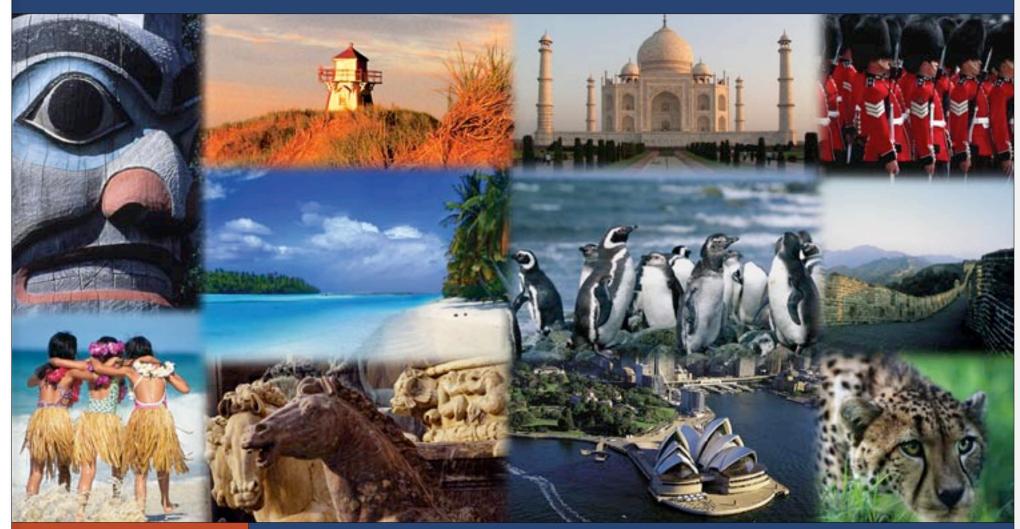
# Shore Excursions





Theresa Mazich

the benefits of booking with us



When you book your shore excursions with Holland America Line, you can count on our Signature of Excellence® to consistently offer a superior experience ashore:

#### quality

Clean and comfortable transportation equipment; we engage professional independent tour operators dedicated to customer satisfaction.

#### safety

Tour operators have contractually agreed to comply with local government requirements and to carry liability insurance in amounts consistent with local standards to address personal injury and property damage claims.

#### convenience

English-speaking guides; tour departure times set to coincide with the ship's schedule as well as with that of other tours so that guests desiring to do so can take multiple tours.

#### peace of mind

If a tour that you have purchased through Holland America Line returns late to the ship, we will almost never leave without you. In the very rare event that the ship must leave, we will arrange at our expense to get you to the next port of call (with independently booked tours, you are responsible for rejoining the ship at the next port of call).

#### variety

Around the globe, our programs include "A Taste of...", Off the Beaten Track, panoramic, flightseeing and motor coach tours, with such adventures as camel rides, kayaking, diving, rock-climbing, glacier hiking and private vehicle/vessel touring.

#### value

Our award-winning shore excursions offer superior quality and competitive pricing; our guests consistently rate their shore excursion experience as excellent. frequently asked questions



#### what should i wear?

Comfortable walking shoes are recommended for all shore excursions. When you visit places of worship, we recommend dressing conservatively (no shorts or sleeveless tops), but casual clothing is perfectly acceptable. Dress in layers and have a jacket along. Bring an umbrella or raincoat, a hat and sunscreen.

#### what about meals?

Most tour departures complement the ship's meal service hours. In-room dining is available on board.

#### how will i know what time each tour departs?

The on-board Shore Excursions Order Form in your stateroom will show departure times. This information will also be printed on your shore excursion tickets, which you will receive on board. Approximate tour departure times are posted on our website at www.hollandamerica.com.

# i have a disability. how do i know which tours will best suit me? will i have a problem (dis)embarking the ship?

Guests with disabilities should inquire in advance whether a shore excursion will be able to accommodate their needs. We have graded the Shore Excursions according to the relative level of activity they entail. The walking icons that appear at the beginning of each tour description provide a general idea of the level of activity to expect. Please refer to the "How to Choose Your Tours" section in this brochure for specific information on the walking icons. It is important to keep in mind that shore excursion operators are subject to the laws of their own country including with respect to accommodating the needs of guests with disabilities. In most foreign countries, the laws are not as stringent as those in the United States. Please speak with the Shore Excursions Office as to whether you can expect to encounter difficulties (dis)embarking the ship in a particular port of call. In this regard, the decision whether or not to carry or provide other mobility assistance to a guest and their mobility assistance device (wheelchair, walker, etc.) up or down a ship's gangway, or on or off a tender boat, is at the sole discretion of the Captain, made based on his evaluation of guest and crew safety. We encourage you to bring a collapsible wheelchair as space limitations may restrict the ability of some tour operators to accommodate motorized mobility aid devices.

### i am traveling with friends and we would like to be on the same motor coach

The departure location for each shore excursion is printed on your shore excursion tickets. If you wish to travel with friends, please arrive at the designated meeting place together. This will enable the staff to allocate space for you on the same vehicle.

#### tour durations

The individual tour descriptions include approximate durations. To allow our Shore Excursions Managers flexibility to coordinate your time in port with meals and activities on the ship, exact departure times are published in the Shore Excursions Order Form on board. For more information, please attend the Shore Excursions Presentation or visit the Shore Excursions Office.

#### tour descriptions

Tour descriptions may change after printing. Information that becomes available after this brochure is published will be posted in the Shore Excursions section of our website, which can be found online at www.hollandamerica.com. Significant changes will be noted on the Shore Excursions Order Form on board. Tour schedules are subject to change.



book your shore excursions online



Now you can easily choose your tour times, book your tours and receive confirmation of your shore excursion reservations 24 hours a day. Visit us online at

#### www.hollandamerica.com

Book online now, up until three days before sailing. Make your payment online via our secure website, and receive confirmation as well as your approximate tour departure times. You can also download the shore excursions, view tour prices, find answers to frequently asked questions and read general information.

Remember, online shore excursion reservations are processed prior to any requests made on board the ship and receive priority handling.

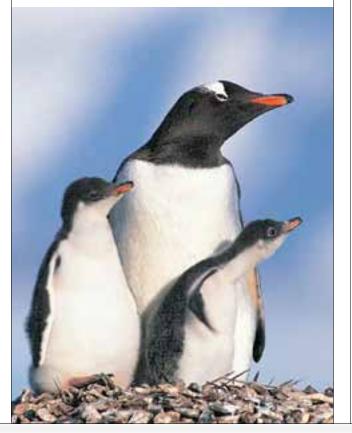
general information for booking online

At the time of making your reservations online, we will advise you whether or not your reservations are confirmed or whether you have been waitlisted. Your credit card will be charged immediately for all confirmed reservations. Should space become available for a waitlisted shore excursion request, we will e-mail or otherwise contact you at that time and either immediately charge your credit card if you have already given us your credit card information or ask you to provide us with that information for immediate charge processing. Shore excursion reservations are subject to cancellation by us at any time prior to the credit card charge being accepted by your bank. If you or Holland America cancel a tour more than 3 days prior to cruise departure, we will issue a credit on the credit card that you used to pay for the reservation. For any cancellation within 3 days of departure, a credit will not be given on your credit card. Instead, we will apply an ONBOARD CREDIT ONLY policy under which the refund (less any cancellation fee) will show up as a credit to the shipboard account of the person who was to take the shore excursion. If the credit is not fully utilized during the cruise, the balance will be paid to that guest by the ship's Purser.

 expand the experience: take more than one tour in each port



Make the most of your time in each port by combining different half-day tours to complete a full day of sightseeing. You might want to consider a morning cooking class with an afternoon walking tour; a morning stroll through a mosaic-lined church and an afternoon of sampling local wine at a vineyard; or even a bike ride and an evening cultural performance—all in one day! Whatever your interests, and whichever pace suits you best, there's a huge variety of tours to mix and match in this brochure. To make combining easy, for tour departure times and durations, visit our website at www.hollandamerica.com.



→ how to choose your tours



Choose your shore excursions by using these icons as a general guide to the level of activity involved, and select the shore excursions best suited to your physical capabilities.



easy activity: Very light activity including short distances to walk; may include some steps.



moderate activity: Requires intermittent effort throughout, including walking medium distances over uneven surfaces and/or steps.



strenuous activity: Requires active participation, walking long distances over uneven and steep terrain or on steps. In certain instances, paddling or other non-walking activity is required and guests must be able to participate without discomfort or difficulty breathing.



panoramic: Specially designed for guests who enjoy a slower pace, these excursions offer sightseeing mainly from the transportation vehicle, with few or no stops, and no mandatory disembarkation during the tour. As vehicles outside the USA are rarely lift-equipped and ramps are seldom available, a very small amount of walking will be necessary. The pace will be gentle and taking your time is encouraged.



limited capacity: The number of people able to participate in this tour is strictly limited. Reasons for limiting capacity may include the number of transportation seats available, or to maintain a safe ratio of guides for hikes, fishing and water activities. Tours require a minimum number of participants to operate.



meal: This tour includes a meal—lunch on daytime tours, or dinner on evening tours.

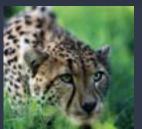


**snack**: This tour includes a small snack or tasting of local specialties. The snack is not a meal.

 the collections of Holland America Line









What fascinates you? A cooking class with a local chef? A private car, complete with driver and guide, so you can explore near or far? A chance to encounter wildlife or view natural wonders up close? The Collections of Holland America Line represent a small subset of the shore excursions you will find in this brochure. Each collection offers its own particular focus and is available only in select ports.



#### **Medallion Collection**

A series of exclusive experiences designed to accommodate our most discerning guests, our Medallion Collection tours are each carefully chosen to provide an in-depth perspective. They

offer unparalleled access to events and sights not normally readily available. First-class style, smaller groups, multi-day Overland Adventures—elite activities for a privileged few.



#### **Encore Collection**

Been there, done that? Think again. Our Encore Collection, designed especially for repeat guests, lets you discover what lies beyond the well-known attractions you've already seen. Barbecue

with Argentine gauchos, bike the tree-lined boulevards of Barcelona, ride an Icelandic pony across a windswept beach near Reykjavik. These tours showcase hidden gems, unusual angles and inside stories that will bring you back time and again.



#### World Wonders Collection

Natural treasures, architectural marvels, technical wonders: to the Seven Wonders of the World we add our own nominations based on decades of leadership in global travel—the

sandstone city of Petra, the *moai* statues of Easter Island, and the Great Wall of China, among others. What they have in common is the ability to inspire awe.



#### Cruise with Purpose Collection

For every global citizen who has ever dreamed of either giving back or paying it forward, the innovative Cruise with Purpose Collection is quite simply about improving our planet one voyage at

a time. Assist in scientific research, bring much-needed supplies to an orphanage, participate in a fair trade scheme or cultural

exchange, replant native forest or restore fragile habitat—your footprint will be light and your soul enriched.



#### Signature Collection

This exclusive touring option for independentminded travelers lets you completely customize and maximize your time ashore by reserving private transportation (along with an English-

speaking driver and guide) in advance. Whether you travel by car or minivan, customized boat, classic floatplane or stretch SUV limousine, you choose the companions, sights and pace that perfectly suit you.

to whom is the signature collection suited? The Signature Collection is for solo travelers, couples, families, friends and special interest groups traveling together. This may also be an excellent choice for non-ambulatory guests. Value and flexibility are just two of the advantages of first-class touring and luxury transportation. Privacy, comfort, safety, and personalized guide service are also yours to enjoy.

about the transportation: Each type of transportation will be of the highest grade available in that port. Not all modes of transportation are available in all locations. For information about the transportation sizes and availability, please see our website at www.hollandamerica.com.

pricing: The cost of each type of transportation will be published online at www.hollandamerica.com.

also included: The cost includes the service of a driver and English-speaking guide, unlimited mileage, road tolls, parking fees and bottled water.

not included (unless otherwise noted): Guests' entrance fees for attractions are not included in the price due to the wide range of attraction possibilities, uncertain number of attractions to be visited, and varying number of guests participating. We strongly recommend that you bring some local currency to cover such costs as credit cards are not readily accepted in some ports. Lunch will not be included on any tour as many guests prefer to select their own dining venue.

itinerary planning: If you need help planning your personal itinerary, the Port Lecturer and/or Shore Excursions Manager can assist you and will gladly answer your questions. This can be very helpful in many destinations where travel time, location, holidays, and opening hours of attractions need to be taken into consideration in order to maximize the efficiency of your time ashore.

online reservations: The fastest and easiest way for you to reserve and pay for your Signature Collection experience is on the Holland America Line website. Visit us online at www. hollandamerica.com. Please note the cost will be per mode of transportation (not per person), so only one person in the party needs to make the reservation. The price shown on the website is the total cost for the transportation, driver and guide (not a per-person price). In many ports, availability is extremely limited. Please reserve as early as possible.

payment & tour vouchers: Your credit card will be charged after your reservation is confirmed. Next, start planning what you'll do with your Signature Collection experience in each port. On board the ship, you will be given a form to advise the Shore Excursions Office of the itinerary you have chosen.

booking on board: The Signature Collection may be available for booking once you are on the ship, but this cannot be guaranteed. Please check with the Shore Excursions Office on board.

disembarking the ship: In some disembarkation ports, a private vehicle and guide can be used for sightseeing en route to the airport. When booking, please advise the total amount of luggage for your party. Size of vehicle and luggage space may limit the number of guests in the vehicle.

#### Shore Excursions & Overland Adventures Booking Summary

Following are the shore excursions and/or overland adventures you have booked. Please check this list carefully and contact us immediately if there are any errors.

#### Montevideo, Uruguay • Saturday, February 5, 2011

#### Highlights of Montevideo by Steam Train & Bus

Departs: 8:15 AM • Approximately 4½ Hours Dr Theresa Mazich - Confirmed

#### Pt. Stanley, Falkland Islands • Tuesday, February 8, 2011

#### Off the Beaten Track: Sparrow Cove Penguin Adventure

Departs: 9:00 AM • Approximately 3 Hours Dr Theresa Mazich - Confirmed

Ushuaia, Argentina • Thursday, February 10, 2011

#### **National Park & Beagle Channel**

Departs: 8:00 AM • Approximately 6 Hours

Dr Theresa Mazich - Confirmed

#### Puerto Montt, Chile • Monday, February 14, 2011

#### Symphony of Lakes & Volcanoes

Departs: 8:15 AM • Approximately 8 - 81/2 Hours

Dr Theresa Mazich - Confirmed

# Montevideo, Uruguay - Saturday, February 5, 2011: Friendly and genteel, Montevideo honors colonial

customs: long lunches, siestas, high tea. Nearby: Colonia del Sacramento, the oldest city in Uruguay (ca. 1680) and a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

#### A Day in Punta del Este



Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 8 Hours Price \$159.00

Take a guided motor coach drive through downtown Montevideo, past the Old City and Independence Square, Parque Batlle with its ox-cart monument, obelisk and Estadio Centenario, en route to Punta del Este. Your visit to Punta del Este takes you to the most important and famous seaside resort of South America, located 85 miles east of Montevideo. Punta del Este resembles a hand reaching into the ocean and is famous for its natural resources and high-profile visitors. Many international contests take place in Punta, including car races, rugby, tennis and golf tournaments. Get acquainted with this fabulous place while viewing several up-scale residential and natural areas, such as Pinares, Playa Mansa, Playa Brava, Portezuelo, Beverly Hills, Punta Ballena and San Rafael Casino Hotel—a Tudor-style seat of international meetings.

Please note: This tour is designed for sightseeing from the motor coach, but includes a few stops for photos only.

#### A Taste of Montevideo & The Wine Trail





Departs: 9:15 AM Approximately 61/2 Hours Price \$249.00

Rich with European heritage, Montevideo reflects in its architecture and attitude the varied culture of its early settlers, who came from Spain, Portugal and Italy. A relaxing drive will show you the highlights of the city, including some of its historical landmarks—the Plaza Independencia and the Palacio Legislativo. The latter boasts of being among the three most beautiful Parliament buildings in the world. Keep an eye out for the Battle y Ordonez Park, Prado Park and the Carrasco residential area. Continue your journey into the countryside, where your destination is a traditional winery. Bouza Winery Boutique, located at the source of the Melilla Stream, is surrounded by native woods. The Bouza family has always believed that working on a small scale produces better wines, and they take great care in applying this concept to every stage of the winemaking process. Learn about the techniques of winemaking, about the differences in vintages and varieties, and how the vineyards are cared for. An extensive visit to the cellar is included, as well as a quick look inside the impressive museum of classic cars and motorbikes. Before lunch a wine tasting will take place including four different types of wine—Chardonnay-Albarino (white wine), Bouza Merlot Tannat, Bouza Tannat and the

premium, top blend called Monte Vide Eu.

After the wine tasting enjoy the best Uruguayan meats for lunch. As you dine, watch a demonstration of the typical Uruguayan tango. Afterwards, you will have time to relax and enjoy the surroundings of this impressive winery.

Please note: The panoramic city tour will take about one hour. Your stay at Bouza Winery is approximately five hours.

#### Colonia del Sacramento





Departs: 8:15 AM Approximately 8½ Hours Price \$179.00

Visit the picturesque streets of Colonia Del Sacramento, the oldest city in Uruguay. Recently declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO, Colonia was founded by the Portuguese in 1680. Today, the old city has a lot to say about its colonial past. The streets of Santa Rita, San Gabriel, Matriz Church, San Pedro Road, Bastion del Carmen and the famous Street of Sighs are often used as a backdrop for historical films. These landmarks lie among the city's cobblestone streets. Colonia's pure, natural setting on the Uruguay River complements its archaeological value.

Please note: The drive from Montevideo is two hours each way. No inside visits are included.

#### **Highlights of Montevideo by** Steam Train & Bus





Departs: 8:15 AM Approximately 4½ Hours Price \$104.00

Board a fully-refurbished steam train for a 45 minute ride through the industrial section of Montevideo. The refurbishment project was a direct response to movement to recover Uruguay's cultural heritage. Recreating the nation's legendary railway tradition was a project completed with both private money and public donations. You will ride in the comfort of the air-conditioned rail cars. Next, board a motor coach and continue through Montevideo. You will see the Legislative Palace—a beautiful, ornate structure in marble. Continue on, stopping at Prado Park, noted for its historical monuments and attractive gardens featuring a stunning display of roses. The tour passes along the city's many beautiful beaches and the Rambla, which is the beachfront. You'll see the well-preserved Town Hall, Montevideo Cathedral and Independence Plaza, surrounded by such landmarks as Government House and the historic Solis Theater.

Please note: Tour operates subject to meeting a minimum number of participants.

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### Montevideo Architecture & Old Town



Departs: 1:45 PM Approximately 3 Hours Price \$69.00

Montevideo is an eclectic mix of architectural influences, with amazing buildings dating back to very prosperous times. The city is really an open-air exhibition of monuments, sculptures and museums, displaying the wonderful work of Uruguayan artists and architects. Travel by motor coach to the heart of the Old Town at Independencia Square. From there, you will walk to see the Palacio Salvo and to enter the magnificent Teatro Solis. Continue to Torres Garcia Museum, housing the works of one the best-known Uruguayan artists. At Matriz Square you will find the cathedral, the banking quarter and the Gurvich Museum. Passing by the 1908 Casa Rivera Museum, once a private residence but now a National Historic Monument, continue to the Palacio Taranco for an inside visit. And finally, at Plaza Zabala, re-board the bus for the drive back to the ship.

#### **Montevideo Highlights**



Departs: 8:45 AM, 1:30 PM Approximately 3½ Hours Price \$69.00

Your tour of Montevideo begins in Old Town, where you will drive by the Graf Spee Monument representing the original anchor of *Graf Spee*. This German ship sank in the Rio de la Plata, but the battle took place here during World War II. You will also see the Legislative Palace—a beautiful, ornate marble

structure. Continue on, stopping at Prado Park, noted for its historical monuments, attractive gardens and stunning display of roses. En route back to the ship, you will pass the city's many beautiful beaches, where you'll see the well preserved Town Hall, Montevideo Cathedral, and Independence Plaza, ringed by such landmarks as the Government House, the historic Solis Theater and the modern Radisson Montevideo Victoria Plaza Hotel.

#### Montevideo Private Touring - Full Day (Car)





Departs: 8:00 AM
Approximately 8 hours - Price is
per vehicle, not per person. See
additional NOTES below.
Price \$799.00

Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

The Signature Collection is recommended for the single/solo traveler, couples, family, friends, and special interest groups traveling together. It can also be an excellent choice for physically challenged guests. Please note: Private cars are ordered per vehicle (not per person), so only one person in the party need to order the vehicle. The price shown is the total cost for the vehicle, driver, and English-speaking guide. Entrance fees for attractions are not included. In many destinations, the number of vehicles available is extremely limited, so guests are encouraged to secure their private vehicle reservation as early as possible.

Capacity: 2 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

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#### Montevideo Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)



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Departs: 8:00 AM Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$1.099.00

Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

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Capacity: 8 guests Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

#### Montevideo Private Touring - Half Day (Car)





Departs: 8:00 AM Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$599.00



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#### Montevideo Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)





Departs: 8:00 AM Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$699.00

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### Pt. Stanley, Falkland Islands - Tuesday, February 8, 2011: Scotland under the Southern Cross:

moorlands, pubs, red phone booths, sheep ranches, a "cuppa tea." Plus penguins of every type: gentoo, Magellanic, king.

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## A Taste of the Falklands: Long Island Farm Experience







Departs: 9:30 AM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$134.00

The hour-long journey to Long Island Farm takes in the fantastic scenery of East Falklands. Long Island is situated approximately 20 miles from Stanley and is a 22,000-acre sheep farm completely run in traditional Falkland style. The Watson family use skilled sheep dogs and island-bred horses, milk their own cows, make their own bread, butter and cream, and use the traditional peat fuel. Watch the skilled sheep dogs at work and enjoy a sheep-shearing demonstration, with an opportunity to buy some genuine Falkland wool. Tea, coffee and home-baked cookies are served in the farmhouse kitchen. There's time to stroll the white sand beach directly in front of the house and anywhere you like on the farm.

Please note: Wear comfortable walking shoes. Dress in layers with a warm, waterproof jacket or sweater and a warm hat. You will receive a copy of the Falkland Islands standard visitor guide, a Long Island brochure and a stamped postcard depicting scenes of Stanley.

## Bluff Cove Penguin Rookery







Departs: 8:45 AM, 9:45 AM, 10:30 AM, 11:30 AM, 12:30 PM Approximately 3 Hours Price \$174.00

Don't miss this exciting tour—the 2009 winner of Seatrade's coveted "Innovative Shorex of the Year" award. Set off over paved roads for about 20 minutes before you switch to four-wheel-drive off-roading for another 30 minutes. You'll cross private farmland en route to a penguin colony where approximately 1,000 pairs of Gentoo penguins nest beside a beautiful sandy beach. There is also a small breeding colony of king penguins here. Magellan or jackass penguins nest seasonally in burrows nearby. Skuas, gulls and snowy sheathbills prey on eggs or chicks, while upland geese, ruddy-headed geese, Magellanic oystercatchers, Falklands flightless steamer ducks and other birds make their homes close by. Diddle-dee (a local plant) grows in abundance—its red berries are edible and are made into jam for the "cream teas" served at the beachside Sea Cabbage Café. This new Bluff Cove Museum depicts life in the Falklands and tells the story of the local area. Find out about the farm, the Sugar Wreck, the 1982 war between Britain and Argentina, and the fabulous lagoon wildlife. Watch live demonstrations of spinning and felting with local wool. Also in the Museum is a small gift shop selling unique Bluff Cove souvenirs. You will have one hour to take photographs, stroll along the beach, look around the museum and

purchase treats in the cafe.

Please note: Minimal walking is required. Wear sturdy shoes and warm clothing; bring sunscreen as the wind and sun can burn even on a cloudy day. Restrooms are available.

## Elusive & Exclusive: Rockhopper Penguins





Departs: 8:30 AM (Waitlisted), 9:30 AM (Waitlisted), 10:30 AM (Waitlisted), 11:30 AM (Waitlisted)

Approximately 4 Hours
Price \$189 00

The funniest members of the incredibly comedic penguin world are undoubtedly the rockhopper penguins in their natural environment. Due to brand new road construction, this is the very first year that visitors to the Falklands have had the chance to view these comical penguins, rarely found in other locations. Other highlights of the trip include seeing many of the mountains involved in the later stages of the Falklands conflict as well as being able to view and photograph both the capital, Stanley, and your ship from a distinctive vantage point. This tour will travel by minibus and take in the main sights of Stanley, then change to 4x4 transportation at Murrell Farm. From here, an experienced overland driver/guide will navigate the terrain to the rockhopper penguin colony where wardens will be on hand to offer information and assistance. This is a unique opportunity to take amazing once-in-a-lifetime photographs and experience the joy these penguins naturally and effortlessly bring to any audience. There

are basic restroom facilities available, as well as refreshments which include tea, coffee and snacks.

Please note: Wear sensible shoes and waterproof, warm clothing, and bring a warm hat. Not for guests with back, neck or serious mobility problems. Seasonal penguin migration in certain areas might prevent this tour from operating in March and April. You will receive a copy of the Falkland Islands standard visitor guide and a stamped postcard depicting rockhopper penguins. Seasonal penguin migration in certain areas might prevent operation of this tour between March to April. In the event that the penguins are no longer present, guests will be given the chance to substitute an alternative shore excursion.

#### **Falkland Battlefields**







Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$133.00

This tour takes in Fitzroy and three Battle Memorials depicting the fierce hand to hand battles between Argentina and Britain in 1982. In conditions reminiscent of World War I, British soldiers fought to end the forced Argentine occupation of the islands. Sapper Hill, Mt. William, Mt. Tumbledown, Mt. Harriet and the Two Sisters battlefields will be viewed and discussed. Mt. Longdon and Wireless Ridge will also be seen. Your main destination is Fitzroy and Port Pleasant (one hour from Stanley), where the British Logistic landing ships Sir Galahad and Sir

#### Pt. Stanley, Falkland Islands - Tuesday, February 8, 2011

Tristram were bombed by Argentine Skyhawk aircraft while transferring troops, ammunition and equipment. See memorials for the Welsh Guards and Royal Fleet Auxiliary. The settlement of Fitzroy is primarily a sheep farm but is diversifying, and you will make a short stop here to see the progress. If time allows you will also view where the Royal Marine barracks were located.

Please note: Binoculars are recommended. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Cool temperatures will likely prevail. Bring a warm, waterproof jacket or sweater, a warm hat and binoculars. You will receive a large fold-out glossy map depicting the land campaign, a copy of the Falkland Islands standard visitor guide and a stamped postcard depicting various war memorials.

#### **Falklands Nature Trek**





Departs: 8:50 AM, 9:20 AM Approximately 3 Hours Price \$139.00

For the wildlife enthusiast, this is an exclusive opportunity to view the impressive birdlife of the Falkland Islands. Transfer by minibus to nearby Hadassa Bay, where your walk will begin. Your expert, local guide will distribute a tour-specific illustrated checklist and give a general background to Falkland birds and what you might expect to see on this tour: dark-faced ground tyrants, Falkland thrush, upland geese, long-tailed meadowlark, Falkland flightless steamer duck, rock cormorants, southern giant petrels, sooty shearwaters, Magellan penguins, black-throated finch and up to as many as 30 other species. There are also spectacular views of

Stanley from this picturesque bay.

Please note: Bring binoculars, camera, pen and pencil. Any guest having to use any form of walking aid will not be allowed to begin this tour. Tour entails 3½ miles of brisk walking over uneven terrain, so guests must be extremely physically able. This walk is classed as strenuous due to the rough terrain. Water is included for each guest. Suitable footwear and warm, waterproof layered clothing is essential.

### Majestic Penguins Volunteer Point







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Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 7 Hours Price \$349.00

Volunteer Point is home to 1,200 adult king penguins, plus several hundred chicks. It is the largest colony of king penguins in the world outside of South Georgia Island. Seeing king penguins at all, let alone up close, is an almost unheard-of event. It is an enormous privilege for even the most experienced and jaded traveler, and is not to be passed up. In addition to the king penguins, there are also approximately 1,000 Gentoo penguins and several thousand Magellan penguins at this location. Volunteer Point is approximately 50 miles from Stanley—it takes about 2½ hours of driving to reach it. Most of the route is on a newly-built gravel road, while the final quarter of the journey is an adventure in itself as it is over a grassy track in a 4x4 vehicle. The gravel road ends at the sheep farm of Johnson Harbour, where the real adventure begins. The route takes in a variety of challenges that fully test the skill of the offroad driver. Small streams, bridges, ditches

drive—the reward is that eventually you will arrive at the king penguin colony situated between a beautiful, long, white-sand beach and a saltwater lagoon. There are wonderful photographic opportunities as the outgoing and friendly king penguins elegantly pose, dressed to kill in their superb coloring of white, gold, yellow and black feathering. They are unafraid and are happy to go about their business as if you were not there. A spring or early summer visit to the location provides a chance to see the fluffy brown chicks that match their parents in size. Within a halfmile radius, the high-nesting Gentoo and burrowing Magellan penguins can be seen. A few minutes' walk to the sandy beach allows you to see all three species mixing and moving as they head out to sea in search of food or return to their colonies. Again, there are superb photo opportunities as the penguins dive and swim with amazing agility. A two-hour stay at the location provides time to see the penguins at play and enjoy a snack before setting off for the return journey to Stanley. It cannot be overstated that this is truly unusual opportunity to see all three species of penguin in such prolific numbers along with the stark and beautiful Falklands countryside, a typical small sheep farm, and

and peat bogs are encountered along the way.

Don't be put off by the nature of the

Please note: A sack lunch will be provided. This tour is not suitable for guests with back, hip, and neck or mobility problems. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Dress in layers with a warm, waterproof jacket or sweater and a warm hat. Seasonal penguin migration in certain areas might prevent operation of this tour between March to April. In the event that the penguins are no longer present,

the Battle Mountains of 1982.

guests will be given the chance to substitute an alternative shore excursion. Tour is only available on certain sailings and is dependent upon time in port.

# Off the Beaten Track: Sparrow Cove Penguin Adventure







Departs: 9:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 11:00 AM Approximately 3 Hours Price \$174.00

Drive 30 minutes off road in a four-wheel-drive vehicle for a fascinating visit to a Gentoo penguin colony. You may also see king penguins and Magellan penguins as well as other fascinating wildlife such as redbacked hawks, Falkland skuas, upland geese and the Falkland flightless steamer duck. Walk about 300 feet across sometimes boggy ground, as vehicles are not permitted close to the birds. There are basic restroom facilities and a shelter.

Please note: Not for guests with back, neck or mobility problems. Wear comfortable walking shoes. Dress in layers with a warm, waterproof jacket or sweater and a warm hat. Seasonal penguin migration in certain areas might prevent operation of this tour between March to April. In the event that the penguins are no longer present, guests will be given the chance to substitute an alternative shore excursion.

#### Pt. Stanley, Falkland Islands - Tuesday, February 8, 2011

#### **Stanley Highlights**





Departs: 9:00 AM, 12:30 PM Approximately 2 Hours Price \$69.00

Learn about the history of Stanley and the Falkland Islands at the museum, where you will browse among whaling paraphernalia. Driving along Ross Road by motor coach, you will see the memorial from the war with Argentina in 1982. Your guide will explain to you why Britain and Argentina went to war in the 20th century to settle, once-and-for-all, a decades-long dispute about ownership of the remote Falkland Islands. Photograph Government House, where building work began in 1845 but it was 1859 before the first Governor took up residence. Outside Stanley, enjoy a drive by the local airport and Surf Bay to see the beach and minefields from 1982. At Whalebone Cove, see the hull of the Lady Elizabeth—a three-masted iron barque from the turn of the 20th century.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. You will not see penguins on this tour.

### Stanley Highlights in Vintage Double Decker Bus





Departs: 9:00 AM Approximately 3 Hours Price \$94.00

Join your guide and learn about the history of Stanley and the Falkland Islands aboard a genuine London double-decker bus. This is a very personal tour that will take you past many of the major landmarks that have made

the island's capital what it is today. Heading East along Ross Road, you will see the Cross of Sacrifice and the 1982 Memorial Wood. Your guide will give a detailed explanation into the Falklands War. You will also take in the Lady Elizabeth shipwreck, the minefields at Surf Bay and the totem pole before heading towards Government House, the Battle Memorial and the Jhelum Shipwreck. Your tour includes a visit to the Falkland Islands Museum, Britannia House where you will browse among whaling paraphernalia and other items pertaining to Stanley industries past and present. You will then head back towards the town center passing the 1982 Liberation Memorial which was built as a tribute to the British Forces personnel and civilians who lost there lives during the 1982 Falklands Conflict. You will also see St. Mary's Catholic Church, Victory Green—commemorating the First World War—Christ Church Cathedral and the Jubilee Villas built in 1887 to commemorate Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee. Your guide will then escort you to the Sheep Shearing & Craft show where you will experience the atmosphere of an authentic sheep shearing shed with an overview of sheep farming in the Falkland Islands, from the distant past to the present day. You will marvel at the speed and skill with which sheep are shorn, and don't miss the opportunity to view traditional wool spinning and weaving by skilled local artists.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. You will not see penguins on this tour.

# Ushuaia, Argentina - Thursday, February 10, 2011: The southernmost town in the world, where dominating peaks loom on three sides; the fourth opens to the Beagle Channel, where sea lions bellow and king crab rules.

### 4 x4 Road Safari the Lumberjack Trail







Departs: 8:45 AM Approximately 4¼ Hours Price \$124.00

Enjoy a close encounter with nature on board a 4x4 vehicle. Your tour departures from the pier and heads north for about nine miles to the Carbajal Valley. In this glacial valley that is covered in peat and surrounded by impressive mountains, your adventure begins. The road is left behind and your 4x4 vehicle will take an old lumberjack trail once used to Ushuaia with wood for heating and buildings. The trail leads straight into the Fueguian forest and you will learn about the native flora and fauna. The path continues to the axe men's shelter--a small cabin used by the woodcutters in bad weather. Here, there is a 360-degree view of the various mountain chains--the Vinciguerra, the Sorondo hills and the Alvear chain. While your snack is being prepared, hike out to explore the forest. Upon your return, juicy steak is served with a spicy onion and red pepper sauce, salads, wine and soft drinks. Re-board the 4x4 for the return back to your ship.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. Minimum age is 10 years. Wear sturdy, comfortable walking shoes and a jacket.

#### **Beagle Channel Wildlife**





Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 2½ Hours Price \$79.00

The best way to see the rich wildlife of the Beagle Channel is on a specially designed catamaran with large domed windows offering excellent views. Sit in enclosed comfort or wander on the outside deck. You will travel along the channel as far as the Les Eclaireurs Lighthouse as a naturalist guide narrates throughout. The catamaran will cruise close to small islands known for their birdlife and seals.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. A 300-yard walk from the gangway is required.

## Beagle Penguins Channel Viewing by Boat





Departs: 7:30 AM Approximately 6 Hours Price \$144.00

Travel by catamaran along the Beagle Channel, heading out of Ushuaia Bay into the magical realm of beautiful islands, landscapes, seabirds and other wildlife. Reaching Hammer Island, your boat will encounter the thriving penguin colony that frequents this area from October through March. Magellan penguins are a delight to watch from the comfort of your boat as they waddle around looking like over-dressed

dinner guests. A naturalist guide narrates and you'll have plenty of time to observe these adorable creatures on the water before you return to Ushuaia.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. A 300-yard walk from the gangway is required.

## Canoe Adventure in Tierra del Fuego National Park







Departs: 8:15 AM Approximately 4¾ Hours Price \$154.00

Depart from the pier and head towards Roca Lake inside Tierra del Fuego National Park. Once you arrive, specialized guides will give a safety briefing, and you'll receive your canoe and equipment. Set out in your canoe for about 1½ hours of paddling on the Lapataia River to the Cormoranes Archipelago. Keep an eye out for the local flora and fauna, plentiful in these parts. Your canoe trip will end at stunning Lapataia Bay, where a snack is served. A van is waiting to take you back to the ship.

Please note: Minimum age is 12 years. To participate you must be in good physical condition and be a capable swimmer. Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Life vest, waterproof pants and jacket are provided. Dress comfortably to meet the day's weather conditions.

### **Drive to Tierra Del Fuego National Park**





Departs: 7:45 AM, 10:30 AM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$74.00

To reach Tierra del Fuego National Park you will pass through some of Ushuaia's suburbs and cross the Pipo River Valley. This National Park was created to protect the southern portion of subantarctic forest. Today it provides visitors with the opportunity to enjoy the Andes and the region's forests, rivers, lakes and peat bogs. It is home to a large variety of birds. Ensenada Bay offers great views of Redonda Island, with stunning Chilean islands of Navarino and Hoste as a backdrop. You will travel along a narrow and picturesque route which teems with wildlife, stopping to visit Roca Lake and to take a short walk along the coast to learn about the local flora. Finally, you'll arrive at Lapataia Bay, the southernmost place that can be reached by road. This is where the famous Panamerican Highway ends.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion.

#### Ushuaia, Argentina - Thursday, February 10, 2011

### Lake Escondido Scenic Alpine Drive





Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$59.00

A scenic drive takes you northeast into the mountains to Lake Fagnano and Lake Escondido, in the heart of the Tierra del Fuego mountain range. Leaving Ushuaia along the valley of the River Olivia, pass the mountain of the same name and the range known as the Five Brothers. From Garibaldi Pass, you will climb into the mountain range-a spectacular drive culminating in an awesome view of Lake Escondido. Views along the way include sawmills, beaver dams, forest and sweeping vistas.

Please note: This tour is designed for sightseeing from the motor coach. It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing and comfortable shoes in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion.

#### **National Park & Beagle Channel**





Departs: 8:00 AM Approximately 6 Hours Price \$159.00

Located only seven miles from Ushuaia, Tierra del Fuego National Park encompasses a protected area of mountains and sea. Travel southwest, through the suburbs of Ushuaia and past the Pipo River to the National Park. At Ensenada Bay there are views of Redonda Island and across the channel are the stunning Nevados Mountains in the Sampaio Range. Next you head to the Roca Lake, traveling along a narrow and picturesque

route which teems with local fauna. Walk alongside the edge of the lake and the River Lapataia with its natural estuary. Heading on towards Lapataia Bay, you will board a catamaran and take in Lapataia and Ensenada Bays. Navigate the Beagle Channel all the way to the Bridges Islands and Les Eclaireurs lighthouse.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing and comfortable shoes in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion.

#### The Train to the End of the World





Departs: 7:30 AM, Noon Approximately 2½ Hours Price \$114.00

Transfer from the dock to the railroad station in Ushuaia and board the Tierra del Fuego Southern Train for a scenic one-hour ride. Originally used by the inmates of the penal settlements, the rail line operated until 1947. The trip crosses the Pipo River and then the Canadon del Toro into the Tierra del Fuego National Park. Stops allow you to view some of the reconstructed Yamanas and Shelkham Indian camps. Watch for beaver dams. A motor coach awaits for the return scenic journey to Ushuaia with beautiful views of the Beagle Channel and beyond.

Please note: Those who wish to do so may disembark the motor coach in town and return to the ship later on their own. It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing and comfortable shoes in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. Tour operates subject to meeting a minimum number of participants.

#### Trekking in Ushuaia







Departs: 8:15 AM, 9:30 AM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$84.00

Start out from the pier by motor coach heading towards the northeast to the Tierra Mayor. Just before the Alvear mountain range, you will come to Nunatak, a warm cabin from where the trek begins. As you hike, nature offers a splendid view of the thick forest of Lengas, the typical tree of the region where a great variety of birds make their homes. Reaching the Alvear mountains, view the Five Cascades and learn how beavers work at building their dams. Return to the cabin for tea, coffee or *mate* (the national drink) before heading back to the pier.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, wind- and rainproof layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. To fully enjoy the hike knee-high rubber boots will be provided in different sizes if the weather dictates. Long sleeves, long pants and warm socks are recommended. Minimum age is 15 years.

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#### Ushuaia Private Touring - Half Day (Car)





Departs: 8:00 AM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is
per vehicle, not per person. See
additional NOTES below.
Price \$549.00

Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, English-speaking driver/guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time

ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle, and the personalized attention of your English-speaking driver/guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

The Signature Collection is recommended for the single/solo traveler, couples, family, friends, and special interest groups traveling together. It can also be an excellent choice for physically challenged guests.

Please note: Private cars are ordered per vehicle (not per person), so only one person in the party need order the vehicle. The price shown is the total cost for the vehicle, and English-speaking driver/guide. Entrance fees for attractions are not included. In many destinations, the number of vehicles available is extremely limited, so guests are encouraged to secure their private vehicle reservation as early as possible.

Capacity: 2 guests Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

#### Ushuaia, Argentina - Thursday, February 10, 2011

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#### Ushuaia Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



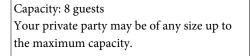


Departs: 8:00 AM (Waitlisted) Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$799.00

Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, English-speaking driver/guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle, and the personalized attention of your English-speaking driver/guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

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Please note: Private minivans are ordered per vehicle (not per person), so only one person in the party need order the vehicle. The price shown is the total cost for the vehicle and English-speaking driver/guide. Entrance fees for attractions are not included. In many destinations, the number of vehicles available is extremely limited, so guests are encouraged to secure their private vehicle reservation as early as possible.



### Punta Arenas, Chile - Friday, February 11, 2011: This remote town, pioneered by Yugoslav settlers and

sheep ranchers, sits on rolling hills overlooking the Strait of Magellan.

#### **Antarctica Landing**







Departs: 10:00 AM Approximately 11½ Hours Price \$3,399.00



Antarctica covers an area of over five million square miles and is the windiest, coldest and least populated of Planet Earth's seven continents. It differs from the Arctic in that there are no terrestrial animals in Antarctica, but there is terra firma under much of the snow and ice. All the wildlife consists of seasonal visitors that come ashore in the spring and summer. The massive ice sheet covering almost the entire continent represents the largest freshwater reserve in the world, containing approximately 90% of the world's ice and 68% of its water. Surprisingly, however, Antarctica is also the driest continent in the world--drier than the Sahara Desert. This fantastic excursion to the far reaches of the world is designed for our more adventurous and hardy guests--those who wish to follow in the footsteps of the great explorers and adventurers of yesteryear: Ernest Shackleton, Douglas Mawson, Roald Amundsen and Robert Scott. Your expedition begins with a motor coach transfer to Carlos Ibañez del Campo Airport in Punta Arenas. If favorable weather conditions prevail, you will board a BAE-146 (or similar) aircraft and take to the skies, setting course southward over the Strait of Magellan, Tierra del Fuego Island, Beagle Channel and Cape Horn. You will cross the Antarctic Convergence, where the Southern Ocean collides with the circumpolar Antarctic current, the natural boundary of Antarctica and, at latitude 60

degrees south, the political boundary as you enter Antarctic airspace. During the 2- to 21/2hour flight, you will learn about the presence of human beings on the White Continent, as well as its history, geography, wildlife and politics. You will hear specifics about King George Island and all that you will see and do there. There will be special emphasis on minimizing your impact on the pristine and fragile ecosystem (IAATO Guidelines of Conduct for Antarctica Visitors). Your aircraft will land at Frei Base, managed by the Chilean Air Force. The base is one of the main meteorological and navigational stations in Antarctica (and is composed of approximately 21 main buildings shared by eight nations). Chile's station was built in 1969 and houses 150 people during the summer months. The base is situated on an ice-free area of the island as, logistically, less snow is better. As you disembark from your aircraft, brace for below-freezing temperatures and take a moment to acclimate yourself to your location. (Separating into smaller groups, you will begin an exploration of Antarctica, specifically focusing on the wildlife that migrates to this region). Your exploration begins and your first activity will be a one-mile walk on a dirt road to Villa Las Estrellas. The "Village of the Stars" consists of permanent housing and scientific facilities for researchers and Air Force personnel. You will find that the buildings are neither luxurious nor charming--but they are quintessentially Antarctic. Weather permitting you will board a zodiac to cross over to Ardley Island, ASPA # 150 (Antarctic Specially Protected Area). Ardley is one of the Antarctic's most protected areas where chinstrap, Gentoo and

Adélie penguins breed. Because of its status, only 20 persons are allowed on the island at one time, therefore you will separate into smaller groups. Relays are mandatory and you will be accompanied by a certified Antarctic guide. You will spend approximately 41/2 hours on land before rejoining your aircraft for the return flight to Punta Arenas. Enjoy a late lunch on board before arriving in Punta Arenas, where you will rejoin your ship.

Warm winter clothing is acceptable—similar to what you would wear if you were going skiing in a cold climate area. Waterproof boot covers will be provided so sturdy hiking shoes are adequate. Other items listed below are suggestions that may make your experience more comfortable:

- Waterproof trekking boots suitable for snow/mud
- 2 pairs of thin wool socks and 2 pairs of thick wool socks
- 2 pairs of polar fleece or thick waterproof
- Windproof Gore Tex pants or ski pants
- 2 long-sleeved woolen t-shirts and 2 polar fleece sweatshirts
- Thin wool or polar fleece gloves and a pair of thick ski-type gloves or mittens
- Long winter parka made of Gore Tex
- Ski headband or earmuffs and woolen hat
- Scarf or neckwarmer
- Sunglasses
- Ski goggles
- Thermal/woolen long underwear

Accessories:

- First aid kit including prescribed medications
- High SPF sunblock/sunscreen, lip balm, toiletries
- Camera, batteries and film
- Backpack and/or fanny pack
- Binoculars

Please note: Items listed cannot be rented in Punta Arenas. Should the Antarctica Landing not be possible due to inclement weather, an alternative route will be taken to Torres del Paine. The tour price will be reduced to reflect the new route. No cancellations will be possible due to pre-reserved obligations. A minimum number of participants must be met in order for this tour to operate. Booking deadline is 30 days prior to sail date.

#### **Grand Patagonia Overland Adventure** (Double)







Departs: 10:15 AM 4 days/3 nights Price \$2,199.00

Day 1 (L, D)

The journey to Puerto Natales begins by traveling 40 miles northwest into the Patagonia countryside and Otway Sound. The undulating terrain features just enough low vegetation to conceal guanacos and rheas (South American ostrich). The last stretch to the Sound is on a gravel road. At Otway Sound, leave your coach and hike for about two miles across grassland interspersed with sandy areas to a penguin rookery by the seashore. A large colony of Magellan



penguins nests and breeds here between October and March. They are naturally curious but if approached too quickly they will scamper into their burrows or try to reach the water. Do not attempt to touch them as their beaks can inflict serious wounds. After ample time to observe the birds walk back to the coach and continue the drive towards Estancia Olga Teresa. Olga Teresa Farm is situated on the slopes of Palomares Mountain. A colony of condors nests on the upper part of the mountain. Enjoy a barbecue of tasty Patagonian lamb, grilled slowly for hours over the fire. Try baked empanadas, and wine or soft drinks. The lunch takes place in a semi-covered area outside. Wear warm clothes as it can be chilly. After lunch, watch huasos (Chilean cowboys) rounding up a flock of sheep with their well-trained horses and dogs, a demonstration of sheep shearing and the huasos' considerable skills with cattle. Later in the afternoon drive to Puerto Natales and check in at the hotel.

#### Day 2 (B, L, D)

This morning visit the impressive Cave of the Milodon, where a gigantic milodon sloth fossil was uncovered. A replica of this amazing fossil is on view at the entrance to the cave. Continue south and as you approach Torres del Paine National Park, you may catch your first glimpse of the distinct peaks (torres) from which the area takes its name. Established in 1959, the park is a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve. Your drive within the park offers incredible vistas. Across Nordenskjold Lake are the famous jagged spires and a short hike exposes the rugged beauty surrounding Salto Grande Waterfall. Lunch is served at one of the local hotels. Continue to Grey Lake. From the

observation point at the lake to view one of the world's largest glaciers—Glacier Grey. You will walk approximately 30 minutes on the beach. Then continue to the Laguna Amarga, known for its intense blue color. Return to Puerto Natales.

Day 3 (B, L, D)

This morning it is a 3-hour drive to Punta Arenas. Enjoy lunch with beautiful view of the Strait of Magellan. Then a city tour showcases the southernmost city in the world—the Plaza de Armas, the main square, and Cerro la Cruz viewpoint over the legendary Tierra del Fuego Island. Visit the Braun-Menéndez mansion, designed and built by the renowned French architect Antoine Beaulier in 1906—an example of how the affluent families lived at the turn of the century. Stop at the Museum of Memories to see antique trains, and machinery and relics of the European settlers. Drive to the airport for your flight to Puerto Montt, where you will transfer to Puerto Varas and check into your hotel.

#### Day 4 (B, L)

Travel north to Chile's famous Lake District, admiring the magnificent view of the snowcapped Osorno Volcano before reaching Petrohué Falls. Your drive continues to Lake Todos los Santos, considered to be one of the most beautiful lakes in the world. Stop in the resort community of Puerto Varas, located on the shores of Lake Llanquihue, to browse the small handicraft market before lunch. Continue on to Frutillar summer resort, noted for alpine, German-style architecture. Explore this charming city and visit the German Settlers Museum with its displays of old farming machinery and household artifacts before transferring to the pier to

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#### Kayaking at the Magellan Strait







Departs: 1:30 PM Approximately 3½ Hours Price \$199.00

The Strait of Magellan is both famous and infamous. Today you will navigate this world-renowned waterway by sea kayak. First, you will transfer by motor coach approximately 17 miles south to the Agua Fresca Bay area. Once there, you will receive a short briefing on how to use the double kayaks, and how to paddle in tandem, along with safety instructions. Start kayaking on the Santa María River until you feel comfortable with your equipment and technique, then continue on to the Straits of Magellan. During this adventurous ride you will

experience direct contact with nature and water, navigate among local birds such as seagulls, ducks, caiquenes, corcomanes and quetros, and you may even be joined by the friendly austral dolphins that seasonally migrate to this coastal area. After approximately 1¼ hours kayaking, refreshments will be served. Change into your dry clothes and return to the pier.

Please note: Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. A life vest is provided, along with a two-piece drysuit. Dress comfortably according to the weather conditions of the day. Bring a hat, sunscreen and sunglasses, and a change of clothes in case you get wet. Note that the width of the kayak cockpit is only 17 inches. Please consider this before booking the tour. Not recommended for guests with any physical limitations. Participants must know how to swim. Minimum age is 12 years. Operates subject to weather conditions. In the event of strong winds or high waves, kayaking will be done on the Santa María River.

# Off the Beaten Track: Magdalena Penguin Reserve





Departs: 11:00 AM Approximately 5½ Hours Price \$164.00

Begin with an approximately 1½-hour ferry ride across the famous Strait of Magellan sailing the same waters as Sir Francis Drake and Charles Darwin. On arrival at Magdalena Island, declared a natural monument in 1982, you will see one of the largest penguin colonies in southern Chile, and get acquainted with an unspoiled habitat with penguins, cormorants and many other birds.

A substantial colony of Magellan penguins are nesting and breeding here. Since this is a wildlife reserve, no tourist facilities are available. Walking is on mostly flat, marked pathways. These penguins return every year to this spot between October and March to lay eggs and raise their young. They bury their eggs in the sandy burrows and under shrubs; at this time of year most of the chicks will have hatched. The animals are naturally curious and untamed; if approached too quickly they will scamper into their burrows or try to reach the water. Do not attempt to touch them as their bites can inflict serious wounds. Following ample time to observe the birds it is time for the invigorating walk back to the ferry and the navigation back to Punta Arenas, where your bus will be waiting to take you back to the pier. You will have about one hour on the island to observe the curious and entertaining penguins before returning to Punta Arenas.

Please note: There is approximately 30 minutes of walking overuneven terrain. A snack pack will be provided. We recommend bringing a windbreaker and scarf, and wearing sturdy walking shoes. Don't forget to bring your camera. The motor coach will drive to the ferry where guests will be boarding the for a ride across the Strait of Magellan to Magdalena Island. The ferry is a local vessel that may differ from the style you are accustomed to in the U.S. Seasonal migration, which is somewhat unpredictable, can affect the operation of this tour from March to April. The ship will liaise with the tour operator prior to arrival in Punta Arenas and, in the event that the penguins are no longer present, guests will be given the chance to substitute an alternative shore excursion.

#### **Otway Bay & Fitz Roy Farm**







Departs: 10:45 AM Approximately 8½ Hours Price \$219.00

Head northeast by motor coach for approximately 90 minutes over mostly unpaved roads, across huge sheep farms bordering Otway Bay. You will have magnificent views of the Pinto Range and Riesco Island. Skirting Otway Bay, you will reach the caves where Magellan penguins live and nest. To reach the nests and beaches where the penguins live, you will leave the coach and walk approximately three quarters of a mile, each way, on trails that are unpaved and uneven. Your guide will be with you to help answer questions. Bring your camera for some great close-up photos of these birds. Wild geese and foxes may be seen on the way, as part of the rich fauna of the Chilean Patagonia. After this experience, you'll drive to Fitz Roy Farm, located at Isla Riesco. To reach the island you will disembark your coach and board a ferry, taking just a few minutes to get to the other side. The farmer's bus will meet you and drive you up to Fitz Roy Farm. This typical Magellan farm offers the chance to observe a sheep-shearing show, the sheepdogs at work, and how to milk a cow. In the farm's museum, you'll see tools and machinery that were used by the pioneers in Isla Riesco's cattle, forest and mining industries. The kindness of the owners will make your visit a memorable experience. Try a typical Magellan lamb barbecue. In the afternoon, you will drive back approximately 50 miles to the ship in Punta Arenas.

Please note: Walking is involved over unpaved and uneven terrain, be sure to wear

flat, comfortable shoes. It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion.

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# Patagonian Experience - Otway Sound & Penguin Reserve





Departs: Noon, 4:45 PM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$89.00

Take in the beauty of Patagonia with a brief stop at a penguin colony. Head northeast by motor coach for approximately 90 minutes over mostly unpaved roads, across huge sheep farms bordering Otway Bay. You will have magnificent views of the Pinto Range. Skirting Otway Bay, you will reach the caves where Magellan penguins live and nest. To reach the nests and beaches where the penguins live, you will leave the coach and walk approximately three quarters of a mile, each way, on trails that are unpaved and uneven. Your guide will be with you to help answer questions. Bring your camera for some great close-up photos of these majestic birds. Wild geese and foxes may be seen on the way, as part of the rich fauna of the Chilean Patagonia.

Please note: Walking over unpaved and uneven terrain required. Wear flat, comfortable shoes. It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. Seasonal migration, which is somewhat unpredictable, can affect the operation of this tour from February to April. The ship will liaise with the tour operator prior to arrival in Punta Arenas and, in the event that the penguins are no longer present, guests will be given the chance to substitute an alternative shore excursion.

### Punta Arenas & the Austral Beer Circuit





Departs: 1:30 PM, 2:30 PM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$104.00

Leaving the pier, you will stop at the beautifully landscaped Municipal Cemetery to admire the splendid mausoleums of pioneer families. You will also see a gravestone marking where the last of the Onas, the extinct Fireland Indians, are buried. Proceed to the Braun-Menendez Regional Museum, located in the mansion of the same name. The museum is a National Monument and was inaugurated in 1983 and traces the discovery, colonization and development of the Magallanes region through historical objects, illustrations and photographs. Continue your tour past the highlights of the city, and your next stop will be the Austral Brewery. Here, learn the history of the southernmost brewery on the continent through an educational video and, afterwards, tour the brewery. Your visit will end with a taste of beer at the bar located at the top of the building facing the sea. As you return to the ship, take in the panoramic view of Punta Arenas and the Strait of Magellan from the La Cruz Hill viewpoint. The last stop is at the Plaza de Armas square to see the Hernando de Magallanes monument and some of the quaint old buildings in the surrounding area.

Please note: This tour is available on the ms Veendam only.

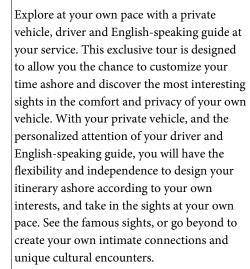
#### Punta Arenas Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)





Departs: 10:30 AM Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.

Price \$999.00



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Capacity: 7 guests Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

#### Punta Arenas Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



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Departs: 10:30 AM Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$599.00



Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

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Capacity: 7 guests

#### Punta Arenas, Rio de los Ciervos Farm & Fort Bulnes







Departs: 10:30 AM Approximately 8 Hours Price \$179.00

The Patagonian Institute, which exhibits a collection of old local cars and machinery, welcomes you at your first stop on this tour. The Institute also displays a small botanical garden and exhibits pictures of Punta Arenas dating back to 1905. At the Naval & Maritime Museum, you will find photos depicting various ships and the port activity over the past century, as well as small ship replicas and other artifacts. Located just three miles from Punta Arenas is a typical farm that belongs to a family of pioneers, close to the urban environment, but a million miles away. You will visit the main farmhouse and the farm's facilities, and enjoy a lamb barbecue at the farm's restaurant. After lunch, head south along the Strait of Magellan, past Leñadura, Punta Santa Maria, Guairabo, Agua Fresca and Rinconada Bulnes, en route to Fort Bulnes. Chile took possession of the Strait and Patagonia in 1843 by establishing its first

settlement and fort at this site. Set strategically on a rocky bluff overlooking the Strait, the fort was soon abandoned in favor of Punta Arenas, where the climate was far more benign. The present fort is a re-creation of the original, with reconstructed buildings including a church, jail, post office and stables. A short distance away is Puerto Hambre (Port Famine), the site of Pedro Sarmiento de Gamboa's ill-fated 1584 settlement under the orders of King Felipe of Spain. Little remains of the ruins except a memorial plaque. Thomas Cavendish landed at this site and found only the remains of the city. He renamed it Port Famine. The drive back to Punta Arenas is along the coastal road with a stop at the observation point at La Cruz Hill for a view of the city and the Strait of Magellan.

Please note: In the event the Naval & Maritime Museum is closed, the Regional Museum or the Salesian Museum will be substituted.

#### **Sights of Punta Arenas**



Departs: 10:30 AM, 3:00 PM Approximately 3½ Hours Price \$74.00

This city sightseeing overview begins with a visit to the observation point, La Cruz Hill for a panoramic view over Tierra del Fuego and the Straits of Magellan. You will visit the regional museum kept by the Salesian Friars, with exhibits of the magnificent flora and fauna of the region, and relics of the folklore and handicraft of native Indian tribes such as the Yaganes, Onas and Alacalufes. Driving to the town center, you'll stop at the Plaza de Armas Square to view and photograph the

Hernando de Magellanes Monument or browse at the souvenir stalls. Continue on your drive or walk for a visit to the Palacio Braun Menendez, where you can see the rich Patagonian history through artifacts of the Braun-Menedez family. Your next stop will be the beautifully-landscaped cemetery. Here, you can admire the splendid mausoleums of pioneer families as well as a gravestone where the last Onas, extinct Fireland Indians, are buried.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion.

#### The Tycoons of Patagonia



Departs: 10:30 AM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$99.00

Breathtaking personal fortunes have been made and lost in Patagonia. Today you'll learn how they were made and by whom, and the resulting legacy of hardworking men and women. Board your coach shipside for a sightseeing drive around the bustling frontier town of Punt Arenas—capital of the Magallanes Region. Discover the charm of this southernmost city in the world, situated on the Strait of Magellan. Sometimes the best place to start delving into the lives of historic figures is with a visit to the cemetery that became their final resting place. Punta Arenas' pioneer cemetery features avenues lined by tall cypress trees and splendid mausoleums. Cross the cemetery to see the tomb of Sara Braun—the richest woman in Patagonia's history—and to hear about her amazing life. From here, drive to the Cerro La Cruz, a viewpoint over the city and the Strait

of Magellan, the port and the legendary Tierra del Fuego Island—once home to the Fireland Natives. Your next stop is back in town at the Plaza de Armas, the main square. You'll visit the Braun-Menéndez Mansion, now a National Monument, but designed and built by the renowned French architect Antoine Beaulier in 1906. The mansion is a well preserved example of how the affluent families lived at the turn of the 20th century and contains all of its original furniture, décor and memorabilia. Continues driving out of town to visit an old warehouse, now refurbished, where you'll see machinery used by the first colonists in this part of the world. Listen to this epic story of the settlement of Punta Arenas and enjoy a beverage and a cheese empanadita—a typical stuffed turnover that is a savory delight. Watch a shearing show that exhibits a little bit of the agricultural skill that has brought fame and fortune to Patagonia. Finally, after having learned about the life of the forefathers of the present inhabitants of Punta Arenas, return to the pier.

#### **Torres del Paine National Park**











This excursion starts with a 30-minute bus ride to the airport to board a plane for an approximately 60-minute flight from Punta Arenas to Puerto Natales. Upon landing at Puerto Natales, you will travel two hours by motor coach over the pampas--an enormous expanse of flat grassland that is home to vast numbers of sheep. Only low vegetation grows in this area due to the harsh Patagonian

winds. It is a very scenic drive to the famous Torres del Paine National Park, where you will catch your first glimpse of the distinct peaks (torres) from which the area takes its name. Torres del Paine National Park was established in 1959, and is a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve. The park centers around an alpine massif of three imposing granite towers (torres) reaching over 10,000 feet, together with several lesser horns, or cuernos, formed of black shale, and a variety of glaciers, lakes, and wild rivers. Your drive within the park will offer incredible vistas, including Lago Sarmiento and the intensely blue Laguna Amarga. Across Nordenskjold Lake, you will have a view of the famous jagged spires whose image is synonymous with Chile--a fabulous photo opportunity. Lunch is included in a local restaurant. Head back to Puerto Natales for your flight back to Punta Arenas. A transfer will return you to the ship in the late evening.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. Tour operates weather permitting and there is a chance of poor visibility. For the call on 11-FEB-2011 order of tour program will be altered in order to accommodate schedule based on time in port.

#### **Trekking in the Andean Club**







Departs: 1:30 PM Approximately 3½ Hours Price \$109.00

Patagonia--now there's a word that evokes images of chilly, windswept landscapes! However, this vast and fascinating land often has pleasant summers and always offers world-class vistas, some of which you will enjoy during this tour. You will drive first to the Club Andino (Andean Club) -- a unique ski center that is one of the very few in the world with a view of the ocean. This place can be used in summertime for great hikes on the tree covered slopes with lush forests of Patagonian natives such as coigues, lengas, and ñirres. Upon arrival at the club, climb aboard the lift that covers a distance of approximately 1500 yards and affords excellent regional views as it whisks you up the mountain. From the top, you will see the legendary Strait of Magellan and the city of Punta Arenas in the distance. At the descent point, start hiking downhill on a path that will lead you through the woods. At the end of your walk, take a few minutes for refreshments amid this mind-soothing landscape. After this moment of relaxation, return to the pier.

Please note: Wear comfortable walking shoes. It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. You may wish to remove layers as you warm up during your walk. Outer layer should be waterproof and windproof. Bring gloves, a warm hat and a scarf. Weather is unpredictable.

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eucalyptus and pine forests, icy lakes, Bavarian hamlets and luminous snowcapped volcanoes.

#### A Taste of Chile: Fresh Fusion







Departs: 9:30 AM Approximately 61/2 Hours Price \$199.00

Chef Richard Knobloch will meet you at Puerto Montt to begin this special trip of discovering the ethnic fusion of native ingredients in creative food preparation. Begin in the Angelmo Fish Market, known for its wide variety of local fresh fish and seafood, as well as an array of ethnic ingredients and vegetables. Richard will pick up the best ingredients such as mussels, fish and mushrooms, needed to prepare lunch. Driving north from the picturesque port, you'll make your way through gorgeous agricultural valleys, past the rain forest and snow-covered volcanoes. Make a quick stop at an old farm to pick up herbs, vegetables and delicious fruits grown organically. Reaching Puerto Varas, drive to the restaurant for an aperitif. Richard prepares a three-course menu and guests are welcome to join in the cooking if you wish! The dishes showcase the local ingredients and cooking techniques, always taking advantage of the fresh seasonal produce available. After lunch, vou will return to Puerto Montt.

Please note: This tour includes a meal—lunch on daytime tours; dinner on evening tours. You will have time to visit the Angelo Handicraft Market on your own after you return to the ship. The market is a 400-yard walk from the pier.

#### Alerce Forest & the Settlers Museum





Departs: 9:15 AM Approximately 41/2 Hours Price \$65.00

The Lahuen Ñadi Forest is the last stand of alerce trees in the Lake District's central valley, just 8 miles from Puerto Montt. The National Forest Corporation, Conaf, protects the eco-system and promotes ecotourism in Chile's national parks, including this 500-acre alerce forest. The alerce tree, native to southern Chile, was declared an item of national heritage in 1976. It is illegal to harvest or destroy the trees, which have a 3,000-year lifespan. Today you will discover the Lahuen Ñadi Park on a one-hour eco walk through its beautiful landscapes. Afterwards, drive to Nueva Braunau to visit the Colonization Museum. The museum is located in an old barn farm and shows a private collection of settlers' items, some of which have never been available to the public before. Completing the tour, visit Puerto Varas, the City of Roses, where you will have time to stroll the main square and browse at the handicraft booths.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing and comfortable walking shoes in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. This tour is available on the ms Veendam only.

#### **Canopy Adventure at Osorno** Volcano







Departs: 8:45 AM Approximately 7 Hours Price \$219.00

It is a scenic 90-minute drive to the canopy site located on the banks of Lake Llanquihue in the heart of the Lake District with Osorno Volcano in the background. Here you will experience the thrill of zipping through the air using a series of cables connected by platforms. The zip line will take you over and across Chucao Canyon and Gran Coihue—a total of 11 thrilling zip lines from start to finish. Gear supplied is the highest-quality harness equipment—the same as is used for professional climbing. You will receive a safety briefing and instructions on how to "zip," after which you will be ready to experience the adrenalin rush that comes with the sensation of flying through the air, at one point crossing a 750-foot, non-stop stretch, which is undoubtedly the most exciting part of this experience. Trees in this area are more than 120 feet tall, and the maximum speed during the descent is 27 miles per hour. Following this invigorating and thrilling adventure, it's time for a welldeserved lunch at a local restaurant. After lunch, return to Puerto Montt.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. Wear closed -toe shoes. Tour operates subject to meeting a minimum number of participants. Minimum age is 12 years. You will have time to visit the

market on your own after you return to the ship.

### Chiloe Culture & Patagonias Rain





Departs: 12:45 PM Approximately 3½ Hours Price \$159.00

Ayaltué means "beautiful and beloved land" and you will find it in an enchanted corner of Chiloé Island in the Chonos Archipelago. Chiloé is home to the Valdivian temperate rain forest—one of only a handful of such forests in the entire world. The stunning landscapes consist of dense woods and shimmering lakes against a backdrop of cold, richly populated ocean. Ayaltué Park represents an opportunity to experience a high-quality close encounter with Northern Patagonia's cultural heritage, traditional way of life, customs, crafts, history, mythology, scenery, architecture and gastronomy—all the mysterious aspects of this land. With your guide you will walk the forest trails and hear about Chiloé mythology. Discover the secrets of indigenous culture and the island's complex religious history. Try the traditional freshly smoked salmon, and immerse yourself in an unforgettable experience as you dine on local specialties. After refreshments, return to Puerto Montt via the same route. Once back in Puerto Montt, guests may be dropped at the port gates, in case they want to visit Angelmó, the local Fish and Handicraft Market, a nearby fishing village, where the houses are built on stilts over the water. Those who prefer to return to directly to the

ship can stay on the coach.

#### Fly Fishing on the Maullin River







Departs: 8:45 AM Approximately 6 Hours Price \$349.00

Your bus leaves Puerto Montt heading towards the southwest. For approximately 13 miles, you'll drive on paved roads, but the last nine miles to the river lead you over a bumpy road. Arriving at the shoreline, you will board a small boat for an approximately eight-mile ride on the beautiful Río Maullín. Instructions and proper gear for fishing are included. A high ratio of guides to guests ensures that each participant receives personal attention. Because of landslides during the earthquake of Valdivia in 1960, the Río Maullín can only be navigated by small boat today, so the river's natural surroundings and its flora and fauna are very much intact. While passing dense and silent forests, you might have luck catching brown trout, rainbow trout and salmon for which Chile is renowned. A picnic lunch is included.

Please note: Although only a few horn flies live near this river, wear light-colored clothing to avoid attracting them. As fish cannot be brought on the boat, fishing will be catch-and-release. No guarantees are made with respect to catching any fish. Bring a towel. This tour can only accommodate two guests per boat. Book early as only three boats are available.

#### **Horseback Riding in Puerto Montt**





Departs: 1:00 PM Approximately 3 Hours Price \$134.00

The Lake District, of which Puerto Montt is the capital, is one of the most spectacular areas of Chile. Hundreds of picturesque lakes and dozens of active volcanoes dominate the landscape. Today, you will enjoy a bit of this area on horseback, at a walking pace. First, take a short ride by van to the area where the horses will be waiting—a private farm with a lovely view of the ocean. You will receive a short briefing about horseback riding, and riding gear. If the tide is low, a short ride by the beach may be added, time and weather permitting.

Please note: Waiver must be signed and medical conditions disclosed. Maximum weight is 220 lbs.

#### **Kayaking in the Lake District**







Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 4 Hours Price \$274.00

Chile's Lake District is an area of wonderful landscapes and impressive nature. Commune with nature as part of a small group while kayaking on one of the lagoons close to the famous Lake Llanquihue. Depart from the pier by motor coach, headed towards Puerto Varas—a town located on the shores of lake Llanquihue. From here, you'll drive eastward with a great view (weather permitting) of the majestic Osorno Volcano, until you reach La Poza Lagoon (oddly misnamed "the Puddle"). First, listen to a briefing, and then you will

begin your water excursion. The kayaks used are smaller, more compact tandem kayaks, well suited to day paddling. Begin kayaking in the La Poza Lagoon area. There will be a short stop at Loreley Island for a short trek inland. A light snack will be distributed here. Continue kayaking along El Tunel (the tunnel) arriving back at the starting point, where the coach will be waiting to transfer you back to the pier.

Please note: A waiver must be signed. Life vest, pants and jacket are provided. Dress comfortably for the weather conditions of the day. For warm sunny days: shorts, gym shoes or sandals, and a light shirt or t-shirt. For rainy weather: long trousers, gym shoes or light boots, fleece or wool jacket. Bring a hat, sunscreen and sunglasses, and a change of clothes in case you get wet. Note that the width of the kayak cockpit is only 45 centimeters, so wide or overweight people must take this into account. Not recommended for guests with any physical limitation. Participants must know how to swim. Minimum age is 12 years. Operates subject to weather conditions. This tour is available on the ms Veendam only.

#### **Petrohue Cascades & The City of** Roses





Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 41/2 Hours Price \$74.00

You will depart from the pier to the Petrohué River and towards Vicente Pérez Rosales National Park, where you will enjoy a breathtaking view of the Osorno Volcano. A stop will be made for a walk along the Petrohué River to view the rapids cascading

over the hard volcanic rocks. The tour will continue to Puerto Varas—the City of Roses. Puerto Varas looks over Lake Llanquihue, one of Chile's largest lakes, where the reflection of the eternal snow that covers the Osorno Volcano is mirrored in the clear waters. Here, you will have a chance to explore the lakeshore or walk around the city. Afterwards, you will be driven back to the pier.

#### Petrohue Falls, Lake Cruise & **Chilean Countryside**







Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 8 Hours Price \$164.00

Heading out of the city and meeting up with the main highway, you will first drive along the Llanquihue Lake and pass through the village of Ensenada. As you circle the lake, the scenery becomes more beautiful with each mile, passing lush green countryside, oxenplowed fields, and weather-beaten clapboard barns and churches. Arrive at Lake Todos los Santos for a 45-minute boat trip over the lake. Continuing on to Petrohué Rapids, you'll see a gleaming succession of blue rapids against a backdrop of mountains, including nearby Osorno Volcano. Here, you will stop for approximately 30 minutes to walk the pathways and trails, taking in the gorgeous views of the rapids, waterfalls, mountains and natural wilderness. Boarding the coach, you will drive to Puerto Varas. Lunch will be served, then you will have time to discover Puerto Varas and its handicraft market. Drive back to Puerto Montt, where your guide points out some of the city's most notable landmarks. Watch for the Main Square with its neoclassical cathedral adorned with three

imposing towers, before arriving at the pier.

Please note: It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. You will have time to visit the Angelmó Handicraft Market on your own after you return to the ship. The market is a 400-yard walk from the pier.

#### **Petrohue River Rafting Adventure**







Departs: 9:00 AM Approximately 6 Hours Price \$179.00

Set off on a class III-IV rafting trip down the clear, azure waters of the mighty Petrohué River—one of Chile's most beautiful and exciting glacial rivers. Marvel at the surrounding spectacular scenery of old growth forests, waterfalls and breathtaking views of the surrounding mountains and volcanoes. Your river guide will expertly maneuver through thunderous rapids, so hold on and enjoy this thrilling whitewater experience! Wetsuits are provided and a picnic lunch will be served at the lodge or on the riverbank.

Please note: Participants will need to be fit and have enough stamina to be able to paddle in fast, rough, open waters for perhaps long periods of time. Raft operator may deny participation if a guest appears unfit or unable to sustain such strenuous activity. Participants are required to be able to swim and to walk over uneven terrain. Bring your swimsuit and a towel. Wear comfortable walking shoes. It is essential that you wear warm, layered clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate in this excursion. Minimum

age is 12 years.

#### Puerto Montt Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)





Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$999.00

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Capacity: 7 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

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#### Puerto Montt Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



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Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$699.00

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## Puerto Montt, Puerto Varas & Frutillar Highlights



Departs: 8:45 AM Approximately 3½ - 4 Hours Price \$69.00

Passing through the center of the city with its typical square and the cathedral known as the region's oldest building, you will first stop at an observation point for a beautiful view of the city, Tenglo Island and the Tenglo Channel. Leaving Puerto Montt, you will head towards Puerto Varas, situated 12 miles away. The City of Roses overlooks Lago Llanquihue, Chile's second-largest lake, where the reflections of the eternally snowcovered volcanoes Osorno and Calbuco are mirrored in the clear waters. The costanera (coastal road) leads to Puerto Varas' main square with its gardens and historical monument. Travel 16 more miles north to Frutillar for a leisurely drive through the town's historical areas. The houses here are surrounded by beautiful gardens and are built in a style reminiscent of Germany's Black Forest region. You'll pass by the Lutheran and Catholic churches and the Colonial Museum with its exhibits on the first settlers' history.

Please note: Tour involves a two-hour

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leisurely walk over mostly flat paths and a slight incline.

# Simplicity of Traditional Curanto





Departs: 9:00 AM Approximately 6½ Hours Price \$424.00

The best way to get to know another culture is by exploring its simple and deeply rooted customs and traditions. Undoubtedly, cooking most accurately represents the way people interact with their environment. Accept an invitation today to embark on a "voyage of learning" as you catch an authentic glimpse into the daily life of the inhabitants of southern Chile. A 30-mile drive takes you from Puerto Montt to Calbuco (Blue Waters), passing through the typical low-vegetation landscape that characterizes this region of Chile. Its hills are the beginning of the coastal mountain range that sinks into the ocean, returning to the surface as a myriad of islets and islands dotting the area close to the coast. Each island and islet has a Mapuche name. The Mapuche people are the aboriginal group that inhabited central and part of southern Chile, and their descendants still remain in small communities mainly subsisting on the gathering of shellfish and the growing of potatoes. This unusual combination of aquaculture and agriculture has created a unique culinary fusion that comes down to a simple and delicious equation: potatoes + shellfish = curanto! In this region, curanto is still prepared in a traditional way—using heated stones, under a bed of nalcas leaves (a local plant), which slowly cooks the food. After you arrive in Calbuco, you'll transfer by



boat across to Chidhuapi Island, where you will meet Juanita and Ricardo and their family, who live in a modest house. They will share with you, in an ambience characterized by a complete lack of luxury, their interesting life and will show you how their happiness stems from the simple things in life—family and a sense of belonging to an extraordinary, ancient culture. Juanita prepares the bread, while Ricardo brings the shellfish and lights the fire. You are most welcome, should you choose, to participate in the preparation and uncovering of the curanto. After your traditional, hearty and truly delicious lunch, take a stroll to the nearby cemetery, and a walk along the coast far from the bustle of city life.

Please note: Wear comfortable walking shoes. The capacity of this tour is very limited and additional space will not be made available.

#### Symphony of Lakes & Volcanoes







Departs: 8:15 AM Approximately 8 - 8½ Hours Price \$139.00

Visit an area where lakes, woods and volcanoes are common. Osorno Volcano can be seen from as far away as 20 miles south of Puerto Montt and the town of Osorno, some 150 miles to the north. You'll see Puerto Varas, the City of Roses, at Lago Llanquihue and skirt the southern shores of the lake to the village of Ensenada, situated next to the wild Petrohué River Rapids—a symphony of color, sound and serenity. After visiting the rapids, you'll take the somewhat bumpy road to Osorno Volcano. At the parking area you'll have some free time to enjoy the glorious panorama of lakes, snow-covered volcanoes

and wooded valleys (depending upon weather conditions). Finally you will re-board the motor coach and transfer to a quaint restaurant where lunch will be served.

Please note: Wear comfortable walking shoes as well as warm, layered and water-resistant clothing in order to fully enjoy and participate this excursion. Tour is highly dependent upon weather conditions—does not operate during inclement weather as the view from the volcano is obscured. You will have time to visit the Angelmó Handicraft Market on your own after you return to the ship. The market is a 400-yard walk from the pier.

#### **Traditions of Chile**







Departs: 10:00 AM Approximately 6 Hours

Price \$169.00

Experience a day on a typical Chilean farm to learn about the traditions of Chilean food, music, tools, and the national sport of rodeo. Thirty minutes' drive from the pier is Fundo Olguita—a Chilean horse stud farm and yard. A glass of wine and empanadas will be waiting for you, and musicians will entertain you. See the animals, riding gear, and a demonstration of Chilean rodeo. Lunch includes roast beef and is followed by traditional German desserts in honor of the family's German antecedents. You'll also have a chance to learn the Chilean national dance, the Cueca.

Please note: Wear sturdy, waterproof shoes, layered clothing and a waterproof jacket. At the Fundo Olguita, the owner's dogs are allowed to roam freely among visitors. You

will have time to visit the Angelo Handicraft Market on your own after you return to the ship. The market is a 400-yard walk from the pier.

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streets, steep hills and 15 ascensores - ingenious antique trams. Nearby is the seaside resort of Vina del Mar.

# Casablanca Valley Winery with Airport Transfer (with prepaid transfer voucher)







Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 9 Hours Price \$107.00

Depart the ship and travel out of Valparaiso into the Casablanca Valley, the youngest Chilean viticulture area which boasts the perfect trilogy: climate, soil and vines. Your first stop will be at Vinedos Veramonte for a tour and wine tasting. Drive through the valley, with a stop at one of the best wineries in Chile: Santa Emiliana (Walnut Crest) -- a modern winery with a world-famous reputation. During welcome drinks, enjoy a folkloric music performance. You will continue tasting Santa Emiliana's varietal wines during a leisurely buffet lunch. Afterwards, you will be transferred back to Valparaiso for a scenic tour through Vina del Mar and Valparaiso, before returning to the ship. Enjoy a stroll around this market before transferring to a downtown hotel or to Santiago Airport in time for your flight.

Please note: For guests transferring to the airport this option is available only to guests with flights departing after 9:00pm.

During inclement weather, lunch will be served at the Club House at Santa Emiliana.

# Casablanca Valley Winery with Airport Transfer (without prepaid transfer voucher







Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 9 Hours Price \$189.00

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#### Coastal Cities & Chilean Valley Traditions with Airport Transfer (with prepaid t







Departs: 7:45 AM Approximately 8½ Hours Price \$72.00

Explore surprising Valparaiso, from the hilly old town to the thriving downtown and all the way to the fashionable resort of Vina del Mar. Entering Vina del Mar, you will see the resort's best-known landmark, the famous floral clock. You will make a brief stop to admire the exterior of the impressive casino, built in the 1930s, renovated in 2003, and set in beautiful gardens. A visit to the Fonck Museum is also included, where you will be able to view an extensive and interesting collection of objects from Easter Island and the Chilean mainland, including a fine exhibit of Mapuche native silver. Your tour then continues to the Casablanca Valley where you will have the chance to visit Puro Caballo--a typical Chilean horse stable where you can have a great time learning about the traditions of Chile's countryside. You will be greeted with a pisco sour (the national drink) and a nice warm empanada--a meat turnover that is a local specialty. Enjoy a demonstration of Chilean horse skill performed by a huaso (cowboy). Afterwards, a well-deserved lunch awaits you at El Estribo Restaurant, where you will be able to taste typical Chilean dishes such as plateadas al horno (meat baked in an adobe oven). Finally, you will transfer to Santiago Airport in time for your flight.

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Finally, you will transfer to Santiago Airport in time for your flight.

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#### Santiago Highlights with Airport Transfer (with prepaid transfer voucher)





Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 9½ Hours

Price \$47.00

Enjoy a beautiful journey from the pier in Valparaíso to the capital of Chile. Santiago de Chile is a city of contrasts. With remnants of its Colonial past to the ultramodern, high-rise buildings of the financial center, this metropolis will surprise you. You begin by heading south through the downtown area, passing the Club Hípico, a manicured horseracing track in the older residential area of the city. Proceed alongside the Parque O'Higgins and the Cousiño Palace, built between 1870 and 1878 for the wealthy Cousiño family. See the lively Plaza de Armas, the city's main square. From here, you'll take the famous Alameda--Santiago's colorful main avenue, crossing the Mapocho River to visit the Bohemian Bellavista district on the way to San Cristóbal Hill. Reaching the summit by funicular, you will have the finest views of Santiago and the Andes Mountains. Stop at Los Dominicos handicraft market in the Las Condes district, built like a small village with numerous handicraft shops. You will find artisans working in copper, wool, ceramics, lapis lazuli and other indigenous materials. Enjoy a stroll around this handicraft village. During the tour, lunch will be served in a typical local restaurant. In the late afternoon you will be transferred to

the Santiago Airport in time for your flight.

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# Santiago Highlights with Airport Transfer (without prepaid transfer voucher)





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# Santiago, Concha y Toro with Airport Transfer (with pre-paid transfer voucher)







Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 9 Hours Price \$122.00

Drive from Valparaiso to Santiago two hours across the central valley and the coastal range. Arrive in Santiago for a city tour including the most important highlights of historic Santiago--the Club Hipico racetracks, La Moneda Presidential Palace, and San Cristobal Hill. A one-hour drive south brings you to the Maipo Valley for lunch at a local restaurant. After lunch, visit the most important and productive winery in Chile, Concha y Toro Vineyard, located in the fertile Maipo River valley. Founded in 1883 over the rich farmlands of the picturesque little town of Pirque, it still maintains all the traditions of renowned Chilean wines. Afterwards, you will transfer to the airport.

Please note: This excursion is only available to guests with flights after 9:00pm.

# Santiago, Concha y Toro with Airport Transfer (without pre-paid transfer youcher







Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 9 Hours Price \$204.00

Drive from Valparaiso to Santiago two hours across the central valley and the coastal range. Arrive in Santiago for a city tour including the most important highlights of historic Santiago--the Club Hipico racetracks, La Moneda Presidential Palace, and San Cristobal Hill. A one-hour drive south brings you to the Maipo Valley for lunch at a local restaurant. After lunch, visit the most important and productive winery in Chile, Concha y Toro Vineyard, located in the fertile Maipo River valley. Founded in 1883 over the rich farmlands of the picturesque little town of Pirque, it still maintains all the traditions of renowned Chilean wines. Afterwards, you will transfer to the airport.

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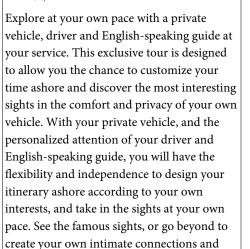
#### Valparaiso Private Touring - Full Day (Car)





Departs: 8:00 AM Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$1,049.00

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Capacity: 2 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

#### Valparaiso Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)





Departs: 8:00 AM Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$1,249.00

Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own

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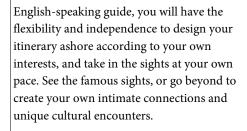
#### Valparaiso Private Touring - Half Day (Car)





Departs: 8:30 AM Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below. Price \$599.00

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#### Valparaiso Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)





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#### General Information

#### guides, services & transportation:

In certain interesting but off-the-beaten-track places, professional guides and vehicles are at a premium. The best available are engaged. For all tours other than the Signature Collection, it is exceptional for drivers of public hire vehicles to speak any language but their own and it is not always possible to obtain air-conditioned buses or taxis in many ports. However, we do our utmost to find the very best excursion packages for your touring pleasure. Guests who leave during a tour for which transportation is included must there-after provide for their own transportation and services at their own expense. Transportation standards vary from country to country.

#### self-guided excursions:

Guests who do not join these prearranged shore excursions must rely on whatever transportation is available in each port. If you choose to devise your own excursion, we suggest that you remind the driver or tour escort of the ship's sailing time. Of course, the ship's facilities are fully available to guests while in port.

#### conditions:

Shore excursions are "Non-Holland America Line Services" for the purposes of your Cruise Contract. This means that shore excursions are not owned or operated by Holland America. Refer to your Cruise Contract for a full statement of your rights and obligations as well as those of the Owner of the Ship, Holland America Line Inc. and certain other persons and entities with respect to Non-Holland America Line Services. In particular, please note that you are assuming the entire risk of utilizing Non-Holland America Line Services subject only to whatever terms or arrangements are made by you or on your behalf with the third party furnishing the Non-Holland America Line Services.

Holland America Line does not assume liability for injuries or damages that occur during or as a result of shore excursions, nor is Holland America Line liable for loss of or damage to any baggage or other property which occurs ashore, for any reason whatsoever. Shore excursions are subject to cancellations or changes. Shore excursion operators reserve the right to deny participation to guests based on such criteria as they may establish. Children under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or responsible adult aged 21 or older.

#### about pricing, refunds & cancellations:

Rates and descriptions are current as of the printing date. Prices are subject to change without notice and descriptions may vary from the actual tour provided. All cancellations that are made less than 5 days prior to cruise departure are subject to a 10% cancellation fee. There will be no exceptions. In addition, if you cancel your tour reservation after the booking deadline stated in the Shore Excursion Planning Form on board, or if you cancel a Signature Collection private vehicle tour, a 100% cancellation fee will apply since transportation and services will have already been arranged.

# cancellation of overland adventures and overnight tours:

The cancellation policy for Overland Adventures and Overnight Tours is (with no exceptions):

- 30 days before tour date: 25% penalty
- 14 days before tour date: 50% penalty
- Within 14 days: non-refundable

Please note that the Cancellation Protection Plan covers pre-booked Shore Excursions, including Overland Adventures and Overnight Tours, if cancellation is made up to 24 hours prior to commencement of cruise. Tours cancelled within 24 hours prior to commencement

of cruising or while on board are not covered by the Cancellation Protection Plan and are subject to the above penalties. In the event a complete tour is cancelled by Holland America Line or the tour operator, pre-booked refunds will be handled on board. Very shortly after each booking deadline/cancellation date, e-mails are sent from the ship to the agencies concerned, informing them of our definite requirements for meals, seats on aircraft, number of automobiles and motor coaches, etc., and commitments are made. If notice of cancellation is received after the booking deadline/cancellation date, a refund can be assured only if the ticket is resold. Guests are encouraged to pre-purchase shore excursions. We recommend speaking with the Shore Excursion Manager on board if you have any questions about your physical ability to take part in any shore excursion. Should you opt not to take the tour following this discussion, full reimbursement will be made provided the cancellation is made within 24 hours of boarding the ship. For Overland Adventures and Overnight Tours, due to the in-depth nature of the adventures, most areas are not accessible to wheelchairs and require a considerable amount of activity.