additional flight charges, such as taxes and regional supplements
- Additional Air Passenger Duty there's a difference between standard and premium cabin charges. A higher rate is charged by the government for passengers travelling in premium cabins. The additional charge is currently double the standard air passenger duty, but charges may change.
- In-flight meals unless we say otherwise.
- Seats together on the plane unless we say otherwise.
- Fuel supplements where applicable.
- Excursions and shore excursions.
- Holiday insurance.
- Additional charges for particular room types, meals or under-occupancy in apartments. For details, see the price panel for your accommodation or ask your Holiday Advisor.
- Excess luggage and the transport of any sporting equipment.
- Deposits requested on arrival by some apartment or villa owners.
- Any local taxes, levies or similar that local authorities abroad expect you to pay yourselves.
- Cruise cabin supplements see Cabin Supplements for details.
- See Late Bookings for more details.

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# Rollaway Beds

These are only suitable for 16s and under but can be used to accommodate adults on our cruise ships. If your room or cabin has a rollaway bed set up, the floor space may be limited.

# Room Upgrades

If you arrange a different room type with the hotel when you arrive, this won't be included in your contract with us. See **Cabins** for cabin upgrades.

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# Safe

Overseas' safety standards are generally lower than ours in the UK. We take reasonable care to make sure only reputable businesses provide the services that make up our holidays, and we expect them to provide those services in line with local standards.

# Safety Drills Onboard

All our ships comply with the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea – SOLAS. It's a legal requirement for you to attend our safety and lifeboat drill.

# Sailing Times

The sailing times for our cruise holidays are correct when we publish them, but they may change. See **Itineraries** for more details.

# Sea Views

If you book a room with a sea view, it may be partly blocked by trees or smaller buildings, or across a road, but you'll still be able to see the sea. If we describe a room as a Limited Sea View, this will generally mean that your view of the sea will be to the side rather than directly in front of you. There may also be more obstructions like trees between your room and the sea than with a Sea View room. On our cruise ships meanwhile the view from some cabins may be obstructed.

See Cabins for more details.

# Seating

Our standard seat width is 16 inches. If you don't fit in to one seat due to your physical size you'll need to purchase additional seating. Please call our Customer Welfare Team to arrange this at the time of booking - you can find their details at the end of this guide.

# Seats With Extra Legroom

These are available to book on selected short and mid haul flights and are suitable for adults and children. Our Select-Your-Seat service is included, in accordance with our Select Your Seat terms and conditions - see **Select Your Seat**. To get the best choice of seats, we recommend you book and select your seats as early as possible before departure. If you experience any difficulties using our online service, please contact your travel agent or, if you've booked your holiday online, please contact Thomson Airways on 0871 231 4793. Just to make you aware, we'll always do our best to seat your group together but we can't guarantee this.

### Seats With Extra Space

These include seats that are close to or next to emergency exit doors, behind a bulkhead or behind a dividing wall. In our Dreamliner aircraft they may also be located in the first 4 rows of the Economy Club cabin. Seats with extra space are only available for adults and children over 14 years to book in advance, just so you know we may allocate these seats to families with children if the seats are not located in an emergency exit row. Emergency exit row seats are only available to passengers who are able to move quickly and operate the emergency exit without difficulty - in line with European Aviation Safety Authority (EASA) regulations.

Just a few things to bear in mind before you book an emergency exit row seat.. Any passengers who have difficulty moving quickly - either because of physical or mental impairment or disability, age or sickness, or physical size - cannot sit in these seats. Neither can anyone who's under the age of 14 - whether accompanied or not, anyone who requires an extension seatbelt, anyone who's under the influence of alcohol or anyone who's travelling with an assistance animal. These regulations have been put in place by the EASA and are for the safety of our passengers. The cabin crew have the final say and we kindly ask that their decisions are respected.

### Select Your Seat

If you pay extra to reserve seats together, you'll get to choose your seat numbers for free on most Thomson Airways flights up to three days before your flight. Bear in mind, if you're on an A la Carte holiday, you won't need to pay any extra to reserve seats as long as you've booked at least 14 days before you travel. Once you've chosen your seat, you won't be able to change it. That said, in some circumstances, we may have to change your seat. This would only be for operational, safety or security reasons. If we do have to change your seat, we'll try to keep it as close to what you booked as possible. Seats together may be across an aisle or behind each other. A similar position means the same type of seat - window, aisle etc - as your original selected seats. A refund will only be offered if we can't seat your group together and in a similar position to your original request. In such cases, we ask that you keep a copy of your confirmation documents and boarding cards.

If you choose the Select Your Seat option but then don't go on to select your seat numbers, we'll still try and seat your group together. If you're not flying with Thomson Airways, we'll do our best to keep your party together but we can't guarantee it. Our Select Your Seat Service is provided using the Civil Aviation Authority guidelines, so we have to comply with certain requirements before we can allocate seats near the exit.

# Ship Maintenance

Ongoing maintenance may happen while you're onboard one of our cruise ships. We'll do our best to keep noise to a minimum.

# Shore Excursions

All shore excursions are subject to change. For full terms and conditions, including details on our cancellation policy, please see the Cruise Shore Excursions Terms  $\boldsymbol{\delta}$  Conditions at thomson.co.uk/cruise. Please also see Itineraries.

### Single Cabins

These cabins are for sole occupancy. Twin berths are available to book just for yourself, but you'll need to pay a supplement.

# Single Rooms

Single rooms and rooms for sole occupancy are available in most hotels, but demand always exceeds availability. Sometimes when we refer to single rooms it may mean a room suitable for sole occupancy. Single rooms are generally smaller, may not have the best locations or the same amenities. If you're booking a double room just for yourself, you'll usually be asked to pay a supplement. This also applies to self-catering accommodation, where, for example, three people choose a property for four. Our prices reflect the costs of the rooms contracted to us.

# Smoking

All our flights are non-smoking. In our hotels, there are usually designated areas. On our cruise ships, you can smoke on your balcony if you have one and in designated areas on deck. As for e-cigarettes, you can use these in the casino and adjoining bar areas on each of our ships, as well as in the designated areas on deck.

Spas in our hotels and on our cruise ships aren't included in the price of your holiday unless we say otherwise. In Spain and the Canary Islands, by law only over-16s can use the facilities.

# Special Assistance

If you're planning a cruise and have a disability, use a wheelchair, have special dietary needs, a sensory impairment or are undergoing medical treatment, you must let us know when making your booking. Failure to do this may result in you being refused boarding on arrival at the ship. Our ships have fully equipped medical centres, but they're not designed for extensive or continuing treatment of existing conditions. Some properties have things like ramps and specially adapted rooms, please call our Customer Welfare Team for more information.

# Special Offers

Our offers are only available on the holidays and dates we advertise, are per booking, and are subject to availability.

# Special Requests

We'll always do our best to help however we can, but we can't guarantee we'll be able to meet your needs every time. These special requests aren't covered by Our Agreement With You so from a legal point of view, they're not part of your holiday contract.

# Stage School

Our Stage School will take place on all our ships. On each cruise it'll offer acting, dancing and singing lessons for a maximum of 20 children aged 9 to 16. If fewer than 3 children attend, it won't run. Workshops will be run by our onboard show team in three 90-minute sessions over 3 days, culminating in a performance. The cost is  $\it E35$  per child. Our Stage School will not be available on our Adults-only cruises.

# Supplements

# On Your Flight

We base the price of your holiday on departures with no additional flight costs. We show these departures as £0 supplement in our flight tables. If you decide to fly from a different airport, on certain days or at certain times, you may have to pay the supplement shown. Flight supplements may go up or down. Some holidays are only available on flights with extra charges. This is either because the accommodation is only available on certain flight days or because onward travel arrangements are only available at certain times. There's a charge for under-twos to cover taxes and charges the airline has to pay. Just so you're aware, we can't predict the tax increase that other governments might impose. As these haven't been decided, we can't include them in your holiday price. If there are changes to travel taxes and costs, unfortunately you may need to pay extra.

# At Your Accommodation See Prices

# On Your Cruise See Cabin Supplements.

It's unlikely your pool will have a lifeguard. An adult must always accompany children in the pool. This includes children's pools and surrounding areas. Pools may be closed in early or late season, so April, early May and October, or in particularly bad weather. Also, pools won't be heated unless we say otherwise in the property description. If your pool has a waterslide, there may be height or age restrictions. If you're on one of our ships, swimming pools will be filled as long as the sea water is considered safe for you to swim in. Having said that, we may occasionally need to close the pools for other reasons. For example, if the weather's particularly bad.

You may need to pay a tourist tax either at the airport or at your hotel. This won't apply if you're on one of our cruise holidays - unless you're combining your itinerary with a hotel stay. Taxes change regularly so check before you go. See **Prices** for more details.

# Tour Operator Ratings

We rate our holidays on our annual reviews and also the feedback we get from our end-ofholiday Customer Satisfaction Questionnaires. We rate hotels and apartments from '2' for no-frills, good value accommodation, to '5' for more comfort and a wider range of facilities. There may be some differences between accommodation that shares the same rating. That's where our 'plus' rating comes in.

You'll be given pool towels on our ships for use during your cruise. If they are not returned, a £10 charge will be added to your onboard account.

The transfer times we give you are a rough guide. They don't allow for delays to incoming flights or local traffic conditions. Our cruise holidays include transfers between the airport, ship and hotel by coach or minibus. If you're adding a stay in an A la Carte hotel to your cruise, private taxi transfers will only be included between the hotel and airport. For other types of cruise holiday the arrangements will be different...

# Go-as-you-please

We'll provide transfers between the airport and the ship but you'll need to make your own way to and from your accommodation.

# Cabin Only – No Flights

If you have booked the cruise part on its own then transfers aren't included and it's down to you to get to the ship on time. The last check-in is an hour before the advertised sailing time, so build plenty of time into your schedule for checking in and boarding. For cruises departing from the UK you can check in at the cruise terminal between 1pm and 3pm and board from then on.

See Late Bookings for more details on transfers.

# Twin Rooms

Some twin rooms can take a 3rd or 4th bed but they're usually camp or folding beds. Rooms that take extra beds or a cot aren't necessarily bigger than standard rooms so space may be limited.

# See Cabins.

# Vaccinations

Speak to your doctor at least 2 months before you're due to go away. Some treatments, for malaria for example, should begin well before you go. If you're booking within three weeks of your departure, speak to your doctor before you book. There's more information available in the Department of Health's free leaflet – Health Advice for Travellers. Call 0800 555 777 for a copy.

# Visas

The best place for up-to-date information on visa and travel advice is the Foreign Office. Visit www.fco.gov.uk/travel or call 0845 850 2829. There may be specific entry requirements for under-18s, depending on your destination. For example, if a young person is travelling without both parents, there may be extra costs and they may need extra legal documents such as an affidavit, from a notary public. Always check with the consulate or embassy of the country you're travelling to before you book.

We'll organise a group visa for British or Irish passport holders. This will cover all your ports of call and trips ashore. If you haven't got a British or Irish passport, you'll need to check entry requirements with individual embassies or consulates. If you don't have one of these passports, you'll need to organise your own visas for each port of call. Without the right visas, you won't be allowed to board the ship. It's also worth pointing out, if you're visiting more than one port of call in a particular country, for example in Greece, you'll need a multiple-entry visa.

Here are some other key things we need to tell you about...

# Algeria

If you go on one of our organised shore excursions, you're covered by a group visa. But if you wish to go ashore independently you'll need to obtain your own visa. These must be purchased from the Algerian Embassy prior to your cruise and will not be available to purchase on the ship or on arrival in Algiers. With this in mind, most of our customers prefer to join our programme of organised excursions for ease.

# Cuba

There is a visa requirement for Cuba but this has been incorporated into the price of your holiday. If you're a Cuban citizen you won't be able to sail on our cruise holidays unless you have a US or Schengen visa. This is because of local immigration laws.

# Dominican Republic

If you're a citizen of the Dominican Republic you won't be able to sail on our cruises unless you have a US or Schengen visa. This is because of local immigration laws.

# Please also see Taxes.

You don't need a visa if you're joining a ship in Sharm El Sheikh. If you're extending your holiday with a stay in Sharm El Sheikh, you only need a visa if you travel outside the Sinai Desert, or go sightseeing or diving outside Sharm El Sheikh.

For information on Egyptian visas in general, visit www.egyptianconsulate.co.uk or call the Egyptian Consulate on 0207 235 9777. Egyptian laws prevent Egyptian nationals from sailing on our cruises from Sharm El Sheikh.

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If you're an Israeli national or have an Israeli stamp in your passport, you may not be allowed ashore in Lebanon.

# Russia

If you go on one of our organised shore excursions, you're covered by a group visa. But if you wish to go ashore independently you'll need to obtain your own visa. These must be purchased from the Russian Federation Embassy prior to your cruise and will not be available on ship or upon arrival in St Petersburg. With this in mind, most of our customers prefer to join our programme of day and evening organised excursions in St Petersburg for ease.

# Turkey

You'll need to buy a tourist visa when you arrive. You can expect to pay around £10 or £15 in cash for this. This won't apply if you're on one of our cruise holidays and not combining your itinerary with a hotel stay.

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# Weather

There are sometimes tropical storms and hurricanes in the Caribbean and Mexico between June and November. It's impossible to predict their path or how long they will last more than three of four days in advance, and often it's much less.

South-east Asia may be affected by its monsoon season, typically May to September. If a storm is forecast for one of our destinations, your safety is always our first priority. If there are hurricanes during your holiday we follow the advice of the Foreign & Commonwealth Office and work with the Federation of Tour Operators.

Bad weather may even force us to change parts of your itinerary. This may happen before the cruise starts or during it. It may also mean departure or arrival times at ports change. Also, local conditions may mean we have to limit our time at that port, or miss it out all together. We may also have to change your ship for a similar one.

Please also bear in mind that some hotel facilities - like outdoor bars and some sports - may not be available in adverse weather.

Where we display weather information, this is supplied by the Met Office,

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# Wheelchairs

# At the Airport

If you use a wheelchair or can't walk more than 500 metres without help, you'll need to book airport assistance with our Customer Welfare Team. You need to do this at least 48 hours before you leave. You'll find their contact details at the end of this guide. If you don't book ahead, you're likely to face long delays at the airport as those who've booked will always take priority.

# On Your Flight

When you fly with us, we'll take your wheelchair and one other mobility item in addition to your normal luggage allowance. You can bring your battery-powered wheelchair, providing the general conditions for the carriage of such devices as outlined in the IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations, and/or any other rules outlined by the CAA, are met - visit www.caa. co.uk and search for 'wheelchair' for more information.

Wheelchairs need to be stored in an upright position when collapsed for carriage. Batteries must be disconnected and the battery terminals insulated to prevent accidental shorting. You should bring the operating instructions with you. If you're unsure of these details, see http://www.bhta.net/home/air-transport-advice-lists.html where your make and model should be shown. If not, you'll need to contact the manufacturer, or shop where it was purchased or hired, to find out these details and let us know. We also recommend you're fully insured for your wheelchair.

The Thomson Airways fleet of aircraft includes Boeing aircraft. Here are the door sizes of our fleet so you can check if your wheelchair will fit -

**B737-800** Forward Hold -  $48'' \times 35'' / 1.22 \text{m} \times 0.89 \text{m}$ . Rear Hold -  $48'' \times 33'' / 1.22 \text{m} \times 0.84 \text{m}$ . **B757-200** Forward Hold -  $55'' \times 42.5'' / 1.40 \text{m} \times 1.08 \text{m}$ . Rear Hold -  $54'' \times 45'' / 1.40 \text{m} \times 1.14 \text{m}$ . **B767-300** Bulk -  $38'' \times 43.5'' / 0.96 \text{m} \times 1.10 \text{m}$ .

**B787-8** Bulk - 45" x 40" / 1.14m x 1.02m.

If your flight is not operated by Thomson Airways, you'll need to check with the airline operating your flight to see if your wheelchair will fit. Our Customer Welfare Team can help you with this - their details are at the end of this guide.

# Transfers

If the extent of your disability is such that you cannot use the coach transfers provided between the airport, ship and hotel, then taxi transfers can be booked at a charge. Please call our Customer Welfare Team for more information.

# On Your Ship

Unfortunately, due to safety reasons, we do have to limit the number of wheelchairs we can allow onboard so please call our Customer Welfare Team before you book. Failure to do so may result in you being refused boarding on arrival at the ship. You'll find their contact details at the end of this guide.

If you plan to use your wheelchair onboard and require adapted facilities you must book a specially adapted cabin. All our ships have four of these cabins. You can see them on the deck plans. They have bathrooms adapted for wheelchair-users and have wider access. These cabins may only be booked by those who require the adapted facilities. If you plan to use your wheelchair onboard, but don't require adapted facilities, please contact our Customer Welfare Team to make sure an appropriate cabin type can be selected.

# See Cabin Reservations.

# Going Ashore

If you need a wheelchair - either standard or battery-operated - when you're ashore, we'll look after it for you at the gangway so it's there when you need it. But you'll have to be able to manage the gangway without it. In ports where a tender to shore is necessary, you'll have to stay onboard if you can't manage without your wheelchair. At other times, depending on the port and its tides, it may not always be possible for you to leave the ship at all due to gangway access. Some excursions may not be suitable for the less mobile.

See Special Assistance for more details.

### Wi-Fi

Bandwidths may vary. Some hotels may offer an upgrade to a higher bandwidth which you may need to pay for. Factors that may reduce signal strength include high usage - particularly if lots of devices are using Wi-Fi at the same time, obstructions like thick walls and electronic machinery and adverse weather conditions. The device used to connect to the Wi-Fi - e.g. mobile phone, tablet or laptop - may result in a differing quality of service received. Wi-Fi zones may not be in the same location at every hotel.

# Your Opinion

We ask every customer travelling with us to fill in a Customer Satisfaction Questionnaire on their flight home, and to rate various aspects of their holiday experience as Excellent, Good, Fair or Poor. You'll also be handed a questionnaire to fill in onboard so you can grade elements of your cruise experience.

### See Cruise Customer Service Questionnaire for details.

All the questionnaires are analysed by an independent market research company. Then, we publish the results, where they are available, for each of the properties. The scores you see are results for the last season and are shown as the percentage of guests who rated their holiday overall — so accommodation, location and meals — as good or excellent. If a property has recently moved across to Thomson from our sister company, First Choice, we'll publish the last season's scores from First Choice so you can still see how the property's been rated by our customers.

Some properties and ships don't have a score for a number of reasons — it may be new for that season, we may have received less than 20 responses, or the hotel or ship has changed — perhaps been refurbished, is under new management, or now caters for a different type of customer. Or perhaps the full season scores weren't available when we went to print.

As for our Premium Collection hotels, they have to achieve a score of at least 90%. If the accommodation is new, we'll make the judgment on whether it's suitable for this range.

# **Getting In Touch**

# Before You Go

If you're yet to travel with us, here are some numbers you may need...

Bookings, Amendments or General Enquiries - 0844 871 0872

New Bookings - 0871 230 2800 or online at thomson.co.uk/cruise

Cabin Reservations - 0871 231 4908

Customer Welfare - 0844 871 1600

Groups - 0871 971 0560

Shore Excursions - 0871 687 0377

Finishing Touches – 0871 971 0533

Thomson Airways - 0871 231 4793

You can also email us at contactus@thomson—cruises.com or write to us. If you have your booking reference details, please include those in your letter or email.

Thomson Cruises Service Centre, Mariner Street, Swansea, SA1 5BA

# While You're Away

If you're on board, please call in at Reception. Once ashore, please call our Holidayline Team on +442476 28 22 28, text 82345 or email 24–7@thomson.co.uk. They'll be there for you 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Calls from abroad will be charged at international rates. Texts to 82345 cost 50p plus your network rate.

# When You Get Home

When you're back in the UK, to discuss your Thomson Airways flight experience, call 0844 800 3100. For any other aspects of your holiday you can complete the online form located in the 'Contact Us' section of our website. Alternatively, you can write to us at the address below. Remember to give us your booking reference details.

After Travel Customer Support, Thomson, Wigmore House, Wigmore Lane, Luton, LU2 9TN

# Travel Agent Support

If you're a travel agent and need our help...

Agent Reservations & Administration - 0844 871 0877

Group Bookings - 0871 971 0576

Calls to 0871 numbers cost 10p per minute plus network extras.

Calls to 0844 numbers cost 5p per minute plus network extras.

# **SPECIAL OFFERS**

Look out for the great discounts and special offers available on the holidays featured in this brochure.

**ADD** a 3-night

hotel stay

from just £70

With a Cruise & Stay holiday, you get the best of both worlds – some time at sea and a spell on dry land. What's more, you can make great savings. Twin your cruise with a 3-night stay at one of the hotels below, and you could pay just £70 per person more than you would for a 7-night cruise alone.

You can also twin your cruise with a 7-night stay in Jamaica from just £270 more than you would for a 7-night cruise alone.

Resort		Board basis	T Rating	Page no.	Departures	Nights	Add a stay from just
Corfu	Thomas Bay	НВ	3	130	May / October 2014	3	£70
Turkey	Blue Bay Platinum	Al	4	114	May 2014	3	£110
Jamaica	Holiday Inn Sunspree	Al	3	149	April 2015	7	£270
Tenerife	Las Vegas	НВ	3+	156	December 2014 / April 2015	3	£80
Malaga	Angela	НВ	4	111	November 2014	3	£90

This offer is available on selected flights and departures during the months shown and is subject to availability. Prices shown are per person based on 2 adults sharing a standard room. All prices can go up and down, please check at the time of booking for the most up to date price.

**FREE** 

All Inclusive

Upgrade

Our cruises are served up with good food, great entertainment and top-notch service. And on selected Thomson Majesty, Thomson Spirit, Thomson Dream and Thomson Celebration sailings between November 2014 and April 2015, we're going one step further - the drinks are on us, too.

Book early and grab yourself a free All Inclusive Upgrade worth £199 per person per week.

Look out for the free All Inclusive messages throughout the brochure.

See "All Inclusive Drinks Package" in the A-Z Guide. All Inclusive Upgrade only applies to time spent onboard the ship and must be requested at the time of booking. Offer has limited availability and can be withdrawn at any time.

**UPGRADE** 

to All Inclusive

from just £10

per person, per night

On selected summer 2014 and winter 2014 cruises you can purchase the All Inclusive Drinks Package at a special offer price – saving up to  $\pounds$ 129\* per person per week.

Look out for the All Inclusive upgrade messages throughout the brochure to see which ones apply.

See "All Inclusive Drinks Package" in the A-Z Guide. All Inclusive Upgrade only applies to time spent onboard the ship and must be requested at the time of booking. This offer only applies to new bookings and is available on selected dates only. Price quoted is per person, per booking.

This offer has limited availability and can be withdrawn at any time

 $^{\star}\mathit{£}$ 129 saving quoted refers to the saving made on a full price All Inclusive upgrade on a 7-night cruise.

Up to

£100 FREE

Onhoard Spending Money

What would you do if you had £100 onboard credit to use just for fun on your Thomson cruise? Indulge in luxurious spa treatments? Dine in the à la carte restaurant?

Free onboard spending money is available on selected Thomson Dream 7 and 14-night cruises, sailing from Jamaica.

The applicable monetary amount will be credited to your onboard account at the start of your cruise.

Amount shown is per couple, per booking, and is only available to adult passengers. It is non-transferable and non-refundable.

This offer has limited availability, applies to new bookings only and can be withdrawn at any time

FREE

Car Parking

To ensure you enjoy a hassle-free holiday, we're including car parking in the price of your holiday when you sail from the UK onboard Thomson Spirit, between May and September 2014. This is worth up to  $\pounds 180^*$ .

Offer must be selected at the time of booking, has limited availability and can be withdrawn at any time.

\*Saving is based on current cost of parking for 15 days at the port of Tyne, Newcastle



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# Call 0871 230 2800\*

for expert advice from our team of Travel Advisors.

\*Calls cost 10p per minute plus network extras. The cost of calls was correct at the time of publication in December 2013.





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