# e-brochure

### 2006 Alaska Cruises

The Holland America Line e-brochure offers you enhanced information to help you plan your cruise vacation. In addition to all the essential details included in our printed brochure — port descriptions and photos, itineraries, itinerary maps, and ship deck plans — the e-brochure provides clickable links to the Holland America Line website www.hollandamerica.com for up-to-date information and resources.

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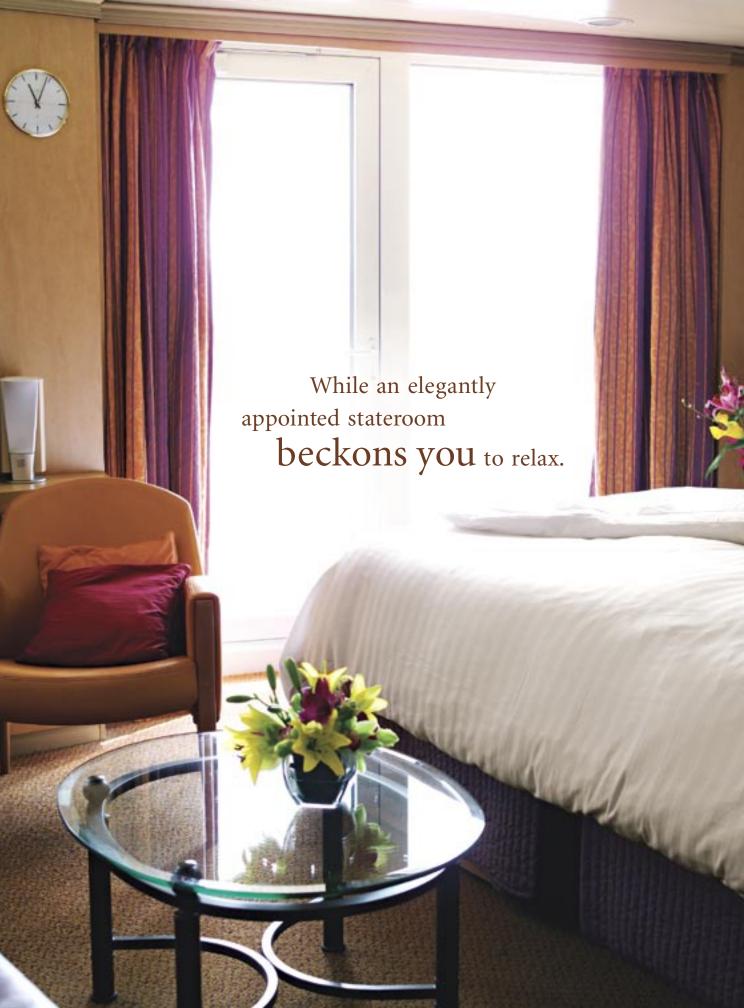














Holland America's ships were designed for Alaska cruising, with airy viewing lounges, wraparound decks and private verandahs that offer guests the chance to experience—in intimate elegance—Alaska's glaciers, wildlife and scenery.

### CLASSIC DESIGN

- Traditional, graceful ships designed to be true ocean-going vessels
- Wraparound Promenade Deck, teak deck chairs and classic nautical lines
- Refined ambiance aboard spacious mid-sized ships
- Spacious public rooms adorned with fine art and antiques

### A GRACIOUS RETREAT

- Spacious, elegantly appointed staterooms, many with private verandahs
- Luxurious Euro-Top beds and premium linens
- Large, extra-fluffy Egyptian cotton towels, plush bathrobes, magnifying mirrors, stylish new hair dryers
- Refrigerators, televisions and DVD players
- Fresh fruit in room
- Nightly turndown service

# FOR PENTHOUSE AND DELUXE VERANDAH SUITE GUESTS (CATEGORIES PS, S & SA-SC)

- Use of the exclusive Neptune Lounge
- · Luxurious duvets and pillows
- Fresh flowers
- Fully stocked no-host mini-bar
- 24-hour one-touch telephone concierge service

### DAZZLING DINING

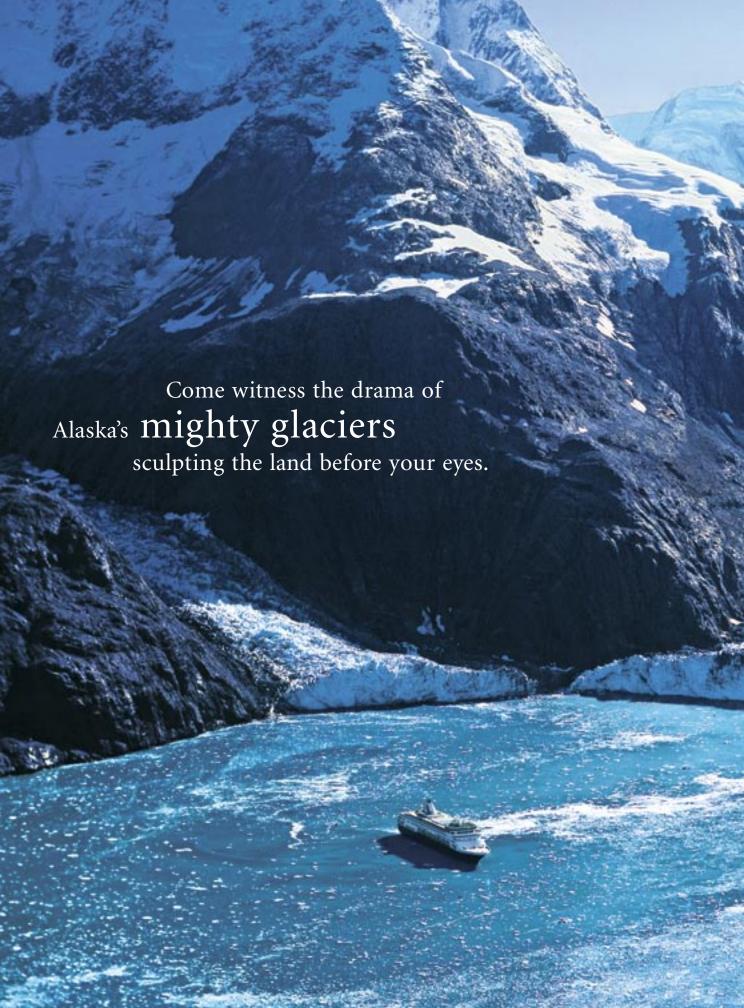
- Diverse choice of dining venues: elegant main Dining Room; fresh, cooked-to-order specialties in the relaxed Lido Restaurant
- The Pinnacle Grill, a popular reservations-only restaurant featuring Sterling Silver premium beef and fresh seafood
- Complimentary 24-hour in-room dining
- Lunch and dinner menus created daily and seldom repeated
- Extensive wine list, featuring wines highly rated by *Wine Spectator*

# ACTIVITIES & ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

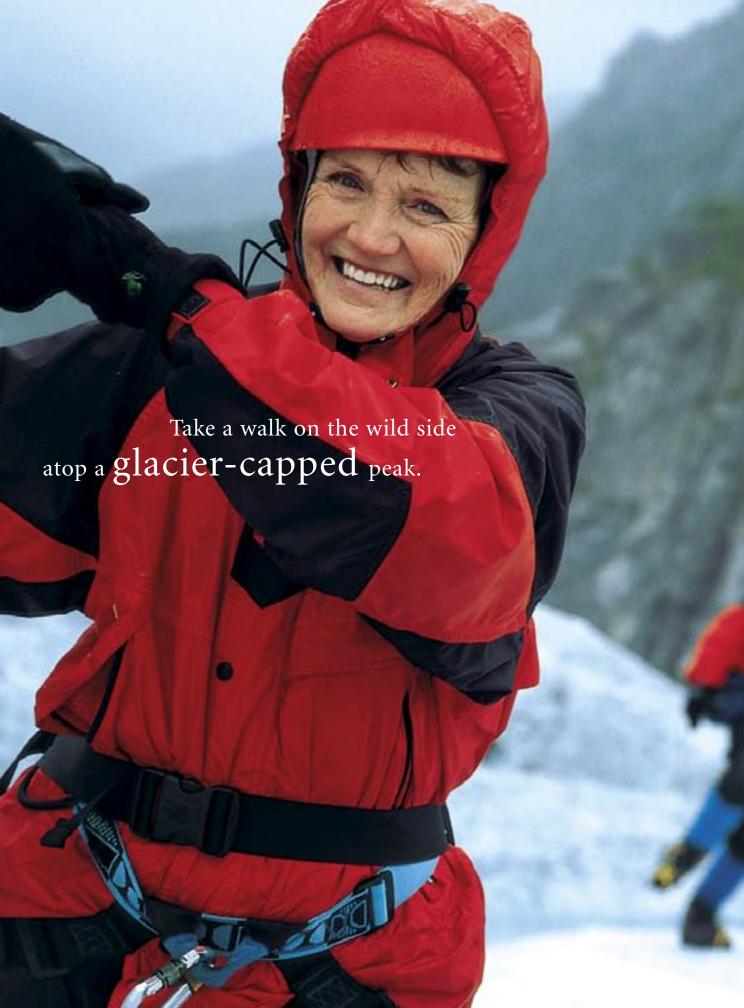
- Culinary Arts Center presented by Food & Wine Magazine: Our master chefs offer tips for preparing salmon 50 different ways
- New expanded Greenhouse Spa & Salon with couple's massage rooms and thermal suites
- Explorations Café, an interactive learning center powered by The New York Times
- Club HAL® for ages 3–7 and 8–12 and separate teens-only outdoor Oasis and The Loft
- BEST OVERALL CRUISE VALUE (13 consecutive years) — World Ocean & Cruise Liner Society



Melt under the spell of a hot-stone massage. Let the sound of gentle chimes call you to dinner, where fresh wild Alaska salmon, grilled to perfection, awaits.









No one knows Alaska like Holland America Line. No other company has the experience or the insight we have. From fascinating cultural programs that bring the Great Land to life to itineraries that showcase Alaska at its best, you'll see more, learn more and experience a more memorable side of Alaska with Holland America Line.

### GREAT LAND SHOWCASE

- Widest selection of cruise itineraries and departures, expertly designed to showcase Alaska's wildlife, glaciers and scenery
- Three extraordinary cruise routes to choose from, each with an emphasis on Alaska's breathtaking glaciers
- Only cruise line to feature Glacier Bay National Park on all three major cruise routes
- New port! Introducing Icy Strait Point for 2006 on all Hubbard Glacier Discovery cruises

### BETTER ON BOARD

- Spacious mid-sized ships with fewer guests preserve an intimate ambiance and uncrowded viewing
- Five-star vessels designed to showcase the outdoors, with huge viewing lounges, wraparound decks and wide-open bows
- Largest staterooms of any major cruise line in Alaska
- Cozy wool blankets on each teak lounge chair for comfortable deck viewing
- Menus designed to feature fresh Alaskan specialties such as king crab legs and grilled salmon

### ALASKAN PERSPECTIVES

- Park Service ranger on board to provide fascinating commentary on Glacier Bay National Park
- Full-time naturalist on deck to provide insight into marine and bird life, geology, glacial process and natural succession
- Native Artist-in-Residence program with lectures, small group sessions and hands-on crafts
- Legends and lore of Glacier Bay as told by Huna Totem tribal interpreters
- Complimentary hot cocoa and splitpea soup (a Dutch tradition) served on deck mid-morning

### GOING WILD ASHORE

- Extensive range of shore excursions, from native cultural tours to backcountry fishing and glacier flightseeing
- The Medallion Collection: an exclusive series of unique shore excursions such as bear watching and a Harley-Davidson® motorcycle tour
- The best cruisetour options to Denali National Park and beyond





Hubbard Glacier

# **Hubbard Glacier**

Stand in awe before North America's most massive tidewater glacier. This dazzling ice-blue behemoth fills your view and extends for miles at either side. It originates on the slopes of Mt. Logan 76 miles away in Kluane National Park and spreads across a valley 40 miles wide. By the time it reaches Disenchantment Bay, its architecture towers 40 stories high, dwarfing even the largest ships.

Imagine coming face to face with a wall of ice five miles wide. Nicknamed the "Galloping Glacier," Hubbard moves faster than almost any other glacier on the continent. It advanced so fast in 2002 that it dammed Russell Fjord. And now it threatens a repeat performance. As your ship sails along its looming mass, listen for the loud, deep rumble. Wait for the mighty crack and the thunderous crash. Then marvel as icebergs the size of large buildings crash into the sea.

Cruising to Hubbard Glacier is just as inspiring. Marvel at a 150-mile-long wall of peaks that includes Mt. Logan and Mt. St. Elias — the second- and third-tallest mountains in North America. Encounter the mighty Malaspina, the largest piedmont glacier on the continent. As you approach Hubbard Glacier, watch for seals afloat on the ice. This is an experience you will long remember.

### INSIDE TIP

Hubbard Glacier is offered on Alaskan Explorer cruises roundtrip from Seattle and on select Glacier Discovery cruise departures between Vancouver and Seward/Anchorage.





Icy Strait

# **Icy Strait Point**

Immerse yourself in secluded beaches, old-growth forest and Alaskan adventure — the best of Southeast Alaska is yours, including some of the best whale-watching and bear-viewing opportunities anywhere. Once ashore, everything you've ever dreamed of can be found right here within easy walking distance, near the entrance to glorious Glacier Bay. Icy Strait Point, the newest and most exclusive Alaska cruise destination, derives its authentic cultural heritage from the residents of the cliffside village of Hoonah, the largest Tlingit native settlement in Alaska. Experience it firsthand on a fascinating tribal tour with Tlingit guides, storytellers and dancers. Whether you want to walk in the woods, view pristine wildlife habitats or just relax and take in the remarkable views, you'll find a full day of unforgettable adventures.

### INSIDE TIP

With a policy of only one cruise ship per day, Icy Strait Point offers an uncrowded, leisurely Alaska experience not found in other ports.

# A SAMPLE OF EXCURSIONS AVAILABLE IN ICY STRAIT

### BROWN BEAR SEARCH

See grizzlies swatting salmon or foraging for berries as you hike through forest to special viewing platforms.

# WHALES & MARINE MAMMALS CRUISE

Cruise Icy Strait to Pt. Adolphus, renowned for its frequent visitors — humpback and orca (killer) whales.

# NATIVE TLINGIT "JOURNEY THROUGH TIME" TRAIL

Travel through the ages with a Native Huna Tlingit guide and explore a living museum at trail's end.

# SALTWATER SALMON CHARTER FISHING

Fish in waters where whales, sea otters, sea lions and porpoises feed against a stunning mountain backdrop.

### BIKE EXCURSION AND HOONAH SIGHTSEEING

Pedal seven miles through downtown Hoonah to the Alaska Marine Highway ferry terminal, boat harbor and more.

### FOREST & NATURE TRAM EXCURSION

Explore an old-growth forest watching for deer, grizzly, whales, seals. Then view an active bald eagle's nest.

### CANNERY HISTORICAL TOUR & MUSEUM

This unique hands-on tour lets you hold your own on the canning line as an "employee for the day."

# NATIVE HERITAGE CENTER THEATER & TLINGIT DANCERS

Enjoy a tribal story and dance performed by dancers in full regalia. Tlingit culture comes alive!



Mendenhall Glacier, Juneau

# Juneau

Located at the foot of grand mountain peaks on the Gastineau Channel, the town of Juneau has the massive Mendenhall Glacier and the immense Juneau Icefields at its back door. This is the place to let your imagination run wild. Explore the lush Tongass National Forest. Visit the rustic shops in town. Or get out and kayak, dogsled, raft, bike, heli-hike, flightsee or fish. There's no end to the adventure because we're in port long enough to truly take advantage of the long daylight hours. And climb aboard the Mt. Roberts Tramway for a great spot to hike and shoot a souvenir photo of your ship in port.

History buffs can browse the Alaska State Museum. Gold Rush fans can tour the Last Chance Mining Museum. And for those who like to shop, downtown Juneau is filled with colorful curio shops and art galleries.

# Ketchikan

Built out over the water and climbing weathered stairways, Ketchikan clings to the shores of Tongass Narrows and drapes the mountains with a cheerful air. Besides the main attractions—
Creek Street, the Tongass Historical Museum, Totem Bight State Park and Saxman Village—there's one other thing we highly recommend you do. A floatplane flightseeing trip to breathtaking Misty Fjords National Monument is a transforming adventure not to be missed. The souvenir photos you'll take from the pontoons of the plane are worth the trip alone.

Or go on a Ketchikan shopping spree. There are numerous galleries exhibiting Native art and works by talented local artisans. Jewelry and souvenir shops line the docks. And you can find everything from locally canned and smoked salmon to Russian nesting dolls.

### A SAMPLE OF EXCURSIONS AVAILABLE IN JUNEAU

TAKU WILDERNESS LODGE & GLACIER FLIGHT

Fly over the Juneau Icefields to the historic Taku Lodge for an alder-grilled salmon feast.

"PILOT'S CHOICE" GLACIER
EXPLORER BY HELICOPTER
Soar over mountains draped with ice.
Then land for a guided glacier hike.

GLACIER OUTBACK ADVENTURE After your scenic flight, don crampons and try out ice climbing with an experienced guide.

MENDENHALL GLACIER, WHALE WATCH & WILDLIFE QUEST This scenic tour spotlights wildlife and wilderness from Mendenhall Glacier to Stephens Passage. Add a salmon bake for more Alaskan flavor.

# A SAMPLE OF EXCURSIONS AVAILABLE IN KETCHIKAN

BEST OF KETCHIKAN & FLOATPLANE FLIGHTSEEING Flightsee the Tongass Narrows and land in a secluded cove. Then tour Saxman Native Village and more.

GREAT ALASKAN LUMBERJACK SHOW

Applaud a rip-roaring show spotlighting the world's best frontier lumberjacks.

SAXMAN NATIVE VILLAGE Experience rich native culture, majestic totem poles, and native carvers at work.

BACKCOUNTRY JEEP® & CANOE SAFARI Drive a Jeep® Wrangler down rugged backroads. Then paddle a Native Alaskan-style canoe.



Bald Eagle, Raptor Center, Sitka

White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad

# Sitka

Discover the echoes of Alaska's Russian heritage beneath the onion domes of St. Michael's Cathedral and at a performance by the New Archangel Dancers. Then stand on the spot where the United States took possession of Alaska in 1867 for \$7.2 million, less than two cents per acre. The dramatic setting in the shadow of Mt. Edgecumbe is one of the loveliest in the Great Land. Take a stroll through old-growth forest in Sitka National Historical Park, shop the downtown district and poke around the Sheldon Jackson Museum for a close-up look at some of the city's most prized art, crafts and Russian relics.

Sitka is also blessed with abundant marine wildlife. Get out on the water aboard a dayboat or kayak, and you'll pass seal haul-outs and seabird rookeries filled with nature's sights and sounds. Or visit the fascinating Raptor Center, a renowned Sitka attraction.

# Skagway & Haines

This Klondike Gold Rush National Historic Park boasts restored buildings, wooden boardwalks, and the famed White Pass & Yukon Route Railroad, which is steaming through its second century of traveling "The Scenic Railway of the World." Browse the rustic shops along Main Street and enjoy the honkytonk piano music at the Red Onion Saloon. To complete the picture of those rip-roaring days, visit the nostalgic Trail of '98 Museum.

Fifteen Glacier Discovery sailings will visit Haines for independent exploration in town, plus fabulous flightseeing and float trips. Optional high-speed catamaran access for shopping and excursions in Skagway will also be available. (See page 23 for specific cruise itinerary details.)

# A SAMPLE OF EXCURSIONS AVAILABLE IN SITKA

HISTORIC RUSSIAN AMERICA, RAPTOR CENTER & RUSSIAN DANCERS

See the onion-domed St. Michael's Cathedral. Visit sites like the Sitka National Historical Park and Raptor Center. And applaud the renowned New Archangel Russian Dancers.

SEA OTTER & WILDLIFE QUEST Get a close-up view of Sitka's marine wildlife — guaranteed. Sea otters, humpback whales, Dall's porpoises and Steller sea lions abound.

SITKA WILDERNESS
SEA KAYAKING ADVENTURE
Get the feel of your tandem kayak
as you paddle through a serene marine
environment.

# A SAMPLE OF EXCURSIONS AVAILABLE IN SKAGWAY & HAINES

VALLEY OF THE GLACIERS
HELICOPTER FLIGHTSEEING
Get a bird's-eye view of endless glaciers.
Then land within the Chilkat Glacier
system for a guided glacier walk.

BALD EAGLE PRESERVE FLOAT Raft the Chilkat Valley near Haines through protected wilderness critical to salmon runs and bald eagle habitat.

RAILWAY EXCURSION
Board the historic White Pass & Yukon
Route Railroad for stunning scenery,
gold rush history and an unforgettable

WHITE PASS & YUKON ROUTE

trip aboard an engineering marvel.

Seattle convenience! Our ms Zaandam, ms Westerdam and ms Oosterdam sail out of Seattle's lovely Puget Sound each weekend, bound for forested isles, icy-blue glaciers and charming frontier ports. Choose the Glacier Bay route and watch in wonder as whales, puffins and the park's active tidewater glaciers come into view. Or cruise close up to the massive face of Hubbard Glacier, the largest in North America.



# 7-Day Alaskan Explorer





### 7-Day Alaskan Explorer via Hubbard Glacier

### Roundtrip Seattle

### from us\$979

ms Oosterdam: Saturday Departures

May 6, 13, 20, 27; Jun 3, 10, See page 48 for complete cruise fares.

Canadian fares available upon request.

Jul 1, 8, 15, 72, 29; Aug 5, 12, 19, 26; Sep 2, 9, 16

DAY	PORT	ARRIVE	DEPART
Sat	SEATTLE, WASHINGTON		5:00pm
Sun	Scenic cruising		
Mon	Scenic cruising Stephens Passage Juneau, Alaska	11:00am	8:00pm
Tue	Scenic cruising Hubbard Glacier and Yakutat Bay	Noon	5:00pm
Wed	Sitka, Alaska	7:00am	6:00pm
Thu	Ketchikan, Alaska	7:00am	1:00pm
Fri	Scenic cruising Vancouver Island Victoria, British Columbia	8:00pm	Midnight
Sat	SEATTLE, WASHINGTON	7:00am	

# Pacific Northwest

1- to 4-day vacation packages.

# Seattle & Mt. Rainier Explorer

### 3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS; PRE-CRUISE ONLY

1 SEATTLE

Arrive in Seattle and transfer to the Seattle Sheraton for your first night's stay.

2 MT. RAINIER

Today you'll sightsee via motor coach to Mt. Rainier National Park, which spotlights Mt. Rainier, a volcano encased in more than 35 square miles of snow and ice, as well as outstanding examples of old-growth forests and subalpine meadows. After your full-day excursion, return to the Seattle Sheraton for another night in the heart of downtown.

3 SEATTLE

Enjoy a tour of lovely Seattle via double-decker bus. Then transfer from your hotel to embark your ship.

TOUR FARE PER PERSON INCLUDING TAX

Shared Double	us\$354
Single	574
3rd Person	303

### Vancouver & Victoria

### 3-DAY, 2-NIGHT PRE-CRUISE PACKAGE

1 VANCOUVER

Check into your deluxe downtown hotel, your home in Vancouver for the next two days.

2 VICTORIA EXCURSION

This morning, ferry through the Gulf Islands to the famed Butchart Gardens. Time for lunch on your own before traveling on to Victoria for a bit of Olde England. Ferry back to Vancouver for the night.

3 VANCOUVER SIGHTSEEING/SAIL Enjoy a city sightseeing tour en route to your cruise ship.

### 3-DAY, 2-NIGHT POST-CRUISE PACKAGE

- 1 VANCOUVER SIGHTSEEING/ OVERNIGHT
- 2 VICTORIA EXCURSION/ OVERNIGHT VANCOUVER
- 3 TOUR END

TOUR FARE PER PERSON INCLUDING TAX

Shared Double	us\$389
Single	599
3rd Person	249

### Whistler Resort

### 4-DAY, 3-NIGHT PRE-CRUISE PACKAGE

- 1 VANCOUVER Arrive in Vancouver for a stay at a deluxe downtown hotel.
- 2 WHISTLER RESORT
  Enjoy breathtakingly beautiful
  scenery en route to Whistler Resort.
  Overnight at the elegant Fairmont
  Château Whistler.
- 3 A DAY AT WHISTLER Golf, hike, bicycle, raft, fish or simply relax poolside at the Château's indulgent health club. The day is yours.
- 4 VANCOUVER/SAIL
  Return by motor coach to Vancouver
  and board your cruise ship.

### 4-DAY, 3-NIGHT POST-CRUISE PACKAGE

- 1 VANCOUVER/WHISTLER RESORT
- 2 A DAY AT WHISTLER RESORT
- 3 WHISTLER/VANCOUVER
- 4 TOUR END

TOUR FARE PER PERSON INCLUDING TAX

Shared Double	us\$375
Single	639
3rd Person	209

# CANCELLATION PROTECTION PLAN AND ADDITIONAL BAGGAGE PROTECTION

### CPP STANDARD PLAN

Our Standard Cancellation Protection Plan (CPP Standard Plan) will allow you, for any reason, to provide written cancellation up to 24 hours prior to scheduled cruise or cruisetour departure and receive a refund equal to 80% of the applicable cancellation fee (90% if you purchased our CPP Platinum Plan). In addition, Holland America Line (HAL) automatically assumes an additional us5500 of liability for lost, damaged or delayed baggage of guests who purchase the CPP Standard Plan; still subject, however, to the limitations in our baggage policies. For example, we do not cover losses while baggage in the custody of airlines. The baggage policies of HAL are explained in detail on page 57.

The CPP Standard Plan is not insurance; it provides no rights other than those explained above. For example, it does not protect double-triple-quad occupancy rates should one or more members of your party cancel, nor does it cover expenses or unused services due to trip interruption.

### CPP PLATINUM PLAN

Our Platinum Cancellation Protection Plan (CPP Platinum Plan) enables you to supplement the CPP Standard Plan with insurance coverage and travel assistance services as well as increase your refund amount to 90% for cancellations made more than 24 hours prior to departure. The CPP Platinum Plan provides you with the following insurance benefits and services, in addition to the CPP Standard Plan benefits and larger refund:

- Trip Cancellation coverage provides protection if you or a traveling companion must cancel for a covered reason within the 24 hours prior to scheduled departure. The plan reimburses your non-refundable cancellation charges or increased occupancy charges (if a traveling companion cancels) imposed by HAL.
- Trip Interruption coverage provides protection if your trip is interrupted after departure due to a covered reason. The plan reimburses your unused (determined in the case of your cruise or cruisetour on a pro rata basis), non-refundable land or sea expenses prepaid to HAI, airfare paid to return home and certain additional expenses up to \$100/day.
   Maximum benefit is 150% of your cruise/cruisetour cost.
- Trip Delay coverage provides reimbursement for reasonable additional accommodations and traveling expenses incurred to rejoin the trip in progress when you are delayed for more than 12 hours, due to covered reasons. Maximum benefit is USS1,000; not to exceed USS100/day.
- Emergency Evacuation coverage will pay the necessary costs
  of transportation, medical services and medical supplies if,
  due to a covered medical reason, you must be transported
  to medical facilities during your cruise or cruisetour.
   Maximum benefit is US\$50,000.
- Medical Expense coverage reimburses up to US\$10,000 for covered medical and emergency dental expenses incurred as a result of an injury or sickness that first manifests itself during your cruise or cruisetour.
- You will also receive the following 24-Hour Emergency
  Hotline Assistance Services, arranged by the CPP Platinum
  Plan administrator's designated provider: Emergency Cash
  Transfer Assistance, Medical Consultation and Monitoring,
  Emergency Legal Assistance, Emergency Medical and Dental
  Assistance, Lost Travel Document Assistance and Emergency
  Medical Payment Assistance.

There are no pre-existing condition limitations in the CPP Platinum Plan!

IMPORTANT NOTE: This is a summary of coverage. Please refer to the Description of 24-Hour Emergency Hotline Services and Certificate of Insurance in the CPP Platinum Plan pamphlet available from Holland America Line which contains the details of assistance services and insurance coverage, terms, conditions, exclusions and other applicable limitations. The CPP Platinum Plan is only available for U.S. and Canadian residents. The CPP Standard and CPP Platinum Plans are optional, must be paid at time of deposit and are non-refundable. The per-person, per-cruise costs for both plans are listed on page 37.

The insurance coverage provided under the CPP Platinum Plan is underwritten by Virginia Surety Company, Inc., under policy #HTP04195 and the CPP Platinum Plan is administered by BerkelyCare, a division of Affinity Insurance Services, Inc., and, in CA: AIS Affinity Insurance Agency, Inc. also d/b/a Aon Direct Insurance Administrators, License #0795465. The program provides limited health insurance benefits and does not provide basic hospital, basic medical or major medical insurance as defined by the NY State Insurance Department. The CPP Standard Plan is not insurance and is administered by Holland America Line Inc.



# Hotel Packages Linger a while.

Mt. McKinley, Denali National Park

### Kenai Fjords National Park Cruise

Board a dayboat in Seward for a wildlife and glacier cruise in the "Denali" of marine wildlife — Kenai Fjords National Park. This intimate six-hour daylight cruise provides maximum opportunity for seeing whales, sea lions, otters, a massive tidewater glacier and the stunning beauty of the glacially carved cliffs of the park. After your cruise, transfer to Anchorage.

# CRUISETOUR GUESTS: \$129 per person including tax

Note: This pre- or post-cruise Kenai Fjords National Park cruise and transfer is available to cruisetour guests booked on tours 11, 12, 15, 16, 21, 22 & 28 who wish to upgrade from the included motor coach transfer to the Kenai Fjords cruise and transfer.

# GLACIER DISCOVERY CRUISE-ONLY GUESTS:

Note: Purchase of the Kenai Fjords National Park Cruise includes the Seward/Anchorage motor coach transfer and an Anchorage overnight.

### TOUR FARE PER PERSON INCLUDING TAX

Shared Double	us\$349
Single	489
3rd Pareon	200

### Anchorage/Denali/Anchorage

### 4-DAY, 3-NIGHT PACKAGE

Featuring Alaska's stunning centerpiece, Mt. McKinley. Travel by deluxe motor coach and a private, full-domed railcar of our McKinley Explorer.®

- 1 SEWARD/ANCHORAGE
  Disembark in Seward and motor
  coach the Seward Highway, so
  beautiful it has been designated a
  National Scenic Byway. Watch for
  moose grazing in marshy meadows
  and sparkling lakes teeming with
  Dolly Varden. Overnight in Anchorage.
- 2 ANCHORAGE/
  DENALI NATIONAL PARK
  This morning, board a deluxe
  motor coach and follow the scenic
  George Parks Highway to Denali
  National Park. The afternoon is free
  to take a nature walk or enjoy an
  optional wilderness raft trip down
  the Nenana River. Overnight.
- 3 DENALI NATIONAL PARK/ ANCHORAGE A five-hour Natural History Tour illustrates the fragile ecosystem of this six-million-acre wilderness. This afternoon, board the McKinley Explorer luxury domed railcar en route back to Anchorage. Overnight in Anchorage.
- 4 TRANSFER TO THE ANCHORAGE AIRPORT; TOUR ENDS

**Note:** This tour is also available as a pre-cruise option.

### TOUR FARE PER PERSON INCLUDING TAX

Shared Double	us\$799
Single	1,199
3rd Person	449

### Pre- and Post-Cruise Hotel Reservations

Reservations are available at the hotels listed below for guests desiring 1-, 2- or 3-night hotel accommodations before or after cruises. Local sightseeing tour included where indicated (\*).

### SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

SHERATON SEATTLE◆	1 NIGHT
Shared Double	us\$135
Single	230
HILTON SEATTLE AIRPORT◆	1 NIGHT
Shared Double	us\$90
Single	155
FAIRMONT OLYMPIC HOTEL	1 NIGHT
Shared Double	us\$160
Single	280

### VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA

DELUXE DOWNTOWN HOTELS**	1 NIGHT
Shared Double	us\$160
Single	265
FAIRMONT VANCOUVER AIRPORT**	1 NIGHT
FAIRMONT VANCOUVER AIRPORT** Shared Double	1 NIGHT US\$105

### ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

VARIOUS HOTELS	1 NIGHT
Shared Double	us\$160
Single	300
ALYESKA PRINCE HOTEL	1 NIGHT
ALYESKA PRINCE HOTEL Shared Double	1 NIGHT US\$225

• Hotels of equal standards may be substituted when necessary.

Rates for hotels are per person and include applicable room taxes and bellman gratuities. Specific hotel confirmation will be included with documentation.

Canadian fares available upon request.

# An Elite Fleet



Explorations Café

Designed to carry fewer guests than other ships in their class, our magnificent five-star vessels feature a host of impressive signature features — such as a Culinary Arts Center for tasting and cooking events and newly re-designed amenities for children and teens.

### SHIP FEATURES

- Elegant two-tiered Dining Room; Pinnacle Grill, an intimate reservations-only restaurant; poolside Terrace Grill; and the Lido Restaurant with its relaxed culinary courtyard
- Two outdoor swimming pools, The Greenhouse Spa & Salon and Fitness Center
- Internet Center, Casino, Movie Theatre
- Culinary Arts Center presented by Food & Wine Magazine; Explorations Café, powered by The New York Times; Club HAL® for ages 3–7 and 8–12 and separate teens-only outdoor Oasis and The Loft

PENTHOUSE VERANDAH SUITES (CATEGORY PS) AND DELUXE VERANDAH SUITES (CATEGORIES S AND SA-SC)

Include all the Verandah Suite amenities, plus:

- Use of the exclusive Neptune Lounge and personal concierge service
- Complimentary laundry, pressing and dry cleaning throughout your cruise

- Premium duvet, oversize bath towels and soft cotton bathrobes
- Gorgeous corsages and boutonnieres for the first formal night
- Hors d'oeuvres served before dinner each evening on request
- Binoculars and umbrellas for your use on the cruise
- VIP party with the Captain
- Priority boarding for tender ports of call

VERANDAH SUITES (CATEGORIES SS-SZ AND A-BC)

- Personalized cruise stationery
- Elegant bathrobe for use on your cruise
- Fresh flowers and fruit assortment
- Luxurious beds featuring Sealy® Premium Euro-Top mattresses and finely woven cotton linens
- A no-host mini-bar for easy entertaining in your suite
- DVD player and access to an extensive DVD library





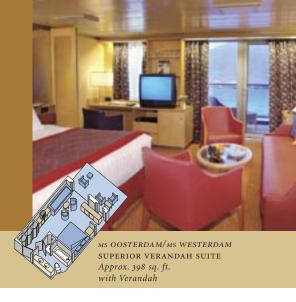
Culinary Arts Center Club HAL®



# Alaskan Explorer

ms Oosterdam ms Westerdam ms Zaandam

NOTE: Rooms pictured are representative of the ms Oosterdam, ms Westerdam and ms Zaandam as noted. Room measurements are approximate, and some rooms in the same category may vary in size and/or have different furniture placement from that pictured.



7-NIGHT		May 12, 14	May 27, 28	Jun 10 11 17 10	Jun 24, 25	Tul e e
CRUISE-ONLY FARES	May 6, 7	May 13, 14, 20, 21 Sep 16, 17	May 27, 28 Jun 3, 4 Sep 2, 3, 9, 10	Jun 10, 11, 17, 18 Aug 19, 20, 26, 27	Jun 24, 25 Jul 1, 2 Aug 5, 6, 12, 13	Jul 8, 9, 15, 16, 22 23, 29, 30
VERANDAH STATEROOMS	ES CRUISE FARE	ES CRUISE FARE	ES CRUISE FARE	ES CRUISE FARE	ES CRUISE FARE	ES CRUISE FARE
■ PS Penthouse Verandah Suites	\$3,729	\$4,229	\$4,729	\$5,129	\$5,429	\$5,729
SA Deluxe Verandah Suites	2,429	2,729	3,129	3,429	3,629	3,829
SB Deluxe Verandah Suites	2,329	2,629	3,029	3,329	3,529	3,729
SC Deluxe Verandah Suites	2,229	2,529	2,929	3,229	3,429	3,629
SS Superior Verandah Suites	1,829	2,029	2,229	2,429	2,579	2,729
SY Superior Verandah Suites	1,779	1,979	2,179	2,379	2,529	2,679
SZ Superior Verandah Suites	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
■ VA Deluxe Verandah Outside	1,629	1,759	1,879	1,979	2,079	2,179
■ VB Deluxe Verandah Outside	1,599	1,729	1,849	1,949	2,049	2,149
■ VC Deluxe Verandah Outside	1,569	1,699	1,819	1,919	2,019	2,119
■ VD Deluxe Verandah Outside	1,539	1,669	1,789	1,889	1,989	2,089
■ VE Deluxe Verandah Outside	1,509	1,639	1,759	1,859	1,959	2,059
■ VF Deluxe Verandah Outside	1,479	1,609	1,729	1,829	1,929	2,029
■ VH Deluxe Verandah Outside	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
OCEAN-VIEW STATEROOMS						
C Large	1,429	1,529	1,629	1,729	1,829	1,929
D Large	1,409	1,509	1,609	1,699	1,799	1,889
DD Large	1,389	1,479	1,579	1,659	1,769	1,849
E Large	1,369	1,459	1,549	1,629	1,729	1,809
□ F Large	1,349	1,429	1,519	1,599	1,689	1,769
G Large (partial sea view)	1,329	1,409	1,489	1,569	1,649	1,729
GG Large (fully obstructed view)	1,279	1,359	1,449	1,519	1,599	1,679
H Large (fully obstructed view)	1,249	1,329	1,419	1,489	1,569	1,649
HH Large (fully obstructed view)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
INSIDE STATEROOMS						
■ I Large	1,229	1,279	1,329	1,379	1,429	1,479
J Large or Standard	1,129	1,179	1,229	1,279	1,329	1,379
K Large or Standard	1,079	1,129	1,179	1,229	1,279	1,329
L Standard	1,049	1,099	1,149	1,199	1,249	1,299
M Standard	1,009	1,059	1,109	1,159	1,209	1,259
MM Standard	979	1,029	1,079	1,129	1,179	1,229
■ N Standard	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
□ NN Standard	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
* 3rd/4th Person — Adult Age 19 and over	599	599	599	599	599	599
* 3rd/4th Person — Child Age 2—18	399	399	399	399	399	399
☀ Infant – Under Age 2	299	299	299	299	299	299
■ Non-Discountable Amount INCLUDED	220	220	220	220	220	220
Taxes		Taxes range	from \$50.92 to \$52.	60, depending on de	parture date.	
Deposit Requirement	350	350	350	350	350	350

For Cancellation Protection Plan rates and information, see pages 36–37.

Fares in U.S. dollars per person based on double occupancy.

- Canadian fares available upon request.
- \* Based on sharing accommodations with two full-fare guests.
- Non-Discountable Amounts are included in fares presented.
- Taxes are additional.

Single Partners Program: categories D and K. Single Occupancy: categories PS – VH at 190% of double occupancy; categories C – NN at 150% of double occupancy.



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D Large 1,329 1,449 1,519 1,619 1,71	9 1,819
DA Large 1,309 1,424 1,489 1,589 1,68	9 1,789
DD Large (partial sea view) 1,289 1,399 1,459 1,559 1,65	9 1,759
■ E Large 1,269 1,374 1,429 1,529 1,62	9 1,729
■ EE Large 1,249 1,349 1,399 1,499 1,59	9 1,699
F Large 1,229 1,324 1,369 1,469 1,56	9 1,669
FF Large 1,209 1,299 1,339 1,439 1,53	9 1,639
G Large 1,189 1,274 1,309 1,409 1,50	9 1,609
H Large N/A N/A N/A N/A N/A	N/A
■ HH Large (fully obstructed view) 1,149 1,224 1,249 1,349 1,44	9 1,549
INSIDE STATEROOMS	
□ I Large 1,099 1,149 1,199 1,249 1,29	9 1,349
J Large 999 1,049 1,099 1,149 1,19	9 1,249
K Large 949 999 1,049 1,099 1,14	9 1,199
L Large 919 969 1,019 1,069 1,11	9 1,169
■ M Large 879 929 979 1,029 1,07	9 1,129
MM Large 849 899 949 999 1,04	9 1,099
■ N Standard N/A N/A N/A N/A N/A	N/A
NN Standard N/A N/A N/A N/A N/A	N/A
* 3rd/4th Person – Adult Age 19 and over 599 599 599 599 59	9 599
* 3rd/4th Person – Child Age 2–18 399 399 399 399 399	9 399
* Infant – Under Age 2 299 299 299 299 29	9 299
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Deposit Requirement         350         350         350         350	350

For Cancellation Protection Plan rates and information, see pages 36–37.

Fares in U.S. dollars per person based on

double occupancy.

- Canadian fares available upon request.
- \* Based on sharing accommodations with two full-fare guests.
- Non-Discountable Amounts are included in fares presented.
- Taxes are additional.
- Single Partners Program: categories E and K.
  Single Occupancy: categories PS BC at 190% of double occupancy; categories C NN at 150% of double occupancy.

Early Savings (ES): The fares shown are early savings fares and are subject to change. Book early to ensure the best possible rate.

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### DECK PLANS & STATEROOMS

The deck plans are color-coded by category of stateroom, and the category letter precedes the stateroom number in each room. All staterooms are equipped with television, mini-bar, DVD player, minisafe, data port, telephone and multi-channel music.

Important Note: Not all staterooms within each category have the same furniture configuration and/or facilities. Appropriate symbols within the rooms on the deck plans describe differences from the stateroom descriptions below.

### VERANDAH SUITES

PS

Penthouse Verandah Suites: Redroom with 1 king-size bed, oversize whirlpool bath & shower & additional shower stall, living room, dining room, dressing room, private verandah with whirlpool, pantry, 1 sofa bed for 2 persons, microwave, refrigerator, quest toilet, private stereo system, floor-to-ceiling windows.

SA SB SC

Deluxe Verandah Suites: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 king-size bed, bathroom with dual sink vanity, full-size whirlpool bath & shower & additional shower stall, large sitting area, dressing room, private verandah, 1 sofa bed for 2 persons, floor-to-ceiling windows.

SS SY SZ

Superior Verandah Suites: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 queen-size hed hathroom with dual sink vanity full-size whirlpool bath & shower & additional shower stall, large sitting area, dressing room, private verandah, 1 sofa bed for 1 person, floor-to-ceiling windows.

# VERANDAH STATEROOMS VA VB VC VD VE

VF VH

Deluxe Verandah Outside: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 queen-size bed, bathtub & shower, sitting area, private verandah, floor-to-ceiling windows.

### OUTSIDE STATEROOMS

C D DD E F

Large: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 queen-size bed, bathtub & shower.

G GG

Large: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 queen-size bed, bathtub & shower. All G-category staterooms have partial sea views. All GG-category staterooms have fully obstructed views.

НН

Large: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 queen-size bed, bathtub & shower. All H- & HH-category staterooms have fully obstructed views.

### INSIDE STATEROOMS

Large: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 queen-size bed, shower.

Large or Standard: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 queen-size bed, shower.

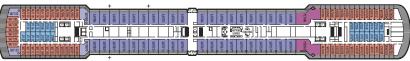
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Standard: 2 lower beds convertible to 1 queen-size bed, shower.

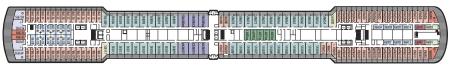
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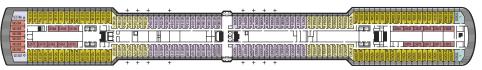
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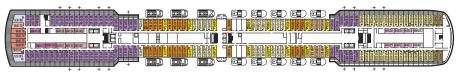
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UPPER VERANDAH DECK Staterooms 6001-6169



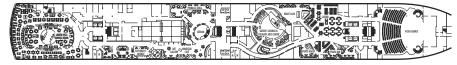
VERANDAH DECK Staterooms 5001-5187



UPPER PROMENADE DECK Staterooms 4001-4185



PROMENADE DECK



LOWER PROMENADE DECK



Not Shown: Lido Deck, Sports Deck & Sky Deck

MAIN DECK Staterooms 1001-1127

Library

Casino

### STATEROOM SYMBOL LEGEND

- \* Shower only
- O Triple (2 lower beds, 1 sofa bed) Quad (2 lower beds, 1 sofa bed, 1 upper)
- ▲ Partial sea view
- X Fully obstructed view
- Connecting rooms
- Staterooms have solid steel verandah railing instead of clear-view Plexiglas railing
- & Staterooms SC6156, SC6167, SY5001, SY5002, SY6108, SS8068, VA6003, VA6004, VA8031, VA8032, VB6049, VD4051, VD4052, VD4131, VD4132, VF5051, VF5054, VF5137, VF5140, Sports Deck C1081, C1082, D1100, H4089, H4090, I-8037, Observation Deck J1074, N1011, N1012 are wheelchair Lido Deck accessible, shower only. Navigation Deck - Rotterdam Deck Upper Verandah Deck 0 0 Verandah Deck Upper Promenade Deck Promenade Deck Lower Promenade Deck Main Deck

### SHIP SPECIFICATIONS & FACILITIES

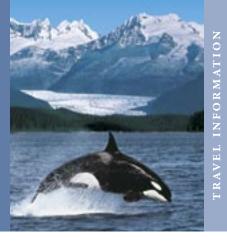
- 1,848 Guests
- 82,000 Gross Tons
- 950 Feet Long
- Automatic Stabilizers
- 11 Guest Decks
- 14 Guest Elevators • 4 Outside Elevators
- 24 Public Rooms 4 Restaurants
- · Outdoor Swimming Pools (one with
- sliding glass roof)
- Spa & Salon • Two Show Lounges
- Duty-free Shops
- Volleyball Court • Internet Center • Suite Lounge

• Fitness Center

· Basketball Court

# Shore Excursions Online

Book exciting shore excursions in advance online.



# RESERVE YOUR FAVORITE ACTIVITIES EARLY AND MAKE THE WILDERNESS YOUR OWN.

To review our great collection of excursions for 2006 Alaska cruises and cruisetours, just visit us at <a href="www.hollandamerica.com">www.hollandamerica.com</a>, and click the "destinations" link on the Home Page.

If you have already booked your Alaska cruise or cruisetour vacation and have received a seven-digit booking number, you can easily make all your excursion arrangements online. Follow the online prompts to choose your preferred tours and times, make your bookings and receive confirmation of your advance reservations before leaving home. It's the best way to take full advantage of the thrilling, life-changing adventures unique to the Great Land. This easy-to-use advanced booking service is available 24 hours a day for your convenience.

### NATIONAL PARKS AND NATURAL WONDERS

Alaska and the Yukon are blessed with numerous national parks, vast, unspoiled wilderness and abundant wildlife. Excursions are sold in conjunction with Alaska cruises and cruisetours to provide the quintessential Alaska experiences that bring these great icons of wildlife and wilderness to life.

Take off on a thrilling quest over massive glaciers and towering mountains via helicopter or floatplane. Try a unique Alaskan activity like ice climbing or dog sledding. Explore the backcountry via horseback, river raft, kayak or canoe. And see wildlife up close on a variety of nature hikes and day boat cruises.

You can paddle past seal colonies and bird rookeries, spot whales cavorting in their summer feeding grounds and watch grizzly bears catching salmon as they swim upstream. You can even meet a musk ox, cuddle a husky and see more bald eagles than anywhere else in the world.



You'll find "book shore excursions" conveniently placed on our home page at www.hollandamerica.com.

# ORGANIZED ADVENTURES FROM MILD TO WILD

Alaska is so vast and diverse there's no end to the things you can see and do. Take advantage of the long daylight hours and combine morning and afternoon tours, like a morning helicopter glacier landing and an afternoon wildlife adventure. Sightseeing tours generally range from 2 to 4 hours, so you can go river-rafting, flightseeing and whale watching — all in one day!

# MEDALLION COLLECTION SHORE EXCURSIONS

Holland America Line's award-winning Medallion Collection offers special tours for our most discerning guests. Each carefully chosen tour provides an in-depth perspective appropriate for seasoned travelers. Since these tours are designed for small, intimate groups, space is extremely limited, so be sure to book early by visiting our website at <a href="https://www.hollandamerica.com">www.hollandamerica.com</a>.

# Fly Cruise Plan

Smooth air travel.



Holland America Line's Fly Cruise Plan offers you convenience and peace of mind when traveling to and from your cruise vacation.

### FLY CRUISE PLAN ADVANTAGES:

- CONVENIENT WAY TO MAKE ALL NECESSARY TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS.

  With our AirPlus Service®, our guests may customize their flight plans.
- LESS RESTRICTIVE THAN MOST AIRLINE TICKETS. Our Fly Cruise Plan does not require immediate purchase; it is subject to our standard cancellation policy.
- OUR STAFF MONITORS FLIGHT OPERATIONS AND ARRIVALS IN THE PORT CITY. In case of flight delays or cancellations, Holland America Line coordinates your arrival at the ship.
- IF FLIGHTS ARE CANCELLED or no longer connect to the ship or tour, Holland America Line will alter our guests' air reservations at no additional charge.
- IN THE UNLIKELY EVENT OF CHANGES TO THE SHIP SCHEDULE, Holland America Line has immediate access to flight information and re-accommodates Fly Cruise guests.
- FOR LATE DISEMBARKATION that may cause guests to miss their flights involuntarily, flight arrangements for Fly Cruise guests will be protected.
- TRAVEL SMOOTHLY FROM THE AIRPORT TO YOUR SHIP, thanks to convenient transfers offered to all guests for a nominal charge:

Seattle airport to pier: US\$20 (20 minutes) Vancouver airport to pier: US\$16 (30 minutes) Anchorage airport to pier: US\$65 (3 hours)

#### AIR RATES/TAXES AND FEES

Air rates will be quoted at the time of booking and are subject to change until the booking is paid in full. Quoted rates do not include Passenger Facility Charges (US\$3-\$27), federal flight segment fees for each flight segment (takeoff and landing) of US\$3.20, the September 11 Security Fee of US\$2.50 per passenger enplanement (up to a maximum of \$10), and international arrival and departure taxes (US\$3-\$100).



### AIRPLUS SERVICE®

AirPlus Service is available for Fly Cruise guests who wish to customize their air travel. Popular options include:

- Scheduling your travel to allow for an extended stay either before or after your cruise or an enroute stopover
- Upgrading to First or Business class (subject to availability)
- Choosing preferred airlines to gain credit for mileage programs, or because your plans require a certain flight or particular time
- Requesting an alternate airport if you do not live near one of our offered gateways

These services are available to bookings under deposit. Written requests should be faxed to AirPlus Service at (206) 298-3008 or mailed to:

Holland America Line Inc. Attn: AirPlus Service 300 Elliott Avenue West Seattle, WA 98119

# Mariner Society®

"Once aboard, never forgotten." Our past guests are members of a distinguished travel group known as the Mariner Society. Membership is automatic and entitles you to special rewards and extra privileges like these. Whether you've cruised with us fifty times or just once, we're honored to welcome you aboard again as a special and honored guest, a Mariner.

### PREFERRED PRICING

 Special Mariner fares (on select sailings) and even savings for relatives and friends

### SPECIAL EVENTS AND GIFTS

- Mariner lapel pins, luggage tags, special pillow gifts
- Invitation to a Mariners-only Champagne reception and awards ceremony, hosted by the Captain

### MARINER® MAGAZINE

 Complimentary subscription to our travel magazine, featuring news and Mariner Society updates

Requests should be submitted prior to final payment in order to assure proper consideration. All requests are subject to availability and are not guaranteed. If confirmation is possible, a US\$50 non-refundable service charge and additional airline costs incurred will be assessed. A service charge will be assessed for each additional request that is confirmed.

### BOOK EARLY

The availability of the air rates that we have arranged may be limited. Therefore, it is advantageous for you to book your vacation as early as possible. We reserve the right to limit or close sales from cities without notice.

### LIABILITY AND RELATION WITH AIRLINES

We reserve the right to use the carriers, routing and fare structure of our choice, and to utilize commuter and/or charter air service without prior notice. As the airfares we use are based on capacity-controlled, promotional and group fares, we may limit or close sales without prior notice at any time. If, due to any cause beyond our control, we are unable to arrange for air travel or the air travel we arrange is unavailable or otherwise fails to materialize, our liability will be limited to refunding the air add-on amount paid to us. We assume no liability for any acts or omissions of any airline, including, without limitation, those involving cancellation of flights, schedule changes, re-routings, damage to or delay or loss of baggage, flight delays, equipment failures, accidents, pilot or other staff shortages, overbooking or computer errors. The liabilities and obligations of an airline to you, and your rights against an airline, are subject to any and all terms and conditions of the airline's ticket and tariffs.

### SEAT ASSIGNMENTS/SPECIAL REQUESTS

We cannot confirm seat assignment requests or requests for special meals or other special services not mentioned in this brochure. Your travel professional may assist with these arrangements once you receive your tickets. Some airlines or charter operators may not offer advance seat assignments. Passengers traveling with other guests who originate from different cities or who request the Fly Cruise Plan at a later time may not receive routing on the same flights.

### AIR CHANGES/REFUNDS

Changes to existing reservations initiated by guests will result in a rescheduling charge of a minimum of us\$100 per guest if the changes are made after the final payment due date. Airline tickets are based on fares which are highly restrictive and often cannot be reissued or exchanged for another carrier or routing.

Due to late changes by airlines in their schedules, we recommend a phone call to your airline to reconfirm your flights just prior to travel. If airlines change their schedules after tickets are issued, we will adjust your itinerary or air carrier accordingly.

The maximum refund for unused air tickets will not exceed the air add-on paid to us. There are no partial refunds. Due to changing airline tariffs, your tickets may reflect fares higher or lower than our air add-on amounts. The difference is neither chargeable nor refundable.

### BAGGAGE

Baggage allowance is governed by airline regulations. Excess baggage charges are the responsibility of the passenger. We assume no responsibility for loss, damage or delay while baggage is in the custody of airlines.

### OVERNIGHT HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

It may be necessary to overnight guests en route to or from their cruise due to airline schedules and/or availability. If this is necessary, the cost of hotel accommodations is not included in the air add-on amounts. Hotels will be selected by Holland America Line and may not be at the port of (dis)embarkation. Guests are responsible for hotel accommodations, meals and items of a personal nature.

An overnight in Anchorage is required for guests who disembark in Seward and are destined to points east of the Rockies on day of disembarkation.

For some packages, Fly Cruise guests may incur an additional air supplement due to a stopover.

#### TRANSFERS

Transfers may be purchased from the port city airport to the ship and from the ship to the port city airport on day of sailing only. Transfers are available to Fly Cruise guests and to guests who have independent flight plans. Guests with independent flight arrangements must advise Holland America Line of their flight information at least 45 days prior to departure.

Transfers are available between Seward and Anchorage connecting to and from Holland America ships. This three-hour scenic excursion is us\$65 per person by motor coach or us\$109 per person by Alaska Cruisetrain. See page 38 for more information.

### CRUISE-ONLY GUESTS

We recommend that you schedule a minimum of four hours both at the beginning and end of your cruise to allow for transfers, customs clearance and airport security checks.

Note: If you purchase air transportation independently from Holland America Line, you will be responsible for any and all expenses incurred when joining the vessel in progress.

### HOTELS

The best available hotels are used throughout each tour. Holland America Line reserves the right to substitute hotels of similar category. Single rooms at a supplementary charge may be requested at most points. Single rooms cannot be guaranteed at Denali National Park. If a single room is not available upon arrival, an appropriate refund will be made by the Seattle office through your booking travel professional. Triple rooms, when available, may contain either two beds and a rollaway or two double beds.

# Details, Details

# Important policies for your review.

#### RESERVATIONS

Travel agencies provide valuable service and counseling to prospective travelers. We encourage you to make your Holland America reservations with a travel professional who understands your individual needs. Travel agencies are not owned or controlled by Holland America Line. Your deposits and payments for Holland America's services are to be paid to the travel agency with which you made your reservations. Since accommodations are limited by the number of staterooms on each ship, reservations should be made as early as possible. Travel documents will be issued only if and when full payment has been received by Holland America Line from the travel agency. Refunds for cancelled or unused services will normally be made to the same travel agency on the basis of the amount actually received by Holland America Line less any applicable cancellation fees and charges. You are responsible for obtaining from your travel agency monies either retained by the agency or received by the agency from Holland America Line. For further information, visit our website at www.hollandamerica.com or call 1-877-SAIL HAL. Guests under 21 years of age must be accompanied by a parent, guardian or chaperone who is at least 25 years old; one adult chaperone is required for every five people under age 21.

## DEPOSIT AND FINAL PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS

The per-person, per-cruise deposit requirements to secure reservations are listed with the cruise prices.

A deposit is required at time of cruise booking. Cancellation Protection Plan, if desired, must be paid for at time of deposit; see Cancellation Protection Plan and Additional Baggage Protection for details (pages 36–37).

Final payment is due no later than 75 days prior to departure. In most cases, we are able to provide you with travel documents, including your cruise contract, approximately 30 days prior to departure. Travel documents, however, are issued only after final payment has been received by Holland America Line.

Travel professionals should make checks payable and send to:

Holland America Line Paymaster Corporation P.O. Box c34013 Seattle, WA 98124-1013 U.S.A. Payment by American Express, VISA, MasterCard or Discover Card is also accepted.

For faster processing, please include a confirmation number on your check. Travel professionals please note that MCOs will not be accepted.

#### UPGRADE POLICY

Holland America Line reserves the right to upgrade a guest or guests to more expensive category accommodations at no additional cost.

### CHANGE CHARGES

Changing your itinerary after reservations have been made can result in loss of advantages gained by early planning. In addition, the results of last-minute changes may be disappointing. To cover administrative costs, a per-person charge will be made if you request a change in your travel arrangements after the final payment due date. Change charges are not assessed for stateroom upgrades or for the addition of services, unless air reservations are altered and/or travel documents must be reissued.

### CANCELLATION POLICY

A full refund (except for amounts paid for CPP) will be made for written cancellations received by Holland America Line, 300 Elliott Avenue West, Seattle, WA 98119, at least 76 days prior to the date on which you are to commence travel by air, rail, sea or otherwise. Cancellations made after that date for any reason, including medical or family reasons, are subject to the following per-person cancellation fees:

75-57 days before commencing travel: an amount equal to deposit requirement;

56-29 days before commencing travel: 50% of gross fare;

28–16 days or less before commencing travel: 75% of gross fare;

15 days or less before commencing travel: 100% of gross fare.

Given that the resale of cancelled space will likely result in a lost opportunity to sell other space, these fees are due regardless of resale. Fees incurred as a result of cancellation cannot be applied to future bookings. Refunds will normally be made to your travel professional. Travel professionals may impose their own cancellation fees. Agency fees of any nature are a matter to be decided on solely by the agency and guests.

Name changes require the prior approval of Holland America Line and may not always be possible. Cruise contracts are nontransferable. Name changes and departure date changes are considered reservation cancellations and are subject to cancellation fees.

### CRUISE FARES

Traveling with Holland America Line is one of the best vacation values around. Your cruise fare includes accommodations aboard an elegant Holland America cruise ship, most meals and entertainment on board ship and, where applicable, transfers between airport, hotel and ship. Not included, however, are items of a personal nature or optional programs or optional activities, such as alcoholic beverages, soft drinks, laundry and dry cleaning, shore excursions, medical, barber and beauty shop services. All fares are per person in U.S. dollars.

### GRATUITY POLICY

Exceptional service is part of the Holland America cruise experience. Because you are our guest, it is our goal to make sure you receive the finest service possible. And we have made it easy for you to reward excellent service on board.

A gratuity of uss10 per guest per day for dining and stateroom services will be automatically added to your shipboard account on a daily basis. We are confident that you will find the service on board exemplary and, should you wish to make adjustments, you may do so at the end of the cruise by contacting the front office. A 15% service charge will be automatically added to your bar charges and dining room wine account.

In terminals, airports, ports of call and on shore excursions, we suggest that you extend gratuities consistent with customary local practices.

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### GUESTS WITH DISABILITIES

We do not discriminate against persons on the basis of disability. We seek, to the extent feasible, to accommodate the needs of persons with disabilities. We have a limited number of staterooms designed for wheelchair access. Service animals are permitted on board ships if prior arrangements have been made. You need to be aware, however, that certain land and shore facilities may not be fully accessible to persons with disabilities. While Holland America Line endeavors to contract with companies which provide accessible services and facilities, we cannot guarantee that all services and facilities will be fully accessible. In limited situations where an individual with a disability would be unable to satisfy certain specified safety and other criteria, even when provided with appropriate auxiliary aids and services, we may find it necessary to ask the individual to make alternative travel arrangements. We must be notified of any special medical, physical or other requirements of passengers at the time of booking. Please contact our Access and Compliance Department at halw\_access@hollandamerica.com.

### MEDICAL SERVICES/INFANTS/ PREGNANCY

Each of our ships is equipped with limited medical facilities that are staffed by a physician and registered nurses. The physician is an independent contractor. There will be a fee charged for all medical services and medications obtained on board. If you become ill during the cruise and the physician is unable to care for your needs on board, you will be transferred to medical facilities on shore. If your condition will require that you have special medical apparatus or assistance on board, we must be made aware of that at time of booking in order to determine whether we can accommodate your needs. If you are using prescription drugs, please bring an adequate supply with you and keep them in your carry-on luggage. Due to the limited medical facilities on the ships, we will not accept reservations for infants 12 weeks or younger at time cruise commences, or women who will be 24 or more weeks pregnant at the time their cruise with Holland America Line concludes.

### IMMIGRATION AND IMMUNIZATION

All U.S. and Canadian citizens must carry a passport valid for six months beyond the duration of the cruise and necessary visas. Expired passports are not acceptable. Non-U.S./ non-Canadian citizens: You must have a valid passport and any necessary visas.\* Please carefully verify the existing identification requirements for your particular travel situation. In addition, non-U.S. citizens who have previously been admitted to the United States for permanent residence must carry their Permanent Resident Card (Form 1-551), commonly known as a Green Card. Resident aliens not in possession of this must obtain one at the nearest office of the U.S. Immigration Service. You are also responsible for securing necessary visas and immunizations. Information on visas, if applicable, is provided to travel professionals by Holland America Line. Information on visas may also be obtained by contacting Zierer Visa Service at 1-866-788-1100 or by sending an e-mail to hollandvisainfo@zvs. com. Guests are responsible for staying apprised of any changes. As to immunizations, please check with a travel medicine specialist or local

health department for specific recommendations and/or requirements. Additionally, you may find some helpful information on the U.S. Centers for Disease Control website at <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/travel">www.cdc.gov/travel</a> or call toll-free 1-877-FYI TRIP. Some countries have special requirements for minors (under 18) who are not traveling with both parents. Please discuss this with your travel professional.

\* At the time of printing, many non-U.S./Canadian guests require a visa for Canada. The Canadian government will not allow those guests without proper documentation to remain on board while in a Canadian port. For updated information, please refer to the following website: <a href="http://canada.gc.ca">http://canada.gc.ca</a>. Guests without proper documentation will be denied boarding without compensation.

#### BAGGAGE POLICY

Holland America Line will carry as baggage only your personal effects for your wearing, comfort or convenience during your travel with Holland America Line. Your baggage needs to be placed in securely constructed and locked suitcases or trunks. If your travel includes a land component, you are limited to two pieces of checked baggage and one overnight or light flight bag which must remain in your custody at all times.

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Holland America Line cannot be responsible for any loss, delay or damage that occurs before baggage comes into Holland America's actual custody when you begin your travel with us or after baggage leaves Holland America's actual custody at the end of your travel with us. In particular, please note that we assume no responsibility for loss, damage or delay while baggage is in the custody of airlines.

If Holland America Line, due to any cause whatsoever, is liable for loss of, damage to or delay of your property, the amount of Holland America's liability will not exceed ussioo (uss600 for guests who have purchased Cancellation Protection Plan) unless you have specified to Holland America Line in writing the true value of your property and paid to Holland America Line before departure 1% of the value in excess of uss100 or uss600, as applicable. In that event, Holland America Line's liability will be limited to the amount so specified.

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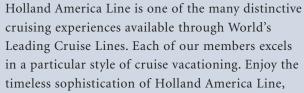
















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